THE TETTIGONIIDAE (ORTHOPTERA) OF TENNESSEL

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ABSTRACT

Thirty-seven species and eleven genera in five subfamilies of Tettigoniidae are covered in this paper. Keys, synonomy, county records, and brief descriptions are included for each species.

The family Tettigoniidae is a well known family since it comprises the "katydids" or long-horned grasshoppers. Because the antennae exceed the body in length and the tarsi are four-jointed, members of the family are easily recognized. The color of individuals seemingly coincides with habitat, varying from bright green to dull brown. Some species are strictly ground-dwelling; others are arboreal. Some fly; others are wingless.

Adults of the tettigoniids are common from the latter part of June, through July, and August. Only the males stridulate ("sing"). Many species may be identified by their song. In some species the best diagnostic character, and possibly the only one, is their distinctive song. The Tettigoniidae are generally herbivorous; but some prey on other insects, and a few are cannibalistic.

This work includes 11 genera and 37 species in five subfamilies of the Tettidoniidae. County records for 34 of these species are given in this paper. The keys of some genera cover only one sex due to the lack of taxonomic characters for the other sex. Marcovitch (1920) recorded 32 species from Tennessee. The species added in this paper are from the authors' personal collections and from collections in The University of Tennessee Entomological Museum, Memphis State University Entomological Museum, the Great Smoky Mountains National Park Museum, and from pertinent literature. Several species were added through personal correspondence with Dr. T. J. Walker, University of Florida.

Papers not cited in the body of this paper but of great importance in providing information concerning distribution, synonomy, and taxonomic keys are as follows: Caudell (1921), Hebard (1925, 1945), Powders and Drew (1966), and Rehn and Hebard (1914a, 1914b, 1914c, 1915b, 1916a).

Key to the Subfamilies of Tettigoniidae

1.	Wings absent or vestigial; pronotum exceeding five mm in length; general color usually gray or brown
	Wings present and well developed; if not, the prono- tum never exceeding five mm in length; general color usually green.
	Prosternal spines absent3
3.	cone
	Vertex produced forward as a rounded tubercle

4.	Pronotum	about as	long	as wie	de with	two	transverse Seudophyllinae
	Pronotum	longer with no	than	wide	with	one	seudophyllinae transverse
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SUBFAMILY (DECTICINAE)

Atlanticus Scudder

Decticus Burneister, 1838 (in part). Hand. der Entomol. 2:709

Orchesticus Saussure, 1859 (not of Cabanis, 1851). Rev.

Thyreonotus Scudder, 1862 (not of Serville, 1839). J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 7:453.

Engoniaspis Brunner, 1893. Ann. Mus. Civ. Stor. Nat. Genova 33:185. (No species described.)

Atlanticus Scudder, 1894. Can. Entomol. 26:179.

Stipator Rehn, 1900. Tran. Am. Entomol. Soc. 27:90. (To replace the preoccupied genus, Orchesticus Saussure.)

Characteristics: Nearly wingless; pronotum prolonged posteriorly over one or more of the basal segments of the abdomen, with the front margin rounded or subtruncate, lateral lobes longer than deep; eyes small, subglobose, separated by at least three times their own diameter; prosternum armed beneath with two erect spines; tegmina short, rarely as long as pronotum; ovipositor straight or very nearly so, sometimes feebly curved downward, its tip acute; lateral carina of pronotum always evident; cercus of male subcylindrical, armed at or behind the middle with a single tooth; subgenital plate of the male either notched or subtruncate.

Key to Species of Atlanticus

Atlanticus davisi Rehn and Hebard

Atlanticus dorsalis Blatchley 1903. The Orthoptera of Indiana. 394.

Atlanticus davisi Rehn and Hebard 1916. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 42:58

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 16.8-23 mm, female, 17-26.5 mm; length of pronotum, male, 7.7-9.5 mm, female, 8-10.6 mm; length of caudal femora, male, 15-18 mm, female, 17.5-22 mm; length of ovipositor, 18.4-23 mm; color generally brown. Males of this species are quite difficult to distinguish from males of *A. monticola*.

County record: Montgomery.

Atlanticus monticola Davis

Atlanticus pachymerus Rehn and Hebard, 1911 (not Decticus pachymerus Burmeister, 1838). Proc. Acad. Nat. Sci. Phila. 63:644.

Atlanticus monticola Davis, 1915. Bull. Brooklyn Entomol. Soc. 9:104.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 17.6-19.8 mm, female, 20-23.2 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 8-9.9 mm; length of caudal femora, male, 14.8-18.8 mm, female, 18.5-20.2 mm; length of ovipositor, 17.6-19.4 mm; color brown; tegmina of the male covering about one-fourth of the abdomen.

County records: Montgomery, and Sevier.

Atlanticus pachymerus (Burmeister)

Decticus pachymerus Burmeister, 1838, Handb. der Entomol. 2:712.

Locusta (Ephippigera) pachymerus De Haan, 1842. Verhandl. Natuurl. Geschied. p. 178.

Atlanticus pachymerus Caudell, 1907 (in part). Proc. U. S. Natl. Mus. 32:323.

Atlanticus dorsalis Sherman and Brimley, 1911 (in part).

