

\*abdomine elongato  
depressiusculo  
*festivus* Svec. Linn.

\*\* abdomine clavata  
*conopseus* — — ”

*Musca festivum* Linn. is a *Chrysotoxum* Meig. 1803, and *Syrphus conopseus* Fabr. is the type of the genus *Doros* Meig, 1803.

“2 Divis. Alis incumbentibus. 1 subdiv. antennis longitudine capitidis vel ultra. *Calicera* Eg.—*Callicera* Mgn. Pnz. Ltr.—*Bibio* Fbr.—*Syrphus* Rss.”

No species mentioned.

Under “11 Natio Dolichopides Palpis proboscide brevioribus; alis incumbentibus. *Calomya* Eg.—*Callomya* Mgn. Fljn.—*Dolichopus* Fbr. Ltr. Wlck.—*Musca* Ol.”

No species mentioned.

Under “13 Natio, Asilides. Capite transverso thoraci collo exerto adnexo. 1 Divis. Tarsis pulvillis duabus.”

“*Laphyra* Eg.—*Laphria* Mgn. Ill. Ltr. Fbr. Fljn.—*Erax* Scp.—*Asilus* auct. Pler.

*gibbosa* Svec. Linn.

*gilva* Svec. Linn

*flava* — —

*marginata* — —

*ephippium* — — Fbr.

*rufipes* — — Fljn.”

All of these belong to the genus *Laphria* Meigen 1803.

“19 Natio Culicides Antennis gracilibus, capite longioribus, ♂ valde plumosis l, verticillato-pilosus; ocellis nullis.”

“2 Divis. Alis deflexis Cnips Eg.—*Culicoides* Ltr.”

Of the above names only *Blera* seems to be of any special importance.

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#### ANOTHER IMPORTED CLOVER WEEVIL.

Among the *Phytonomus* received for examination this winter I find specimens that belong to a species apparently not hitherto reported from America. This latest accession to the list of our clover and alfalfa enemies is *Phytonomus meles* Fab.

Specimens have been identified from the following localities: Albany, N.Y., 9 July 1908 bred from red clover (Dr. E. P. Felt); West Point, N. Y., W. Robinson, 28 April 1908 (coll. Am. Mus. Nat. Hist.); Brooklyn, N. Y. (C. Schaeffer); Westchester Co., N. Y. (Schaeffer); Rockaway “washup” (Schaeffer); Rockaway Beach, N. Y. (E. A. Bischoff); New Haven, Ct., 28 May 1910 and Hamden, Ct., 16 May 1910 (A. B. Champlain); Framingham, Mass., 5 May 1909 (C. A. Frost); Ramsey, N. J., 31 May 1908 (Schaeffer); Hewit, N. J. (Schaeffer); Rahway, N. J., 23 July (Bischoff); Newfoundland, N. J., 30 May (Bischoff); Lake Hopatcong, N. J., 30 May (J. A. Grossbeck).

It has much the same color as the alfalfa leaf-weevil (*P. posticus* Gyll.) but the scales are cleft to the base as in *P. nigrirostris* and the thorax is much wider than in either of these species.

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Mr. E. A. Bischoff (*in litt.* 18 Apr., 1911) states that this is the *P. Castor* of Smith's Cat. Ins. of N. J.



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