

divided into 3 parts to correspond to its segments, more or less widely margined, translucent or foliaceous, and without teeth.

Genus *Paracryptocerus* Emery,
subgenus *Cyathomyrmex* Creighton

Cyathocephalus Emery, 1915, Bul. Soc. Ent. de France, p. 192. Preoccupied by Kessler, 1868.

Type: *Cryptocerus pallens* Klug. By original designation.

Cyathomyrmex Creighton, 1933, Psyche 40: 98. New name.

STRUMIGENYS VENATRIX WESSON AND WESSON SYNONYMOUS WITH *S. TALPA* WEBER.—In the course of his studies of dacetine ants, Mr. William L. Brown, Jr. secured a loan of the type of *S. talpa* Weber (1934, Psyche, **41**: 63–65, fig. 1) from the collections of the Illinois Natural History Survey. This specimen he very kindly placed at my disposal, since I had not seen it during earlier studies on *Strumigenys* in Ohio (Wesson and Wesson, 1939, Psyche, **46**: 91–112, Pl. 3). The type of *talpa* proves to be indistinguishable from paratypes of *S. venatrix* which I had described from southern Ohio, and the latter name should be dropped.

According to Brown's recent revision of the dacetine genera, *S. talpa* should be transferred from the genus *Strumigenys* Fred. Smith to the genus *Smithistruma* Brown (1948, Trans. Amer. Ent. Soc. **74**: 101–129, 2 figs.).

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