Entomol. News 22:390.

Atlanticus pachymerus Sherman and Brimley, 1911. Entomol.
News 22:390

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 23.2-26.7 mm, female, 20-28.2 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 9.1-11.4 mm; length of caudal femora, male, 19.8-24.2 mm, female 21-24.2 mm; length of ovipositor, 18-24 mm; color brown; tegmina of male exposed approximately the same distance as the width of the pronotum. County records: Hamilton, and Sevier.

Atlanticus americanus americanus (Saussure)

Orchesticus americanus Saussure, 1859. Rev. Mag. Zool. 11:201.

Thyreonotus dorsalis Scudder, 1862 (not Decticus dorsalis Burmeister, 1838). J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 7:454. Decticus derogatus Walker, 1869. Cat. Dermaptera Saltatoria, Brit. Mus. 2:260.

Atlanticus dorsalis Scudder, 1894 (not Decticus dorsalis Burmeister, 1838). Can. Entomol. 26:179.

Stipator americanus Rehn, 1900. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc.

27:90.
Atlanticus dorsalis Caudell, 1907. Proc. U. S. Natl. Mus. 30:321.

Atlanticus americanus Rehn and Hebard, 1916. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 42:72.

Atlanticus americanus americanus Hebard, 1934. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 60:32.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 20-30 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 9.4-11.3

mm; length of caudal femora, male, 22-28 mm; length of ovipositor, 24-28.3 mm; color brownish-yellow to dark reddish-brown; tegmina of male projecting beyond pronotum a distance about half the length of the front margin of pronotum; subgenital plate of male with a very narrow medio-longitudinal cleft, subgenital plate of female narrowly divided medio-longitudinally, the cleft extending decidedly more than half the distance to the base of the plate, the lateral projections thus formed longer than the width of the base.

County records: Hamilton, Montgomery, and Sevier.

Atlanticus americanus hesperus Hebard

Atlanticus americanus Rehn and Hebard, 1916. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 42:78.

Atlanticus americanus hesperus Hebard, 1934. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 60:31-33.

Characteristics: Length of the body, male, 24 mm, female, 24.3 mm; length of the pronotum, male, 9.3 mm, female, 10.2 mm; length of caudal femora, male, 25-27.3 mm, female, 27-29 mm; length of ovipositor, 26.5-27.6 mm; color mottled brown. This race differs primarily in that the subgenital plate of the male is "Vemarginate." Male specimens examined have had a much more distinct "V-emarginated" subgenital plate than males of A. pachymerus or A. monticola and also the cercus in A. a. hesperus is not as distinctively heavy on the proximal side of the tooth. The female of A. a. hesperus does not have the narrow subgenital plate that is found in A. a. americanus; however, it is definitely not "U-shaped" and it is deeper than in A. pachymerus. Hebard (1934a) points out that this race is generally larger than A. a. americanus and that it is the western race of the species, extending eastward to Hamilton County, Tennessee. The authors feel that this race could easily be mistaken for A. pachymerus and that one should refer to Rehn and Hebard (1916b). Blatchley (1920), and Hebard (1934a).

County records: Davidson, Fentress, Hamilton.

SUBFAMILY (PHANEROPTERINAE)

Characteristics: General color usually bright green; head short; face vertical; vertex either a blunt deflexed attenuation or broadly rounded; eyes small, situated close to basal joint of antennae; pronotum short, flat or concave; median carina absent or faint; lateral carina usually distinct, usually narrowed in front, caudal margin usually rounded; prosternal spines absent; tegmina shorter than hind wings; ovipositor and male gentitalia vary in shape and form with genus and species.

Key to Genera

 Tegmina long, narrow; fastigium little if at all wider than proximal antennal segment
 Tegmina broad, distinctly wider at middle than at apex; fastigium very wide

2. All femora spinulose beneath; subgenital plate of male with apical notch broad and round; eye elongate oval Cephalic and middle femora unarmed beneath; subgenital plate of male with apical notch usually "V-

 Tegmina generally no wider than length of pronotum; first branch of median vein joining ulnar vein Inscudderia Tegmina generally wider than length of pronotum; first branch of median vein forked, the forks reaching the sutural margin

4. Caudal femora reaching to or beyond apical fourth of tegmina Caudal femora not reaching beyond apical third of

Montezumina Hebard

Montezumina Hebard, 1925. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc.

Characteristics: These are given with the species description.

Montezumina modesta (Brunner)

Symmetropleura modesta Brunner, 1878. K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesells, p. 246. Montezumina modesta Hebard, 1934. Ill. Nat. Hist. Surv. 20:205.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 15-20 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 3.8-4.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 5 mm; general color pale green, pronotum often fringed with reddish brown; tegmina approximately 4 times longer than greatest width; disk of pronotum flat; ovipositor upcurved near base. County records: Dyer, Jefferson, and Shelby.

