DD. With six bands.....radiatus, Say. d.

CC. With white hair-bands.....viridulus, Fab. 9.

BB. Abdomen honey-yellow.....melliventris, Cress. 9.

BBB. Abdomen yellow, with very narrow black .

bands...... melliventris, Cress. 3.

The males of radiatus, Texanus and viridulus are hard to satisfactorily separate. That portion of the table relating to them has been formed almost wholly from a study of the excellent paper of Mr. Chas. Robertson, North American Bees, Desc. and Syns.*, in connection with the study of the males in the collection of the Colo. Agr'l College. Specimens of male and female of radiatus, Texanus and viridulus were sent to Mr. Robertson, who kindly looked them over and verified or, where necessary, corrected my determinations.

The following is a list of the specimens now in the College collections:

Agapostemon viridulus, Fab., 1793.

Thirty-five females; Trinidad, Ft. Collins and Poudre Canon.

Ten males; Poudre Canon and Ft. Collins.

Taken on Salix, Taraxicum, Geranium, Opuntia and several Cruciferæ.

Agapostemon radiatus, Say, 1837.

Two females, Delta; two males, Montrose and Salida (Gillette), and one male, Poudre Forks (Laura Armstrong).

Females taken on Salix.

Agapostemon Texanus, Cress., 1872.

Seventy-four females; Greeley, Lamar, Dolores, Trinidad, Ft. Collins and Rist Canon.

Twenty males; Julesburg (Ball), Greeley, Fort Collins and Rist Canon. This species has been taken on Malvastrum coccinium, Salix, Taraxicum, Geranium and Cnicus.

Agapostemon melliventris, Cress., 1874.

One female at Delta, Colo., 27-v.-oo, on Salix, by Prof. Gillette.

There are also in the collection a female taken in Mesilla Valley, N. M., on Solanum, and a male from Las Cruces, N. M., on Solidago, both from Prof. Cockerell.

Colletes nigrifrons, n. sp. ♀.

Length, 7-8 mm. Black, rather heavy set; head broad, clypeus

^{*}Trans. Acad. Sc., St. Louis, VII., No. 14, 1897.