

minutes returned with her mate, both circling several times around us, quacking and showing much solicitude. Soon after, having taken as many eggs as we could blow during the remainder of the day, we returned to our lodgings. The second nest of the same species was discovered June 22nd; the nest was placed on a log among drifted weeds, &c.; the eggs as in the first instance, were uncovered and smaller than the first set discovered; they were six in number, and incubation had commenced. It is my opinion that the few specimens of *Arthya Americana* breeding at Mitchell's Bay, were wounded birds, unable to leave in spring, when the bulk of the species had left for northern regions, and I think this will account for their late breeding. It is my intention to send you my experience among other birds of the St. Clair marshes, and hope to hear from others who like myself, take a pleasure in this pursuit.

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## COLEOPTERA FOUND IN THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

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- SYNETA ferruginea*, Germ.  
*LEMA* 1 melanocephala, Say.  
 2 trilineata, Oliv.  
 3 solani, Fabr.  
*CRIOFERIS asparagi*, Linn.  
*ANOMAEA latichlym*, Forst.  
*BABIA* 4-guttata, Oliv.  
*MONACHUS saponatus*, Fabr.  
*CRYPTOCERHALUS* 1 Schreibersii, Nerm.  
 2 mamifer, Newm.  
 3 sellatus, Say.  
 4 lituratus, Fabr.  
 5 4-maculatus, Say.  
 6 venustus, Fabr.  
 7 dispersus, Halb.  
 8 congestus, Fabr.  
 9 guttulatus, Oliv.  
 10 auratus, Fabr.  
*PACHYBRACHIUS* 1 luridus, Fabr.  
 2 othonus, Say.  
 3 atomarius, Mels.  
*ADOXUS vitis*, Fabr.  
*XANTHONIA* 1 decemnotata, Say.  
 2 pilosula, Mels.  
 3 Stevensii, Balg.  
*HETERASPIS pubescens*, Mels.

- CHRYSOCHUS* 1 auratus, Fabr.  
 2 cobaltinus, Lec.  
*TYPOPHORUS tricolor*, Fabr.  
*PARIA* 1 4-notata, Say.  
 2 aterrima, Oliv.  
 3 levicollis, Crotch.  
*METACHROMA quercetum*, Fabr.  
*CUTASPIS* 1 brunnea, Fabr.  
 2 praetexta, Say.  
 3 tristis, Oliv.  
 4 convexa, Say.  
*CHRYSOMELA* 1 elivicollis, Kirby.  
 2 10-lineata, Say.  
 3 elegans, Oliv.  
 4 multiguttis, Stal.  
 5 Philadelphica, Linn.  
 6 multipunctata, Say.  
*GASTROPHYSA* 1 polygoni, Linn.  
 2 formosa, Say.  
 3 cyanea, Mels.  
*PRASOCURIS Phellandrii*, Linn.  
*PHYLLODETTA vulgatissima*, Linn.  
*PLAGIODERA* 1 lapponica, Linn.  
 2 tremula, Fabr.  
 3 viridis, Mels.  
 4 chochlearia, Syll.  
*CERATOMA cinninea*, Fabr.  
*PHYLLOBROTTICA discoidea*, Fabr.  
*LEPERUS meraca*, Say.  
*DIABROTTICA* 1 vittata, Fabr.  
 2 13-punctata, Oliv.  
*GALERUCA rufosanguinea*, Say.  
*GALERUCELLA sagittaria*, Gyll.  
*MONOXIA obtusa*, Lec.  
*TRIRHABDA* 1 Canadensis, Kirby.  
 2 virgata, Lec.  
*CEIDONYCHUS* 1 thoracica, Fabr.  
 2 petaurista, Fabr.  
 3 quercuta, Fabr.  
*DISONYCHIA* 1 alternata, Lec.  
 2 punctigera, Lec.  
 3 glabrata, Fabr.  
 4 collaris, Fabr.  
 5 triangularis, Say.  
*GRAPTODERA* 1 bimarginata, Say.  
 2 chalybea, Ill.  
*BAPTOPHILA spuria*, Lec.  
*BELAMIRA scalaris*, Say.  
*ORCHESTRIS* 1 lepidula, Lec.  
 2 vittata, Fabr.  
 3 bipustulata, Fabr.  
*DIHOLIA aerea*, Mels.  
*SYSTENA* 1 Hudsonias, Forst.  
 2 frontalis, Fabr.  
 3 collaris, Crotch.  
 4 marginalis, Ill.