Inscudderia Caudell

Inscudderia Caudell, 1921. J. Wash. Acad. Sci. 11:489. Characteristics: These are given with the species de-

Inscudderia taxoidii Caudell

Inscudderia taxoidii Caudell, 1921. J. Wash. Acad. Sci.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 16 mm; length of pronotum, male, 3.4-4 mm; general color green with traces of brown and black on legs and tegmina; pronotum rounded into lateral lobes without distinct lateral carinae except in the posterior fourth, where the disk is distinctly flattened and where the lateral carinae are sharp and distinct; lateral lobes of pronotum about as wide as long, the humeral notch deep; legs slender, the poterior femora just reaching the tips of the tegmina; subgenital plate greatly prolonged and upcurved; supraanal plate elongate triangular, about twice as long as the basal width, sides straight and tapering to a narrowly rounded apex. No females of this species have been seen by the authors.

County records: Shelby.

Scudderia Stal

Phaneroptera Serville, 1831. Ann. Sci. Nat. 22:416. Scudderia Stal, 1873. Ofv. Akad. Forhandl. 30(4):41.

Characteristics: Color green with traces of yellow on face and ventral surface; vertex compessed into narrow fastigium; pronotal disk flat, hind margin broadly rounded; caudal femora almost as long as tegmina; supraanal plate of male usually with a long decurved spine notched apically; ovipositor broad, arcuate. The females are not included in the key. They are very difficult to identify unless taken with the male (Blatchlev 1920).

Key to Males of Scudderia

- 1. Supraanal plate subtriangular, not notched or forked Supraanal plate notched or forked at tip
- 2. Notch of supraanal plate fork-like and lateral procf. furcata and fasciala esses much swollen Notch of supraanal plate not fork-like, and lateral processes not swollen .
- 3. Notch of supraanal plate square with a minute median tooth, lateral processes slender and laterally compressed Notch of suprannal plate acute, without median tooth. lateral processes broad c. curvicauda and c. laticauda

Scudderia septentrionalis (Serville)

Phaneroptera septentrionalis Serville, 1839. Hist. Nat. Ins. Orth., p. 416.

Scudderia truncata Beutenmuller, 1894. Bull. Am. Mus. Nat. Hist. 6:252.

Scudderia Septentrionalis Rehn and Hebard, 1914, Trans Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:277.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 16-18.5 mm female, 20 mm; length of pronotum, male and female 4.7-5 mm; length of ovipositor, 8.7 mm; general color pale green; pronotum narrower in front; ovipositor gently curved.

An unlabeled specimen was recorded by Marcovitch (1920) as probably having been collected in East Tennessee.

Scudderia furcata furcata Brunner

Scudderia furcata Brunner, 1878. K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesell, p.

Scudderia furcata furcata Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:275.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 14-20 mm. female, 18-21 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 4.6-5 mm; length of ovipositor, 5-7 mm; color green and greenish-yellow, antennae green basally; pronotal disk with parallel or nearly parallel sides; lateral carinae sharply elevated with no yellow color present; tegmina reticulate.

County records: Hamblen, Hamilton, Hardeman, Jefferson, Knox, Montgomery, and Sevier.

Scudderia fasciata Beutenmuller

Scudderia fasciata Beutenmuller, 1894. Bull. Mus. Nat. Hist.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 18 mm, female, 19 mm; length of pronotum, male, 4 mm, female, 4.5 mm; length of caudal femora, male, 19.5 mm, female, 20 mm; length of ovipositor, 8 mm; general color grass green, yellow carinae, yellow vertical stripe in fastigium. For many years this species was considered to be synomomous with Scudderia f. furcata and morphologically they are extremely difficult to separate. Walker (1966) reports both S. fasciata and S. furcata from eastern Tennessee and he reports that song features are the most reliable characteristics for separating the species. The authors have not attempted to separate the two species in this paper.

This species was reported as possibly occurring in upper and east Tennessee by Walker (1966).

Scudderia texensis Saussure and Pictet

Scudderia texensis Saussure and Pictet, 1897. Biol. Cent. Am. 1:330.

Scudderia curvicauda Rehn and Hebard, 1905. Proc. Acad. Nat. Sci. Philadelphia 57:42.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 21-25 mm, female, 24-28 mm; length of pronotum, male and female. 5.5-6.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 7-8 mm; body and face pale green, extremities grass green; pronotum narrower in front with distinct yellow lines on lateral

County records: Jefferson, Knox, and Montgomery.

Scudderia curvicauda curvicauda (DeGeer)

Locusta curvicauda DeGeer, 1773. Mem. Hist. Inst. 3:446. Phaneroptera angustifolia Harris, 1841. Rept. Ins. New England Inj. Veg. 1st ed. p. 129.

Scudderia curvicauda Brunner, 1878. K. K. Zool. Bot. Gessell. p. 240.

Scudderia furculata Lugger, 1898. Orthoptera of Minnesota.

Scudderia texensis Rehn, 1904. Entomol. News 15:330. Scudderia curvicauda curvicauda Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:275.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 18-23 mm, female, 19-25 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5-6 mm; length of ovipositor, 7-8 mm; differs from S. texensis by the absence of yellow carinal lines and in the shape of the supraanal plate of the males, as stated in the key.

County records: Montgomery.

Scudderia curvicauda laticauda Brunner

Scudderia laticauda Brunner, 1878. Monogr. Phaner. p. 238. Scudderia curvidauda Rehn and Hebard, 1910. Proc. Acad. Nat. Sci. Philadelphia 62:636.

