

Geographic distribution of southern African Brentidae (Insecta: Coleoptera) including the description of a new *Cerobates* (s.s.) species

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Distributional data are provided for 35 species of Brentidae from South Africa and the neighbouring countries Namibia, Botswana, Zimbabwe, Swaziland and Mozambique. *Cerobates* (*Cerobates*) *zulu* spec. nov. is described from South Africa. The following new country records are provided: *Acramorpocephalus stabilis* Kleine for Zimbabwe; *Amorpocephala calcarata* Damoiseau for South Africa; *Micramorpocephalus frater* Kleine for Botswana and Zimbabwe; *Pericordus freyi* Damoiseau for Swaziland and Namibia; *Symmorphocerus monticola* Schoenherr for Botswana and Zimbabwe; *Adidactus striolatus* (Fairmaire) for South Africa; *Basenius laticornis* Kolbe for South Africa; *Protoproctus minor* (K.E. Schedl) for South Africa; *Pseudousambius silvanus* (Kolbe) for Zimbabwe; *Schizoadidactus napaeus* (Kolbe) for South Africa; *Neoceocephalus freyi* De Muizon for Namibia and Zimbabwe; *Neoceocephalus thoracicus* Damoiseau for Zimbabwe; *Bolbocranius anaticeps* (Kolbe) for Namibia; *Bolbocranius csikii* (Bolokay) for South Africa and Mozambique; *Bolbocranius distortus* (Westwood) for Zimbabwe; *Microtrachelizus aethiopicus* Calabresi for South Africa; *Gynandrorhynchus vittipennis* (Fähræus) for Zimbabwe; *Paryphobrenthus latirostris* (Gerstäcker) for Swaziland, Botswana and Zimbabwe; and *Rhinopteryx weneri* Orbach, Bartolozzi & Sforzi for Zimbabwe.

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INTRODUCTION

This paper deals only with the Brentidae in the narrow sense as defined by Sforzi and Bartolozzi (2004), thus excluding the Antliarhinae, Cyladinae and Microcerini, and the other southern African groups considered components of 'Brentidae (*sensu lato*)' by the same authors.

The Brentidae (*sensu stricto*) are a family of Coleoptera consisting of 1690 species worldwide. Most of them are tropical. They are xylophagous beetles except for members of the subfamily Eremoxenini, which are myrmecophiles (Sforzi and Bartolozzi, 2004). The southern African Brentidae have been investigated by various authors (e.g., Damoiseau, 1967a,b; Schedl, 1965).

During my visit to the Transvaal Museum and the South African National Collection of Insects in Pretoria, South Africa, in April 2003, I was able to study the large brentid collections housed there. Most of the material originates from South Africa and neighbouring countries. Other data from various museums and private collections have been added to these locality records. Among the undetermined brentids in the Transvaal Museum a new species of *Cerobates* was found, which is described below.

In the present paper locality records for 34 species belonging to 23 genera are listed, with eight new records for South Africa, two for Swaziland, three for Namibia, three for Botswana, 11 for

Zimbabwe and one for Mozambique. The distribution of the 49 known species, belonging to 29 genera of Brentidae from South Africa and its neighbouring countries, is summarized in Table 1.

The systematic order followed in this paper is that proposed by Sforzi and Bartolozzi (2004). Distributional data have been arranged according to countries and provinces (italics). In those instances where no genitalia dissections were carried out, the sex of specimens examined could not be indicated.

All label data of specimens in this manuscript are cited *verbatim* except where these were misspelt or ambiguous. In some cases the geographic coordinates for place names have been added. Some abbreviations have been written in full, with the inferred information appearing in square brackets. As some place names in South Africa and Zimbabwe have changed since 1994 and 1980, respectively, new names are indicated in square brackets.

Institutional abbreviations: CMNH, Carnegie Museum of Natural History, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.; COC, Colin Owen Collection, South Africa; EOC, Eylon Orbach Collection, Israel; MCCII, Museo Civico di Storia Naturale, Carmagnola, Italy; MZUF, Museo di Storia Naturale, Sezione di Zoologia 'La Specola', Università di Firenze, Florence, Italy; NMEG, Naturkundemuseum Erfurt, Germany; SANC, South African National Collection of Insects, Pretoria, South Africa; TMSA, Transvaal Museum, Pretoria, South Africa; USNM, National

Museum of Natural History, Washington D.C., U.S.A.; ZMHB, Museum für Naturkunde der Humboldt-Universität, Berlin, Germany; ZMUC, Zoological Museum, University of Copenhagen, Denmark.

ARRHENODINI Lacordaire, 1866

Orfilia vulsellata (Gyllenhal, 1833)

Arrhenodes vulsellatus Gyllenhal, 1833. In: Schoenherr, *Genera et species curculionidum, cum synonymia hujus familiae. Species novae aut hactenus minus cognitae, descriptionibus a Dom. Leonardo Gyllenhal, C. H. Boheman, et entomologis aliis illustratae*: 325. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Cap. Bonae Spei'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Western Cape*: Bergvliet Forest, 25°05'S 30°54'E, 4.ii.1980, E-Y: 1721, at light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂, TMSA); Mamre, 33°30'S 18°28'E (C. Koch) (14♂ 6♀, TMSA); Villiersdorp, 33°59'S 19°17'E 20.ii.1968 (1♀, TMSA). *Eastern Cape*: Berlin, 300 m below, 32°53'S 27°35'E, 4.ii.1987, E-Y: 2416, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); Middelburg, 31°30'S 25°01'E, 30.i.1990, AclG 1287, baited with dung (M. de Jager) (1♂, SANC); same data, 28.i.1991, AclG 1333, ex unbaited pitfalls near *E. ericoides* (1♀, SANC); same data, 27.ix.1988, AclG 1028, ex unbaited pitfalls near *Pentzia* spp. (1♀, SANC). *Northern Cape*: Upington, 28°28'S 21°14'E, 21–26.xii.1992, light trap (R. Dixon) (1♂, TMSA). *Free State*: Oranjekrag, 30°36'S 25°30'E, H.F. Verwoerd Dam [= Gariiep Dam], 7–14.x.1968 (J.H. Potgieter) (6♂, 3♀, TMSA); same locality, 9–17.i.1969 (Snyman & Strydom) (1♀, TMSA); same locality, 26–30.x.1970 (Snyman & Jones) (1♀, TMSA); Zastron, Farm Maghaleen, 30°09'S 27°24'E, 2–7.xii.1969 (J. H. Potgieter) (2♂, TMSA). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Dalton, 29°20'S 30°38'E, 19.i.1927 (Ms. Zuckett) (1♀, TMSA); Drakensberg Cathedral Peak Sta., 28°56'S 29°14'E, 19.i.1996, E-Y: 3261, logs and bark pine (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Durban, 29°53'S 31°00'E, 16.ix.1918 (H. Bell Marley) (1♀, TMSA); Empangeni, 28°44'S 31°54'E, iv.1981 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); same data, v.1984 (1♀, SANC); same data, xii.1984 (1♀, SANC); same data, ii.1985 (1♀, SANC); Gingindlovu, 29°02'S 31°35'E, xii.1997, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1♂ 5♀, SANC); Gwaliweni, Ingwavuma Dist., 7–14.iv.1961 (D. Rorke) (3♂ 2♀, TMSA); Hluhluwe Game Res., 28°05'S 32°04'E, 29.xi.1992, E-Y: 2867, UV light at camp (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); near Jozini, 27°26'S 32°10'E, xii.1982, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1♂ 1♀, SANC); same data, x.1984 (1♂ 1♀, SANC); Kosi Bay, 26°59'S 32°50'E, 10.i.1985 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); Lake

Cubhu, 28°51'S 31°57'E, xii.1984 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); Lake Sibaya, 27°22'S 23°43'E, 15.i.1981 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); Mseleni [= Enseleni] Miss[ion], 27°23'S 32°32'E, xii.1984 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); same data, ii.1985 (1♀, SANC); Mtunzini, 28°57'S 31°45'E, i.1997, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); Ndumu [= Ndumo] Store, 26°55'S 32°18'E, 1.xii.1992, E-Y: 2872, at flood light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); Ndumu, 8–11.xi.1971 (A. Strydom) (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); Pinetown, 29°50'S 30°53'E, 04.iv.1916 ([H. W. Bell]Marley) (1♂, TMSA); Univ. of Zululand, 28°45'S 31°45'E, 75 m, 10.viii.2000 (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); Utrecht, 27°40'S 30°20'E, 2.xii.1967 (D. M. Kroon) (1♀, TMSA); Warwick Farm, NNW of Tongaat, 29°25'S 31°04'E, xi.2000 (P. E. Reavell) (2♂, SANC). *North-West Province*: Borakalalo Nat. Res., 25°07'S 27°47'E, Moretele Camp, 22–25.xi.1999, E-Y: 3388 (Bellamy & MacFadyen) (1, TMSA); Saartjiesnek, 25 km W Pretoria, 25°45'S 27°56'E, 20.xii.1988 (E. Holm) (1♂, SANC); Saartjiesnek, 30 km W Pretoria, 25°45'S 27°56'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (2♀, MZUF); Skandinawiedrif, 26°56'S 27°03'E, 16.xi.1995 (C.R. Owen) (2♂ 1♀, COC). *Gauteng*: Hornsnek, 10 km NW of Pretoria, 25°41'S 28°04'E, 5.x.1970 (A. Strydom) (1♂, TMSA); Pretoria, 25°42'S 28°13'E, i.2000 (B. Dombrowsky) (1, TMSA); Soutpan [=Tswaing], Pretoria Dist., 25°24'S 28°06'E, 09.xii.1987 (M. W. Mansell) (1♀, SANC); NW Soutpan, Tswaing, 25°24'S 28°06'E, 4.xii.1996, E-Y: 3249, at light (R. Müller) (1, TMSA); Spaartniesjek, 30 km Pretoria, i.1989 (K. Werner) (2♀, MZUF); Waterval Farm, 25°35'S 28°16'E, 12.ii.1991, at light (R. Dixon) (2♂, TMSA); same data, 5.i.1992 (1♀, TMSA); *Mpumalanga*: Barberton, 25°46'S 31°03'E, 28.ii.1974 (L. Vári) (1, TMSA); Carino Dist., Farm Broedershoek 129, 21.ii.1972 (A. Strydom) (1♂, TMSA); Die Hel n[ea]r Loskop Dam, 25°32'S 29°16'E, 9.ix.1991 (M. Stiller) (1♀, SANC); Kampersrus, Moholoholo Forest Camp, 23–31.xii.2004 (A. Ballerio) (2♀, MZUF); Komatipoort, 25°25'S 31°55'E, 29.xii.[19]73 (R.L.C.) (1♂, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Renosterkoppies, 25°07'S 31°36'E, 450 m, 17.i.1985, collected at light (N. C. Pienaar) (1♂, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 26.xi.1993, light trap (Krüger & Dunning) (1, TMSA); same data, 16–24.xii.1993 (1, TMSA); Mariepskop, 24°35'S 30°50'E, 10.xi.1996, at light (M. Krüger) (1, TMSA); Nelshoogte, Knuckles Rock For[est], 25°47'S 30°50'E, 5.xii.1986, E-Y: 2357 (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); Nelshoogte gallery for. below St., 25°51'S 30°53'E, 04.xii.1987, E-Y: 2354, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); Nelspruit Nat. Res., Dry Valley, 25°29'S 30°55'E, 8.ii.1987, E-Y: 2432, UV light, top valley (Endrödy-Younga) (2♀, TMSA); Nwaswitsaka Res., 24°59'S 31°35'E, 08.xii.1997, E-Y: 3300, at light (C. L.

Table 1
Brentidae species known from South Africa and neighbouring countries.

