

above period none ever came to light. Colonies of *trepidulus* taken in early September in Brown Canyon in the Baboquivari Mountains contained no sexual forms; hence it seems probable that the marriage flight of *trepidulus* occurs in August. The live oaks in which *trepidulus* nests are also preferred as nest sites by *C. (Colobopsis) papago* Creighton, and the two species sometimes nest in the same tree. No animosity develops when this occurs, as both species are very inoffensive and timid ants.

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