

SYSTEMA (p. 322).

Systema nigroplagiata (p. 324).

To the localities given, add:—MEXICO, Chilpancingo, Omilteme, Amula, Tepetlapa, Xucumanatlan, all in Guerrero (*H. H. Smith*); GUATEMALA, Dueñas (*Champion*).

Several other varieties of this species have since been obtained at Omilteme and Chilpancingo; in one of these the elytra have a sutural and also a submarginal longitudinal band, the former being widened at the base and at the middle, and the latter anteriorly widened below the shoulder (corresponding to the small spot at the same place in the type); in another variety the elytra are without spots, but have a narrow sutural and also a submarginal black stripe of equal width; in another variety the elytra are entirely testaceous, and in another they are entirely black. Of the two specimens figured on Tab. XIX., fig. 23 is taken from an example from Dueñas, fig. 24 from one from Juquila. *S. undulata*, Jac., a specimen of which from Cerro de Plumas was figured on Tab. XIX. fig. 22, is probably a variety of *S. nigroplagiata*.

12. Systema tæniata.

Altica tæniata, Say, in Long's Second Exped. p. 294¹; Complete Writings, i. p. 195.

Systema tæniata, Horn, Trans. Am. Ent. Soc. xvi. p. 273, t. 7. figg. 5-8².

Systema elongata, huj. op. p. 327 (nec Fabr.)

Systema discicollis, huj. op. p. 331, Tab. XX. fig. 5.

Systema semivittata, huj. op. p. 335, Tab. XX. fig. 9.

Systema capitata, huj. op. p. 336, Tab. XX. fig. 6.

According to Dr. Horn (*op. cit.* p. 274), *S. discicollis*, *S. capitata*, and *S. semivittata* are probably varieties of the widely distributed and variable *S. tæniata* (Say). Dr. Horn has described the known varieties, and I have not much doubt about the correctness of his views. *S. tæniata* stands as a synonym of *Phyllotreta vittata*, Fabr., in Gemminger and Harold's Catalogue.

Systema chloropus (p. 328).

To the localities given, add:—GUATEMALA, between Tactic and Tucuru in Vera Paz (*Conradt*).

17 (A). Systema viridilimbata.

Black; the head and thorax closely punctured, the basal margin of the latter testaceous; elytra closely punctured, testaceous, the sutural and lateral margins greenish-black.

Length $2\frac{1}{2}$ lines.

Head closely and somewhat rugosely punctured, black, the lower portion flavous, the carina acutely raised; the antennæ extending to the middle of the elytra, black; thorax about one half broader than long, the sides constricted near the base, rounded in front, the surface rather closely punctured, piceous, the basal margin testaceous, preceded by an obsolete transverse groove; scutellum black; elytra slightly widened