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**TWO NEW SPECIES OF ANTS OF THE GENERA TAPINOMA FOERSTER
 AND PARATRECHINA MOTSCHOUJSKY FROM PUERTO
 RICO (HYMENOPTERA: FORMICIDAE)**

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ABSTRACT—Two new species of ants from Puerto Rico are described, the worker and male of *Tapinoma resenum*, n. sp., and each caste of *Paratrechina* (*Nylanderia*) *cisipa*, n. sp.

No new species of ants have been described from Puerto Rico since M. R. Smith (1936) described *Prenolepis microps* (a species now placed in the genus *Paratrechina*). He listed and keyed 66 species of ants and referred to the previous literature concerning ants of Puerto Rico. Wolcott (1948) summarized the available information on their habits, and provided additional locality records.

During a year's sojourn (1969-1970) in Puerto Rico while working for the Puerto Rico Nuclear Center, the junior author had the opportunity to collect ants, along with other insects, at various localities around the island. Among the ants collected were 2 species not only new to Puerto Rico, but so far as we can determine, undescribed. These species, representing a new *Paratrechina* and a new *Tapinoma*, are described herein.