Species	South Africa	Swaziland	Namibia	Botswana	Zimbabwe	Mozambique
<i>Orfilaia brevisrostris</i> (Kolbe, 1897)					X	
<i>Orfilaia vulsellata</i> (Gyllenhal, 1833)	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Acramorpocephalus stabilis</i> Kleine, 1918					*	
<i>Amorpocephala angusta</i> Damoiseau, 1967	X					
<i>Amorpocephala calcarata</i> Damoiseau, 1967	*					
<i>Amorpocephala capensis</i> Damoiseau, 1979	X					
<i>Amorpocephala imitator</i> (Fähræus, 1871)	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Hemicordus puncticollis</i> (Power, 1878)	X					
<i>Micramorpocephalus frater</i> Kleine, 1918	X			*	*	
<i>Pericordus freyi</i> Damoiseau, 1966	X	*				
<i>Pericordus scutellaris</i> Kleine, 1922	X		X			
<i>Symmorphocerus frontalis</i> (Olivier, 1807)	X					
<i>Symmorphocerus monticola</i> Schoenherr, 1847	X			*	*	
<i>Adidactus cancellatus</i> (Lacordaire, 1866)	X		X			
<i>Adidactus striolatus</i> (Fairmaire, 1897)	*					
<i>Allagogus brunneus</i> Gahan, 1909					X	
<i>Basenius laticornis</i> Kolbe, 1892	*					X
<i>Cormopus penicillifer</i> Kolbe, 1892					X	
<i>Parasebasius methneri</i> (Kleine, 1922)			X			
<i>Parasebasius meticulosus</i> (Kolbe, 1916)	X					
<i>Podozemius mustus</i> Kolbe, 1916	X					
<i>Protoproctus minor</i> (K. E. Schedl, 1961)	*					
<i>Pseudoparagogus turneri</i> De Muizon, 1955	X	X				
<i>Pseudousambius silvanus</i> (Kolbe, 1916)					*	
<i>Schizoadidactus napaeus</i> (Kolbe, 1916)	*				X	
<i>Sebasius strohmeieri</i> (Kleine, 1916)	X					
<i>Usambius advena</i> (Pascoe, 1866)	X					
<i>Zemioses porcatus</i> Pascoe, 1862	X	X				
<i>Neoceocephalus fausti</i> (Senna, 1898)	X					
<i>Neoceocephalus freyi</i> De Muizon, 1960	X		*		*	X
<i>Neoceocephalus sculpturatus</i> Senna, 1898						X
<i>Neoceocephalus thoracicus</i> Damoiseau, 1963					*	
<i>Cerobates (Cerobates) corruptus</i> Kleine, 1926						X
<i>Cerobates (Cerobates) debilis</i> J. Thomson, 1858	X					
<i>Cerobates (Cerobates) sulcatus sulcatus</i> Boheman, 1840	X					
<i>Cerobates (Cerobates) zulu</i> n. sp.	*					
<i>Bolbocranius anaticeps</i> (Kolbe, 1883)			*			
<i>Bolbocranius csikii</i> (Bolkay, 1910)	*					*
<i>Bolbocranius distortus</i> (Westwood, 1849)	X				*	
<i>Microtrachelizus aethiopicus</i> Calabresi, 1920	*					
<i>Gynandrorhynchus audax</i> (Kleine, 1923)						X
<i>Gynandrorhynchus tarsalis</i> (Kleine, 1920)	X					X
<i>Gynandrorhynchus vittipennis</i> (Fähræus, 1871)	X				*	
<i>Isoceocephalus rufescens</i> Quentin, 1966			X			
<i>Orphanobrentus laevicollis</i> (J. Thomson, 1858)	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Orphanobrentus picipes</i> (Olivier, 1807)	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Paryphobrentus latirostris</i> (Gerstaecker, 1855)	X	*		*	*	*
<i>Rhinopteryx foveipennis</i> (J. Thomson, 1858)	X	X	X	X	X	X
<i>Rhinopteryx wernerii</i> Orbach, Bartolozzi & Sforzi, 1995	X				*	

X = literature record; * = new record.

Bellamy) (1, TMSA); near Stoffberg, 25°25'S 29°50'E, 21.xi.2001 (K. Werner & R. Lizler) (3♂ 2♀, MZUF); Schoemanskloof Valley, 900 m, 25°19'S 30°40'E, 14.xi.1988 (E. Colonnelli) (2♂ 3♀, MZUF); Swadini, Blydepoort Nat. Res., 24°32'S 30°54'E, 26–29.i.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂ 1♀, SANC); same data, 3.xii.1987 (1♂, SANC); Swadini, 24°32'S

30°54'E, at light, 13.XII.1998 (M. Krüger) (2, TMSA); Weltevreden Farm nr Nelspruit, 25°34'S 31°10'E, 02.ii.1989 (R. G. Oberprieler) (2♀, SANC). *Limpopo Province*: D'Nyala Nat. Res., near Ellisras [=Lephale], 23°45'S 27°49'E, 23–26.ii.1987, collected at light (M. W. Mansell) (1♂ 4♀, SANC); same data, 17–21.xii.1987 (1♂ 4♀, SANC); Haenertsburg, 23°56'S 29°57'E,

2.iii.1922 (Swinb[urne] & Stevens[on]) (1♂, TMSA); Happy Rest Nat. Res., 23°02'S 29°40'E, 1–5.iv.1964, E-Y: 1124, at light (L. Schulze) (2♀, TMSA); same data, E-Y: 1129, bark *Euphorbia ingens* (L. Schulze) (5♂ 2♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Shingwedzi, 23°07'S 31°26'E, 19–20.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); Lapalala Nat. Res., 23°51'S 28°17'E, 21–22.i.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♀, SANC); Limburg, Potgietersrus [= Mokopane] Dist., 19–21.xi.1968 (L. Vári) (1♀, TMSA); Louis Trichardt [= Makhado], 23°03'S 29°54'E, xii.1956 (A. L. Capener) (1♂, TMSA); same locality, 16.ii.1991 (C.R. Owen) (1♀, COC); 6–8 km N of Louis Trichardt [= Makhado], 23°03'S 29°54'E, xii.1965, 23°05'S 29°55'E (E. L. Schulze) (1♂, TMSA); Naboomspruit [= Mookgopong], 18.ii.1977 (R. Toms) (1♀, TMSA); Penge, 24°22'S 30°18'E, 13–17.ii.1972 (A. Strydom) (2♂ 2♀, TMSA); Percy Fyfe Nat. Res., Potgietersrus [= Mokopane] Dist., 24°03'S 29°08'E, 18–20.i.1971 (R. Jones) (1♀, TMSA); same locality, 30.xi.1966 (D. Goode) (1♀, TMSA); same locality, 24.xi.2001 (K. Werner & R. Lizler) (1♂, MZUF); 20 km S Potgietersrus [= Mokopane], Fiesta Motel, 24°17'S 28°51'E, 1100 m, 16.xi.1992 (H. Hölzel, P. Ohm, M. W. Mansell) (1♀, SANC); Thabazimbi, 16.xii.2001 (K. Werner & R. Lizler) (1♂, MZUF); Tzaneen, Glen Allen Farm, Oct.–Nov. 1973 (B. de Meillon) (1, USNM); same data, iv.1974 (1, USNM); Venda, Nwanedi Resort, 22°38'S 30°24'E, 550 m, 5.ii.1994, at light (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂ 2♀, SANC); same data, 05–09.ii.1994 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC); Waterberg Farm 228, 24°11'S 27°50'E, 11.ii.1976, E-Y: 1030, UV light collection (A. Strydom) (1♂, TMSA); Waterberg, Geelhoutbush Farm, 24°22'S 27°33'E, 2.x.1995, E-Y: 3140, UV light (Endrödy-Younga & Bellamy) (1, TMSA). NAMIBIA, *Caprivi Province*: Katima Mulilo, 17°29'S 24°17'E, 100 m, 4.iii.1992 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♀, SANC); same locality, 25.x.1970 (A. Strydom) (3♀, TMSA); same locality, 3–8.iii.1992 (J. Deckert) (1 ZMHB); Popa Falls, 18°07'S 21°35'E, 24.xi.1993 (F. Koch) (1♀, ZMHB). *Erongo Province*: Brandberg Plateau, vi.1955 (A. Viereck) (1♂, TMSA); Gobabeb, 23°34'S 15°03'E, 6.ix.1974, E-Y: 361, at light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂, TMSA); same data, 22.ix.1974, E-Y: 375 (1♀, TMSA); same data, 20.ix.1974, E-Y: 374 (2♂ 1♀, TMSA); same data, 27.ii.1975, E-Y: 695 (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); Gobabeb, Kuiseb River flowing, 23°34'S 15°03'E, 10.ii.1978 (O. Lomholdt) (5♂ 11♀, ZMUC, MZUF); Gobabeb, 70 m, SE of Walvis Bay, 23°34'S 15°03'E (3♂ 4♀, TMSA); same locality, 15.viii.1965, sandy dunes, Kuiseb River bed (1♀, TMSA); Gobabeb, 23°34'S 15°03'E, 408 m (2♀, TMSA); Gobabeb, 1.iv.1966 (1♀, TMSA); Namib-Naukluft Park, Kuiseb R. nr Gobabeb, 23°34'S 15°03'E, 18–23.xii.1987, collected at night (H. G. Robertson) (5♂ 7♀, SANC); same data, 03–25.i.1988 (22♂ 79♀,

SANC); same data, 07.ii.–02.iii.1988 (46♂ 62♀, SANC); same data, 17.xii.1988 (1♂, SANC); same data, 30.i.–10.ii.1989 (2♂ 1♀, SANC); Homeb, 23°39'S 15°05'E, 19–20.ii.1988 (G. D. Butler) (3♂, SANC); Kuiseb River at Homeb, 23°38'S 19°09'E, 19–20.ii.1988, collected at light (M. W. Mansell) (1♂ 4♀, SANC); Naukluft Camp site, Namib-Naukluft Park, 26°16'S 16°15'E, 6.iii.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (5♂ 4♀, SANC). *Karas Province*: Karies 8 (Gondwana Canyon Park), Game Camp not fenced, 92 km S Keetmanshoop, dwarf shrub savannah (Nama-Karoo), BIOTA 12.023.2001.7.01.518, 27°41'16"S 17°48'26"E, automatic light trap, 31°–24°C, 28–29.iii.2001, h 21.00–01.00 (Marais, Mey, Ebert & Uhlig) (3♂, ZMHB); same data, BIOTA 12.101.2002.7.03.325, Swartkoppie, 27°39'14"S 17°49'58"E, light tower, 10–12.iv.2002 (M. Uhlig & V. Richter) (1♂, ZMHB). *Khomas Province*: Daan Viljoen Game Reserve, 22°26'S 16°53'E, 6–8.iv.1993 (B. & M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB). *Kunene Province*: Hobatere Lodge, 19°18'S 14°24'E, 17.ii.1994, at light (M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB); Kaokoveld Sesfontein basin, 19°09'S 13°32'E, 02.ii.1975, E-Y: 611, at light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); Ongongo Fall, 19°08'S 13°49'E, 18.ii.1994, at light (M. Uhlig) (1♂, ZMHB); 120 km SSE of Opuwo, SE 18 14 Cd, 4.v.1991 (E. Holm & E. Marais) (1♂, SANC). *Ohangwena Province*: Oshikango, 17°24'S 15°53'E (C. Koch) (43♂ 39♀, TMSA). *Okavango Province*: Rundu, 17°56'S 19°46'E, xii.1988 (C. R. Owen) (1♂, COC). *Otjozondjupa Province*: Waterberg Plateau Park, 20°30'S 17°14'E, 22.xi.1993 (M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB). BOTSWANA, *North-West District*: Ngoma Bridge at Chobe River, 17°55'S 24°43'E, 16.i.1986 (E. Holm) (1♂, SANC); *Central District*: Serowe, 22°25'S 26°44'E, 16.x.1988 (P. Forchhammer) (2♀, SANC); Farmers Brigade 5 km SE of Serowe, Hillside N Slope, xii.1984, mercury vapour lamp (P. Forchhammer) (1♂, SANC); Tuli Block, Pete's Ranch near Stevensford, at light, 21.iv.2003 (A. Sforzi & L. Bartolozzi) (1♂, MZUF); *Southern District*: Kanye, 24°59'S 25°21'E, 9.xii.1979 (C. R. Owen) (1♀, COC). ZIMBABWE, *Manicaland Province*: Kyle Recr[eational] Park at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB); Rusape, 18°32'S 32°07'E, 29.xi.1987 and 2.xii.1987 (C. R. Owen) (2♀, COC); *Matebeleland North Province*: Victoria Falls, Zambesi [= Zambezi] Nat. Park camp, 17°53'S 25°49'E, 11–12.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig & K. Ebert) (2♂, ZMHB); *Matebeleland South Province*: Matopos [= Matobo] Nat. Park, 20°33'S 28°30'E, at light, 30.xi.1993 (F. Koch) (1♂, ZMHB). MOZAMBIQUE, *Niassa Province*: Cuamba, 14°49'S 36°33'E, 10–20.xi.1999 (G. Culetto) (1, MCCI).

REMARKS. This is one of the most common African Brentidae species.

EREMOXENINI Semenov-Tian-Shanskij, 1892***Acramorpocephalus stabilis* Kleine, 1918**

Acramorpocephalus stabilis Kleine, 1918, *Archiv für Naturgeschichte* 82 (A 12) [1916]: 122. Type locality: Cameroon: 'Barombi, Bipindi, Johann Albrechtshöhe [= Nkongsamba], Mundame, Namiong near Lolodorf'; 'Gabon', [Malawi]: 'N Niassa'; Equatorial Guinea: 'Nkolentangan', Tanzania: 'Unyika'.