Scudderia curvicauda laticauda Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:285.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 21-23 mm, female, 23-27 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 6-8 mm; length of ovipositor, 9.5-11 mm; differs from S. c. curvicauda in being larger and more robust. Refer to Blatchley (1920, p. 464) for separation.

County records: Hamilton, and Knox.

Amblycorypha Stal

Orophus Saussure, 1859 (in part). Rev. Mag. Zool. 11:204. Amblycorypha Stal, 1873, Ofv. Vet. Forhandl. 30:41.

Characteristics: General color green; fastigium rounded; pronotum with disk flat, narrowed in front; tegminal apices broadly rounded, may exceed apices of hind wings; supraanal plate short, broad and truncate; ovipositor broad. Key to species modified from Hebard (1934b).

Key to Species of Amblycorypha

- 1. Lateral lobes of pronotum with humeral sinus Lateral lobes of pronotum with humeral sinus decided.... 2
- 2. Male subgenital plate with distal margin "V-emarginate"; tegmina always more than 30 mm Male subgenital plate with distal margin truncate; tegmina not over 28 mm

Amblycorypha rotundifolia (Scudder)

Phylloptera rotundifolia Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 7:445.

Amblycorypha rotundifolia rotundifolia Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:335.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 19-20 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5-6.4 mm; length of ovipositor, 9-11 mm; color bright green. County records: Sevier.

Amblycorypha oblongifolia (DeGeer)

Locusta oblongifolia DeGeer, 1773. Mem. Hist. Inst. 3:445. Gryllus oblongifolius Harris, 1833. Catalogue of Animals and Plants in Massachusetts. In Hitchcock's Rept. on

Phylloptera oblongifolia Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist, 7:444.

Amblycorypha oblongifolia Brunner, 1878. K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesell, p. 266.

Amblycorypha scudderae Bruner, 1891. Canadian Entomol

Amblycorypha oblongifolia oblongifolia Blatchley, 1920. Orth. of N. E. Am. p. 277.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 19-23 mm, female, 22-25 mm; length of pronotum, male, 6-6.5mm, female, 7 mm; length of ovipositor, 11.5-13 mm; color bright green.

County records: Hamilton, Jefferson, Knox, Montgomery, and Shelby.

Amblycorypha uhleri Stal

Amblycorypha uhleri Stal, 1876. Bihang. Svensk Akad. 4:40.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 14-15 mm. female, 16-17.5 mm; length of pronotum, male, 4.8-6 mm, female, 5.5-7 mm; length of ovipositor, 7.5-10 mm; color pale green.

County records: Hamilton, Hardin, Jefferson, Knox. Montgomery, Putnam, and Shelby.

Microcentrum Scudder

Phylloptera Burmeister. 1838. Handbuck der Entomol,

Orophus Saussure, 1859. Rev. Mag. Zool. 11:204. Microcentrum Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist.

Characteristics: Color green to pale green; fastigium obtuse; eyes prominent; disk of pronotum flat; tegmina broad, not reaching apices of wings; supraanal plate of males oblong-triangular; ovipositor strongly arcuate.

Key to Species of Microcentrum

1. Pronotum with anterior margin sinuate and with a median tooth of variable size ... rhombifolium Pronotum with anterior margin squarely truncate and without median tooth

Microcentrum rhombifolium (Saussure)

Gryllus laurifolis Linnaeus, 1758, Syst. Nat. p. 126. Locusta laurifolia Fabricus, 1793. Entomol Syst. 2:34. Phylloptera (Orophus) rhombifolia Saussure, 1859. Rev. Mag. Zool. 11:204. Microcentrum affiliatum Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat.

Hist. 7:447. Microcentrum laurifolium Stal, 1874. Recensio Orthoptero-

rum. Revue Critique des Orthopteres descrits par Linne, DeGeer et Thunberg 2:42. Microcentrum retinervis Riley, 1874. Sixth Ann. Rept. Ins.

Missouri p. 155. Microcentrum rhombifolium Kirby, 1906. Syn. Cat. Orthop-

tera 2:518,

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 25-28 mm, female, 28-30 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 6-7 mm; length of ovipositor, 4.5-5 mm; color dark green; tegmina broad, greatly exceeding apices of caudal femora.

County records: Franklin, Jefferson, Knox, Montgomery, and Shelby.

Microcentrum retinerve (Burmeister)

Phylloptera retinervis Burmeister, 1838. Handbuck der Entomol. 2:692.

Phylloptera salicifolia Saussure, 1859. Rev. Mag. Zool. 11:204.

Microcentrum retinervis Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 7:446.

Characteristics: Length of body, male 20-22 mm, female, 24-26 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5-6.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 5.5-6.5 mm; color pale green; tegmina broad, with tips more broadly rounded than in *M. rhombifolium*, exceeding apices of caudal femora.

County records: Jefferson, Knox, Montgomery, and Shelby.

SUBFAMILY (CONOCEPHALINAE)

Characteristics: Color green to pale brown; vertex projected to form a blunt rounded tubercle; eyes large; pronotum saddle shaped; prosternum usually with two slender spines; tegmina usually well developed; legs variable in length; ovipositor and male genitalia vary with genera and species.

