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**HOST PLANT FOR *BRACHYLEPTURA CHAMPLAINI*
(COLEOPTERA: CERAMBYCIDAE)**

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Brachyleptura champlaini Casey was relegated to synonymy with *Anoplodera vagans* (Olivier) by Swaine and Hopping (1928), and was so regarded until Linsley and Chemsak (1976) restored the status of both Casey's species and the genus *Brachyleptura*. The species occurring in Michigan is *B. champlaini* and not *Brachyleptura vagans* as recorded by Gosling and Gosling (1976).

Because of confusion between these two species in the literature, Linsley and Chemsak were not able to list a host plant for *B. champlaini*. I have recently been successful in rearing this species from decayed bolts of red pine, *Pinus resinosa* Ait., collected near Klinger Lake in St. Joseph County, Michigan. It seems probable that records for *Pinus* and *Tsuga* as hosts for *B. vagans* (Linsley and Chemsak 1976) refer to *B. champlaini*.

Reared specimens included both morphs, one with concolorous, reddish-brown elytra and the other with black marginal and sutural vittae, as is characteristic of the population in southwestern Michigan.

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