

an assemblage of species closely allied to *Clytus*, but differing in style of markings and colours and in the carinated elytra. The mesosternum is in some species distinctly prominent; and in such cases there is very little distinction from *Trichoxys*; thus *Ochresthes z-littera* is very closely allied to *Trichoxys sulphurifer*. With *Clytus* the genus is connected through such species as *Clytus scalaris*.

Eleven species are known.

### 1. *Ochresthes circuliferus*.

*Clytus* (*Ochroesthes*) *circuliferus*, Chevr. Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1860, p. 472.

*Hab.* MEXICO.

### 2. *Ochresthes obliquus*.

*Clytus* (*Ochroesthes*) *obliquus*, Chevr. Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1860, p. 473<sup>1</sup>.

*Hab.* MEXICO (*Sallé*<sup>1</sup>).

### 3. *Ochresthes sommeri*.

*Clytus sommeri*, Chevr. Col. du Mexique, 1<sup>re</sup> cent. fasc. 4; Lap. & Gory, Mon. Clyt. p. 72, t. 14. f. 83, ♀.

*Clytus tibialis*, Lap. & Gory, Mon. Clyt. p. 71, t. 13. f. 83, ♂.

*Clytus* (*Ochroesthes*) *sommeri*, Chevr. Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1860, p. 474<sup>1</sup>.

*Hab.* MEXICO, near the city<sup>1</sup>.

### 4. *Ochresthes citrinus*.

*Clytus* (*Ochroesthes*) *citrinus*, Chev. Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1860, p. 474.

*Hab.* MEXICO.

### 5. *Ochresthes pollinosus*.

*Clytus pollinosus*, Chevr. Col. du Mexique, 1<sup>re</sup> cent. fasc. 4; Lap. & Gory, Mon. Clyt. p. 73, t. 13<sup>4</sup>. f. 82<sup>4</sup> (figura vitiosa).

*Clytus* (*Ochroesthes*) *pollinosus*, Chevr. Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1860, p. 476<sup>1</sup>.

*Hab.* MEXICO, Cordova, Orizaba<sup>1</sup>; GUATEMALA, San Gerónimo, El Jicaro (*Champion*); COSTA RICA, river Sucio, Caché (*Rogers*).

The Costa-Rican examples differ from those of Mexico and Guatemala in the external angle of the truncated apex of the elytra being a little more prolonged and pointed.

### 6. *Ochresthes z-littera*.

*Clytus* (*Ochroesthes*) *z-littera*, Chevr. Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1860, p. 476<sup>1</sup>.

*Hab.* MEXICO, Orizaba<sup>1</sup> (*Boucard*), Jalapa (*Höge*).

### 7. *Ochresthes cristoforii*.

*Clytus* (*Ochroesthes*) *cristoforii*, Chevr. Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1860, p. 477.

*Hab.* MEXICO.