

obsoletely, the apical margin more distinctly, serrulate; each elytron with eight regular rows of punctures, their alternate interspaces slightly elevated.

II. *Elytra each with eight rows of punctures, the base with a short additional row, next the suture.*

1. *Apices of the elytra conjointly emarginate at the sutural angle.*

5. *Chalepus congener.* (Tab. III. fig. 5.)

Elongatus, subparallelus, niger; subtus nitidus, femoribus basi fulvis; supra subopacus, macula frontali thoraceque fulvis, hoc subconico, crebre punctato, lateribus vittaque lata discoidali nigris; elytris parallelis, ad apicem vix ampliatis, apice rotundatis, ad suturam conjunctim angulato-emarginatis, lateribus pone medium obsolete, apice distincte, serrulatis; utrisque octo- basi nono-seriato-punctatis, interspatio secundo sat valde elevato, quarto, sexto nec non sutura, modice costatis; plaga magna, a basi ad vix pone medium extensa, postice attenuata, flava ornatis.

Long. $2\frac{1}{2}$ – $2\frac{3}{4}$ lin.

Hab. PANAMA, Bugaba (*Champion*).

Vertex smooth, impunctate; front broadly sulcate, piceo-fulvous; interocular space rather strongly produced, obtuse. Antennæ less than half the length of the body, robust, subfusiform, attenuated at the base and apex; two lower joints stout, equal, the third nearly as long as the preceding two united. Thorax slightly broader than long; sides subangulate, straight and nearly parallel from the base to the middle, thence obliquely converging towards the apex; transversely convex, depressed behind the middle; coarsely and closely punctured. Elytra broader than the thorax; sides parallel, slightly dilated towards the apex, the latter rounded, conjointly subangulate-emarginate at the suture; each elytron with eight, at the extreme base with nine, rows of large, deep punctures; the second interspace rather strongly, and the suture together with the fourth and sixth interspaces moderately, costate.

2. *Apices of the elytra conjointly rounded, the sutural angle entire.*

6. *Chalepus placidus.* (Tab. III. fig. 6.)

Elongatus, parallelus, subtus cum antennis niger, nitidus; pectoris medio, abdominis femorumque basi fulvis; supra fulvus, subnitidus; scutello elytrorumque vitta brevi communi, infra scutello posita, nigro-piceis; thorace quam longo paullo latiori, subcylindrico, basi ante scutellum transversim excavato, rude et crebre foveolato-punctato, lateribus angulatis vittaque discoidali, antice abbreviata, nigro-piceis; elytris parallelis, apice rotundatis, serrulatis, apice acute denticulatis, utrisque octo- basi nono-seriato-punctatis, interspatiis alternis costatis, sutura paullo elevata.

Long. 3 lin.

Hab. GUATEMALA, Chacoj and Teleman (*Champion*).

Head smooth, impunctate; interocular space moderately produced. Antennæ scarcely more than half the length of the body, filiform; two lower joints short, submoniliform, the basal one slightly thickened, third joint nearly twice as long as the second. Thorax