[This species was described from a series of specimens from various localities. Damoiseau (1967a: 419) designated the lectotype on a specimen from ZMHB but he did not indicate its locality. I could not find the lectotype in the ZMHB collection, thus it is not possible to define the exact type locality.]

LOCALITY RECORD. ZIMBABWE, *Manicaland Province*: Kyle Recr[eational] Park, at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (1♂, ZMHB).

REMARKS. Known from Cameroon, Democratic Republic of the Congo (formerly Zaire), Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Kenya, Malawi, Republic of Congo, Tanzania and Zambia. This is the first record for Zimbabwe.

***Amorpocephala calcarata* Damoiseau, 1967**

Amorpocephala calcarata Damoiseau, 1967, *Annales du Musée royal de l'Afrique centrale, Série in 8° (Sciences Zoologiques)* 160: 432. Type locality: Kenya: 'Namanga'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: St. Lucia, xii.1986 (K. Werner) (1, MZUF). *Mpumalanga*: Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza Res. Camp, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 19.ii.1995, E-Y: 3102, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); same data, 16–24.xii.1993, light trap (Krüger & Dunning) (1♀, TMSA); Skukuza, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 6–9.xi.1971 (E. Holm) (1♀, SANC).

REMARKS. Until now, the species was known only from Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia and Tanzania; these are the first locality records for South Africa.

***Amorpocephala capensis* Damoiseau, 1979**

Amorpocephala capensis Damoiseau, 1979, *Bulletin de l'Institut Royal des Sciences Naturelles de Belgique* 51(10): 5. Type locality: South Africa: 'Cape Province, Clanwilliam District, Sederberg'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Western*

Cape: Meiringspoort, 33°24'S 22°33'E, 5.i.1991 (C. R. Owen) (3♂ 3♀, COC, MZUF); Seweweekspoort, 33°22'S 21°25'E, 30.iii.1985 (C. R. Owen) (1♀, COC).

REMARKS. This species is known only from South Africa.

***Amorpocephala imitator* (Fähræus, 1871)**

Amorpocephala imitator Fähræus, 1871, *Översigt af Kongl. Vetenskaps-Akademiens Förhandlingar* 1871 (4): 434. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Caffraria'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Northern Cape*: Olifantshoek, 27°56'S 22°45'E, 1250 m, 26.ii.1988 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC). *Free State*: Ventersburg, 28°05'S 27°08'E, 17.i.1980 (C. R. Owen) (2♂ 1♀, COC); SE of Warrenton, Timkulu Safaris (Lemoen Farm), 28°15'S 25°00'E, 1250 m, light trap, 29–31.xii.1997 (R. Stals) (1♀, SANC). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Colenso Distr., 21.i.1980 (C. R. Owen) (1♀, COC); Gingindlovu, 29°02'S 31°35'E, i.1998, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); same data, iii.1997 (1♂ 1♀, SANC); Hluhluwe, 1960 (van Son) (1♂, TMSA); near Jozini, 27°26'S 32°10'E, x.1983 (P. E. Reavell) (2♂ 2♀, SANC); same data, xii.1989 (1♂, SANC); Kube Yini Game Res., 27°48'S 32°14'E, 360 m, 10–14.i.1994, Natal Museum Expedition (1♂, SANC); Leeukop, E of Pongola, 27°22'S 31°42'E, 24.i.1992 (Vogt & Holm) (1♂ 2♀, SANC); Mkuze Game Reserve, 27°36'S 32°13'E, xii.1987, at light at night (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); Mkuze, 27°37'S 32°03'E, xii.1982, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1♂ 1♀, SANC); Ndumu [=Ndumo] Store, 26°55'S 32°18'E, 1.xii.1992, E-Y: 2872, at flood light (Endrödy-Younga) (4♂ 5♀, TMSA); same data, 3.xii.1992, E-Y: 2876, at flood light (2♂ 1♀, TMSA); Tembe Elephant Park, Sihangwane Area, 27°02'S 32°25'E, 100 m, 01.ii–04.ii.1996, mixed woodland, light trap (R. Stals) (1♀, SANC); St. Lucia, xii.1986 (K. Werner) (1, MZUF); Tugela, 29°14'S 31°27'E, ii.1983 (P. Atkinson) (1♂, SANC); Weenen, iii.1928 (H. P. Thomasset) (1♀, TMSA). *Gauteng*: Derdepoort, 25°40'S 28°20'E, 20.xi.1984 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♂, SANC); Pretoria, 25°42'S 28°13'E (L. Vári) (1♀, TMSA); Pretoria, 25°42'S 28°13'E, 1977 (1, TMSA); 30 km W Pretoria, Saartjiesnek, 25°45'S 27°56'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (1♂ 1♀, MZUF); Soutpan [= Tswaing], Pretoria Dist., 25°24'S 28°06'E, 09.xii.1987 (M. W. Mansell) (1♀, SANC). *Mpumalanga*: Barberton, 28.ii.1974 (L. Vári) (1, TMSA); Carino Dist., Farm Broedershoek 129, 21.xi.1972 (A. Strydom) (1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Satara, 24°23'S 31°47'E, 05.ii.1988 (G. D. Butler) (1♀, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 292 m, 14–17.i.1985, at light (V. M. Swain)

- (1♀, SANC); same locality, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 26.xi.1993, light trap (Krüger & Dunning) (12, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza Res[earch] Camp, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 31.i.1996, E-Y: 3189, UV light (Endrödy-Younga) (3, TMSA); same data, E-Y: 3202 (1, TMSA); same data, 07.iii.1996, E-Y: 3220 (2, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Wolhuter Trail Camp, 25°25'S 31°28'E, VV: 372, 10.xii.1988, light collecting (T. van Viegen) (2♂ 2♀, TMSA); Loskop Dam Nat. Res., 25°25'S 29°20'E, 12–13.xii.1985 (V. M. Swain) (1♀, SANC); same data, 04.iii.1995, light trap (R. Stals) (1♀, SANC); O.T.K. Reserve nr Loskop Dam, 25°27'S 29°24'E, 9–11.xii.1985 (C. G. Moolman) (1♂, SANC); Nelspruit Distr., Farm de Hoop 203, 20–21.xi.1972 (A. Strydom) (1♀, TMSA); Richmond Farm, 954 m, 24°59'S 30°05'E, 6.xi.2001, E-Y: 3439, black light (TMSA staff) (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); Schoemanskloof Valley, 900 m, 25°19'S 30°40'E, 27.xi.1988 (E. Colonnelli) (1♂ 1♀, MZUF); Swadini, Blydepoort Nat. Res., 24°32'S 30°54'E, 26–29.i.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂ SANC). *Limpopo Province*: Amatola Scott Farm, 22°56'S 29°23'E, 26.i.1998, E-Y: 3316, at light (R. Müller) (3, TMSA); Der Brochen, 1135 m, 24°04'S 30°07'E, 25.x.2000, E-Y: 3436, black light (TMSA staff) (1♂, TMSA); D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephalale] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 10–14.xi.1986 (V. M. Uys) (2♀, SANC); same data, 08–10.xii.1989 (M. W. Mansell) (2♀, SANC); same data, 850 m, 24–26.ix.1990 (R. G. Oberprieler) (4♂, SANC); same data, 13–14.i.1991 (E. Grobbelaar) (2♂ 2♀, SANC); Hans Merensky Nat. Res., 23°42'S 30°44'E, 23–25.i.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♀, SANC); Klein Kariba nr Warmbaths [= Bela-Bela], 24°51'S 28°20'E, xii.1990 (C. G. E. Moolman) (1♂, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 3–6.xii.1973 (v. Reenen) (1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba, 23°51'S 31°34'E, i.1954 (H. J. Viljoen) (1♀, TMSA); Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, KNP Survey, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (4♂ 3♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Olifants Camp, 24°00'S 31°44'E, 19.ii.1968 (P. J. Spangler) (1, USNM); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri Res. camp, ca. 3 km W, 22°25'S 31°10'E, 02.ii.1994, E-Y: 2973, UV light (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Shingwedzi, 23°07'S 31°26'E, 19–20.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (3♂ 3♀, TMSA); Lapalala Wilderness, 23°51'S 28°17'E, 1100 m, 21–22.i.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (2♂, SANC); Levubu, Arbor Farm, 23°05'S 30°17'E, 28.i.1998, E-Y: 3320, at light (R. Müller) (1, TMSA); Limburg, Potgietersrus [= Mokopane] Dist., 19–21.xi.1968 (L. Vári) (1♂, TMSA); Messina [= Musina] Nat. Res., 22°21'S 30°03'E, 14.xii.2000, E-Y: 3409, at light (R. Müller & M. Burger) (1, TMSA); 65 km W of Messina [= Musina], Shashe-Limpopo confluence, Farm Greefswald 37, 22°13'S 29°22'E, 19–21.xi.1989 (D. A. Schlitter) (1♀, CMNH); Mmabolela Estate, 22°40'S 28°15'E, 11.iii.1973, E-Y: 39, mercury vapour light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); same data, 6.iii.1973, E-Y: 16 and 17 (Endrödy-Younga) (2♀, TMSA); Mogol Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephalale] Dist., 23°58'S 27°45'E, 21.xii.1987 (E. Grobbelaar) (5♂ 2♀, SANC); same data (E. van der Linde) (1♀, SANC); Naboomspruit [= Mookgopong], Torino Ranch, 24°37'S 28°38'E, E-Y: 2274, UV light, vlei edge (Endrödy-Younga) (2♂, TMSA); Nylsvley Nature Reserve, 24°39'S 28°42'E, 10–11.xii.1979 (C. G. E. Moolman) (1♂, SANC); Penge, 24°22'S 30°18'E, 13–17.xi.1972 (A. Strydom) (4♂ 4♀, TMSA); Percy Fyfe Nature Res., 24°03'S 29°08'E, 30.xi.1966 (D. Goode) (1♀, TMSA); 30 km SW Potgietersrus [= Mokopane], i.1989 (K. Werner) (2♂ 1♀, MZUF); Punda Milia [= Punda Maria], 22°41'S 31°01'E, KNP Survey, 21–23.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1♂, TMSA); same locality, 9–11.xii.1963 (L. Vári) (1♀ TMSA); Rooiberg, 13–15.xii.1959 (R. B. Copley) (1♀, TMSA); Thabazimbi, 24°36'S 27°24'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (20♂ 3♀, EOC); Thabazimbi, 16.xii.2001 (K. Werner & R. Lizler) (6♂ 5♀, MZUF); Thabazimbi, Sandriver Mt., 1100 m, 24°32'S 27°41'E, 8–9.xi.1985 (A. V. Evans) (4♂ 2♀, SANC); Vienna Game Farm, Hoedspruit, 24°17'S 30°58'E, 500 m, 17–18.i.1991 (R. G. Oberprieler) (2♂ 1♀, SANC); Vyeboom, Nylstroom [= Modimolle] Dist., 5–6.x.1954 (A. D. J. Meeuse) (1♂, TMSA); Waterberg Farm 223, 24°11'S 27°50'E, 11.ii.1976, E-Y: 1030, UV light collection (A. Strydom) (1♂, TMSA); Waterberg, Geelhoutbush Farm, 24°22'S 27°33'E, 2.x.1995, E-Y: 3140, UV light (Endrödy-Younga & Bellamy) (38, TMSA); Weltevreden Farm nr Nelspruit, 25°34'S 31°10'E, 02.ii.1989 (R. G. Oberprieler) (2♀, SANC); same data, 10–11.i.1991 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♂, SANC). *NAMIBIA. Caprivi Province*: Popa Falls, 18°07'16" S 21°34'51" E, at light, 13.xii.1993 (M. Uhlig) (1♂, ZMHB). *Khomas Province*: Windhoek, 22°34'S 17°05'E, 1904 (Ob[er]l[eu]tn[ant] [= lieutenant] Techow) (6♂ 1♀, ZMHB). *Erongo Province*: Naukluft Camp site, Namib-Naukluft Park, 26°16'S 16°15'E, 6.iii.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (2♂, SANC); Blässkranz/Naukluft 5 km E, 24°06'S 16°17'E, at light, 5.iii.2002 (U. Göllner) (1♀, ZMHB). *Karas Province*: Boon River Canyon, ESE of Rosh Pinah, 28°01'S 17°03'E, 2–6.iv.2002 (E. Holm & H. Gebhardt) (1♀, SANC); Helmeringhausen, 25°54'S 16°51'E, 5.iii.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC). *Kunene Province*: Etosha N. P., Halali, 19°01'S 16°29'E, 16–17.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB); Kaokoveld, 13 km W Ehomba, 17°43'S 13°31'E, 11.ii.1975, E-Y: 649, light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA). *Okavango Province*: Mahango Game Reserve, Picnic site, 18°13'S 21°45'E, at light, 23–24.xi.1993 (J. Deckert & M. Uhlig) (1♂ 3♀, ZMHB); Mururani, xi.1988 (C. R. Owen) (1♂, COC). *Omaheke Province*: Riet-

