

XXXII. *Description of a new Genus of Longicorn Beetles.*

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ALTHOUGH many Longicorn beetles are remarkable for the elongation of the fore feet, few possess them greatly thickened, and there are none in which we find this character so strikingly developed as in the species of which I beg to offer the description to the Entomological Society, and which from this circumstance may be generically named

EUPROMERA.

Corpus breve, crassum, subdepressum. *Caput* breve, verticale, pronoto angustius. *Trophi* parum elongati. *Mandibulæ* apice graciles, acutæ. *Antennæ* fere corporis longitudine, in tuberculum in sinu oculorum insertæ, filiformes, 11-articulatæ; articulo 1mo clavato, 2ndo distincto, 3tio tertiam partem antennarum longitudine occupante, reliquis longitudine decrescentibus, ultimis brevissimis. *Prothorax* subquadratus, capite parum latior, dorso lateribusque subtuberculatis, pone medium paullo constrictus. *Elytra* prothorace e tertia parte latiora, parallela, apice inermia, singulo costa elevata tuberculisque nonnullis instructo. *Femora* antica maxima inflata, subtus pro receptione tibiæ canaliculata, lateribus canalis setigeris. *Tibiæ* anticæ curvatæ. *Pedes* 4 postici formæ ordinariæ subbreves, femoribus in medio subclavatis, tibiis externe post medium haud scopâ instructis.

Species unica. *Eupromera Spryana*. (Pl. XIII. fig. 5.)

Griseo-villosa, fusco luteoque parum variegata, apicibus articularum antennarum fusco cinctis, elytris fusco tuberculatis.

Long. corp. lin. $3\frac{1}{2}$. Habitat in Brasilia.

In Mus. D. Hope. Communicavit D. Spry, M.E.S.

Etiam in Mus. nostr.

Caput obscurum; prothorax tuberculis tribus sat conspicuis in disco, in triangulum posita; elytra humeris subquadratis, singulo costa elevata abbreviata in disco versus suturam, alteraque laterali postica griseo fuscoque maculata tuberculoque elongato, fulvo-piloso, pone medium versus suturam; pedes fusco varii, tibiis posticis pone medium macula nigra notatis.

This species is named to commemorate the excellent talents of W. Spry, Esq. a member of this Society, to whom we are mainly indebted for the beautiful and at the same time highly useful work upon the genera of beetles found in this country, entitled "British Coleoptera delineated," a work of which no Coleopterous tyro ought to be destitute.