

- Tibiae of legs compressed, not prismatic; pubescence yellowish, length over 9 mm *paria*
- 8. Large species, length over 17-21 mm *angusticollis*
- Smaller species, length 11-16 mm *compressus*
- 9. Metanotum raised, rounded above and gibbous 10
- Metanotum not raised; its basal portion horizontal, flat; apical portion excavate; node of pedicel thick, globose *sericeus*
- 10. Antero lateral angles of pronotum dentate *wasmanni*
- Antero lateral angles of pronotum not dentate 11
- 11. Thorax posteriorly and node of pedicel coarsely punctured, ciliate *holosericeus*
- Thorax posteriorly and node of pedicel finely reticulate-punctate, rugulose *camelinus*

133. *Camponotus cotesii* (Forel)

Colobopsis cotesii Forel, 1893, *Jour. Bomp. Nat. Hist. soc.* 7: 438.

Camponotus (Colobopsis) cotesii, Chapman and Capco, 1951, *Checklist of ants of Asia*, 1:223.

Material examined : 4 ex, India, Meghalaya, Jaintia hills, Khanduli, 7.v.87, Coll.C. Radhakrishnan.

Diagnostic characters : worker. Black and shining; the truncated portion of head, including the base of the clypeus, antennae and the front of the mandibles reddish; base of abdomen with two spots; a line along the base of the 2nd abdominal segment; head above coarsely rugose; thorax widely emarginate at the meso-metanotal suture; metanotum rounded, raised, node of pedicel notched above, abdomen massive.

Length : W. 8 mm.

Distribution : INDIA : (Jaintia and Garo hills), Meghalaya.

134. *Camponotus pubescens* (Mayr)

Colobopsis pubescens Mayr, 1862, *Verh. zool bot. Gesell. Wien* 12 : 691.

Camponotus (Colobopsis) pubescens, Chapman and capco, 1951, *Checklist of ants of Asia*, 1:226.

Material examined : 3 ex, India, Meghalaya, West Garo hills, Balphakram National Park, 12.v.88, Coll. V.T. Dartong.