

between it and the metathorax; metathorax oblong, narrower than the prothorax, slightly compressed and enlarged posteriorly, and elevated, sub-truncate; node incrassate, enlarged posteriorly, then truncate; abdomen elongated, acute, with a small strangulation between the first and second segments.

*Hab.*—Archer County, Northern Texas, beneath red sandstones. Is rather thickly sprinkled with short hairs and is quick in its movements.

33. *Pomera amplinoda*, n. sp.

Length 0.29 inch.—Black or piceous; tibiæ, tarsi, mandibles and last segment of the abdomen piceous or reddish-brown; head quadrangular, somewhat rounded above and at the sides, not emarginate; antennæ inserted at the base of the clypeus, short, clavate; eyes small, circular, lateral, placed in front of the middle; mandibles large, cylindrical near their bases, then widened, triangular, acute, inner margins finely toothed, each alternate one largest; head somewhat flattened below; prothorax narrower than the head, rounded above and compressed at the sides, divisions of the thorax slightly marked, the whole being rounded above, compressed at the sides and narrowed posteriorly; scale incrassate, subquadrate, truncated before and behind, widened posteriorly; abdomen broad-ovate, and but slightly constricted between the first and second segments.

*Hab.*—Central Texas, beneath rocks. Rare.

34. *Ponera Pennsylvanica*, n. sp.

Length 0.12.—Upper surface of head, thorax and abdomen dark reddish-brown or piceous, mouth, last segment of the abdomen, legs and part of the under surface of the thorax pale yellow; head subtriangular, rounded above, occiput slightly emarginate; antennæ short, 12-jointed and much enlarged towards their apical joints; eyes none; mandibles large, subtriangular, toothed; under surface of head not sinuate; prothorax a little narrower than the head, rounded above, at sides and in front; mesothorax not depressed, and but little narrower than the prothorax; metathorax rounded at sides, narrower than prothorax, truncate; scale large, subquadrate, its posterior part highest; abdomen oblong, sub-cylindrical, acute, truncate in front, a strangulation between the first and second segments; whole ant nearly or quite destitute of hairs.

Dwells beneath stones in the vicinity of Philadelphia.