

Oxyonchus brachysetosus n. sp.

Fig. 31 a, b

Locality and material. — Graham Land, St. 44: 1 ♂

Dimensions: L = 5,350 mm., $\alpha = 36,9$, $\beta = 4,12$, $\gamma = 28,61$

Body in its whole length evenly thick. Cuticle of the front end fortified by chitinous staffs. Head (the front end of which unfortunately covered by detritus) rounded and *provided with very short, papillae-similar bristles*. Buccal cavity rather spacious, bordered by sharply chitinized walls bent outwards. Median teeth situated before the middle of the buccal cavity, strongly developed. Lateral jaw slender, but rather strongly developed.

Tail short, in its first half conical, in its second half uniformly and very strongly thinned, at the end rounded, with a thin dorsal hair near the end.

Spicules curved, evenly thick, a little longer than the anal body diameter.

Supplementary organ situated 0,340 mm. from the posterior end and 0,170 mm. in front of the anus.

St. 11. Graham Region. $65^{\circ} 19' S.$ — $56^{\circ} 48' W.$ Gravel-mixed clay. 400 m. 18. 2. 1902.
Number of species: 31; Number of specimens: 68.

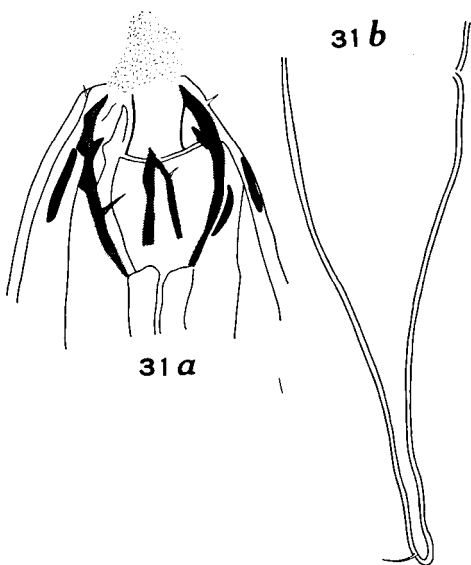


Fig. 31. *Oxyonchus brachysetosus* n. sp. a. Anterior end, b. Tail, $\times 364$ -