

## CARABIDAE.

*Loricera exita* sp. nov.

Pl. VI., Fig. 1.

Represented by a single nearly complete elytron, the central portion obscured by clay which will not bear removal without injury to the specimen. The humerus is very gently rounded, and there are seven rather deeply impressed, very feebly punctate striae, with the intervals nearly flat; the whole is of a dead black colour. It comes near *L. 10-punctata* Esch., but the striae are less heavily punctate than in any of our species of *Loricera*; the fourth interval shows, just before the place where it is obscured by clay, signs of a cross-line connecting the third and fourth striae, such as is found in *L. 10-punctata*, but this is not shown in the figure. The length of the fragment is 3.2 mm, and its breadth 1.55 mm; the probable length of the elytron is 3.8 mm.

One specimen: No. 16813, Scarborough.

*L. 10-punctata* is found on the Pacific Coast from Alaska to California.

*Nebria abstracta* sp. nov.

Pl. VI., Fig. 2.

The basal half of an elytron represents a species of *Nebria* allied to *N. carbonaria* Esch. It is piceous, with well rounded humerus, a brief humeral stria and seven well impressed, distinctly punctate striae, besides the marginal stria, with fewer but stout puncta; the intervals are nearly flat. It differs from *N. carbonaria*, to which it is closely allied, by its slightly smaller size, the more pronounced puncta of the marginal stria near the shoulder, the rather flatter intervals, and the more pronounced punctuation of the striae generally. The length of the fragment is 2.6 mm, its breadth 1.6 mm; the probable length of the elytron is 5.5 mm.

One specimen: No. 16805, Reservoir Park, Toronto.

*N. carbonaria* is known only from Alaska.

*Bembidium haywardi* sp. nov.

Pl. VI., Fig. 3.

A single complete elytron represents a species apparently falling in the *coccinella* group and of slender form. The humerus is rounded subangulate, rather than rounded as appears in the figure (due to the point of view from which it was drawn), the striae are entire though obscure at