

Elytra with black spots either side of the apex. Length 3.5-4 mm; width 1 mm.

Vertex roundly rectangular, the margins obtusely rounding, apex subconical, length and width about equal, shorter than the pronotum; pronotum twice wider than long, broadly produced between the eyes, posterior margin nearly straight; elytra equalling the abdomen in the female, slightly longer in the male; venation as in the female of *auratus*, the second cross nervure seldom present.

Colour: female pale lemon yellow, the eyes deep green or fuscous, a spot in the second apical and another in the anal cell, and sometimes a line around the apex fuscous; male greenish yellow, the face and vertex sometimes orange, eyes and a spot in each apical cell fuscous, those in the third and fourth coalescing into a line on the margin.

Genitalia: female; ultimate ventral segment equalling the penultimate, the lateral angles somewhat produced, between which the posterior margin is nearly truncate, a large median triangular notch, either side of which there is a black spot. Male: valve long, the apex rounding, plates as broad at the base as the ultimate segment, regularly narrowing to one-half that width at their truncate apices, width at base and length about equal, margins reflexed and armed with stout hairs, a fuscous spot on the tip of each plate and a small black one before it.

Described from twenty-five specimens taken from Carex, Ft. Collins, Colo.

*Deltocephalus castoreus* n. sp.

Short compact, with a short conical vertex. Black, with light markings on vertex and three subhyaline light bands on elytra. Length 2.5 mm; width 1 mm.

Vertex conical, obtusely angulate, equalling the pronotum, its basal width one-third greater than its length on middle, anterior margin roundly narrowing to the broad convex front, which is roundly narrowing below to the broad parallel margined clypeus; clypeus two-thirds the length of the front; elytra broad, evenly rounded behind, with a broad, short appendix, covering the abdomen in the male, a little shorter in the female; venation obscure except on the hyaline areas, clavus not reticulated, central anteapical cell short, not divided.

Colour: vertex shining black, a small circle around tip, connected with the ocelli by a slender line, and a broad irregular mark at base light yellow; pronotum black, with a tri-lobate yellow mark along the posterior