

visibly incrassate throughout their length, pale; body piceous-black, the legs slender, dark brown throughout. Michigan...*Huronicus*, Csy. Basal thoracic impressions very feeble; body smaller and slender; antennae thinner but more obviously incrassate from base to apex, black, the antennae and legs pale, the femora blackish. Florida (Indian River)*sagax*, Csy.

The types as described above are males throughout, having padded femora, except *densus*, of which the only known representative is a female. The key to the interpretation of sexual identity here assumed was fortunately given by the two specimens of *Wickhami* before me, and it is regrettable that a greater number of individuals are not known in other species, in order to verify or modify the conclusions arrived at from this pair. The sexual differences certainly appear to have developed a most unusual form, since femoral modifications of the kind noted in the assumed females of *Vanonus* almost invariably pertain to the male. The types of *congener* and *fusciceps*, following my original hypothesis, were the females of other species of the *piceus* group, but, upon the theory that all the individuals with padded femora are males, they could be considered in no other light than distinct species.

The generic name *Schizonotus* (Col. Not., IV., 1892, p. 708) is several times preoccupied, and I would therefore substitute *Schizomicrus*. The genus *Pseudolesteva*, Csy., (l. c., V., p. 398) is also preoccupied, and I would therefore substitute for it the name *Paralesteva*.

A copy of the "Index Zoologicus," of Waterhouse and Sharp, just received, forms a very useful addition to the library, although marred by a considerable percentage of error. Referring to my own genera, for example, I find the genus "Achromata," attributed to me, should be *Achromota*, and, in a similar way, the genus "Megafaronus" should be *Megarafonus*, "Olia" should be *Olla*, "Pontalomata" should be *Pontomalota* and "Uloporus" should be *Uloporus*. The genus "Eomedon," similarly assigned, was not described by me. *Eulitrus*, "Casey," should be *Eulitrus*, Sharp. I do not recollect having founded any such genera as "Sponidium" and "Typitium," which are attributed to me, and further verification is necessary. The genus *Tyloderma*, Say, seems to have been overlooked in all the lists that I have been able to consult; it is an important genus of Curculionidæ. The names *Delius*, *Isoglossa*, *Orus* and *Phalacropsis*, proposed by me, have been repeated by other authors, and, as these genera appear to be valid, the latter names will have to be changed. The name *Ditaphrus*, Csy., repeated later by Sharp, is, however, a synonym, and Sharp's name will therefore remain valid, unless it be considered better to have no two names alike, even though one of them may be a synonym, which in the writer's opinion is the preferable policy regarding genera, although unnecessary in the case of species.