

- maxillary palpi 6-jointed, the second and the last joint longer than joints 3-5; labial palpi 4-jointed,
 short Hemithynnus, Ashm., gen. nov.
 (Type Thynnus hyalinatus, Westw.)
15. Maxillary palpi 6-jointed, long, the joints, except the first, which is very short, long, subequal, the last joint the slenderest and a little the longest; labial palpi 5-jointed. (South America)..... Elaphroptera, Guérin.
 (Type Myrmecodes dimidiatus, Hal.)
16. Hypopygium ending in three small, equal or nearly equal, triangular teeth, rarely with the middle tooth much longer than the lateral, or spined 17.
 Hypopygium ending in three small, equal, rounded lobes..... 19.
17. Clypeus subproduced and anteriorly emarginate, excised or bidentate 18.
 Clypeus produced, trapezoidal, the anterior margin truncate, never emarginate or excised.
 Abdomen elongate, subcylindrical, smooth, shining, spotted with yellow, much longer than the head and thorax united; first joint of flagellum only about half the length of the second; hypopygium at apex 3-spined, the middle spine the longest. (Australia)..... Aeolothynnus, Ashm., gen. nov.
 (Type A. multiguttatus, Ashm.)
18. Abdomen oblong-oval or fusiform, longer than the head and thorax united, the segments banded or maculate with white or yellow. (South America).... Pseudelaphroptera, Ashm., gen. nov.
 (Type Elaphroptera Spinole, Sauss.)
19. Clypeus broadly, semicircularly emarginate anteriorly, leaving a deep concave space; metathorax with two deep impressions or short furrows at apex; maxillary palpi long, 5-jointed, the first joint short; maxillary palpi 4-jointed; abdomen elongate, narrowed towards base, shining, but microscopically shagreened. (South America)..... Pycnothynnus, Ashm., g. nov.
 (Type Elaphroptera atra, Guér.)
20. Third cubital cell, along the cubitus, shorter than the second or no longer 21.
 Third cubital cell distinctly longer than the second 22.