

THE CORRECT AUTHOR CITATION FOR *MARISCUS MACROPUS*

The combination *Mariscus macropus* is usually attributed to C. B. Clarke with Böckeler as author of the basionym *Cyperus macropus* Böck. (1870). But *Cyperus macropus* (Böck. is illegitimate, being a later homonym of *C. macropus* Miq. (1860). However, if, following Article 72 of ICBN (1978), the epithet

*macropus* on transfer to *Mariscus* is treated as new, dating from 1895, the resulting combination is treated as new, and is attributed solely to C. B. Clarke, thus: *Mariscus macropus* C. B. Clarke.

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