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Family CHALCIDIDÆ.

Subfamily EUCHARINÆ.

LOPHYROCERA Cameron:

♂.—Length nearly 5 mm. Head black, coarsely striated; antennæ 12-jointed, filiform, tapering toward tips, the first flagellar joint nearly twice as long as the second, the following subequal in length. Thorax entirely brownish yellow, coarsely reticulated, the scutellum bidentate at apex, the teeth widely separated, sides of mesothorax with broad, obtuse processes, but not very prominent, formed by a median impression on the metanotum and by a lateral impression on the metapleura. Legs and petiole greenish white. Abdomen light brown, but a little darker than the thorax. Wings hyaline, with a slight brownish tinge, the marginal and stigmal veins brown.

Hab.—Key West, Fla.

Described from a single specimen, taken July 17, 1894, by Mr. H. F. Wickham.

This interesting species comes nearest to *L. floridana* Ashm., but in that species the thorax is marked with black, the scutellar teeth are also black and conjoined at base, while the metathoracic processes are longer and more distinct.

Family BRACONIDÆ.

Subfamily DORYCTINÆ.

HETEROSPILUS Haliday.

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