fontein, xii.1988 (C. R. Owen) (1♀, COC). BOTSWANA. *North-West District*: Chobe Nat. Park, Ihaha Campsite, 17.50,2 S 24.52,9 E, 940 m, 25.xi.2001 (B. D. Gill & S. M. V. Gussmann) (1♂, SANC); 53 km S Kasane, 1.xii.1995 (C. R. Owen) (2♂, COC); Maun, surr[oundings] Island Safari Lodge, 2–15.i.1994 (M. Snizek) (3♀, EOC); Okavango Thamalakane Riv., 20°08'S 23°23'E, xii.1973 (P. E. Reavell) (5♂ 5♀, TMSA). *Central District*: Palapye J[un]ct[ion], 15–18.xii.1989 (P. Crasswell) (2♂ 1♀, CMNH); Serowe, 22°25'S 26°44'E, 08.xii.1984 (P. Forchhammer) (1♂ 4♀, SANC); same data, 30.xii.1984 (1♂ 4♀, SANC); same data, 26.iv.1985 (1♂, SANC); same data, xii.1985 (1♀, SANC); SE 222 6 BD Farmers Brigade, 5 km SE of Serowe, Hillside N Slope, 28.i.1990, mercury vapour lamp (P. Forchhammer) (2♂, SANC). ZIMBABWE, *Manicaland Province*: Kyle Rec[reational] Park, at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (7♂ 7♀, ZMHB); same data, 2.xi.1993 (F. Koch) (2♂, ZMHB); Rusape, 18°32'S 32°07'E, xii.1981 (C. R. Owen) (1♂ 1♀, COC); same data, 2.xii.1987 (4♂ 8♀, COC); same data, ii.1990 (1♀, COC); *Mashonaland East Province*: Sinoia [= Chinhoi] Caves, 17°21'S 30°13'E, 29.xii.1989 (P. E. Reavell) (3♂ 3♀, SANC); *Matebeleland North Province*: West Nicholson, 21°04'S 29°22'E, 850 m, 28.xi.1990 (M. W. Mansell, R. B. Miller & L. A. Stange) (2♂, SANC); *Matebeleland South Province*: Irisvale, Balla Balla [= Mbalabala], 20°27'S 29°03'E, 27–28.xii.1976 (R. Toms) (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); New Brighton, Balla Balla [= Mbalabala], 2.xii.1979 (R. Toms) (1♂, TMSA); Lundi [= Runde] River bank, xi.1965, 20°55'S 30°55'E (L. Schulze) (1♂, TMSA); Matopos [= Matobo] Nat. Park, ca. 1300 m, 20°33'S 28°30'E, at light, 30.xi.1993 (K. Ebert) (1♂, ZMHB); same data (M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB); same data (F. Koch) (2♀, ZMHB); same data (J. Deckert) (1♀, ZMHB); Umzingwane River, Umzing[wane] Dist., ca. 22°12'S 29°56'E, 1.ii.1930 (1♀, CMNH).

REMARKS. A very common species, widespread throughout Africa south of the Sahara.

***Hemicordus puncticollis* (Power, 1879)**

Cordus puncticollis Power, 1879, *Annales de la Société Entomologique de France* (5)8 [1878]: 484. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Natal'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Eastern Cape*: Amatola, Isidenge For[estry] St[at]ion B1, 32°41'S 27°14'E, 17.xi.1987, E-Y: 2521, beating indig[enous] for[est] (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); Port St. Johns, Silaka, 31°33'S 29°30'E, 30.xi.1987, E-Y: 2545, beating indig. for. (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂,

TMSA). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Karkloof for[est], 1300 m, 29°18'S 30°13'E, 2.xii.1989, E-Y: 2731, general collecting (Endrödy-Younga) & Klimaszew[skij] (1♂, TMSA); same data, 5.xii.1989, E-Y: 2744, in forest at night (1♂, TMSA); Ngome State Forest, 27°48'S 31°25'E, 12–17.xi.1995, 1150 m, UV light (Krüger & Dombrowsky) (1♂, TMSA).

REMARKS. To date known only from South Africa.

***Micramorphacephalus frater* Kleine, 1918**

Micramorphacephalus frater Kleine, 1918, *Archiv für Naturgeschichte* 82 (A 12) [1916]: 128. Type locality: [Tanzania]: 'Deutsch Ost Afrika, Tendaguru-Lindi, Mikesse'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Limpopo Province*: D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephalele] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 18.xii.1987, at light (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Shingwedzi, 23°07'S 31°26'E, 350 m, 06.ii.1988, at light (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC); Thabazimbi, 24°36'S 27°24'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (1, EOC); Waterberg, Geelhoutbush Farm, 24°22'S 27°33'E, 04.x.1995, E-Y: 3149, UV light (C. L. Bellamy) (1, TMSA); Welgevonden Farm, 15 km E Louis Trichardt [= Makhado], 23°04'S 30°03'E, 17.i.1995, at light (R. Stals) (1♀, SANC). BOTSWANA, *North-West District*: Maun, surr[oundings] Island Safari Lodge, 2–15.i.1994 (M. Snizek) (1♂ 3♀, EOC); Okavango, Thama River area, iii.1974 (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, TMSA). ZIMBABWE, *Matebeleland North Province*: Hope Fountain, 20°11'S 28°36'E, 18.ii.1922 (J. Neville) (1♂, CMNH).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Ethiopia, Kenya, South Africa, Tanzania and Zambia; the present records are the first for Botswana and Zimbabwe.

***Pericordus freyi* Damoiseau, 1966**

Pericordus freyi Damoiseau, 1966, *Entomologische Arbeiten aus dem Museum G. Frey* 17: 16. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Transvaal, Komatipoort'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Arendsig Mt. Cathedral Peak, 28°53'S 29°05'E, 19.xii.1986 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); near Jozini, 27°26'S 32°10'E, x.1983, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); same data, x.1984 (1♂, SANC); same data, i.1985 (1♂, SANC); Mkuze, 27°37'S 32°03'E, i.1983 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); Mkuze Game Reserve, 27°53'S 32°29'E, 3.xi.1970 (O. Bourquin) (2♂, TMSA); Ndumo [Ndumo] Store, 26°55'S 32°18'E, 1.xii.1992, E-Y: 2872, at flood light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂, TMSA). *Gauteng*:

Soutpan-Tswaing, 25°24'S 28°06'E, 01.xii.1996, light trap (Krüger & Dombrowsky) (1♀, TMSA). *Mpumalanga*: Kampersrus, Moholoholo Forest Camp, 23–31.xii.2004 (A. Ballerio) (1♀, MZUF); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza Res. Camp, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 19.ii.1995, E-Y: 3102, UV light trap (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); same data, 6–15.xii.1993 (Krüger & Dunning) (1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza, Sabie Riv., 24°59'S 31°38'E, 14.i.1996, E-Y: 3194, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); Mahushe Shongwe N. R., near Mzinti, 25°45'S 31°44'E, 04–05.ii.1995 (S. L. Chown, R. Stals & D. J. Browne) (1♀, SANC); Nwaswitsaka Res. camp, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 8.xii.1997, E-Y: 3300, at light (C. L. Bellamy) (2♀, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Blouberg, 6.000–6.714 ft, ca. 23°05'S 29°00'E, 10.i.1955, Transv. Mus. Exp. (1♀, TMSA); D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephallale] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 17–20.xii.1987, light (M. W. Mansell) (1♀, SANC); same data (E. Grobbelaar) (1♂ 1♀, SANC); same data, 13–14.i.1991 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♂, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, 22°26'S 31°12'E, i.1984 (C. D. Eardley) (2♀, SANC); same data, 29.i.1984 (M. W. Mansell) (1♀, SANC); same data, 264 m, 21.i.1984 (C. D. Eardley) (1♂, SANC); same locality, Bobomene Camp, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 200 m, 31.i.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri Res. camp, 22°25'S 31°12'E, 30.i.1994, E-Y: 2954, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (2♂, 1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri Res. camp, ca. 3 km W, 22°25'S 31°10'E, 2.ii.1994, E-Y: 2973, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (2♂, TMSA); same data, 05.ii.1994, E-Y: 2982, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); same data, 26.i.1995, E-Y: 3100, UV light & trap (C. L. Bellamy) (1♂, TMSA); Pafuri, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 27.xi.[19]73 (v. Reenen) (1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (3♂ 1♀ TMSA); same data, 21–23.xi.1961 (1♀, TMSA); Manyeleti Game Res., 24°38'S 31°28'E, VV.312, 19.xi.1987, light collecting (T. van Viegen) (1♂, TMSA); Mosdene [Farm], [near] Naboomspruit [= Mookgopong], 24°36'S 28°47'E, 4.xi.1979 (R. B. Toms) (1♀, TMSA); Venda, Nwanedi Resort, 550 m, light trap, 22°38'S 30°24'E, 05–09.ii.1994 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♂, SANC); same data, 05.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (4♂ 6♀, SANC); Waterpoort, Zoutpansberg, 22°54'S 29°37'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (1♀, EOC). SWAZILAND, Hlane Royal National Park, Ndlovu Camp, 26°15,29'S 31°52,58'E, 300 m, 20–21.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (1, NMEG). NAMIBIA, *Caprivi Province*: Mahango Game Res., 18°14'S 21°43'E, 24.xi.1993 (F. Koch) (1♀, ZMHB). MOZAMBIQUE, *Niassa Province*: Cuamba, 14°49'S 36°33'E, 10–20.xi.1999 (G. Curletti) (1, MCCI).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Mozambique, South Africa and Zambia; these are the first records for Swaziland and Namibia.

***Pericordus scutellaris* Kleine, 1922**

Pericordus scutellaris Kleine, 1922, *Archiv für Naturgeschichte* 88 (A 1): 155. Type locality: [Tanzania]: 'Deutsch Ost Afrika, Oldoway'.

LOCALITY RECORD. SOUTH AFRICA *KwaZulu-Natal*: St. Lucia, xii.1986 (K. Werner) (1, MZUF).

REMARKS. Sforzi and Bartolozzi (2004) provisionally mentioned South Africa as part of the distribution of this species. This record confirms that the species does occur in the Republic of South Africa. So far it is known from Somalia, Kenya, Tanzania, Namibia and South Africa.

***Symmorphocerus monticola* Schoenherr, 1847**

Symmorphocerus monticola Schoenherr, 1847, *Mantissa secunda familiae curculionidum seu descriptiones novorum quorundam generum curculionidum*: 8. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Montes Makkalisenses'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Durban, 29°53'S 31°00'E, ix.1924 (H.W. Bell Marley) (1♀, TMSA); near Jozini, 27°26'S 32°10'E, x.1983 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1♂, TMSA); Mseleni [= Enseleni] Miss[jon], 27°23'S 32°32'E, x.1984 (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); Mtunzini, 28°57'S 31°45'E, 30.xi.1953 (L. Vári) (1♂, TMSA); Shaka's Kraal [= Shakaskraal], 29°27'S 31°13'E, xi.1983, P. E. Reavell (1♀, SANC); St. Lucia Lake, x.1934 (H. W. Bell Marley) (1♂, TMSA); St. Lucia, Mission Rocks, 28°22'S 32°25'E, 16.xii.1975, E-Y: 980, at black light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA). *Gauteng*: Cullinan, Premier Mine Game Res., 25°40'S 28°29'E, 16.i.2002; E-Y: 3475, light trap, TMSA staff (1♂, TMSA); Pretoria North, 25°39'S 28°09'E, 6.xi.1944 (G. van Son) (1♂, TMSA); Soutpan [= Tswaing], Pretoria Dist., 25°24'S 28°06'E, 09.xii.1987 (M. W. Mansell) (1♂ 1♀, SANC). *Mpumalanga*: Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 26.xi.–5.xii.1993, at light (Krüger & Dunning) (1♀, TMSA); Nwaswitsaka Res. camp, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 8.xii.1997, E-Y: 3300, at light (C. L. Bellamy) (1♀, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephallale] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 17.xii.1987 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♂, SANC); Happy Rest Nat. Res., 23°02'S 29°40'E, 1–5.iv.1976, E-Y: 1129, bark *Euphorbia ingens* (L. Schulze) (1♂, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 264 m, 20–24.i.1985 (M. W. Mansell) (1♀, SANC); Olifants Camp, 24°00'S

31°44'E, 26.xi.1966 (1♀, TMSA); 30 km SW Potgietersrus [= Mokopane], i.1989 (K. Werner) (1♂, MZUF); Venda, Nwanedi Resort, 550 m, light trap, 22°38'S 30°24'E, 05–09.ii.1994 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC); same data, 05.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC); Vienna Game Farm, Hoedspruit, 24°17'S 30°58'E, 500 m, 17–18.i.1991 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♂, SANC); Warmwaterberg, at Harmonie, 4.ii.1976 (D. H. Jacobs) (1♂, TMSA). BOTSWANA, *North-West District*: 53 km S Kasane, 1.xii.1995 (C. R. Owen) (1♂, COC); Xugana, Okavango Swamp, 19°05'S 23°06'E, 3200 ft, 1–12.xii.1975 (Winifred Carter) (1, USNM). ZIMBABWE, *Manicaland Province*: Kyle Rec[reation] Park, at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB); Lake Kyle [= Lake Mutirikwi], 20°13'S 31°00'E, 6–8.xi.1989 (P. Crasswell) (1♂ 1♀, CMNH); Rusape, 18°32'S 32°07'E, xii.1981 (C. R. Owen) (1♂ 1♀, COC). *Mashonaland East Province*: Chipinge, 20°12'S 32°37'E, 6.ii.1993 (C. R. Owen) (1♂, COC); Salisbury [= Harare] Dist., ca. 17°50'S 31°03'E, 642 (1♂, TMSA). *Matabeleland South Province*: Matopos [= Matabo], Nat. Park, 20°33'S 28°30'E, 30.xi.1993, at light (F. Koch) (1♂, ZMHB); same data, 28.xi.–1.xii.1993 (M. Uhlig) (1♀, ZMHB).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Liberia, South Africa, Tanzania and Zambia; these are the first records for Botswana and Zimbabwe.

