

SOME ANTS OF THE SUBGENUS *PLANIMYRMA* VIEHMEYER OF THE
GENUS *APHAENOGASTER* MAYR.

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Emery [Genera Insectorum, 174A: 56 (1921)] separates the subgenera *Planimyrma* Viehmeyer (1914) and *Deromyrma* Forel (1913) from the other three subgenera of *Aphaenogaster* Mayr (1853) as follows:—

‘Tous les sexes: Tête prolongée en col; aile antérieure à une seule cubitale fermée’; and from each other:—

‘Pronotum inerme chez les ouvrières et les femelles; antennes des mâles de 13 articles; espèces asiatiques, américaines et malgaches *Deromyrma*.’

‘Pronotum armé ou inerme chez les ouvrières et les femelles; antennes des mâles de 12 articles; espèces de la Nouvelle Guinée *Planimyrma*.’

A new genus might be erected for these two subgenera, but more material is wanted, especially in the latter, of which only three species are known, and the males of only two of them.

In the meantime we now describe a new variety, a new subspecies and a male, all from New Guinea.