

Habitat : Mount Cheam, near Agassiz, British Columbia.

Professor R. V. Harvey, who collected the specimens, and after whom the species is named, sends the following note : Mount Cheam is a peak in the Cascade Range, and rises abruptly from the west bank of the Frazer River opposite Agassiz station, on the Canadian Pacific, about 70 miles from the coast. It attains a height of 8,000 feet, but the spot where these specimens were obtained was some 1,500 feet lower, in a grassy valley clothed in brake-fern and various flowering plants. The species appeared to haunt a clump of low bushes of a species of mountain ash, whose flowers seemed to attract insects in some numbers. Most of the specimens were taken while resting on bare stony patches among the fern adjoining the clump mentioned.

If there are those who have aided me in any way in getting the material for this paper together, and if I have not given them credit, I wish to thank them for their part in the matter. I say this because I suspect that some of the specimens have been collected by parties not mentioned, but I have used the data at hand and given the facts so far as I am in a position to know them.

The following is a list of the species identified, and the localities where they were taken :

- Simulium fulvum*, Coq. Pt. Renfrew, Glacier.
- Bibio nigripilosus*, Lw. Victoria, Glacier.
- Culex incidens*, Thomp. Pt. Renfrew, Vancouver.
- Culex varipalus*, Coq. Pt. Renfrew.
- Pedicia obtusa*, O. S. Pt. Renfrew.
- Pedicia magnifica*, Hine. Pt. Renfrew.
- Xylomyia parens*, Will. Victoria.
- Xylophagus decorus*, Will. Wellington.
- Xylophagus rufipes*, Lw. Pt. Renfrew.
- Sargus decorus*, Say. Vancouver, Victoria.
- Sargus viridis*, Say. Vernon, Victoria.
- Euparyphus obliquus*, Hine. Vernon.
- Odontomyia Hoodiana*, Bigot. Vancouver.
- Odontomyia pubescens*, Day. Vernon.
- Stratiomyia barbata*, Lw. Victoria, Vernon.
- Stratiomyia laticeps*, Lw. Vernon.
- Pangonia fera*, Will. Agassiz.
- Chrysops proclivis*, O. S. Victoria.