

May 1998. Avery A. Williams. (SML 9321). All verified by Jeff Boundy. First parish records. These specimens fill the gap between Beauregard and Evangeline parishes as mapped by Dundee and Rossman (1989, *The Amphibians and Reptiles of Louisiana*. Louisiana St. Univ. Press, Baton Rouge. 300 pp.).

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MICRURUS COLLARIS (Coral Snake). BRAZIL: AMAPÁ: Cachoeira Santo Antônio (00°40'S, 52°30'W), Rio Jarí (01°09'S 51°54'W). 19 May 1987. Museu Paraense Emélio Goeldi (MPEG 17871). Verified by Rubens N. Yuki. This species is known from southeastern Venezuela and the Guianas (Campbell and Lamar 1989, *The Venomous Reptiles of Latin America*. Cornell Univ. Press, Ithaca, New York. 425 pp.). According to Campbell and Lamar (*op. cit.*), there is a disputed record from the state of Pará. This is the first record for the state of Amapá.

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OXYBELIS AENEUS (Mexican Vine Snake). MÉXICO: AGUASCALIENTES: "El Tepozan," Municipality of Calvillo (21°58'N, 102°45'W), in subtropical dry forest. 11 August 1982. Gilfredo de la Riva. Universidad Autónoma de Aguascalientes, Centro Básico, Departamento de Biología (UAA[VR] 00094). Verified by Mario Mancilla. First record for Aguascalientes; extends range ca. 75 km NE of Zacatecas (Keiser 1974, *Bull. Texas Mem. Mus.* 22:1-51), 175 km NW of Guanajuato (Duges 1896, *Naturaleza* 2:479-485), and 350 km NW of Queretaro (Dixon et al. 1972, *Southwest. Nat.* 16:225-237).

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PHALOTRIS LEMNISCATUS. ARGENTINA: CORRIENTES: Departamento Mburucuya: Parque Nacional Mburucuya (27°59'S, 57°58'W). 12 November 1996. J. A. Cespedez and R. H. Aguirre. Colección Herpetológica de la Universidad Nacional del Nordeste, Corrientes, Argentina (UNNEC 05776). Verified by B. B. Alvarez. First vouchered record for Argentina (mentioned as probable by Lema 1984, *Iheringia Ser. Zool. Porto Alegre* 64:66-68; Cej 1993, *Mon. XIV Mus. Reg. Sci. Nat. Torino* 550-552; and Williams and Francini 1991, *Bol. Mus. Reg. Sci. Nat. Torino* 9[1]:64). Other countries where species has been recorded are Brazil and Uruguay (Ferrarezzi 1993, *Dissertacao de Mestrado, Curso Pos-grad. Instituto Biociencias, USP.* 277 pp.; Puerto and Ferrarezzi 1993, *Mem. Inst. Butantan.* 55[1]:40-44).

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PITUOPHIS CATENIFER SAYI (Bullsnake). USA: MINNESOTA: CARLTON CO: Split Rock Twp., 15 km W Moose Lake

(SWSW Sec. 24, T46N, R21W). 12 September 1996. Leonard and Sandra Pasek. JFBM 13512. Verified by James Underhill. County record (Oldfield and Moriarty 1994, *Amphibians and Reptiles Native to Minnesota*. Univ. Minnesota Press, Minneapolis. 237 pp.). Extends the range ca. 100 km north.

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PSEUSTES SHROPSHIREI. VENEZUELA: DISTRITO FEDERAL: Canales de Naiguatá, vertiente Norte del Parque Nacional Avila, 720 m elev. (10°35'N, 66°40'W and 10°38'N, 66°50'W). 8 May 1989. Daniel Lew. Museo de Historia Natural La Salle (MHNLS 11400). Verified by María José Praderio. First state record. ESTADO CARABOBO: Valle, entre la entrada y Cerro el Café, Valencia (10°17'N, 68°07'W). 5 May 1989. Marco Aleman. Colección de Vertebrados Universidad Experimental Rómulo Gallegos (CVUNERG 125). Verified by Marco Natera. First state record. Captured in gallery (riverine) forest. ESTADO MIRANDA: Parque Nacional Guatopo, 400 m elev. (10°05'N, 66°25'W). 19 August 1965. José M. Pelaez. MHNLS 1644. Verified by Celsa Seóaris. First estate record. ESTADO ZULIA: San José de los Altos, Sierra de Perijó, 1460 m elev. (10°55'56"N, 72°26'22"W). July 1975. Francisco Delascio. Verified by Celsa Seóaris. MHNLS 6249. First state record.

MHNLS 1644, 11400, and CVUNERG 125 are the only confirmed records of this species east of the Andes. Species was previously known from Venezuela on the basis of two specimens (Museo de Ciencias Naturales de Caracas, MCNC 3622, 4896) taken in the state of Táchira (Las Mesas, entre la Grita y La Fría, 08°10'08"N, 72°09'50"W (Rivas and Molina 1996, *Resúmenes del IV Congreso Latinoamericano de Herpetología*, Santiago, Chile: 292).

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REGINA RIGIDA SINICOLA (Gulf Crayfish Snake) USA: TEXAS: MORRIS CO: 6.4 air km N and 0.8 air km E Omaha. 19 April 1997. Terry L. Hibbitts. TCWC 78749. Verified by James R. Dixon. New county record (Dixon 1987, *Amphibians and Reptiles of Texas*. Texas A&M Univ. Press, College Station. 434 pp.).

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SIBON NEBULATA. BRAZIL: ALAGOAS: Rio Largo (ca. 9°30'S; 35°50'W) in a small patch of Atlantic Forest. 13 September 1996. Collected by Eliza M. X. Freire. Museu de História Natural da Universidade Federal de Alagoas (MUFAL 1361) and Museu Nacional da Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro (MNRJ 6344). Verified by Ronaldo Fernandes. First record for the state; these specimens extend the range of the species ca. 1500 km southeast of Belém, Pará, Brazil (Cunha and Nascimento 1978, *Publ. Avul. Mus. Par. Emílio Goeldi* 31; Kofron 1990, *Amphibia-Reptilia* 11:207-223).

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