

A single example from each locality, the one from Panama being a good deal smaller and more rotundate than the other, but agreeing with it in the long and slender antennæ. This insect is allied to *S. tenuicornis*, but may be known from it by the less densely punctured elytra, sparser pubescence, and rather shorter antennæ. From *S. suborbiculatus* in all its varieties it differs in the longer and more slender antennæ; and from *S. pilatei* by its much smaller size, shorter pubescence, finer punctuation, &c. A specimen from Guatemala city probably belongs here; it has a common oblong pallid central spot on the elytra before the middle.

10. *Scirtes tenuicornis*.

Elliptic, rather broad, moderately convex, slightly shining; head, prothorax, scutellum, and under surface fusco-testaceous, the elytra fuscous, the antennæ with the basal six joints testaceous, the others infusate, the legs testaceous; the upper surface thickly clothed with fine pallid sericeous pubescence. Head, prothorax, and scutellum densely, very minutely punctate; antennæ very long and very slender, joint 3 about as long as 2, 4-11 very elongate, the outer joints diminishing in length; prothorax convex, very short, rapidly narrowing from the base, finely margined at the sides; elytra densely, minutely punctate, the punctuation scarcely coarser than that of the prothorax, narrowly and acutely margined at the sides.

Length $3\frac{1}{4}$, breadth $2\frac{1}{4}$ millim.

Hab. GUATEMALA, San Gerónimo (*Champion*).

One example. Similar to *S. pilatei* in shape, but much smaller, more finely pubescent, the antennæ more slender, and the elytra densely, minutely punctate. In the present insect the punctuation of the elytra is scarcely coarser than that of the head and thorax, a character separating *S. tenuicornis* from most of the allied forms.

11. *Scirtes ater*.

Elliptic, rather broad, convex, shining; black, the antennæ testaceous, with the apical joint slightly infusate, the legs piceous, with the knees reddish and the tarsi testaceous; sparsely clothed with very fine fuscous pubescence. Head, prothorax, and scutellum thickly, minutely punctate; antennæ moderately long and slender, joint 3 very small, much shorter than 2, 4-11 elongate, gradually decreasing in length; prothorax short and convex, narrowing from the base, acutely margined at the sides; elytra somewhat thickly, very finely punctate, the punctuation distinctly coarser than that of the prothorax, narrowly margined at the sides.

Length 3, breadth 2 millim.

Hab. PANAMA, Bugaba (*Champion*).

One specimen. Very like *S. saltator*; but of less regularly oval shape (less narrowed in front and behind), the elytra a little more sparsely punctured and with darker pubescence, the antennæ with a much shorter third joint. The rather larger size and the very differently formed antennæ separate it from *S. longicornis*, and the smaller size, narrower shape, finer punctuation, very fine and sparse pubescence, &c., from *S. pilatei*.