

Laemargus, synonym. Caligoida Caligidae.
Kröyer, 1837, L. muricatus.

Müller & Heule in 1838 gave the
name Laemargus to a genus of Scymnoid
Sharks - 1838 is the date given by Jordan &
Evermann - 1837 is given by Seudder.

Poche, on a latter basis proposes the
name Othagoriscola for the genus.

Λαίμαργος = greedy or gluttonous.

Cephalothorax heart-shaped, nearly undivided.
Anterior antennae 3-jointed. Second and third
thorax segts free, narrow, articulate, without
dorsal plates or processes. The 2 following
segments covered (in ♀) with large, spreading
dorsal plates, united on a mid-line, and cover-
ing a gen. seg't & abdomen. Egg-tubes very long
and coiled up beneath a last dorsal plate so
as to be invisible dorsally - eggs uniseriate.
all a thoracic legs biramous & lamellar -
a 4th pair much enlarged.

Loemargus see Orthagoriscicola.

The name Loemargus was preoccupied by Heule in the same year that Kröyer proposed it and so Poche proposes Orthagoriscicola as a substitute.

Archiv. f. naturges. 1837, p. 399, for fish genus.