CYPHAGOGINAE Kolbe, 1892

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Adidactus cancellatus (Lacordaire, 1866)

Zemioses cancellatus Lacordaire, 1866, *Histoire Naturelle des Insectes. Genera des Coléoptères. VII. Curculionides (Suite), Scolytides, Brenthides, Anthribides et Bruchides*: 409. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Afrique Australe'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Mpumalanga*: Barberton Dist., Farm Alfa No. 448, 22–26.xi.1972 (A. Strydom) (1, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Tshipise, Honnet Nature Reserve, 22°36'S 30°10'E, 300 m, 23–25.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (1, NMEG).

REMARKS. This is one of the most widespread African Brentidae species.

Adidactus striolatus (Fairmaire, 1897)

Zemioses striolatus Fairmaire, 1897, *Annales de la Société Entomologique de Belgique* 41: 187. Type locality: Madagascar: 'Tasarosotra'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Mpumalanga*: Nelspruit Dist., Farm de Hoop 203, 20–21.xi.1972 (A. Strydom) (1, TMSA). *Northern Province*: Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (2, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Bobomene Research Camp, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 200 m, 31.i.–03.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (3, SANC); same data, 200 m, 02.ii.1994, light trap (E. Grobbelaar) (1, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Limpopo River at Croke's Corner, 22°25'S 31°18'E, 200 m, 02.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC); Pafuri Res. camp, 22°25'S 31°12'E, 30.i.1994, E-Y: 2962 (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Shingwedzi, 23°07'S 31°26'E, 19–20.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (2, TMSA); Levubu, Beaufort Farm, 23°10'S 30°16'E, 24.i.1998, E-Y: 3309, at light (R. Müller) (1, TMSA); Punda Milia [= Punda Maria], 22°41'S 31°01'E, 21–23.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1, TMSA); Wylliespoort [= Wyllie's Poort], Imgwe Motel, 22°58'S 29°57'E, 30.xii.1978 (L. Minter) (1, SANC).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Angola, Cameroon, the Comoro Islands, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Madagascar, Príncipe, Republic of Congo, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia; these are the first records for South Africa.

Basenius laticornis Kolbe, 1892

Basenius laticornis Kolbe, 1892, *Stettiner Entomologische Zeitschrift* 53: 170. Type locality: [Tanzania]: 'Deutsch Ost Afrika, Usambara, Derema'.

LOCALITY RECORD. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: St Lucia, Mission Rocks, 28°22'S 32°25'E, 8.xii.1975, E-Y: 960, at black light (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA).

REMARKS. Previously known from Tanzania and Mozambique, this is the first record for South Africa.

Protoproctus minor (K. E. Schedl, 1961)

Sebasius minor K. E. Schedl, 1961, *Entomologische Arbeiten aus dem Museum G. Frey* 12(1): 192. Type locality: [Democratic Republic of the Congo]: 'Congo Belge: Yangambi'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Limpopo Province*: Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri res. camp, 22°25'S 31°09'E, 14.ii.1994; E-Y: 3001, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA).

REMARKS. This species was previously known

from the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Republic of Congo, Nigeria and Tanzania; this is the first record for South Africa.

***Pseudoparagogus turneri* De Muizon, 1955**

Pseudoparagogus turneri De Muizon, 1955, *Bulletin de l'Institut français d'Afrique noire* (A) 17(2/3): 459. Type locality: 'South Africa: Port Saint John'.

LOCALITY RECORD. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Hluhluwe Game Res., 28°05'S 32°04'E, 18.xi.1992, E-Y: 2829, intercept trap open (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA).

REMARKS. This species is known from the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Gabon, South Africa and Swaziland.

***Pseudousambius silvanus* (Kolbe, 1916)**

Pseudousambius silvanus Kolbe, 1916, *Deutsche Entomologische Zeitschrift* 1916: 62. Type locality: 'Kamerun'.

LOCALITY RECORD. ZIMBABWE, *Matabeleland South Province*: Bubyé [= Bubi] River, ca. 21°20'S 29°56'E, 9.xii.1980 (C. R. Owen) (1♂, COC).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Ivory Coast and the Republic of Congo; this is the first record for Zimbabwe.

***Schizoadidactus napaeus* (Kolbe, 1916)**

Adidactus napaeus Kolbe, 1916, *Deutsche Entomologische Zeitschrift* 1916: 62. Type locality: 'Kamerun'; 'Arussi Galla in Ostafrika'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: KwaMnyalsa 27°40'S 32°25'E, 1.xi.1979 (C. R. Owen) (1, TMSA); Tembe Elephant Park, 27°03'S 32°25'E, 100 m, 28.x-02.xi.1995 (M. W. Mansell) (1, SANC).

REMARKS. Previously known from Angola, Cameroon, Central African Republic, the Comoro Islands, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Republic of Congo, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Tanzania, Togo and Zimbabwe; these are the first records for South Africa.

***Usambius advena* (Pascoe, 1866)**

Cyphagogus advena Pascoe, 1866, *Journal of Entomology* 2(14): 48. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Natal'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: St. Lucia, Mission Rocks, 28°22'S 32°35'E, 16.xii.1975, E-Y: 980, at black light (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); St. Lucia, Mission Rocks, 28°22'S 32°25'E, 9.xii.1975, E-Y: 965, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA). *Mpumalanga*: Nelshoogte gallery for[est], 25°51'S 30°53'E, 4.xii.1987, E-Y: 2354, UV light coll. (Endrödy-Younga) (2, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Fanie Botha Nat. Res., nr Tzaneen, 23°50'S 30°10'E, 2-6.iii.1986, light trap (E. Grobbelaar) (1, SANC); Venda, Nwanedi Resort, 22°38'S 30°24'E, 550 m, 05.ii.1994, collected by beating (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC).

REMARKS. This species is known from Angola, Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea (including Bioko), Ghana, Ivory Coast, Madagascar, Republic of Congo, Rwanda, São Tomé and Príncipe, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia. It was intercepted in 1969 in the Port of Venice, Italy, found under the bark of an imported log (Bartolozzi, 1988).

***Zemioses porcatus* Pascoe, 1862**

Zemioses porcatus Pascoe, 1862, *Journal of Entomology* 1(5): 394. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Natal'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Eastern Cape*: Port St. Johns, Silaka, 31°33'S 29°30'E 29.xi.1987, E-Y: 2542, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (2, TMSA); same data, 31°33'S 29°30'E, 2.xii.1987, E-Y: 2548 (3, TMSA). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Mkuze Game Res., 27°36'S 32°13'E, VV: 378, 23.ii.1989, light collecting (R. Newberg) (1, TMSA); Ndumu [= Ndumo] Game Reserve, 26°54'S 32°15'E, light trap, 05-07.xi.1984 (R. G. Oberprieler) (2, SANC); St. Lucia, Mission Rocks, 28°22'S 32°25'E, 8.xii.1975, E-Y: 980, at black light (Endrödy-Younga) (2, TMSA); Tembe Elephant Park, 27°03'S 32°25'E, 100 m, 28.x-02.xi.1995 (M. W. Mansell) (1, SANC). *Mpumalanga*: Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza Res. Camp, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 07.iii.1996, E-Y: 3220, UV light (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Shingwedzi, 23°07'S 31°26'E, 350 m, 06.ii.1988, at light (E. Grobbelaar) (1, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 05-07.i.1990, at light (C. H. Scholtz) (1, SANC); Nelspruit Dist., Farm de Hoop 203, 20-21.xi.1972 (A. Strydom) (1, TMSA); Pretoriuskop, 25°10'S 31°16'E, xi.1966 (D. Goode) (1, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephalale] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 850 m, 24-26.ix.1990 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 264 m, 20-24.i.

1985 (N. C. Pienaar) (1, SANC); Levubu, Arbor Farm, 23°05'S 30°17'E, 28.i.1998, E-Y: 3320, at light (R. Müller) (3, TMSA); Ofcolaco, Makhutswi River, 24°11'S 30°27'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (2, MZUF); Thabazimbi, 24°36'S 27°24'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (1, EOC); Tzaneen, 23°50'S 30°10'E, 1974 (B. de Meillon) (1, USNM); Waterberg, Geelhoutbush Farm, 24°22'S 27°34'E, 15.xii.1997, E-Y: 3306, at light (C. L. Bellamy) (1, TMSA); same data, 03.x.1995, E-Y: 3144, UV light (Endrödy-Younga] & Bellamy) (1, TMSA); Welgevonden Farm, 15 km E Louis Trichardt [= Makhado], 23°04'S 30°03'E, at light, 17.i.1995 (R. Stals) (4, SANC). SWAZILAND, Hlane Royal National Park, Ndlovu Camp, 26°15'S 31°52'E, 300 m, 20–21.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (1, NMEG); Millwane Wildlife Sanctuary, 26°29'S 31°11'E, 800 m, 17–19.xi.1996 (E. Arndt) (1, NMEG).

REMARKS. This species is known from Angola, Cameroon, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea (including Bioko), Gabon, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Liberia, Republic of Congo, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Swaziland, Tanzania, Togo and Zambia.

ATOPOBRENTINI Damoiseau, 1965

Neocecephalus freyi De Muizon, 1960

Neocecephalus freyi De Muizon, 1960, *Mémoires de l'Institut français d'Afrique noire* 59: 214. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'N Transvaal, Pafuri'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Mkuze, 27°37'S 32°03'E, xii.1982, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1, SANC). *Mpumalanga*: Kruger Nat. Park, Pretoriusskop, 25°10'S 31°16'E, 24.xi.1966 (D. Goode) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza Res. Camp, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 18.i.1996, E-Y: 3206, UV light (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); same locality, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 26.xi.–5.xii.1993, at light (Krüger & Dunning) (1, TMSA); Lisbon Citrus Estate, Clanor, 2431Cd, 24°57'S 31°27'E, 25.xi.1981 (R. Toms) (1, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Amatola Scott Farm, 22°56'S 29°23'E, 26.i.1998, E-Y: 3316, at light (R. Müller) (12, TMSA); Blouberg, 23°03'S 29°04'E, savannah, 25.xi.1996, at light (Krüger & Dombrowsky) (1, TMSA); D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephalale] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 850 m, 13–14.i.1991 (E. Grobbelaar) (1, SANC); Jaffray, Letaba Distr., Tzaneen, 23°49'S 30°21'E, 22.xi.1974 (D. Theron) (1, USNM); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri res. camp 4 km W, 22°25'S 31°09'E, 1.ii.1994, E-Y: 2970, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (4, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Bobomene [Research] Camp, 22°26'S

31°12'E, 200 m, 31.i.–03.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (9, SANC); same data, 30.i.1994, E-Y: 2954 (17, TMSA); same data, 31.i.1994, E-Y: 2964 (1, TMSA); same data, 02.ii.1994 (E. Grobbelaar) (9, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Olifants Camp, 24°00'S 31°44'E, VV: 367, 9.xii.1988, light collecting (T. van Viegen) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Limpopo River at Crooke's Corner, 22°25'S 31°18'E, 200 m, 02.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC); Levubu, Arbor Farm, 23°05'S 30°17'E, 28.i.1998, E-Y: 3320, at light (R. Müller) (4, TMSA); Messina [= Musina] Nat. Res., 22°21'S 30°03'E, 13.xii.2000, E-Y: 3405, at light (R. Müller & M. Burger) (3, TMSA); Punda Milia [= Punda Maria], 22°41'S 31°01'E, K.N.P. [= Kruger National Park] Survey, 21–23.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1, TMSA); Ofcolaco, Makhutswi River, 24°11'S 30°27'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (1, MZUF); Tshipise, Honnet Nature Reserve, Camp, 22°36'S 30°10'E, 300 m, 23–25.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (6, NMEG). NAMIBIA, *Otjozondjupa Province*: Damaraland, Abachaus (1, TMSA). ZIMBABWE, *Manicaland Province*: Kyle Recr[eational] Park at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (5, ZMHB). *Matebeleland North Province*: Hwange, ca. 18°22'S 26°29'E, 5.xii.1995 (C. R. Owen) (1, COC); *Matebeleland South Province*: Lundi [= Runde] River banks, 20°55'S 30°55'E, xi.1965 (L. Schulze) (1, TMSA).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Kenya, Mozambique, South Africa, Tanzania and Zambia; these are the first records for Namibia and Zimbabwe.

