

men listed by Poppius (1914) was not the same species as Poppius' holotype from Colorado but was *P. vanduzeei* (Knight 1926a). We have examined some of Heidemann's specimens from scrub pine that bear his determination as *P. crassipes* MS Uhl. and Knight's subsequent identification of them as *P. vanduzeei*. Blatchley (1926) noted that *P. crassipes* Van Duzee nec. Poppius was a synonym of *P. vanduzeei* Knight.

We are recognizing *P. crassipes* Heidemann 1892 as the senior synonym of *P. vanduzeei* Knight 1923. Mention of *crassipes* by Knight and McAtee (1929) prevents the Heidemann name from being a *nomen oblitum*, although the 50-year rule is not generally followed by entomologists and workers in other groups with a less active literature (see Sabrosky (1967) for comments on the application of this rule in entomology).

*Type.* — Lectotype, male, here designated, with labels: "Wash-[i]ngt[o]n, DC, 11/7. 90"; "*Philophorus* [sic] *crassipes* (Uhl.)"; "O. Heidemann"; "Lectotype, *Pilophorus crassipes* Heidemann" (red label); "Lectotype 62619" (red label) (number assigned by R. I. Sailer).

With recognition of Heidemann's *crassipes*, *P. crassipes* Poppius 1914 becomes preoccupied and requires a replacement name. We are elevating the name *P. americanus* Poppius 1914, synonymized under *P. crassipes* Poppius by Knight (1968).

#### 5a. *Pilophorus americanus* Poppius 1914:243, new status

*Pilophorus crassipes* Poppius (1914:242; Van Duzee 1917:380 (in part); Carvalho 1958:146 (in part); Knight 1968:167; 1973:137. [Name preoccupied by *P. crassipes* Heidemann 1892].

#### 6. *Pilophorus laetus* Heidemann 1892:225

(*Pilophorus laetus* Uhl. [MS])

This was a Uhler manuscript name, but the notation "MS" was omitted, an omission that resulted in the crediting of authorship to [Uhler by Poppius (1914). Van Duzee (1918) redescribed *laetus*