A CONTRIBUTION TO THE KNOWLEDGE OF LOUSE FLIES
(Diptera, Hippoboscidae) FROM AFGHANISTAN

The research workers of the Institute of Parasitology, Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences, studied the parasites of domestic animals in Afghanistan during an expedition organised in the autumn (September—October) of 1976. The collections and studies were carried out at the Kabul abattoir and in some other localities. The reported results follow up the line of the previous expedition in 1974 (Minář J. et al., Folia parasit. (Praha) 24: 92—95, 1977). The authors thank Doc. Dr. K. Blážek and Dr. A. Amin for their collaboration.

Hippobosca longipennis Fabricius, 1805

Lipoptena capreoli Rondani, 1878
This species was found in Afghanistan by the previous expedition of the Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences (Minář et al. 1977). The hitherto found specimens were wingless and collected in the autumn period.

Pseudolynchia canariensis (Macquart, 1840)
This species is distributed in the south of Europe, in subtropics and tropics of Asia and Africa. It was reported from Afghanistan by Maa (Studies in Hippoboscidae (Diptera), Pacific Insects Monograph 10, Ent. Dept. B. F. Bishop Mus., Honolulu, 145 pp., 1966).

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