

small, equally-spaced brown marks; from the base to the tip of R_1 about 19, these marks a trifle narrower than the hyaline interspaces; five large brown blotches along the radial cells, the first at the base of vein M; second in middle of cell R; third just before the origin of R_s ; fourth over the fork of R_s , and the last at the tip of R_{2+3} , irregular; all the cells with narrow brown marks across them producing a net-work. Venation (see fig. p): Sc short, Sc_1 ending before the origin of R_s , Sc_2 about opposite it; Sc_2 longer than Sc_1 ; R_s angular at base; basal deflection of M_{1+2} long, so that the inner end of cell 1st M_2 is almost on a level with cell R_3 ; basal deflection of Cu_1 before fork of M, sometimes far before; cross-vein m far out, so that the deflection of M_3 is much longer than m .

Abdomen, tergum, segments brown, darkest on caudal margin, paler on the sides; sternum dull yellow; a dark brown median spot on caudal margin of each sclerite.

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Paratype, ♀.—Type locality, March 27, 1900 (Palmer and Riley).

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Furcomyia osterhouti, sp. n.

Whitish; mesothoracic præscutum with a broad median stripe and two short lateral ones; femora black, with a postmedian reddish annulus; wings with brown spots, bands and seams.

♀.—Length, 6.5 mm (about); wing, 5.7 mm.

♀.—Head: rostrum and palpi dark brownish black. Antennæ, basal segments yellowish brown, flagellum very dark brown, almost black. Front, vertex and occiput pale, whitish, tinged with brown.

Thorax: pronotum dark brown above, abruptly pale, yellowish white on the sides. Mesonotum pale yellowish white, the median stripe broad, dark brown; the lateral stripes appear on the hind margin of the præscutum and run back across the scutum and scutellum; at the caudal end of the latter sclerite they unite and form a very broad median band, which occupies the dorsum of the postnotum. Pleuræ pale, whitish. Halteres, knob and most of the stem dark brown. Legs: coxæ and trochanters yellowish brown; femora black, with a distinct reddish annulus at about three-fourths the length; tibiæ reddish at base, rest of tibiæ and tarsi shiny black. Wing with a slight yellowish tinge, especially in the cephalic cells; a very narrow brown mark from $\frac{1}{2}$ caudad; a brown mark from the tip of Sc_1 down beyond R_s ; a brown mark at tip of R_1 and on r ; a narrow seam along the cord; outer end of cell 1st M_2 seamed with brown; most