Neocecephalus thoracicus Damoiseau, 1963

Neocecephalus thoracicus Damoiseau, 1963, *Bulletin de l'Institut Royal des Sciences Naturelles de Belgique* 39(25): 12. Type locality: [Democratic Republic of Congo]: 'Congo Belge, Elisabethville'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. ZIMBABWE, *Manicaland Province*: Kyle Recr[eational] Park at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (1, ZMHB). *Matebeleland South Province*: Lundi [= Runde] River banks, 20°55'S 30°55'E, xi.1965 (L. Schulze) (2, TMSA); Matopos [= Matabo] Nat. Park, 20°33'S 28°30'E, 28.xi.–1.xii.1993, at light (F. Koch & M. Uhlig) (2, ZMHB, MZUF).

REMARKS. Until now, this species was known only from the Democratic Republic of Congo; these are the first records for Zimbabwe.

STEREODERMINI Sharp, 1895***Cerobates (Cerobates) sulcatus sulcatus***

Boheman, 1840

Cerobates sulcatus sulcatus Boheman, 1840. In: Schoenherr, *Genera et species curculionidum, cum synonymia hujus familiae. Species novae aut hactenus minus cognitae, descriptionibus a Dom. L. Gyllenhal, C. H. Boheman, O. J. Fahraeus et entomologis aliis illustratae*: 488. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Cap. Bonae Spei'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Eastern Cape*: King William's Town D[ist], Pirie Forest, 32°43'S 27°17'E, humus, xii.1961 (1, TMSA). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Durban, 29°53'S 31°00'E, v.1897 (2, USNM); Lake St. Lucia, 2032 Ab, Charters Creek camp, 28°12'S 32°26'E, 3–11.x.1977, 60 m (J. G. H. Londt) (1, TMSA); *Mpumalanga*: Nelshoogte gallery for[est], 25°51'S 30°53'E, 4.xii.1987, E-Y: 2354, UV light coll. (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA).

REMARKS. This species is so far known only from South Africa.

Cerobates (Cerobates) zulu spec. nov.

Figs 1–4

DESCRIPTION

Male (holotype) (Fig. 1). Total length: 5.8 mm; maximum width (at humeri): 0.9 mm. Body slender, reddish-brown, darker on vertex and pronotum, first and third quarter of elytra almost black. *Head* smooth, transversely rectangular, almost 1.5 times broader than long; base slightly incised medially; eyes very large, occupying entire lateral surface of head. *Rostrum* broad and flat, about twice length of head, slightly curved downwards. *Metarostrium* as long as head, narrowing towards mesorostrium, with a very thin median groove or a small fovea; mesorostrium short, parallel-sided; prorostrum as long as metarostrium, enlarged distally. *Antennae*, bent backwards, reaching base of pronotum; scape elongate, cylindrical; antennomeres 2–9 times longer than broad, terminal antennomer acute apically, 1.5 times longer than 10. *Pronotum* about as long as neck, head and rostrum together, constricted anteriorly, flattened on disc, with a longitudinal medial groove extending from near base to just before anterior margin. *Elytra* about 2.5 times longer than pronotum, parallel-sided, slightly rounded apically; striae 1–3 strongly impressed, the others indicated only by rows of indistinct, superficial punctation; second interstria absent on medial third of disc, and consequently third interstria and stria 3 curved in the middle. *Legs* short, tibiae shorter than femora, protarsi about as



Fig. 1

Cerobates (Cerobates) zulu; habitus of holotype, total length 5.8 mm.

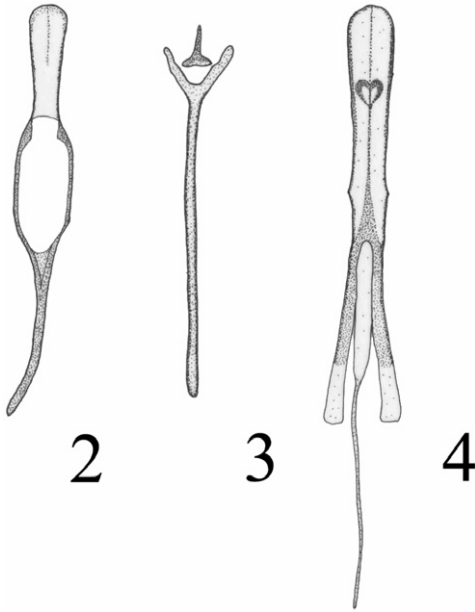
long as protibiae; meso- and metatibiae longer than meso- and metafemora; protibiae with a very large antennal grooming organ on inner margin. *Abdominal plate* with large longitudinal medial depression; apical sternite with two medial longitudinal impressions, with large punctures on its sides.

Genitalia. Tegmen (total length: 1.1 mm) with basal plate long and parameres lacking (Figs 2–4).

Female. Unknown.

TYPE MATERIAL. Holotype ♂, South Africa: [KwaZulu-Natal], Zulu coast, Sodwana Bay, 27°34'S 32°41'E, 22.xi.1992, E-Y: 2843, UV light, in camp (Endrödy-Younga). – (TMSA).

Paratype (1♂). [South Africa: KwaZulu-Natal]: Zululand, July 1936 (R. F. Lawrence), Num. Mag. 2645, Num. Coll. 12372. – (TMSA).



Figs 2–4

Male genitalia of *Cerobates (Cerobates) zulu*; 2: tegmen; 3: spiculum gastrale and spiculum relictum; 4: median lobe.

ETYMOLOGY. I name this species for the Zulu people of which KwaZulu-Natal is the ancient homeland.

DIAGNOSIS

Cerobates (Cerobates) zulu is morphologically similar to *C. (C.) pidigala* Damoiseau, 1963, which is distributed in Angola, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Kenya and Senegal. The new species can easily be distinguished by its peculiar colouration, which is reddish-brown, darker on vertex and pronotum, almost black on the first and the third quarter of the elytra, instead of uniformly brown as in *C. pidigala*. The shape of the pronotum is very different. In *C. pidigala* it is conspicuously oval in outline, while in the new species it is less oval, more elongate and somewhat parallel-sided. The male genitalia also differ in the shape of the tegmen and median lobe (Figs 2–4; Damoiseau, 1967a).

TAPHRODERINAE Lacordaire, 1866

Bolbocranius anaticeps (Kolbe, 1883)

Anisognathus anaticeps Kolbe, 1883, *Stettiner Entomologische Zeitschrift* 1883: 235. Type locality: [Angola]: 'Cuango'.

LOCALITY RECORD. NAMIBIA, *Caprivi Province*: Mahango Game Res., 18°14'S 21°43'E, 24.xi.1993 (F. Koch) (1♀, ZMHB).

REMARKS. Previously known from Angola, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Gabon, Ivory Coast, Republic of Congo, Republic of Guinea, Sierra Leone, Tanzania and Zambia. This is the first record for Namibia.

Bolbocranius csikii (Bolkay, 1910)

Anisognathus csikii Bolkay, 1910, *Archivum Zoologicum* 1(12): 182. Type locality: [Tanzania]: 'Deutsch Ost Afrika, Dar-es-Salam'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Zululand, July 1936 (R. F. Lawrence) (1♂ 2♀, TMSA). MOZAMBIQUE, *Gaza Province*: Chiluva, 23°19'S 32°17'E, ii.1964 (W. D. Haacke) (1♂, TMSA).

REMARKS. According to Damoiseau (1967a) and Sforzi and Bartolozzi (2004) *B. csikii* is distributed throughout tropical Africa, while *B. distortus* is limited to South Africa. The new records for Mozambique and South Africa therefore extend the range of *B. csikii* southwards.

Bolbocranius distortus (Westwood, 1849)

Anisognathus distortus Westwood, 1849, *Transactions of the Entomological Society of London* 5 [1847–1849]: 206. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Natal'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Eastern Cape*: Algoa Bay [= Port Elizabeth], 33°58'S 25°35'E (1, MZUF); Port St. Johns, 31°38'S 29°32'E, 12.xii.1972 (4♂ 8♀, TMSA); Port St. Johns, Silaka, 31°33'S 29°30'E, 23.xi.1987, E-Y: 2532, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂ 4♀, TMSA); same data, 1.xii.1987, E-Y: 2546 (1♀, TMSA); same data, 2.xii.1987, E-Y: 2548 (1♂ 6♀, TMSA); same data, 2.xii.1987, E-Y: 2547, beating indig[enous] for[est] (2♀, TMSA); same data, E-Y: 2548, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1, MZUF); same data, 3.xii.1987, E-Y: 2549, general collection (1♀, TMSA); Port St. Johns, Pondoland, 31°38'S 29°32'E, ii.1920 (G. Kobrow) (1♂, TMSA). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Kosi Bay Nature Res. 26°58'S 32°48'E, 50 m, 8–11.ii.1990 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC); Mapumulo, 29°10'S 31°05'E, 02–03.xii.1989 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂ 2♀, SANC); Mkuze, 27°37'S 32°03'E, xii.1981 (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); Mseleni [=Enseleni] Miss[sion], 27°23'S 32°32'E, v.1985 (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); Oribi Gorge, 30°43'S 30°16'E, 28.xi.1989, E-Y: 2726, general collecting (Endrödy [Younga] & Klimaszew[skij]) (1♂, TMSA); W of Port Shepstone, Oribi Gorge N. R., 30°43'S 30°16'E, 2–3.ii.2000 (S. Becvar) (4♂ 2♀, MZUF); Sodwana Bay, 27°33'S 32°41'E, 10.xi.1984 (Scholtz & Bellamy) (1♀, TMSA); Tembe Elephant Park, 27°03'S 32°25'E, 100 m, 28.x.–02.xi.1995 (M. W. Mansell) (1♂

1♀, SANC); ZIMBABWE, *Matebeleland South Province*: Matopos [= Matobo] Nat. Park, 20°33'S 28°30'E, 30.xi.1993, at light (F. Koch) (1♀, ZMHB).

REMARKS. Until now, this species was known only from South Africa; this is the first record for Zimbabwe.

MICROTRACHELIZINI Zimmerman, 1994

Microtrachelizus aethiopicus Calabresi, 1920

Microtrachelizus aethiopicus Calabresi, 1920, *Annali del Museo civico di Storia naturale di Genova* (3)9: 634. Type locality: 'Principe: Roça Inf.'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Eastern Cape*: Ntsubane Forest, 31°27'S 29°44'E, 24.xi.1988, E-Y: 2577, rotten *Cussonia* fruit (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Port St Johns, Silaka, 31°33'S 29°30'E, 2.xii.1987, E-Y: 2547, beating indig[enous] for[est] (Endrödy-Younga) (2, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Kruger Nat. Park, Levubu, Arbor Farm, 23°05'S 30°17'E, 28.i.1998, E-Y: 3320, at light (R. Müller) (40, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri Res. Camp, 4 km W, 22°25'S 31°09'E, 1.ii.1994, E-Y: 2970, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (3, TMSA).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Angola, Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea (including Bioko), Ethiopia, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Ghana, Madagascar, Nigeria, Príncipe, Republic of Congo, Tanzania and Togo; these are the first records for South Africa.

PSEUDOCEOCEPHALINI Kleine, 1922

Gynadorrhynchus tarsalis (Kleine, 1920)

Mygaleicus tarsalis Kleine, 1920, *Archiv für Naturgeschichte* 84 (A 11) [1918]: 37. Type locality: 'Kamerun: Ebolowa'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Hluhluwe Game Res., 28°05'S 32°04'E, 18.xi.1992, E-Y: 2831, ground and logs (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); St. Lucia, Mission Rocks, 28°22'S 32°25'E, 9.xii.1975, E-Y: 965, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (3, TMSA); Mapumulo, 29°10'S 31°05'E, 02–03.xii.1989 (R. G. Oberprieler) (2, SANC). *Limpopo Province*: Beaufort Farm, Levubu, 23°10'S 30°16'E, 24.i.1998, E-Y: 3309, at light (R. Müller) (1, TMSA); Malta Forest, 24°09'S 30°13'E 9.x.1978 (M. Keeping) (1, TMSA).

