## **ENTOMOLOGICAL NOTES**

THE FIRST RECORD OF PHRICTOPYGA OCCIDENTALIS IN THE UNITED STATES (HOMOPTERA: FULGOROIDEA: DELPHACIDAE)

Phrictopyga occidentalis (Muir) has been reported from Puerto Rico, Mexico, and Ecuador (Caldwell and Martorell, J. Agric. Univ. P. R. 34:133-269, 1950).

I recently found one male and one female specimen of this species among unidentified delphacids in the Iowa State University insect collection, Ames; the specimens are housed in the ISU collection. The label information, to which I have added the county name, is as follows: Texas: Cameron Co., Harlingen, coll. D. E. Hardy, 12 August 1945, one male, 2 August 1945, one female.

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