

are much longer, reaching to one-quarter of their length beyond the centre of the occiput. Thorax somewhat longer and narrower and epinotum more rounded in profile.

Mandibles opaque, finely longitudinally striate, with a few small points.

♂ minor. Length 2.3 mm.; head $.78 \times .76$ mm. Differs as follows from the ♀ media:—Mandibles with eight smaller teeth; clypeus barely emarginate; scapes slightly longer; epinotum flatter. Otherwise similar.

♀ minima. Length 2 mm. Similar to ♀ minor, except for size.

Sibolga, Aug. 1913. No. 1250. The ♀ ♀ vary slightly in colour, some being darker. Types, W. C. C. coll.

Prenolepis jacobsoni, Crawley (Ent. Rec. xxv. 2, p. 30, 1923).

♂. Length 26 mm.

Yellow-testaceous, head somewhat darker, the gaster dark castaneous, lighter in some specimens.

Mandibles with six 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 antennæ 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. 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.