
THE OCCURRENCE OF THE GENUS *ACHRYSO-CHARELLOIDEA* GIRAULT IN NORTH AMERICA. ✓

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This omphaline genus is characterized by the two grooves on the scutellum and the 4-jointed club. As regards the latter, there is uncertainty in the following new species; for the distinct terminal spine of the club, although "jointed" or constricted at about its middle, is not articulated, and the club must, therefore, be called 3-jointed with a terminal spine. This throws doubt on the genotype as regards this character. Its description should be verified. I had no opportunity to re-examine the type. The genus structurally is very similar to *Gyrolasella* of the Elachertini, but the body is metallic and the postmarginal vein is slightly longer than the stigmal but not nearly half the length of the marginal. Besides, its habitus is that of *Chrysocharis*; resembling also *Diaul'nopsis*. Marginal vein a little shorter than the submarginal or subequal to it.

***Achrysocharelloidea albiscapus*, new species.**

Female.—Length 0.75 mm.

Aeneous green, the fore wings lightly dusky throughout. Scape white, the legs golden yellow except the coxæ. Scaly-reticulated, the scutellum more finely so, the postscutellum and propodeum subglabrous, the latter with weakly indicated median and "lateral" carinae ("lateral carinae" just laterad of the small spiracle). Pedicel intermediate between the funicle joints in length, 1 a little longer than wide, 2 quadrate; club somewhat longer than the funicle, its joints no longer than the funicle joints. Mandibles 4-dentate. Marginal cilia of fore wing somewhat longer than usual (not extremely short, not a seventh of the greatest wing width). Stigmal vein with a distinct neck. Parapsidal furrows distinct, nearly or quite complete. Caudal wings with about seven lines of discal cilia where widest, their longest marginal cilia distinctly longer than those cilia of the fore wing. Pubescence very sparse. Caudal tibial spur single, small.

Described from one female taken in the woods at Hillmead (Glennedale), Maryland, Prince George County, April, 1916.

Type.—Catalogue No. 20298, U. S. N. M., the female on a slide.
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