

## First record of *Molipteryx fuliginosa* Uhler from Russia (Heteroptera: Coreidae)

I.M. Kerzhner & E.V. Kanyukova

Kerzhner, I.M. & Kanyukova, E.V. 1998. First record of *Molipteryx fuliginosa* Uhler from Russia (Heteroptera: Coreidae). *Zoosystematica Rossica*, 7(1): 84.

*M. fuliginosa* is recorded from 3 localities in the Primorsk Terr. of Russia.

I.M. Kerzhner, Zoological Institute, Russian Academy of Sciences, Universitetskaya nab. 1, St.Petersburg 199034, Russia.

E.V. Kanyukova, Institute of Biology and Soil Sciences, Far Eastern Branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Vladivostok 690022, Russia.

*Molipteryx fuliginosa* (Uhler, 1860), a large (19-25 mm) species of coreids, has been repeatedly recorded from Japan (type locality) and Korea up to Yalukiang River in the north (Kiritshenko, 1916). Of the Chinese records (Hsiao & al., 1977), only those from Heilongjiang Prov. seem reliable (see below).

Recently, three males of this species have been collected in the Primorsk Territory of Russia: Dal'niy Kut at Iman River, 30.IX.1991 (A. Egorov); Vostretsovo E of Dal'ne-rechensk, 25.IX.1996 (Nechaev); Ussuriysk, 18.VI.1996 (N. Repsh).

Hsiao & al. (1977) erroneously placed *Molipteryx* Kiritshenko, 1916 in synonymy with *Derepteryx* White, 1839. The type species of *Derepteryx* by subsequent designation (Amyot & Serville, 1843: xxxi) is *D. grayi* White, and the name is a senior synonym of *Pterygomia* Stål, 1873. The figures given for *M. fuliginosa* by Hsiao & al. (1977) do not refer to this species: fig. 1028 and photo 462 apparently refer to *M. lunata*

Dist., and fig. 1029 apparently to a species of another genus.

### Acknowledgements

The work was fulfilled using scientific collections of the Zoological Institute, Russian Academy of Sciences, which obtain financial support from the Science and Technology Ministry of the Russian Federation (Reg. No. 98-03-16).

### References

- Amyot, C.J.B. & Serville, J.G.A. 1843. *Histoire naturelle des insectes Hémiptères*: i-lxxvi, 1-675. Paris.
- Hsiao, T.Y. & al. 1977. *A handbook for the determination of the Chinese Hemiptera-Heteroptera*, 1: i-iii, 1-330. Beijing. (In Chinese, English summary).
- Kiritshenko, A.N. 1916. *Fauna Rossii i sopredel'nykh stran*, vol. 6, livr. 2, Coreidae: Coreinae: i-iv, 1-395. Petrograd. (In Russian, with Latin diagnoses).

Received 10 March 1998