Key to Genera

Conocephalus Thunberg

Conocephalus Thunberg, 1815. Mem. Acad. Imp. Soc. 5:271.

Anisopiera Latreille, 1829. Regne Animal 2d ed. 5:184.

Xiphidion Serville, 1831. Ann. Sci. Nat. 22:159.

Palotta F. Walker, 1869. Cat. Dermaptera Saltatoria Brit.

Mus. 2:240

Characteristics: Slender; color green, tinged with brown; caudal margins of pronotum rounded; tegmina narrow, may be abbreviated in length; subgenital plate of male truncate; ovipositor slender, straight.

Key to Males of Conocephalus

1.	Hind tibiae armed with one pair of spines at apices; prosternal spines wanting
	Hind tibiae armed with three pairs of spines at apices; prosternal spines short2
2	Colorada spines short
4.	Subgenital plate strongly produced meso-distad in two sharp straight spikes allardi
	Subgenital plate not produced distad3
3	Cerci with distal portions depressed and with apices
٠.	broad and rounded
	apices acuminate
4.	depressions of the same being general;
	macropteryous fasicatus fasciatus
	Cerci with distal portions more decidedly produced
	and years strongly depressed years!
	and very strongly depressed; usually

brevipennis

brachypterous

5. Cerci with distal portions short, bluntly conical

conical
Cerci with distal portions very elongate, apices
strongly acuminate

Conocephalus saltans (Scudder)

Xiphidium brevipenne Scudder, 1862 (in part). Canadian Nat. and Geol. 7:285.

Nat. and Geol. 1203.

Xiphidium salians Scudder, 1872. Final Rept. U. S. Geol.

Survey p. 249.

Survey p. 2-3. Xiphidium modestum Bruner, 1891. Canadian Entomol. 23:56.

Xiphidium taenitatum Redtenbacher, 1891. Verhandl. K. K.

Zool. Bot. Gesell. 41:316.

Conocephalus saltans Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans
Entomol. Soc. 41:169.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 11-15.5 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 3-3.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 13.5-15.5 mm; slender; general color dull reddish brown, sides of abdomen with narrow yellow stripe; tegmina and hind wings usually abbreviated and covering about one fourth of the abdomen; cerci incurved with teeth bent downward and inward; ovipositor at least as long as body and much longer than the body in the long-winged forms.

County records: Knox, Montgomery, and Shelby

Conocephalus allardi (Caudell)

Xiphidion allardi Caudell, 1910. Entomol. News 21: 58. Conocephalus allardi Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 41:169.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 12-15 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 3-3.4 mm; length of ovipositor, 15-17 mm; robust; green, head and pronotum with a dark stripe extending from the vertex to hind margin of metazona; tegmina covering three-fourths of the abdomen in males, one-half in females; ovipositor straight and longer than caudal femur.

Blatchley (1920) reported this species from Rabun County, Georgia and Wythe County, Virginia, and Walker (1966) reported its song from east Tennessee.

Conocephalus fasciatus (DeGeer)

Locusta fasciata DeGeer, 1773. Mem. Hist. Inst. 3:458. Orchelinun gracile Harris, 1841. Rept. Inst. New England Inj. Veg. 1st ed. p. 131. Conocephalus fasciatus fasciatus Rehn and Hebard. 1915.

Conocephalus fasciatus fasciatus Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 41:170.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 11-15.5 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 2.8-3.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 7.3-9.5 mm; slender; color brown dorsally, green laterally, tegmina reddish brown; tegmina not exceeding apices of hind wings; apical portion of cerci more or less depressed, its apex broad and rounded.

County records: Dyer, Knox, and Obion.

Conocephalus brevipennis (Scudder)

Xiphidium brevipennis Scudder, 1862. Can. Nat. and Geol. 7:285.

Xiphidium ensifer Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 7:285.

Xiphidium ensiferum F. Walker, 1869. Cat. Dermaptera Saltatoria Br. Mus. 2:270.

Xiphidium gossypii Scudder, 1875. Proc. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 17:462.

Conocephalus brevipennis Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 41:182. Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 11-14 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 3-4 mm; length of ovipositor, 9-14 mm; robust; generally pale reddish brown, face and sides of pronotum green; tegmina usually reaching bases of cerci in male, covering two-thirds of abdomen in female; usually brachypterous; ovipositor straight.

County records: Knox, and Montgomery.

Conocephalus nemoralis (Scudder)

Xiphidium nemorale Scudder, 1875. Proc. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 17:462.

Xiphidium curtipenne Redtenbacher, 1891. Verh. Zool.botan. Gessell. Wien. 41: 498, 522.

Conocephalus nemoralis Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 41:189.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 13-15 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 3.7-4.2 mm; length of ovipositor, 8-9.2 mm; robust; dark greenish brown; tegmina covering two-thirds of abdomen in male, and one-half in female; ovipositor about three-fourths the length of the hind femur.

County records: Knox, and Montgomery.

Conocephalus strictus (Scudder)

Xiphidium strictum Scudder, 1875. Proc. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 17:460.

