Species—1. *Hopei*, White, *loc. cit.*, p. 508, tab. 2, fig. 2, 9 (*Sitarida*). New Holland.

Large species, black, head convex, strongly rounded in front, coarsely sculptured, thorax subtrigonate, sides slightly rounded, coarsely punctured, legs robust, tarsi short.

2. flavicornis, Pasc., loc. cit., p. 48, tab. 2, fig. 5, & (Goetymes), Port Stephens.

Smaller than preceding, pale fulvous, head and thorax more finely punctured, the latter with a cruciform impression on disk.

 pictipes, Blackburn, Trans. Roy. Soc. S. Austral., XXIII, 1899, p. 69, & (Goetymes), Melbourne.

Half the length of *Hopei*, black, head and thorax closely and rather strongly punctulate, the latter transverse, canaliculate, elytra light brown, tibiæ and tarsi yellow.

minor, Champion, Trans. Ent. Soc. Lond., 1895, p. 274, tab. 6, fig. 11, \$\times^4\((\)\(\)(Sitarida\)\)), Hobart (Tasmania).

Much smaller than preceding, head and thorax closely punctate (but with vertex sparsely so, and occiput almost smooth), vertex broadly and abruptly raised, subtruncate at summit, thorax strongly transverse, with two smooth transverse tubercular elevations on disk; legs very slender.

The following artificial table, based on the thoracic characters, may aid in separating the above forms:

A. Thorax canaliculate.

Thorax transverse, coarsely and rather strongly punctulate..... § pictipes.

AA. Thorax not canaliculate.

- a. Thorax subtrigonate, sides slightly rounded.
  - a. Thorax coarsely punctured..... 9 Hopei.
- aa. Thorax strongly transverse.

Thorax closely punctate, and with two smooth transverse tubercular elevations on disk...... 

### minor.

<sup>4.</sup> Champion gives his insect as a male, but judging from his description and figure (I have not seen his type), I think this must be a mistake. If his determination of the sex should prove to be correct, it would necessitate the erection of a new genus.