REMARKS. Known from Angola, Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ethiopia, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Mozambique, South Africa and Tanzania.

Gynadorrhynchus vittipennis (Fåhraeus, 1871)

Brentus vittipennis Fåhraeus, 1871, *Översigt af Kongl. Vetenskaps-Akademiens Förhandlingar* 1871 (4): 435. Type locality: [South Africa]: 'Caffraria'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Eastern Cape*: Port St. Johns, Pondoland, 31°38'S 29°32'E, i.1924 (1, TMSA); Port St. Johns, 12.xii.1972 (1, TMSA). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Charters Creek, 28°12'S 32°25'E, 11.ii.1989 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC); Empangeni, 28°44'S 31°54'E, x.1983 (R. Reavell) (2, SANC), same data, xii.1984 (P. E. Reavell) (1, SANC); Mtunzini, 28°57'S 31°45'E, ix.1983, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1, SANC); Mtunzini, Garland Farm, 28°59'S 31°44'E, iv.1986, 25 m, light trap (P. Atkinson) (1, SANC); St. Lucia Game Reserve, Iphiva Camp, 28°05'S 32°20'E, 11.ii.1997 (R. G. Oberprieler) (3, SANC); St. Lucia, Charters Creek, 28°12'S 32°25'E, 11.ii.1989 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC); St. Lucia, Mission R[oc]k, 28°22'S 32°25'E, 9.xii.1975, E-Y: 965, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (2, TMSA); Tembe Elephant Park, Sihangwane Area, 27°02'S 32°25'E, 100 m, 01–04.ii.1996 (E. Grobbelaar) (1, SANC); Tongat, [= Tongaat], 22°32'S 28°45'E, 1909 (H. C. Burnup) (1, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Fanie Botha Nat. Res., nr Tzaneen, 23°50'S 30°10'E, 2–6.iii.1986, light trap (E. Grobbelaar) (3, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 19.i.1993 (L. E. O. Braack) (1, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri research camp, 22°25'S 31°12'E, 03.ii.1994, E-Y: 2979, UV light collection, Endrödy-Younga (1, TMSA); same data, E-Y: 2954 (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Bobomene [Research] Camp, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 200 m, 02.ii.1994 (E. Grobbelaar) (1, SANC). ZIMBABWE, *Manicaland Province*: Rusape, 18°32'S 32°07'E, xii.1981 (C. R. Owen) (1, COC).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Burundi, Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea (including Bioko), Ethiopia, Gabon, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Malawi, Republic of Congo, Rwanda, São Tomé and Príncipe, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Sudan, Tanzania and Uganda; this is the first record for Zimbabwe.

Orphanobrentus laevicollis (J. Thomson, 1858)

Centrophorus laevicollis J. Thomson, 1858, *Archives Entomologiques* 2: 120. Type locality: 'Gabon'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Eastern Cape*: Grahamstown, 33°18'S 26°32'E (C. le Doux) (1, USNM). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Weza, Lower Stinkwood

Forest 30°34'S 29°43'E, 20.xi.1989, E-Y: 2703 stand[ing] dead *Podocarpus* (Endrödy[-Younga] & Klimaszew[ski]) (4, TMSA); Karkloof for[est], 1300 m, 29°18'S 30°13'E, 13.xii.1989, E-Y: 2772, UV light, in forest (Endrödy[-Younga] & Klimaszew[ski]) (1, TMSA); Port St. Johns, Silaka, 31°33'S 29°30'E, 29.xi.1987, E-Y: 2542, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Port St. Johns, Pondoland, 31°38'S 29°32'E, i.1920 (G. Kobrow) (6, TMSA); St. Lucia, Mission Rock 28°22'S 32°25'E, 9.xii.1975, E-Y: 965, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); St. Lucia Bay, ca. 28°00'S 32°30'E, x.1960, light (Leleup) (1, TMSA). *Mpumalanga*: Nelshoogte, gallery forest, 25°51'S 30°53'E, 30.xi.1987, E-Y: 2544, forest logs & fungi (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (2, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri res. camp, 22°25'S 31°12'E, 30.i.1994, E-Y: 2954, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Punda Milia [= Punda Maria], 22°41'S 31°01'E, 21–23.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1, TMSA); Zoutpansberg, xi.1924 (H. J. Heske) (1, TMSA). *NAMIBIA, Erongo Province*: Gobabeb, 23°34'S 15°03'E, 14–19.i.1971 (L. Prozesky & A. Strydom) (1, TMSA); *Kunene Province*: Kaokoveld, Swartbooisdrif, 17°19'S 13°49'E, 8.ii.1975, E-Y: 640, light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA). *Ohangwena Province*: Oshikango, 17°24'S 15°53'E (C. Koch) (12, TMSA). *Otjozondjupa Province*: 5 km N Twyelfontein, 20°33'S 14°21'E, viii.1984 (J. Plötner) (1, ZMHB).

REMARKS. This is one of the most common African brentid species. Adults are very similar to *O. picipes*. According to Damoiseau (1967a) these two species differ only in a few characters: *O. laevicollis* is reddish-brown with the prothorax more brightly coloured than the elytra, the latter with a dark, postmedial spot. *Orphanobrentus picipes* is brown, with head, rostrum, apex of the elytra and legs reddish- or yellowish-brown. In addition, in *O. laevicollis* striae 3 and 4 are only slightly punctate whereas in *O. picipes* they are deeply punctate.

In this paper I follow Damoiseau's (1967a) opinion that the two species are different. However, study of the male genitalia of the two species does not reveal significant differences and in some specimens the distinguishing characters of colour and elytral punctation given by Damoiseau are not apparent. The validity of the two species therefore remains unresolved.

***Orphanobrentus picipes* (Olivier, 1807)**

Brentus picipes Olivier, 1807, *Entomologie, ou Histoire Naturelle des Insectes, avec leurs caractères génériques et spécifiques, leur*

description, leur synonymie, et leur figure enluminée. Coléoptères: 442. Type locality: [Benin/Nigeria]: 'Afrique, Oware'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *Western Cape*: Mamre, 33°30'S 18°28'E (C. Koch) (3, TMSA). *Eastern Cape*: Alexandria Forest, 33°43'S 26°23'E, 4.xii.1987, E-Y: 2552, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Amatole Isidenge For[est] St[at]ion A1, 32°41'S 27°16'E, 22.xi.1987, E-Y: 2531, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (22, TMSA); Grahamstown, 33°18'S 26°32'E, 25.x.–10.xi.1900 (C. le Doux) (10, USNM); Steynsburg Hillmoor Farm, ca. 26°06'S 30°59'E, 8–9.xi.1967 (Vári & Potgieter) (1, TMSA); Transkei, Port St. Johns, Silaka, 31°33'S 29°30'E, 30.xi.1987, E-Y: 2545, beating, indig[enous] for[est] (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); same data, 2.xii.1987, E-Y: 2547 (6, TMSA); Transkei, Port St. Johns, 12.xii.1972 (1, TMSA); Tsitsikamma, De Plaat Forest, 5–6.xi.1967 (Vári & Potgieter) (12, TMSA). *KwaZulu-Natal*: Hluhluwe Game Res. 28°05'S 32°04'E, 29.xi.1992, E-Y: 2867, UV light at camp (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Hluhluwe, 28°07'S 32°20'E, v.1983 (P. E. Reavell) (1, SANC); same data, 1.i.1985 (1, SANC); near Jozini, 27°26'S 32°10'E, x.1984, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1, SANC); Leeukop, E of Pongola, 27°22'S 31°42'E, 24.i.1992 (Vogt & Holm) (2, SANC); Maritzburg [= Pietermaritzburg], 29°36'S 30°24'E, 1912 (C. L. Fuller) (1, TMSA); Karkloof for[est], 1300 m, 29°18'S 30°13'E, 2.xii.1989, E-Y: 2731, general collecting (Endrödy[-Younga] & Klimaszew[ski]) (7, TMSA); same data, E-Y: 2738, UV light collection (3, TMSA); same data, 5.xii.1989, E-Y: 2744, in forest at night (2, TMSA); same data, 13.xii.1989, E-Y: 2772, UV light in forest (7, TMSA); Mkuze Game Reserve, 27°36'S 32°13'E, vii.1976 (P. E. Reavell) (2, TMSA); same locality, 27°40'S 32°19'E, 30 m, 12.i.1994 (Natal Museum Expedition) (1, SANC); Ngome State Forest, 27°48'S 31°25'E, 12–17.xi.1995, 1150 m, UV light (Krüger & Dombrowsky) (2, TMSA); Pongola, 27°23'S 31°38'E, xii.1985 (P. E. Reavell) (1, SANC); Pongola Poort Nat. Reserve, 27°20'S 31°57'E, 13–14.ii.1990 (I. M. Millar) (1, SANC); Sodwana [Bay], 27°33'S 32°41'E, 1.ii.1988 (C. R. Owen) (1, COC); 10 km S Sodwana, 1.ii.1988 (C. R. Owen) (1, COC); W of Port Shepstone, Oribi Gorge N. R., 30°43'S 30°16'E, 2–3.ii.2000 (S. Bevcar) (18, MZUF); Tembe Elephant Park, 27°03'S 32°25'E, 100 m, 28.x.–02.xi.1995 (M. W. Mansell) (1, SANC); Tembe Elephant Park, Sihangwane Area, 27°02'S 32°25'E, 100 m, 1–4.ii.1996, mixed woodland, light trap (R. Stals) (1, SANC); same data, 06–07.iv.1996 (1, SANC); Weza, Lower Stinkwood Forest, 30°34'S 29°43'E, 20.xi.1989, E-Y: 2703, stand[ing] dead *Podocarpus* (Endrödy[-Younga] & Klimaszew[ski]) (26, TMSA);

same data, 27.xi.1989, E-Y: 2724 (6, TMSA); Weza, Bangeni Forest, 30°38'S 29°39'E, 21.xi.1989, E-Y: 2706, sifted forest litter (Endrödy[-Younga] & Klimaszew[skij]) (1, TMSA). *Mpumalanga*: Nelshoogte, gallery forest, 25°51'S 30°53'E, 4.xii.1986, E-Y: 2354, UV light collection (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); same data, 30.xi.1987, E-Y: 2544, forest logs & fungi (4, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: Der Brochen, 1135 m, 24°04'S 30°07'E, 25.x.2000, E-Y: 3436, black light (TMSA staff) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 264 m, 20–24.i.1985 (V. M. Swain) (1, SANC); same data, light trap, 19.i.1993 (L. E. O. Braack) (3, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri Res. camp, 22°25'S 31°12'E, 30.i.1994, E-Y: 2962 (Endrödy-Younga) (30, TMSA); same data, 30.i.1994, E-Y: 2954, UV light & trap (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri res. camp 1 km E, 22°25'S 31°13'E, 31.i.1994, E-Y: 2960, sapping tree trunk (Endrödy-Younga) (1, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri 4 km W, 22°26'S 31°10'E, 13.ii.1994, E-Y: 3000 (Endrödy-Younga) (15, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Bobomene [Research] Camp, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 200 m, 31.i–03.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (4, SANC); same data, 250 m, 02.ii.1994 (E. Grobbelaar) (2, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Limpopo River, at Crooke's Corner, 22°25'S 31°18'E, 200 m, 2.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC); Letaba, 23°53'S 30°17'E, vii.1984 (P. Atkinson) (1, SANC); Levubu, Arbor Farm, 23°05'S 30°17'E, 28.i.1998, E-Y: 3320, at light (R. Müller) (2, TMSA); Mogol Nat. Reserve, Ellsiras [= Lephallale] Dist., 23°58'S 27°45'E, 23.xii.1987 (E. Grobbelaar) (1, SANC); Tshipise, Honnet Nature Reserve, Camp, 22°36'S 30°10'E, 300 m, 23–25.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (8, NMEG); 20 km W Waterpoort, Zoutpansberg, i.1989 (K. Werner) (3, MZUF); Welgevonden Farm, 15 km E Louis Trichardt [= Makhado], 23°04'S 30°03'E, 17.i.1995, light trap (R. Stals) (1, SANC). **SWAZILAND**, Hlane Royal National Park, Ndlovu Camp, 26°15,29'S 31°52,58'E, 300 m, 20–21.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (1, NMEG). **NAMIBIA**, *Caprivi Province*: Mahango Game Reserve, 18°13'S 21°45'E, at light, 23–24.xi.1993 (J. Deckert) (1, ZMHB). *Erongo Province*: Gobabeb, Kuiseb Riv., 23°34'S 15°03'E, x.1957 (C. Koch) (1, TMSA); Gobabeb, Kuiseb River flowing, 23°34'S 15°03'E, 10.ii.1978 (O. Lomholdt) (2, ZMUC, MZUF); Namib-Naukluft Park, Kuiseb R. nr Gobabeb, 23°34'S 15°03'E, 23.xii.1987 (H. G. Robertson) (1 SANC); same data, 14–16.ii.1988 (1, SANC). *Okavango Province*: Rundu, 17°56'S 19°46'E (C. R. Owen) (1, COC). **BOTSWANA**, *North-West District*: 53 km S Kasane, 1.xii.1995 (C. R. Owen) (1, COC). **ZIMBABWE**, *Manicaland Province*: Kyle Recr [ational] Park at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (2, ZMHB); Mt. Selinda, 20°25'S 32°42'E, 3–17.i.1962 (G. van Son)

(1, TMSA); *Matabeleland North Province*: Bulawayo, 20°09'S 28°35'E, 8.xii.1993 (C. R. Owen) (1, COC).