Conocephalus strictus Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 41:193.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 14-19 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 3.5-4.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 18-32 mm; slender; sides of head, body and femora green, occiput, pronotum reddish brown, dorsum of abdomen dark brown; pronotum with distinct lateral carina; tegmina no more than one-half the length of the abdomen, always much shorter than caudal femora; ovipositor slender, longer than the body.

County records: Knox, and Montgomery.

Orchelimum Serville

Orchelimum Serville, 1839 Hist. Nat. des Ins. p. 522.
Xiphidium (in part) Redtenbacher, 1891. Verhandl. der
K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesell. 41:493.

Characteristics: Color variable, may be green, reddish brown, or brown; pronotum saddle shaped, caudal margin broadly rounded, lateral lobes usually deeper than long; tegmina narrow, tapering, shorter than hind wings; supraanal plate of male with apex emarginate, subgenital plate apically "U" or "V" shaped; ovipositor arcuate.

Key to Males of Orchelimum

dian tooth longer than proximal portion _____campestre Cercus with distal portion beyond insertion of median tooth not longer than proximal portion ______ 3

3. Cercus with dorsal surface with distinct sinuate

carination nigripes Cercus with dorsal surface with distinct sinuate carination nigripes Cercus with dorsal surface without sinuate carination 4. Cercus with median tooth flattened at base agile

Cercus with median tooth thickened at base 5. Cercus without a rounded tubercle or node above and between the tooth and apex glaberrimum Cercus with a rounded tubercle or node above on

Orchelimum silvaticum McNeill

Orchelimum silvaticum McNeill, 1891. Psyche. 6:266.
Orchelimum calcaratum Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am.
Entomol. Soc. 41:46.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 17-23 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5.2-6.2 mm; length of ovipositor, 9-9.6 mm; color pale green; lateral lobes of pronotum longer than deep; tegmina surpassed by hind wings and usually exceeded by caudal femora.

County records: Montgomery.

Orchelimum campestre Blatchley

Orchelimum campestre Blatchley, 1893. Canad. Entomol. 25:91.

Orchelimum concinnum Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 41:60.

Orchelimum concinnum campestre Blatchley, 1920. Orth. N.E. Am. p. 556.

Orchelimum concinnum concinnum Hebard, 1934. Ill. Nat. Hist. Surv. 20:114.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 17.5-19 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 4.2-5 mm; length of ovipositor, 7-7.5 mm; general color pale green with the face translucent dull amber; dorsal and ventral carinae are weakly developed on cercus; ovipositor definitely upcurved from about the middle and is less than one-half as long as caudal femora.

This species is closely related to *O. concinnum* and *O. delicatum*. Refer to Thomas (1951), Thomas and Alexander (1962), and Powders and Drew (1966).

County records: Knox, and Montgomery.

Orchelimum nigripes Scudder

Orchelimum nigripes Scudder, 1875. Proc. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 17:459.

Orchelimum robustum Redtenbacher, 1891. Verhandl. der K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesell. 41:499.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 18-21 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 4.3-5 mm; length of ovipositor, 9-10.5 mm; general color green, tibiae and tarsi black; tegmina almost equalling hind wings and exceeding apices of hind femora.

County records: Knox, and Montgomery.

Orchelimum agile (DeGeer)

Locusta agilis DeGeer, 1773 Mem. Hist. Inst. 3: 457.

Orchelimum glaucum Serville, 1839. Hist. Nat. des Ins. p. 524.

Orchelimum silvaticum McNeill, 1891. Psyche 6:26. Xiphidium (Orchelimum) nitidum Redtenbacher, 1891. Ver.

handl. der K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesell. 41:494.

Orchelimum molossum Rehn and Hebard, 1907. Proc. Acad.

Nat. Sci. Philadelphia 59:307.

Orchelimum agile Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 41:29.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 21.5-22.5 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5-5.6 mm; length of ovipositor, 7-8 mm; color dull reddish brown dorsally, green ventrally; pronotum often

with pair of dark brown diverging stripes; length of tegrnina approximately equal to caudal femora; hind wings extending beyond teemina.

County records: Hamilton, Knox, and McMinn.

Orchellinum gluberrijnum (Burmeister)

Hiphalium glaberrinum Barmeister, 1858. Handback der Entomod. 2:707.

Orchelmum custendare Serville, 1939: Hist. Nat. Ins. Orth. p. 529.

Orchellmum exphenosphalum: Davis, 1905. Can. Entonol. 37:280.

Orchelinum gluberrinum Rehn and Heburd, 1905. Trans. Am. Hatomol. Soc. 40:34.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female. 20-27 mm; length of ovipositor, 9-10 mm; color green or greenish yellow; tegmina exceeding tips of caudal femora and hind wings by 2-4 mm.

Blatchley (1920) refers to this insect as O. erythrocephalum Davis. Later work refers to this insect as O. glaberrimum. Rehn and Hebard (1915a) point out that Redtenbacher reports this insect from Tennessee and that this could be in error.

Orchelimum vuluare Harris.

Orahelimum vulgare Harris, 1841. Rept. Ins. New England Inj. Veg. 1st ed. p. 131.

Orahellimum glaberrimum Blatchley, 1903. Orthoptera of Indiana p. 98.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 18-23 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5-6.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 7.5-8.5 mm; robust; color green or pale reddish brown; lateral lobes of pronotum nearly as long as deep; caudal femora may exceed tips of teamina.

