

*Hab.* MEXICO, Playa Vicente (*Sallé*); GUATEMALA, Zapote (*Champion*); NICARAGUA, Chontales (*Janson*); PANAMA, Caldera in Chiriqui 1200 feet, David, Taboga Island (*Champion*).

Vertex smooth, impunctate; front longitudinally sulcate; interocular space moderately produced, obtuse. Antennæ rather longer than the head and thorax, robust, thickened towards the apex; joints cylindrical, the five outer ones forming an ill-defined slender club. Thorax broader than long; sides converging and slightly rounded from base to apex, obsoletely angulate; disc transversely convex, excavated transversely behind the middle, coarsely and closely punctured; lateral margin (in some specimens) narrowly edged with piceous. Elytra broader than the thorax; sides slightly enlarged from the base towards the apex, the latter obtuse; margin serrulate; each elytron with ten, on the anterior disc with nine, rows of punctures, the seventh and eighth rows abbreviated posteriorly; the second, fourth, and sixth interspaces (the last at base and apex) strongly costate, the eighth less strongly elevated, its apex cristate, serrulate; the third costa arises from the apex of the humeral callus, and runs obliquely downwards to join the second one at the termination of its anterior third; its apical portion is confluent with the cristate apex of the fourth.

## 21. *Chalepus subapicalis*.

Anguste oblongus, subcuneiformis, nitidus; subtus cum capite niger, femoribus anticis basi thoraceque fulvis; supra minus nitidus, piceo-fulvus, elytrorum fascia lata subapicali picea; thorace transverso, subcylindrico, lateribus angulatis, disco postico transversim excavato, subopaco, rude et crebre punctato, margine antico lateribusque anguste piceis; elytris oblongis, apicem versus vix ampliatis, apice obtuse rotundatis, margine serratis, dorso deplanatis; utrisque decem- paullo ante medium nono-seriato-punctatis; interstitiis elevato-reticulatis; interspatiis secundo, quarto et octavo, nec non sexto basi et apice, costatis; costis duabus externis serrulatis.

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*Hab.* MEXICO, Juquila, Oaxaca (*Sallé*).

Vertex smooth, impunctate; front longitudinally grooved, finely rugose-punctate on either side; interocular space very slightly produced. Antennæ slightly longer than the head and thorax, robust, slightly increasing in thickness towards the apex. Thorax transverse; sides slightly but distinctly angulate, straight and nearly parallel from the base to the middle, thence obliquely converging towards the apex; transversely convex, excavated on the hinder disc, closely, deeply, and coarsely punctured. Elytra broader than the thorax; sides regularly but only slightly dilated from the base towards the apex, the apex itself obtusely rounded, the outer margin rather strongly serrulate; each elytron at the extreme base with ten, just before the middle with nine, rows of punctures; second, fourth, and eighth interspaces costate, the sixth also elevated at its base and apex.