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later I tried again at the same place and took several more specimens of the new form. On the advice of Mr. Donisthorpe I am describing it and my thanks are due to him for his assistance in the matter.

*Ceuthorrhynchidius palustre*, sp.n.

Black with rather scanty white scales.

Antennae reddish, scape usually lighter, club darker.

Thorax rather closely punctured, scantily clothed with narrow white scales, constricted at apex, with a small tubercle at each side, anterior margin raised and usually narrowly and obscurely brownish, base strongly bisinuate.

Elytra with a double row of narrow white scales on the interstices, without band at the suture, at the most with some broader white scales near the scutellum.

Underside rather scantily clothed with white scales.

Long.  $1\frac{1}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mm.

Allied to *C. floralis*, but narrower and on the average smaller. The thorax is rather longer, less strongly constricted towards the apex and the apical margin is not so much raised. The clothing both of the upper and underside is much scantier and there is no sutural band present.

Several specimens at Bovey Tracey, Devon, on *Nasturtium palustre*.

**Synharmonia congregata, L.—New aberrations.**

By G. CURTIS LEMAN, F.E.S.

My friend, Herr Leopold Mader, of Vienna, has sent me diagrams of the following aberrations, which we agree are unnamed and he has asked me to name them for him. I do so in compliance with his request, though with some diffidence having regard to the length of the list and to the probability that these cannot pretend to exhaust all the possible combinations, which may hereafter be found in a species, which boasts eight spots.

I may perhaps add that coloured plates of these aberrations will appear in due course in Herr Leopold Mader's very interesting and exhaustive work, "Evidenz der pal. Coccinelliden" now being issued in parts as a supplement to the *Zeitschrift des Vereines der Naturbeobachter und Sammler*.

ab. *subconuncta*, n. ab.—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6+7+8.

ab. *mülleri*, n. ab.—1, 2, 3, 4, 5+7+6, 8.

ab. *subvariegata*, n. ab.—1+2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8.

ab. *friederikae*, n. ab.—2+1+4, 3, 5, 6+7, 8.

(I have the honour of naming this after the wife of Herr Leopold Mader.)

ab. *triconjuncta*, n. ab.—1+2, 3, 4+5, 6+7, 8.

ab. *herbsti*, n. ab.—1+2, 3, 4, 5+7+6, 8.

ab. *sicardi*, n. ab.—1+2, 3, 4, 5, 6+7+8.

ab. *kirkae*, n. ab.—1, 2, 3, 4, 5+S, 6+7+8.

ab. *ellisi*, n. ab.—1+2, 3, 4, 5+S, 6+7+8.

ab. *subpineti*, n. ab.—1+2+S, 3+4+5+S, 6+7+5, 8+S.

(The formula ab. *pineti*, Ws. (vera) is 1+2+S, 3+4+5+S, 6+7+5, 8.)

- ab. *hawkesi*, n. ab.— $2+1+4+3$ ,  $5+S$ ,  $6+7+8$ .  
 ab. *caprai*, n. ab.— $2+1+4+5+S$ ,  $3$ ,  $6+7+8$ .  
 ab. *bedwelli*, n. ab.— $1$ ,  $2$ ,  $3$ , ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $5+7$ ),  $6$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *harwoodi*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3$ , ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $5+7$ ),  $6$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *cincta*, n. ab.—( $2+1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $8+7$ ).

Every spot confluent with the rest.

- ab. *subcincta*, n. ab.—( $1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ),  $2$ ,  $6+7$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *gradli*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3$ ,  $4$ ,  $6+7+5+S$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *weisei*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3$ ,  $4$ , ( $6+7+5+S$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *heydeni*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3$ , ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ),  $8$ .  
 ab. *lestragei*, n. ab.— $1+2$ , ( $3+4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $7+8$ ).  
 ab. *scheideieri*, n. ab.—( $2+1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ),  $6+7$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *mulsanti*, n. ab.— $1$ ,  $2$ ,  $3$ , ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ),  $8$ .  
 ab. *evertsi*, n. ab.— $1+2$ , ( $3+4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ),  $8$ .  
 ab. *walteri*, n. ab.— $1$ ,  $2$ ,  $3$ , ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *kuhnti*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3+4$ ,  $6+7+5+S$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *sagoensis*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3+4$ , ( $6+7+5+S$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *reitteri*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3$ , ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ),  $8$ .  
 ab. *linnei*, n. ab.— $2+1+4$ ,  $3$ , ( $6+7+5+S$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *ryei*, n. ab.— $1$ ,  $2$ ,  $3$ ,  $4$ ,  $6+7+5+S$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *illigeri*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3$ , ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *marshami*, n. ab.— $1+2$ , ( $3+4+5+S$ ) ( $7+5$ ),  $6$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *haworthi*, n. ab.— $2+1+4+3$ , ( $6+7+5+S$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *goezei*, n. ab.— $2+1+4+3$ ,  $6+7+5+S$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *bicinta*, n. ab.—( $2+1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ),  $6+7+8$ .  
 ab. *omniconjuncta*, n. ab.—( $2+1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $7+8+S$ ). Differs from ab. *cincta*, mihi, in having spot 8 confluent with suture.  
 ab. *magnifica*, n. ab.—( $1+2+S$ ) ( $1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ),  $8+S$ . A fine heavily marked aberration.  
 ab. *crotchi*, n. ab.—( $2+1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ),  $6+7+8+S$ .  
 ab. *donovani*, n. ab.—( $2+1+4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $8+7$ ),  $3$ .  
 ab. *naezeni*, n. ab.—( $1+4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ),  $2$ ,  $3$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *faldermanni*, n. ab.— $1+2+4+3$ ,  $5+S$ ,  $6+7$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *gyllenhali*, n. ab.— $1+2+4$ ,  $3$ ,  $6+7+5+S$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *motschulskyi*, n. ab.—( $2+1+4+3$ ) ( $4+5+S$ ),  $6+7$ ,  $8+S$ .  
 ab. *zetterstedti*, n. ab.— $1+2$ , ( $3+4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $7+8+S$ ).  
 ab. *panzeri*, n. ab.— $2+1+4+3$ ,  $6+7+5+S$ ,  $8+S$ .  
 ab. *paykulli*, n. ab.— $1+4$ ,  $2$ ,  $3$ ,  $5+S$ ,  $6+7+8$ .  
 ab. *latreillei*, n. ab.— $1$ ,  $2$ , ( $3+4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *stephensi*, n. ab.—( $1+2+S$ ) ( $1+4+3$ ),  $6+7+5+S$ ,  $8$ .  
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 ab. *thunbergi*, n. ab.—( $1+2+S$ ) ( $1+4+5+S$ ) ( $6+7+5$ ),  $3$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *olivieri*, n. ab.— $1$ ,  $2$ ,  $3$ ,  $+4$ , ( $6+7+5+S$ ) ( $8+7$ ).  
 ab. *cederjhelmi*, n. ab.— $2+1+4+3$ ,  $5+S$ ,  $6+7$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *lecontei*, n. ab.— $1+4+5+S$ ,  $2$ ,  $3$ ,  $6+7$ ,  $8$ .  
 ab. *fairmairei*, n. ab.— $1$ ,  $2$ ,  $3+4$ ,  $5+S$ ,  $6+7+8$ .  
 ab. *zoubkoffi*, n. ab.— $1+2$ ,  $3$ ,  $4$ , ( $6+7+5+S$ ) ( $7+8+S$ ).

