

- Sides of face with black bristles ; pleuræ not with yellow hair. . . . .  
 4.—Abdomen reddish yellow, with or without small black spots ; claws there  
 and pulvilli of male small. . . . . SEQUAX, n. sp. not m  
 Abdomen largely black ; claws and pulvilli of male large. . EXUL, n. sp. All

GONIA FRONTOSA Say, J. Acad. Phil. vi., 175 ; Compl. Wr. ii., 365. United

*Gonia philadelphica* Macquart, Dipt. Exot. ii., 3, 51, 6. and no

? *Gonia albifrons* Walker, List, etc., iv., 798. pollino

♀. Length 9.5-10 m.m. Face and front light yellow, with a silvery. third se  
 or slightly golden sheen ; front a little translucent on the sides when seen in mos  
 from above ; face on the sides with short black bristles, and a number of third to  
 longer ones near the sides of the median depression ; median depression third to  
 in its greatest width about as wide as the least width of the sides of the as long  
 face ; cheeks with short black bristly hairs only. Antennæ blackish ones in  
 brown, the second joint and base of third yellowish ; second joint about Englan  
 one-third the length of the third ; second joint of the arista not more than Carolin  
 three-fifths the length of the third. Palpi yellow. Dorsum of thorax red, wit  
 black ; the humeri, post-alar callosities, and scutellum in large part, luteous A speci  
 yellowish ; dorsum, when seen from behind, distinctly gray pollinose, the ban  
 leaving four slender stripes. Bristles of scutellum long, reaching to base have th  
 of third abdominal segment. Abdomen deep shining black ; the third the thir  
 segment with a very narrow, the third with a narrow, the fourth with a other sp  
 moderately broad, basal white-pollinose cross band. Wings nearly hyaline other sp  
 behind ; the costal, subcostal and first basal cells very distinctly tinged respect  
 with brown. in havi  
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♂. Length 9-10 m.m. Front distinctly narrower, and more project-  
 ing below. Median facial depression deeper, larger, and longer, broader  
 below than the sides of the face. Antennæ larger and longer, the second  
 joint shorter, not more than one-fifth or one-sixth as long as the third ;  
 arista shorter than the joint, its second joint curved, three-fifths, or three-  
 fourths as long as the third. Dorsum of the thorax a little more hairy.  
 Abdomen more elongate or egg-shaped, the sides of the second and third  
 segments sometimes reddish. Tarsal joints of front feet a little less disci-  
 form, the claws a little longer.

This description is drawn from twelve females, mostly collected to-  
 gether in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, by Mr. E. Keen, and eight males  
 from Minnesota, collected together. They are all closely related, and  
 their absolute identity seems certain. Among these specimens, however,