

antennæ, spurs and claws reddish yellow. Clothed with a few outstanding pale yellow hairs, and very short, fine, sparse, decumbent little yellow hairs. The sculpturation consists of the usual fine reticulation and small punctures.

The *head* is narrower and not so massive as in the typical form, more narrowed in front, not so broad and more abruptly rounded behind eyes; *mandibles* less massive. *Thorax* narrower, not so robust, more rounded in front and narrowed behind, *shoulders* quite round; *pro-mesonotal* suture less deep and broad, no trace of *meso-epinotal* suture; *epinotum* entirely unarmed. The *scale* of the *petiole* is considerably narrower than in *rastellata*, the sides are straight, and there are no teeth to the external angles; two extremely small, short, pointed teeth are present in middle of upper border, another close together, the space between being slightly sinuate.

*Long.* 6 mm.

Type in B.M.

Described from two workers taken by Dr. A. Moore, Philippine Is., Luzon, Baguio, 28. ii. 1920.

"Site—empty cell in back of nest found in tree."

This variety comes in our group with the shoulders rounded and the *epinotum* unarmed.

The scale is unlike that of any other *Cyrtomyrma* known to us; or of any of the scales figured in our paper on *Cyrtomyrma* [Ann. & Mag. Nat. Hist. (s. 11) i. pp. 246–267, 16 text-figs. (1938)].