

The whole number of species taken was 172; of these, eleven are undetermined, being either *aleocharini* or small things, only one of which is thought to be undescribed; of the others, 97 are very widely distributed; 40 (marked with a †) extend westward in the Gulf States, some of these as far as Texas; while only 25 (marked *), so far as known to the writer, have not occurred northward from Florida.

How many additional species exist in the territory collected over is conjectural, but certainly not more than 150, and these must be largely of species whose larvæ live in wood and fruits or seeds. The character of the soil, that of the flora and the long continued droughts militate against a coleopterous fauna prolific in species. This statement, however, applies only to this and similar localities.

† <i>Cicindela tortuosa</i> , Dej.	<i>Anisodactylus</i> var. <i>merula</i> , Dej.
† <i>media</i> , Lec.	<i>nitidipennis</i> , Lec.
<i>marginata</i> , Fab.	<i>Copelatus glyphicus</i> , Say.
<i>Pasimachus marginatus</i> , Fab.	<i>Thermonectes basilaris</i> , Harr.
<i>Scarites subterraneus</i> , Fab.	* <i>Cybister olivieri</i> , Crotch.
<i>Dyschirius</i> var. * <i>falciger</i> , Lec.	<i>Tropisternus glaber</i> , Hbst.
<i>Ardistomis obliquata</i> , Putz.	† <i>Hydrocharis castus</i> , Say.
<i>Bembidium contractum</i> , Say.	<i>Philhydrus</i> var. † <i>simplex</i> , Lec.
† <i>Tachys columbiensis</i> , Limer.	† <i>Phænonotum extriatum</i> , Say.
<i>nanus</i> , Gyll.	? <i>Homalota</i> , 3 species.
† <i>Loxandrus agilis</i> , Dej.	<i>Aleochara bimaculata</i> , Grav.
<i>Diplochila major</i> , Lec.	<i>nitida</i> , Grav.
* <i>Platynus</i> var. <i>floridanus</i> , Lec.	<i>Creophilus maxillosus</i> , Linn.
<i>punctiformis</i> , Say.	<i>Staphylinus prælongus</i> , Mann.
<i>Galerita lecontei</i> , Dej.	<i>Belonuchus formosus</i> , Grav. var. *
† <i>Tetragonoderus intersectus</i> , Germ.	<i>Philonthus hepaticus</i> , Er.
<i>Lebia marginicollis</i> , Dej.	<i>alumnus</i> , Er.
<i>Brachinus cordicollis</i> , Dej.	<i>micans</i> , Grav.
<i>Chlaenius fuscicornis</i> , Dej.	<i>Actobius cinerascens</i> , Grav.
<i>laticollis</i> , Say.	<i>Cafius bistriatus</i> , Er.
<i>Oodes americanus</i> , Dej.	<i>Xantholinus</i> , sp.
<i>lecontei</i> , Chaud.	<i>Lithocharis corticina</i> .
<i>Agonoderus infuscatus</i> , Dej.	<i>Erchomus ventriculus</i> , Say.
† <i>Selenophorus fossulatus</i> , Dej.	<i>Bledius fumatus</i> , Lec.
† <i>Acupalpus rectangularis</i> , Chaud.	† <i>punctatissimus</i> , Lec.