REMARKS. See remarks under *O. laevicollis*.

***Paryphobrenthus latirostris* (Gerstäcker, 1855)**

Paryphobrenthus latirostris Gerstäcker, 1855. In: Peters, *Monatsbericht der Deutschen Akademie der Wissenschaften zu Berlin*: 83. Type locality: 'Mozambique'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. **SOUTH AFRICA**, *Mpumalanga*: Kruger Nat. Park, Pretoriuskop, 25°10'S 31°16'E, xi.1966 (D. Goode) (1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza, 24°59'S 31°35'E, 13.xii.1985 (C. H. Scholtz) (1♀, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza Res. Camp, 4 km NE, 24°59'S 31°38'E, 23.i.1995, E-Y: 3095, UV light collection (C. L. Bellamy) (1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Lower Sabie, 25°07'S 31°55'E [undated] (D. Toronkey) (1♂, TMSA); Lisbon Citrus Estate, Clanor, 2431Cd, 24°57'S 31°27'E, 25.xi.1981 (R. Toms) (1♀, TMSA); Nwaswitsaka Res., 24°59'S 31°35'E, 8.xii.1997, E-Y: 3300, at light (C. L. Bellamy) (1♀, TMSA); Swadini, 24°32'S 30°54'E, at light, 13.xii.1998 (M. Krüger) (1♂, TMSA); *Limpopo Province*: Amatola Scott Farm, 22°56'S 29°23'E, 26.i.1998, E-Y: 3316, at light (R. Müller) (1♂ 3♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (20♂ 17♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri Res. camp, 22°25'S 31°12'E, 31.i.1994, E-Y: 2962 (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂ 7♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Bobomene Camp, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 200 m, 31.i–03.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, 22°26'S 31°12'E, light trap, 19.xi.1993 (L. E. O. Braack) (1♂, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Punda Milia [= Punda Maria], 22°41'S 31°01'E, 21–23.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Olifants Camp, 24°00'S 31°44'E, VV: 367, 9.xii.1988, light collecting (T. van Viegen) (1♂ 3♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Shingwedzi, 23°07'S 31°26'E, 19–20.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (3♀, TMSA); Ofcolaco, Makhutswi River, 24°11'S 30°27'E, i.1989 (K. Werner) (1, MZUF); Serala Mount, Leydsdorp, 24°00'S 30°05'E, i–iii.1928 (G. van Son) (1♀, TMSA); Farm Kirsteinkop near Rooiberg, 24°49'S 27°48'E, iii.2000 (P. Grobler) (1, TMSA); Soutpan, nr Vivo, 22°58'S 29°20'E, U79, 6.xi.1985 (R. Toms) (1♂, TMSA); Zoutpan [= Soutpan], Z[out]p[ans]b[er]g, 15–30.xi.1932 (G. van Son) (1♂, TMSA). **SWAZILAND**, Hlane Royal National Park, Ndlovu Camp, 26°15'S 31°52'E, 300 m, 20–21.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (3, NMEG). **BOTSWANA**, *North-West District*: Maun, surr[oundings] Island Safari Lodge, 2–15.i.1994 (M. Sniezek) (5♂ 10♀, EOC); Ngoma Bridge at Chobe River, 17°55'S 24°43'E, 16.i.1986 (E. Holm) (1♂ 1♀, SANC). **ZIMBABWE**, *Matabeleland South Province*:

Bubye [= Bubi] River, ca. 21°20'S 29°56'E, 10.xi.–9.xii.1980 (C. R. Owen) (2♂ 1♀, COC); Irisvale, Balla Balla [= Mbalabala], 20°27'S 29°03'E, 23.xi.1979 (R. Toms) (1♂, TMSA); *Masvingo Province*: Fort Victoria [= Masvingo], 20°05'S 30°50'E, 10.xii.1980 (C. R. Owen) (1♀, COC).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Angola, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Kenya, Mozambique, South Africa, Sudan and Tanzania; these are the first records for Botswana, Swaziland and Zimbabwe.

***Rhinopteryx foveipennis* (J. Thomson, 1858)**

Cecephalus foveipennis J. Thomson, 1858, *Archives Entomologiques* 2: 119. Type locality: 'Gabon'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Dhlhlnza Forest, near Eshowe, 28°54'S 31°28'E, ii.1987 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); Empangeni, 28°44'S 31°54'E, ii.1985 (P. E. Reavell) (1♀, SANC); Hluhluwe, 28°07'S 32°20'E, x.1983 (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); near Jozini, 27°26'S 32°10'E, x.1983, light trap (P. E. Reavell) (1♂, SANC); same data, x.1984 (1♀, SANC); same data, x.1985 (1♂, SANC); Leeukop, E of Pongola, 27°22'S 31°42'E, 24.i.1992 (Vogt & Holm) (3♂ 2♀, SANC); Ndumu [= Ndumo] Store, 26°55'S 32°18'E, 1.xii.1992, E-Y: 2872, at flood light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂, TMSA); Ndumu [= Ndumo], 26°55'S 32°15'E, xii.1960 (van Son) (1♀, TMSA); St. Lucia Estuary, 28°17'S 32°25'E, 13.ii.1985 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♀, SANC); Lake St. Lucia, 2832Ab, Charters Creek Camp, 28°12'S 32°26'E, 3–11.x.1997, 60 m (J. G. H. Londt) (1♀, SANC). *Mpumalanga*: Amsterdam, 26°37'S 30°40'E, xii.1986 (K. Werner) (1, MZUF); 9 km W Hazyview, 5.i.1989 (R. D. Ward) (1♂, CMNH); Kruger Nat. Park, Skukuza, 25°00'S 31°35'E, 26.xi.–5.xii.1993, at light (Krüger & Dunning) (1♀, TMSA); Swadini, Blydepoort Nat. Res., 24°32'S 30°54'E, 03.xii.1987 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC). *Limpopo Province*: D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephale] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 17–20.xii.1987, at light (M. W. Mansell) (1♂ 1♀, SANC); same data, 19.xii.1987 (E. van der Linde) (1, SANC); same data, 20–23.xii.1987 (E. Grobbelaar) (2♂ 1♀, SANC); same data, 24–26.ix.1990, 850 m (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC); Fanie Botha Nat. Res., near Tzaneen, 23°50'S 30°10'E, 2–6.iii.1986 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC); Geelhoutbush Farm, 24°22'S 27°34'E, 29.xi.1999, E-Y: 3389 (Bellamy & MacFadyen) (1♂ 2♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Malonga sands, 22°38'S 31°17'E, 9.ii.1994, E-Y: 2994, UV light collection

(Endrödy-Younga) (1♂, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri, Bobomene [Research] Camp, 22°26'S 31°12'E, 264 m, 20–24.i.1985 (N. C. Pienaar) (1♂, SANC); same data (M. W. Mansell) (1♀, SANC); same data, light trap, 19.i.1993 (L. E. O. Braack) (8♂ 4♀, SANC); same data, 200 m, 31.i.–03.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (5♂ 3♀, SANC); same data, 2.ii.1994 (E. Grobbelaar) (8♂ 1♀, SANC); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri res. camp 4 km W, 22°25'S 31°09'E, 1.ii.1994, E-Y: 2970, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Pafuri res. camp, 22°25'S 31°12'E, 30.i.1994, E-Y: 2954, UV light & trap (Endrödy-Younga) (3♂ 5♀, TMSA); same data, E-Y: 2962 (Endrödy-Younga) (2♂ 1♀, TMSA); same data, 31.i.1994; E-Y: 2964, UV light & trap (1♂ 1♀, TMSA); 3.ii.1994, E-Y: 2979 (1♂, TMSA); same data, 2.ii.1994, E-Y: 2973 (1♂, TMSA); Kruger Nat. Park, Punda Milia [= Punda Maria], 22°41'S 31°01'E, K.N.P. [Kruger National Park] Survey, 21–23.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1♀, TMSA); Levubu, Arbor Farm, 23°05'S 30°17'E, 28.i.1998, E-Y: 3320, at light (R. Müller) (2♂ 1♀, TMSA); Mmabolela Estate, 22°40'S 28°15'E, 6.iii.1973, E-Y: 16, mercury vap. light (Endrödy-Younga) (1♀, TMSA); 75 km W of Messina [= Musina], Farm Greefswald 37, 22°13'S 29°22'E, 4–9.xi.1973 (J. van Reenen) (2♀, TMSA); 65 km W of Messina [= Musina], Shashe-Limpopo confluence, Farm Greefswald 37, 22°13'S 29°22'E, 19–21.xi.1989 (D. A. Schlitter) (2♂ 2♀, CMNH); Tshipise, Honnet Nature Reserve, Camp, LF [light trap] 22°36'S 30°10'E, 300 m, 23–25.xi.1996 (M. Hartmann) (2, NMEG). Welgevonden Farm, 15 km E Louis Trichardt [= Makhado], 23°04'S 30°03'E, 17.i.1995, at light (R. Stals) (1♂, SANC); same data, 14.ii.1994, E-Y: 3001 (1♀, TMSA). *NAMIBIA, Caprivi Province*: Katima Mulilo, 17°27'S 24°10'E, 100 m, 12.i.1985 (E. Holm) (1♂, SANC); same locality, 3–8.iii.1992 (U. Göllner) (1, ZMHB); Katima Mulilo, 17°30'S 24°16'E, 15–24.i.1995 (M. Snizek) (3, MZUF); Nakatwa, Rwando River, 18°10'S 23°25'E, 950 m, 09.iii.1992 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC). *Okavango Province*: Rundu, 17°56'S 19°46'E, xii.1988 (C. R. Owen) (1♂, COC). *ZIMBABWE, Manicaland Province*: Kyle Recr[eatonal] Park at Lake Mutirikwi, 20°13'S 31°00'E, 1–5.xii.1993, at light (M. Uhlig) (1♂ 1♀, ZMHB).

REMARKS. This is one of the most common African species.

***Rhinopteryx weneri* Orbach, Bartolozzi & Sforzi, 1995**

Rhinopteryx weneri Orbach, Bartolozzi & Sforzi, 1995, *The Coleopterists' Bulletin* 49(1): 18. Type locality: [Republic of Congo]: 'Fr. Congo, Kuilu [= River Kouilou]'.

LOCALITY RECORDS. SOUTH AFRICA, *KwaZulu-Natal*: Leeukop, near Pongola, 27°22'S 31°42'E, 24.i.1992 (Vogt & Holm) (2♂ 3♀, SANC). *Mpumalanga*: Nelspruit Dist., Farm de Hoop 203, 20–21.xi.1972 (A. Strydom) (1♂, TMSA). *Limpopo Province*: D'Nyala Nat. Res., Ellisras [= Lephalale] Dist., 23°45'S 27°49'E, 18.xii.1987 (E. Grobbelaar) (1♀, SANC); Hans Merensky Nat. Res., 23°40'S 30°39'E, 27–30.xi.1981 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC); Lapalala Nat. Res., 23°51'S 28°17'E, 19.ii.1994 (R. G. Oberprieler) (1♂, SANC); Letaba Camp, 23°51'S 31°34'E, K.N.P. [Kruger National Park], 14–18.xi.1961 (Vári & Rorke) (1♂, TMSA); Manyeleti Game Res., 24°38'S 31°28'E, W: 312, 19.xi.1987, light collecting (T. van Viegen) (1♂, TMSA). ZIMBABWE, *Matebeleland South Province*: Matopos [= Matobo] Nat. Park, ca. 1300 m, 20°33'S 28°30'E, at light, 28.xi.–1.xii.1993 (M. Uhlig) (1♂, ZMHB).

REMARKS. This species was previously known from Kenya, Republic of Congo, South Africa and Tanzania; this is the first record for Zimbabwe.

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