

1. **Megasoma elephas.**

Scarabæus elephas, Fabr. Syst. Ent. i. p. 7; Oliv. Ent. i. 3, p. 11, t. 15. fig. 138.

Dynastes elephas, Chevr. Guér. Mag. Zool. 1843, Ins. Mex. p. 31, t. 109 (♂), t. 110 (♀)¹.

Megalosoma elephas, Burm. Handb. der Ent. v. p. 275².

Megasoma elephas, Gemm. & Har. Cat. iv. p. 1268³.

Hab. MEXICO², Alvarado¹, Cordova (*Sallé*), San Blas¹; BRITISH HONDURAS, Cayo (*Blancaneaux*); GUATEMALA³, Champerico (*Champion*); HONDURAS, Ruatan Island (*Gaumer*); COSTA RICA (*Van Patten*); PANAMA, Bugaba, David (*Champion*).

In Chiriqui, according to native report, this species is sometimes found in numbers about mango-trees when in fruit (*Champion*).

Subfam. AGAOCEPHALINÆ.

ÆGOPSIS.

Ægopsis, Burmeister, Handb. der Ent. v. p. 281 (1847); Lacordaire, Gen. Col. iii. p. 451.

Agacephala, Westwood, in Partington's Brit. Cycl. Nat. Hist. i. p. 372, tab. (1835) (nec Serville).

Two species of this distinct genus are known, one from Colombia, the other from Brazil.

1. **Ægopsis curvicornis.**

Agacephala curvicornis, Westw. in Partington's Brit. Cycl. Nat. Hist. i. p. 372, tab.¹

Ægopsis curvicornis, Burm. Handb. der Ent. v. p. 282²; Lacord. Gen. Col. Atlas, t. 37. figg. 3, 3 a; Thoms. Mus. Scient. i. p. 17 (1860).

Hab. PANAMA (*Boucard*), Taboga I. (*J. J. Walker*).—COLOMBIA^{1 2}.

LYCOMEDES.

Lycomedes, De Brême, Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1844, p. 298; Burmeister, Handb. der Ent. v. p. 285; Lacordaire, Gen. Col. iii. p. 452.

A genus apparently confined to Central America and the north-western parts of Tropical America; one species is stated to be from Mexico. Four species have been described.

1. **Lycomedes mnischei.** (Tab. XXI. figg. 1, 1 a, ♂.)

Lycomedes Mnischei, Thomson, Mus. Scient. i. p. 16, t. 6. fig. 1¹.

Hab. MEXICO¹; NICARAGUA, Chontales (*Janson*); PANAMA, Volcan de Chiriqui 4000 to 6000 feet (*Champion*).

Our collections do not contain a specimen of this species from Mexico, and only one (male) from Chontales, but Mr. Champion obtained a fine series in Chiriqui. The