County records: Carter, Dyer, Hamilton, Jefferson, McMinn, Montgomery, and Shelby.

Orchelimum gladiator Bruner

Orchelimum gladiatoe Beuner, 1891. Canad. Entomol. 23:71.
Orchelimum maintobense E. M. Walker, 1910. Canad. Entomol. 42:351.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 17-20 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 4.3-4.7 mm; length of ovipositor, 10 mm; color transparent grass-green; lateral lobes of pronotum nearly as long as deep; tegmina may exceed apices of hind femora; ovipositor almost two-thirds as long as hind femora.

County records: Knox.

SUBFAMILY (PSEUDOPHYLLINAE)

Pterophylla Kirby

Pterophylla Kirby, 1828. Introd. Entomol. 5th ed. p. 218. Crystophyllus Burmeister, 1838. Handbuck der Entomol. 2:697.

Thilboscelus Serville, 1839. Hist. Nat. des Ins. p. 83.

Characteristics: These are given with descriptions of species.

Pterophylla camellifolia (Fabricius)

Locusta camellifolia Fabricius, 1775. Syst. Entomol. p. 283. Locusta perspecillata Fabricius, 1775. Loc. cit.

Plangilyllum amenium Bluris, 1854. Encyl. Am. 8:42. Plangilyllus zumarmanni Saussure, 1859. Bev. Mag. Zird. Ul-206.

Orangipilus simputus Candell, 1906. J. New York Entumai. Soc. 14:40.

mus. New England Musse, 1920. Orth. of New England p. 850.

Parophylla camellifulia conellifulia Hebard, 1941. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 67:210.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 25-30 mm, fiemale, 26-34 mm; length of pronotum, male and fiemale, 5.5-6 mm; length of ovipositor, 13-15 mm; robust, calor green; vertiex terminating in a sharp flat tubercle; eyes small; pronotum saddle shaped, front margin truncate, hind margin rounded, lateral lobes deeper thunding, disk crossed by two distinct transverse sulci; prostemum armed with two spines; tegmina broad, leaf-like, completely enclosing abdomen and hind wings, and exceeding the apices of the caudal femora; centibroad at base, widely forked; subgenital plate long, nurrow, spear shaped; ovipositor more than twice as long as pronotum.

County records: Dyer, Knox, Sevier, and Shelby.

SUBFAMILY (COPIPHORINAE)

Characteristics: Color generally green; fastigium produced into a long, usually sharp cone; prostemum with two slender spines; pronotum with one transverse groove; eyes small; tegmina narrow; front and middle femora spinulose beneath; tegmina and wings fully developed.

Key to Genera

 Fastigium triquetrous or three-sided, ending in a decurved spine ——Pyrgocorypha Fastigium usually conical, not ending in a decurved spine ——Neoconocephalus

Pyrgocorypha Stal

Pyrgocorypha Stal, 1873. Ofv. Vet. Ak. Forh. 30:50.

Characteristics: These are given with descriptions of species.

Pyrgocorypha uncinata (Harris)

Conocephalus uncinatus Harris, 1841. Ins. Injur. Veget. p. 132.

Pyrgocorypha uncinata Redtenbacher, 1891. Monographie der Conocephaliden. Verhand. der. K. K. Zool. Bot. Gessel. Wein. p. 372.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 32-34 mm, female, 35-42 mm; length of fastigium beyond eyes, 3.5-4.5 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 9.5-10 mm; length of ovipositor, 19-21.5 mm; color green or reddish brown; fastigium prolonged bearing a prominent basal tooth on lower side; cerci of male curred inward, each ending in two claw-like appendages; ovipositor slender, not reaching tips of tegmina.

County records: Knox, Lewis, Montgomery, and Shelby.

Neoconocephalus Karney

Conocephalus Thunberg, 1815 (in part). Me. Acad. Imp. Soc. 5:271.

Comocuphalioides Kirby, 1906 (in part). Syn. Cat. Onthoptera 2:241.

Neucomocophalus Karneys, 1907. Abhandii, K. K. Znoi, But. Gesell, 4–72.

Characteristics: Color pule green to brown; fastigium projected forward and upward into a cone, bearing below a pointed basal tooth or blunted tubercle; pronotal disk much longer than wide, truncate anteriorly, rounded posteriorly, lateral carinae distinct; male with supraanal and subgenital plates emarginate; ovipositor narrow, straight, very long. Key to species has been modified from Blatchley (1920) and Hebard (1934b).

Key to Species of Neoconocephalus

not expanding evenly caudad r. robustus and r. crepitans
5. Undersurface of fastigium with only sides and tip
black undersurface of fastigium almost completely black 6.

6. Fastigium more than 5 mm long, basal tooth very prominent
Fastigium not as long (< 4.5 mm), basal tooth not prominent

Neoconocephalus triops (Linnaeus)

Gryllus (Tettigonia) triops Linnaeus, 1758. Syst. Nut. p. 439.
Conocephalus obtusus Burmeister, 1838. Handbuck der Entomol. 2:705.

Conocephalus dissimilis Serville, 1839. Hist. Nat. des Ins. p. 518.

