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摘 要

本文中記載したるものは *Thysanoptera* 總翅目中、樺太産の一新種 *Chirothrips watanabei* sp. nov. と、同嶋産未記録の歐洲産と同定した。 *Aeolothrips albicinctus* f. *flavithorax* Pries. 及び世界共通の *Aeolothrips fasciatus* L. の三種にして、特に歐洲産のものに就ては觸角節及刺毛の長さに就て詳細に尺度を計つたものである。但し *A. fasciatus* L. の雄は北海道産のものに就て記載したものである。

LEMA ORYZÆ SP. NOV.

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In the course of my study on the leaf-beetle of the rice-plant in Japan, I found that this species which has hitherto been referred to as *Lema melanopa* LINNÉ and formerly known as *L. tristis* HERBST (= *L. flavipes* SUFFRIAN), is a new and undescribed one. In order to take a priority, I give a brief description of the species in this occasion. More precise description and discussion shall be given in the near future.

General colour of body blackish, with the pronotum bright yellowish brown and the elytra metallic blue. Antennae black, with grayish pubescence densely, excepting two basal joints which are dark brown and scarcely pubescent. Legs bright brownish yellow, with blackish coxae and dark brownish tarsi, the tibia being darkened at the apex; abdominal sternites deep black with close and fine punctures, covered with dense grayish yellow pubescence.

Average length of body 4.23 mm. in the males and 4.76 mm. in the females.

In form and colouration this species has much resemblance to *L. melanopa* LINNÉ, but its dark brownish basal two joints of antennae, brownish yellow trochanters, dark brownish tarsi and apices of tibiae, blackish abdominal sternites and the conditions of punctures and pubescence separate it rather easily from that species.

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摘 要

稲作の大害虫イネドロハムシ(泥負蟲)は精査の結果新種と認め爰に *Lema oryzae* と命名せり。

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