

♀. Head: the sculpture is quite different; the disc is smooth and shining, from the outer part of the smooth surface at sides semicircular carinae run on each side along the cheeks, and from the posterior part a few weaker carinae extend towards base of head, the space between these and the posterior border of head being smooth and shining.

*Thorax*: the ridges on the *pronotum* are considerably less marked; the *mesonotum* is smooth and shining and there are no spines present. The ridges on the sides of the thorax are less marked; the dorsal surface and the declivity of the *epinotum* are smooth and shining.

The spines on the *pronotum* are slightly longer and stronger, and those of the *epinotum*, being of a different shape, being slightly shorter, and projecting outwards then inwards in an even curve. *Long.* 5 mm.

Described from two specimens collected on Le Pouce Mt., November 2nd, 1948. Coll. Ray. Mamet.

I erected the genus *Dodous* for the receipt of a number of workers and two males taken by M. Raymond Mamet on Colcotte Mt., Mauritius, in 1941. [Proc. R. Ent. Soc. Lond. (B) xv. pts. 11 and 12 (Dec. 1946), pp. 145-46. 4 figs.]

The description of the genus requires a slight modification as there are no spines on the *mesonotum* in this species.

No. 125. *Solenopsis mameti* Donisthorpe, Ann. Mag. Nat. Hist. (11) xii. 777 (1945) 1946.

35 ♂♂. Le Pouce Mt., Mauritius. "Nesting in decaying wood." November 2nd, 1948 (Mamet).

No. 126. *Technomyrmex primroseæ*, sp. n.

♀. Black, rather shining, mandibles, antennae and legs dirty pale yellow, the petiole brighter yellow. Sculpture: head and gaster finely reticulate, thorax more distinctly so, clothed with fine golden pubescence, which is more pronounced on gaster and a few short outstanding hairs, more being present on gaster.

*Head* oval, somewhat narrower in front than behind, broadest a little behind eyes, posterior angles rounded, posterior border excised in middle; *mandibles* moderately long; triangular apical tooth sharp and curved, masticatory