

face straight, vertical, the dorsum straight, flat, the posterior face convex, rounded into the dorsum. Legs long and slender. The rest as in the major.

Habitat.—Western Australia: Emu Rocks (H. Reynolds).

This very distinct species is not near any other known to me. A large series of both forms was collected by Mr. Reynolds at Emu Rocks, on the Rabbit-proof Fence, East of Ongerup.

CAMPONOTUS (MYRMOSAULUS) SCUTELLUS, n. sp.

(Text-fig 1, Nos. 9, 10.)

*Worker major*.—Length, 9.5-11.3 mm.

Brown. Dorsum of pronotum blackish brown. Gaster black.

Opaque. Mandibles coarsely striate-punctate. Head, thorax and node reticulate-punctate. Gaster microscopically reticulate.

Hair reddish, erect, very long and abundant on the thorax and gaster, shorter on the head and legs. Pubescence yellow, very short and sparse throughout.

Head as long as broad, broadest just in front of the eyes, the occipital border concave, the sides strongly convex, the posterior angles rounded. Frontal carinae diverging strongly behind, with a longitudinal groove between them. Clypeus broad and convex, without a carina, the anterior border produced, concave in the middle, with a deep depression at each side near the middle. Eyes large, flat, placed at the posterior third of the sides. Scapes just reach the occipital border; first segment of the funiculus as long as the second, the others subequal to the apical. Mandibles large, triangular, armed with six large, sharp teeth. Thorax one and a half times longer than broad. Pronotum fully twice as broad as long, strongly convex in front and on the sides, subbordered. Mesonotum one third broader than long, convex above. There is a strong constriction between the mesonotum and epinotum, the latter as broad as long, the posterior border straight; in profile much lower than the mesonotum, the dorsum straight, the posterior half submarginate, the declivity vertical, feebly concave near the bottom, longer than the dorsum, submarginate on the sides and above. Node scale-like, almost four times broader than long, the anterior face feebly concave, posterior face and sides convex, the dorsum sharply pointed, convex laterally; in profile somewhat wedge shaped. Gaster much longer than broad. Legs short and robust.

*Worker minor*.—Length, 5-6 mm.

Colour as in the major. Sculpture coarser, stronger and more densely punctate. Pilosity similar but not so abundant.

Head as long as broad, broadest just in front of the eyes, the occipital border concave, the sides convex. Clypeus carinate. There is a distinct carina between the frontal carinae. Eyes large, globular. Scapes extending beyond the occipital border by barely half their length. Thorax twice as long as broad. The