

Sant., *Ann. Soc. Ent. Belgique*, LXLV [sic], pp. 159-173, 1921 = *M. striata* Arnold, *Ann. S. Afr. Mus.*, XIV, p. 296, pl. vii, fig. 90 c.'

The above requires some explanation — first of all the correct reference for Santschi's *arnoldi* is 1924, *Rev. Suisse Zool.*, 64: 159, and the date of Arnold's publication is 1916.

Stitz (1911, *Erg. Deutsch. Zentral Afr. Exped. Zool.*, 3: 382) described a *Myrmicaria striata*. Arnold in his work on the ants of South Africa describes and figures Stitz's *striata*, and as Santschi did not consider this referred to Stitz's species, he gave Arnold's ant from Rhodesia the name of *arnoldi*. In 1939 he considered that this species is his *obscuriceps* from Angola. Incidentally he originally described the last-named insect as a variety, not a subspecies, of *natalensis*. In any case his name *arnoldi*, 13 years older than his *obscuriceps*, must stand.

11.—*Solenopsis (Diplorhoptrum) orbula* Emery subsp. *oculatus* Santschi 1925, *Comun. Mus. nat. B. Rivadavia*, 107: 161, Argentine; *Solenopsis (Diplorhoptrum) orbula* Emery subsp. *oculata* Karawajew, 1926, *Konowia*, 5: 162, Caucasus.

In 1937, *Bull. Soc. Sci. nat. Maroc.*, 16: 202, Santschi proposed the name var. *ilinei* for Karawajew's *oculata*.

#### DOLICHODERINAE.

12.—In 1936, *Rev. Ent., S. Paulo (Rio de J.)*, 6: 417, Santschi sank *Iridomyrmex bicolor* Donisthorpe, 1933, *Ann. Mag. nat. Hist.* (10) 12: 534 from the Argentine and proposed the name *donisthorpei* nom.n., because of *Iridomyrmex iniquus* Mayr var. *bicolor* Forel, 1912, *Mem. Soc. Ent. Belg.*, 20: 47 from Martinique. Though of course it would have been better not to have used the name *bicolor*, a variety, having no nomenclatorial standing, does not render the name invalid.

#### FORMICINAE.

13.—*Oecophylla smaragdina* F. var. *fuscooides* Karawajew, 1933, *Konowia*, 11: 315, Java. Karawajew describes the same form from Java, as a new variety, in 1935, *Treubia*, 15: 112. The former date, of course, must stand.

14.—*Camponotus (Myrmophyma) darlingtoni* Wheeler, 1934, *J. roy. Soc. West Aust.*, 20: 160, West Australia; *Camponotus (Myrmocladoeus) sanctaeidei* Dalla Torre subsp. *darlingtoni* Wheeler, 1934, *Bull. Mus. comp. Zool. Harv.*, 77: 232, Trinidad.

I am informed that the American publication appeared in print first, and therefore propose the name ***Camponotus (Myrmophyma) rottnesti*** nom.n. for the Australian insect.