

Cyphon perplexus, sp. nov.

Oblong-oval, subdepressed, rather thickly clothed with short, suberect yellowish hairs. Uniform pale brownish yellow; feebly shining; elytra each with an indistinct oblique dusky spot on basal fourth. Antennae with five outer joints dusky, second joint stouter and slightly shorter than third, the two together equal to or slightly longer than fourth. Head finely and rather densely granulate-punctate; eyes small, widely separated. Thorax twice as wide as long, sides straight and parallel, hind margin bisinuate, front one less strongly so, all the angles distinct but obtuse; disc very finely, evenly and rather sparsely punctate. Elytra more than one-half longer than wide conjointly, one-third wider at base than thorax, sides parallel for two-thirds their length, thence gradually converging to apex; disc punctate like the thorax, the punctures somewhat coarser. Under surface very finely and rather densely punctate. Length 2—2.5 mm.; width 1.5 mm.

A common insect on the flowers of an Ericad (*Andromeda nitida* Bart.) also beaten from oak, myrtle, etc. Described from 36 specimens taken at Dunedin, January 19–March 21; Lake Istokpoga, February 25; Kissimmee River, February 19; Sanford, April 4; Eustis, April 6; Ormond, April 14.

Smaller and paler than *C. variabilis*, sides more parallel, upper surface much more finely, sparsely and evenly punctate. The second and third joints of antennae are each distinctly shorter than the fourth, while in *variabilis* the three joints are subequal in length.

4608.—**Buprestis sulcicollis** Lec. One specimen beneath bark of dead pine. St. Petersburg, January 20.

4617.—**Melanophila notata** Lap. & Gory. One beaten from pine. Ormond, April 6.

4658.—**Chrysobothris chrysoela** Ill. Single specimens of this small and very handsome species were beaten from oak at Lake Istokpoga, February 25; Fort Myers, March 10; Sanibel Island, February 25.

Plateros flavoscutellatus, sp. nov.

Elongate-oblong, depressed, wider behind. Black, feebly shining; thorax yellow with a large subquadrate black spot which is divided along the middle by a very narrow yellow line, this line extending back along the edges of the suture to beyond the middle