

vex, each with a row of prominent semi-erect, yellowish hairs. Abdomen very sparsely and finely punctate. Length 1.6 mm.

Two specimens were swept from low herbage on Hog Island, opposite Dunedin, on April 2, one of which escaped from the net and avoided recapture. The type is unique in coloration and smaller than any species except *brevis*, from which, aside from colour, it differs in its much less convex form and deep, ante-basal impression.

Haplandrus ater Lec.—Two specimens were taken on January 6 from beneath the bark of a water-oak. Schwarz records it as rare at Tampa in decaying pine logs.

Hymenorus elbertæ sp. nov.—Elongate-oblong, moderately convex, shining, thinly clothed with semiprostrate, yellowish hairs. Head, thorax, antennæ, legs and prosternum uniform dull red; elytra fuscous-brown; under surface, except prosternum, dark reddish brown. Head rather finely and closely punctate; eyes large, separated by two-thirds their width; antennæ much more slender than in *densus*, third joint one-half longer than fourth. Thorax but slightly wider than long, sides parallel from base to middle, thence broadly curved and rounded into the apex, hind angles rectangular; disc with a faint, broad, longitudinal median impression, the punctures fine, ocellate, separated by about one-half their own diameters, their intervals minutely alutaceous. Elytra but slightly wider at base than thorax, sides parallel to apical third, then feebly curved to apex; striæ fine, their punctures small, close set; intervals feebly convex, each with three or four rows of minute, hair-bearing punctures. Under surface finely and sparsely punctate, the hairs of the punctures much shorter than those of elytra. Length 4.8–5.5 mm.

Described from seven specimens taken at porch light, June 12–July 11. Allied to *H. densus* Lec. but readily separated by its more slender subparallel form, wholly pale and more filiform antennæ, more shining surface and much finer sculpture of thorax and elytra. Named in honour of my daughter-in-law, Elberta H. Blatchley, of Dunedin, Fla., who has kindly collected for me this and many other interesting beetles during the summer months.