や日本から知られるアオノネクイハムシ Donacia frontalis JACOBY に同定され、台湾からは初めて記録された。本報告により、台湾産ネクイハムシ亜科は1属5種となり、その検索表を作成した。

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New Record of *Crenitis neglecta* (Coleoptera, Hydrophilidae) from Kyushu, Japan

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Crenitis neglecta is a hydrophilid beetle endemic to Japan and was originally described by MATSUI and NAKANE (1985) on the basis of one female specimen collected at Minami-zawa in Nagano Prefecture. Later, Hebauer (1994), Yoshitomi and Torii (2004) and Arai (2006) recorded this species from Shizuoka, Nagano and Saitama Prefectures, respectively. Thus, all the previous records were made only from central Honshu.

Recently, we had an opportunity to examine three individuals of this species collected by the

second author from Kyushu. These specimens represent the first record from western Japan. The discovery from Kyushu indicates that this beetle may be found from areas between central Honshu and Kyushu, where investigation has been insufficient.

Specimens examined. 3 exs., Osoba-gawa River (Yabe-gawa River System), Osoba, Yabe-mura, Fukuoka Pref., 8-VIII-2002, T. Ogata leg. (Deposited in the Laboratory of Entomology, Tokyo University of Agriculture, Atsugi (TUA).)

The specimens recorded herewith were found in a hygropetric habitat adjacent to a mountain stream. The habitat is similar to those reported by Yoshitomi and Torii (2004) and Arai (2006), who found this species on the surface of wet rocks in the splash zone of mountain streams in central Honshu.

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