

latter regions conspicuously long. The frontal carinae with their accompanying scrobes extend to the posterior corners of the head and there curve downward and forward to terminate under the eyes, as in the typical *goeldii*.

Described from a single specimen found running on a cacao tree at Trece Aguas, Alta Vera Paz, Guatemala by Messrs. E. A. Schwarz and H. S. Barber.

This may be a distinct species, but as I have seen no specimens of the typical *goeldii*, with the description of which it agrees in quite a number of characters, it may stand provisionally as a subspecies.

Acanthoponera mucronata (Roger).

Ponera mucronata Roger, Berlin. Ent. Zeitschr. 4, 1860, p. 299
♂ ♀.

Ectatomma (Acanthoponera) mucronatum Mayr. Verh. zool. bot. Ges. Wien 12, 1862, p. 962; *ibid.* 37, 1887, p. 540; Emery, Bull. Soc. Ent. Ital. 26, 1894, p. 143 ♀; Forel, Biol. Centr. Amer. Hymen. 3, 1899-1900, p. 9 ♂ ♀.

Ectatomma mucronatum Dalla Torre, Cat. Hymen. 7, 1893, p. 25 ♂ ♀.

Acanthoponera mucronata Emery, Gen. Insect. Ponerinae 1911, p. 36 ♂ ♀. Pl. 2, Fig. 2; Forel, Ann. Soc. Ent. Belg. 56, 1912, p. 34 ♂; Luederwaldt, Notas Myrmecologicas, São Paulo 1918, p. 6. Type locality: Brazil (von Olfers).

Brazil: Matto do Governo, São Paulo (H. Luederwaldt); Corcovado, near Rio de Janeiro (A. Müller); Matto Grosso.

✓✓ Var. *minor* Forel.

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Acanthoponera mucronata var. *minor* Emery, Bull. Soc. Ent. Ital. 28, 1896, p. 33 ♂; Gen. Insect. Ponerinae 1911, p. 36 ♂. Type locality: Teapa en Tabasco, Mexico (H. H. Smith). Costa Rica: Suerre (A. Alfaro).