

antennæ are more clearly bicolorous apically. Præscutal stripes orange instead of dark brown, the median pair narrow, widely divided by the ground-colour. Wings strongly tinged with yellow before the cord, the costal cells yellow instead of brown. Abdomen more yellowish, especially laterally. Male hypopygium with the median area of the eighth sternite with two broadly triangular teeth, the notch between them V-shaped or narrowly U-shaped. The female is similar to the male but somewhat smaller.

*Habitat*.—Central United States.

*Holotype*.—♂, Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas, June 6, 1918.

*Allotype*.—♀, with the type (M. M. Alexander).

*Paratotypes*.—Several ♂ ♀.

I have examined the type of *umbrosa* at Cambridge, and have seen paratypes of *inermis*, and they both refer to the smaller dark-coloured species of this group. It is possible that still other species remain to be separated from this complex.

### SOME NEW OR SCARCE COLEOPTERA FROM WESTERN AND SOUTHERN FLORIDA.

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Between December 1, 1917, and April 1, 1918, the writer was in Florida and collected Coleoptera and Orthoptera for much of the time. The most of the collecting was done about Dunedin,\* a town in Pinellas County on the west coast, but in late February and early March a trip was taken to the Lake Okeechobee region, during which several days' collecting was done at each of the following places: Lakeland, Ft. Myers, LaBelle, Moore Haven\*\* and Okeechobee City. One day was also spent on the east shore of Lake Okeechobee at the point where the Palm Beach Canal leaves the lake. The species of Coleoptera herein noted, on account of their apparent scarcity in the State, or which are regarded as undescribed forms, were for the most part taken during the winter at some one or more of the places above mentioned.

\*See Canadian Entomologist, 1917, 137.

\*\*This is a new town on the west side of Lake Okeechobee, at the point where the Caloosahatchie River formerly emerged from the lake. A large area of the old lake area southeast of the town has been drained and is now under cultivation.