Conocephalus mexicanus Saussure, 1859. Rev. Mag. Zool. 11:208.

Conocephalus triops Stal, 1874. Recensio Orthopterorum,

Revue Critique des Orthopteres descrites par Linne. De-Geer et Thunburg 2:110. Conocephalus hebes Scudder, 1879. Proc. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 20:92.

Conocephalus fusco-straitus Redtenbacher, 1891. Verhandl. K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesell. 41:399.

Neoconocephalus mexicanus var. tibialis Karny, 1907. Abhandl. K. K. Zool. Bot. Gesell. 4:33.

Neoconocephalus triops Rehn and Hebard, 1915. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:405.

Characteristics: Length of body, male and female, 27.5-36 mm; length of fastigium, male and female, 2.1-2.6 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 8.7-9.7 mm; length of ovipositor, 21-25 mm; color green to brown.

County records: Knox, and Montgomery.

Neoconocephalus retusus (Scudder)

Conocephalus retusus Scudder, 1879. Proc. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 20:93,

Conocephalus atlanticus Bruner, 1899. Entomol. News 10:38.

Necessaryhulus returns Belin and Heburd, 1904. Tenns Am. Enternol. Soc. 40:400.

Characteristics: Length of body, mule. 26-28 mm, female, 29-31 mm; length of fastigium, male and female, 1.8-2.2 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5.3-7.8 mm; length of ovipositor, 27-39 mm; color usually green; basal tooth obtuse; ovipositor much surpassing the tegmina. Rehn and Heburd (1914a) state that this species has often been identified as Canocephalus viaps and Canocephalus dissimilis by American authors.

County records: Hamblen, Jefferson, Knox, Montgomery, and Shelby.

Neoconocephalus palustris (Blatchlev)

Conocephalus palustris Blatchley, 1893. Cam. Entomol. 25:89.

Neoconocephalus pulustris Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:399.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 24-26 mm, female, 27-35 mm; length of fastigium, male, 2.3-3 mm. female, 2.6-4 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 5.6-8.7 mm; length of ovipositor, 16-21 mm; color bright grass green to brownish; basal tooth represented as a small blunt tubercle.

County records: Montgomery.

Neoconocephalus robustus (Scudder)

Gryllux (Testigonia) acuminatu Stoll, 1813 (not G. acuminatu Linnaeus, 1758). Natuur. Afbeeld. Beschr. der Spook. Zabelspr. p. 18.

Conocephalus robustus Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 7:449.

Neoconocephalus robustus robustus Rehm and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40-387.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 30 mm, female, 31-37 mm; length of fastigium, male and female, 2.7-3.7 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 7.3-9.9 mm; length of ovipositor, 25-31 mm; color pale green; pronotum with lateral carinae divergent.

County records: Knox, and Shelby.

Neoconocephalus robustus crepitans (Scudder)

Conocephalus crepitans Scudder, 1862. J. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 7:450.

Neoconocephalus robustus crepitans Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:370

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 38 mm, female 40 mm; length of fastigium, male and female, 2.7-3.8 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 8.2-10.8 mm; length of ovipositor, 27-37 mm; color as r. robustus; carinae of pronotum nearly parallel. Refer to Blatchley (1920) and Hebard (1934b) for further differences and separation of N. r. robustus and N. r. crepitans.

County records: Carroll, and Shelby.

Neoconocephalus ensiger (Harris)

Conocephalus ensiger Hattis, 1841. Rept. Ins. Muss. lmj. Veget. p. 131.

Conocephalus attenuatus Scudder, 1872. Final Rept. U. S. Geol. Surv. Nebr. p. 249.

Neoconocephalus ensiger Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 14:384.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 24-26 mm, female, 28-30 mm; length of fastigium, male and female, 3-3.5 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 7-7.5 mm; length of ovipositor, 27.5-33 mm; color green; fastigium slender; carinae of pronotum feebly divergent.

County records: Carter.

Neoconocephalus exiliscanorus (Davis)

Conocephalus exiliscanorus Davis, 1887. Can. Entomol.

Conocephalus bruneri Blatchley, 1903. Orth. of Indiana p. 267.

Neoconocephalus exiliscanorus Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:371.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 33-37 mm, female, 38-44 mm; length of fastigium, male and female, 4.2-7.5 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 7.6-9 mm; length of ovipositor, 35-47 mm; color pea-green; tegmina reaching just beyond middle of ovipositor; wings equalling tegmina in length.

County records: Jefferson, and Montgomery.

Neoconocephalus nebrascensis (Bruner)

Conocephalus nebrascensis Bruner, 1891. Can. Entomol. 23:72.

Neoconocephalus nebrascensis Rehn and Hebard, 1914. Trans. Am. Entomol. Soc. 40:376.

Neoconocephalus nebrascensis nebrascensis Blatchley, 1920. Orth. of N. E. Am. p. 517.

Characteristics: Length of body, male, 27-30 mm, female, 32-33 mm; length of fastigium, male and female, 3.2-4 mm; length of pronotum, male and female, 7.2-8 mm; length of ovipositor, 29-33 mm; color either a bright grass-green or a yellowish brown.

County records: Montgomery.

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