

shining. Petiole and postpetiole coarsely reticulate-punctate. Gaster smooth and shining, with small scattered points.

Type B.M. Monkey Bay, Lake Nyassa. (Dr. W. A. Lamborn, 1915. No. 100.) Differs from *cribrinodis* in the points indicated, and in its larger size, darker colour, thicker node, and sculpture.

*Pronolepis* JACOBSONI, sp. nov.

♀ L. 2.6 mm. Yellow testaceous, head somewhat darker, the gaster dark castaneous, lighter in some specimens.

Mandibles with 6 teeth. Head small, oval, as long as broad, broadest at eyes which are large and prominent and situated barely behind the middle of sides; the head narrows rapidly behind the eyes, the occipital border straight. Clypeus carinate, the anterior border feebly sinuate, the posterior border marked out with a black line. Frontal area deep. Scapes long, extending more than half their length beyond the occipital border.

Thorax stragulate and emarginate at mesonotum, the pronotum and mesonotum forming a curve with an obtuse angle at the suture, and the epinotum forming a rounded convexity. Scale thick, very inclined, straight and sharp-edged at top, the stalk long and thick, the whole pedicel fitting into a recess in the basal segment of gaster. This latter is concavely truncate at its anterior border.

Head and gaster provided with plentiful long yellow-brown hairs; pronotum has one pair of short followed by two pairs of long hairs; the mesonotum has one or two pairs of short hairs. The legs and antennae covered with plentiful long semi-adjacent pilosity. There are a few short adpressed hairs on the cheeks. Entirely smooth and shining.

Fort de Kock, Sumatra. (Leg. E. Jacobson. No. 1088.) Type W.C.C. coll.

Recalls *Pr. naoroji*, Forel, from Assam and N.-W. India, but thorax not so pilose, the epinotal convexity only a little more than half the pronotal convexity (in *naoroji* not much shorter than the pronotal). The scale, truncation of gaster, and length of scapes apparently similar.

*Camponotus* (*Myrmamblyx*) *reticulatus*, Rog., race *sericellus*, Vieb., var. RUGOSIOR, var. nov.

♀ Major, L. 5 mm. Slightly smaller than *sericellus*, the sculpture of head coarser, and pubescence on gaster less abundant. Mandibles with six teeth. The light colour of head extends as far as the eyes and over a great part of the space between the frontal carinae. Frontal area dark. Bands on the borders of the segments of gaster almost white. Otherwise corresponds to Viehmeyer's description of *sericellus* from Singapore.

♀ minor, L. 3.5 mm. Slightly smaller, otherwise corresponds to the race description.

♀ L. 5.5 mm. The light colour of head more sharply defined than in ♀ major, and does not extend beyond the articulations of the antennae nor between the frontal carinae. Wings hyaline. Wing insertions yellow-white. Head smaller and narrower in front, and mandibles less massive than in ♀ major. The angle between base and declivity of epinotum rounded. Otherwise like ♀ major except for sexual differences.

♂ L. 4 mm. Dark brown, gaster darker, almost black; mandibles, extremities of cheeks, and articulations of antennae, paler; insertions of wings and the two hind coxae yellow-white. Borders of segments of gaster not paler than rest. Gaster abundantly pilose.

The scapes extend more than one-third of their length beyond the occiput. Mandibles edentate. Clypeus feebly convex, the anterior border straight. Eyes occupy more than half the sides of head, which narrows behind. Node low and thick.

Whole head feebly reticulate; the thorax more faintly so, and shining; gaster densely and finely transversely reticulate.

Sumatra, Fort de Kock, 1921. 920 M. (Jacobson, 1175.)

Kindly compared with a co-type by Prof. Emery. Types W.C.C. Coll.