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(COLEOPTERA: SCARABAEIDAE: MELOLONTHINAE)

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Tribe HOPLIINI Latreille, 1829

Genus *HOPLIA* Illiger

Hoplia Illiger, 1803: 226. Type species *Scarabaeus farinosus* Linné, by subsequent designation (Latreille, 1810: 428).

Synonym: *Hopliatus* Rafinesque, 1815: 111 (unjustified emendation).

Keys to species: LeConte, 1880: 191 (United States); Blatchley, 1910: 948 (Indiana); Boyer, 1940: 6 (Canada, United States); Hardy, 1977: 5 (Canada, United States); Lago et al., 1979: 74 (North Dakota); Morón, 1994: 39 (Hidalgo); Harpootlian, 2001: 96 (South Carolina).

Hoplia albisparsa Bates

Hoplia albisparsa Bates, 1887: 135

Distribution: México

Hoplia argentata Nonfried

Hoplia argentata Nonfried, 1891: 259

Distribution: Honduras

Synonym: *Hoplia tricolor* Nonfried, 1895: 288

Hoplia argyritis Bates

Hoplia argyritis Bates, 1887: 133

Distribution: Costa Rica, Nicaragua

Hoplia asperula Bates

Hoplia asperula Bates, 1887: 131

Distribution: México

Hoplia callipyge LeConte

Hoplia callipyge LeConte, 1856: 285

Distribution: Canada, México, United States

Synonym: *Hoplia cazieri* Boyer, 1940: 8

Synonym: *Hoplia convexula* LeConte, 1856: 285

Synonym: *Hoplia humboldtensis* Boyer, 1940: 12

Synonym: *Hoplia irrorata* LeConte, 1857: 40 (not Blanchard, 1850; Burmeister, 1855)

Synonym: *Hoplia lecontei* Dalla Torre, 1913: 376 (for LeConte, 1856: 285)

Synonym: *Hoplia mutata* Harold, 1869a: 1113 (for LeConte, 1857: 40)

Synonym: *Hoplia oregona* LeConte, 1856: 284

Synonym: *Hoplia oregona deserticola* Boyer, 1940: 20

Synonym: *Hoplia pubicollis* LeConte, 1856: 285 (not Kuster, 1849)

Synonym: *Hoplia utahensis* Boyer, 1940: 24

***Hoplia cinereonebulosa* Nonfried**

Hoplia cinereo-nebulosa Nonfried, 1895: 288

Distribution: México

***Hoplia cretacea* Bates**

Hoplia cretacea Bates, 1887: 132

Distribution: México

***Hoplia dispar* LeConte**

Hoplia dispar LeConte, 1880: 192

Distribution: United States

***Hoplia disparilis* Bates**

Hoplia disparilis Bates, 1887: 132

Distribution: Guatemala

***Hoplia equina* LeConte**

Hoplia equina LeConte, 1880: 193

Distribution: United States

***Hoplia festiva* Burmeister**

Hoplia festiva Burmeister, 1844: 193

Distribution: México

***Hoplia floridana* Fisher**

Hoplia floridana Fisher, 1918: 140

Distribution: United States

***Hoplia gilleti* Hardy**

Hoplia gilleti Hardy, 1977: 28

Distribution: United States

***Hoplia guatemalensis* Bates**

Hoplia guatemalensis Bates, 1887: 135

Distribution: Guatemala

***Hoplia hirta* LeConte**

Hoplia hirta LeConte, 1880: 193

Distribution: United States

***Hoplia horrida* Moser**

Hoplia horrida Moser, 1918d: 342

Distribution: Honduras

***Hoplia inops* Bates**

Hoplia inops Bates, 1887: 133

Distribution: Guatemala, México

***Hoplia jalapana* Moser**

Hoplia jalapana Moser, 1918d: 341

Distribution: México

***Hoplia laticollis* LeConte**

Hoplia laticollis LeConte, 1856: 284

Distribution: Canada, United States

***Hoplia limbata* LeConte**

Hoplia limbata LeConte, 1856: 286

Distribution: ?Neotropical [see Hardy, 1977: 30]

***Hoplia lineata* Moser**

Hoplia lineata Moser, 1921b: 181

Distribution: México

***Hoplia lurida* Moser**

Hoplia lurida Moser, 1918d: 340

Distribution: México

***Hoplia mexicana* Harold**

Hoplia mexicana Harold, 1869a: 1113 (for Burmeister, 1855: 484)

Distribution: México

Synonym: *Hoplia irrorata* Burmeister, 1855: 484 (not Blanchard, 1850; LeConte, 1857: 40)

***Hoplia modesta* Haldeman**

Hoplia modesta Haldeman, 1843: 304
Distribution: Canada, United States

Synonym: *Hoplia modesta barbata* Blatchley, 1910: 950
Hoplia barbata Blatchley; Boyer, 1940: 15

Synonym: *Hoplia helvola* Melsheimer, 1846: 142

Synonym: *Hoplia monticola* Melsheimer, 1846: 141

Synonym: *Hoplia singularis* Burmeister, 1844: 192

***Hoplia mucorea* (Germar)**

Melolontha mucorea Germar, 1824: 129
Hoplia mucorea (Germar), Burmeister, 1844: 193
Distribution: United States

Synonym: *Hoplia meridionalis* Boyer, 1940: 14

***Hoplia oblonga* Gyllenhal**

Hoplia oblonga Gyllenhal, 1817: 68
Distribution: ?New World [see Hardy, 1977: 31]

***Hoplia ochracea* Burmeister**

Hoplia ochracea Burmeister, 1844: 198
Distribution: Brazil

***Hoplia pisicolor* Burmeister**

Hoplia pisicolor Burmeister, 1844: 194
Distribution: Brazil

***Hoplia rotunda* Bates**

Hoplia rotunda Bates, 1887: 134
Distribution: Guatemala

***Hoplia sackenii* LeConte**

Hoplia sackenii LeConte, 1880: 192
Distribution: Canada, United States

***Hoplia squamifera* Burmeister**

Hoplia squamifera Burmeister, 1844: 198
Distribution: Guatemala, México, Panama

***Hoplia striatipennis* Wickham**

Hoplia striatipennis Wickham, 1914: 457
Distribution: United States

Remark: fossil species

***Hoplia subcostata* Bates**

Hoplia subcostata Bates, 1887: 134

Distribution: Guatemala

***Hoplia surata* Bates**

Hoplia surata Bates, 1887: 135

Distribution: Costa Rica

***Hoplia teapensis* Bates**

Hoplia teapensis Bates, 1887: 133

Distribution: México

***Hoplia trifasciata* Say**

Hoplia trifasciata Say, 1825: 200

Distribution: Canada, United States

Synonym: *Hoplia ferrisi* Boyer, 1940: 10

Synonym: *Hoplia primaria* Burmeister, 1844: 192

Synonym: *Hoplia tristis* Melsheimer, 1846: 141

***Hoplia trivialis* Harold**

Hoplia trivialis Harold, 1869a: 1114 (for LeConte, 1856: 285)

Distribution: United States

Synonym: *Hoplia debilis* LeConte, 1856: 285 (not Burmeister, 1844)

***Hoplia vidua* Moser**

Hoplia vidua Moser, 1918d: 339

Distribution: Honduras