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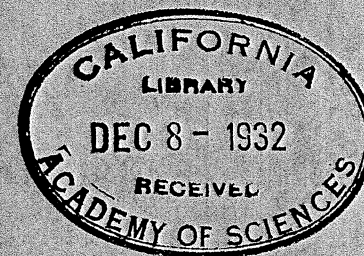
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- Page 8, line 8, for "*Elusine*", read "*Eleusine*".  
 " 10, line 16, instead of "first record, etc.", read "Previously recorded from Molokai in 1927 (See Proc. Hawaiian Ent. Soc., VI, p. 395, 1927.)"  
 " 31, line 19, for "*Celphalonomia*", read "*Ccephalonomia*".  
 " 111, lines 21 and 22, for "*krauhniae*", read "*kraunhae*".  
 " 112, line 19, for "*cyanaeae*", read "*cyanea*".  
 " 117, line 17, for "*saccharriola*", read "*saccharicola*".  
 " 181, lines 15, 16, 17, for "*Xenocrabo*", read "*Xenocrabro*".  
 " 181, line 18, for "*Hylocrabo*", read "*Hylocrabro*".  
 " 181, line 19, for "*Nesocrabo*", read "*Nesocrabro*".  
 " 189, insert "HOMOPTERA" as line 22.  
 " 190, line 9 from bottom, author of *Anax strenuus* should be Hagen, not Perkins.  
 " 224, line 28, for "*uata*", read "*nata*".  
 " 228, line 12, for "*Latrodectus*", read "*Latrodectes*".  
 " 230, line 23, for "*albipuncta*", read "*albipunctata*".  
 " 321, line 8, read: "hind tibiae and femora with their hair mostly white."  
 " 330, add "femora" before 3rd line from bottom of page.  
 " 353, plate 23, fig. 35, by an error in drawing the second tarsal joint is nearly twice normal length.  
 " 381, line 9, for "*geniculatus*", read "*geniculata*".  
 " 411, line 19, for "*mamaki*", read "*mamake*".  
 " 424, line 8, for "*philippensis*", read "*philippinensis*".  
 " 449, line 8, for "*Sympyconinae*", read "*Sympycninae*".  
 " 493, line 7, for "*stigantophora*", read "*stigmatophora*".  
 " 527, line 6 from bottom, for "CXX", read "cxx".  
 " 533, line 5, for "(*Timb.*)", read "(*Thunb.*)".  
 " 533, line 12, for "*Ashm.*", read "*How.*"  
 " 534, line 3, for "*occasioal*", read "*occasional*".

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tinct, however, from *M. exsul* Sharp. It is very close to an unnamed specimen from Queensland in the H.S.P.A. collection, and it may be an Australian species. A second specimen (a male) was taken August 26 near Diamond Head, Oahu, by Mr. Pemberton.

*A First Record of the Coleopterous Family Scydmaenidae in Hawaii.*—Mr. Van Zwaluwenburg reported that two minute beetles taken by himself in August, 1930, in soil in the forest on Tantalus, Oahu, at about 1200 feet, have been determined by Mr. G. E. Bryant, of the British Museum, as *Cephennium* sp., "not in British Museum". This genus belongs to the family Scydmaenidae, a family apparently not recorded from the Territory heretofore. The genus *Cephennium* Müll. and Kunze, according to part 70, Coleptororum Catalogus, by E. Csiki, contains 94 species, mainly European and North African, with four species recorded from North America, two from Singapore and one from Ceylon. The species from Tantalus definitely is not the single species recorded from California, which is described as eyeless.

*Systole geniculata* Först.—The rearing of numerous specimens of this seed-chalcid from fennel seeds collected near the polo field on central Maui, July 6, 1931, by Mr. O. H. Lyman, was reported by Mr. Van Zwaluwenburg. Previously reported from Oahu and Hawaii, this is the first time this species has been obtained from Maui.

*Macranillus atomus* Jeannel.—Paratype specimens of this newly described minute Carabid received from Dr. G. A. K. Marshall were exhibited by Mr. Van Zwaluwenburg. These specimens were taken in cane-soil studies on Oahu, averaging 13 per square foot (to a depth of 9 inches) and being most numerous between 5 and 9 inches, in both growing-cane soil and fallow soil. Their minute larvae are fairly numerous in the lower soil depths.

The genus *Macranillus* was erected by Sharp (1903-Fauna Hawaiiensis, III, p. 287) based upon *M. coecus* Sharp, (a unique) from the high plateau on Kauai. *Macranillus* is separated from *Nesomicrops* by reason of having the eyes not pigmented or faceted, but represented by two small, smooth, slightly raised areas.

Mr. Pemberton spoke of the present scarcity of *Omiodes blackburni*, the coconut leafroller on Oahu. A discussion of its parasites followed and *Cremastus hymeniae* was regarded as probably one of its checks.

President Mason said that two fruit fly parasites had just been sent from Hawaii to California as possible parasites on the walnut husk maggot.

Dr. Williams on behalf of Mr. Weinrich, who was unable to attend the meeting, presented a note on *Stapelia gigantea*, an African asclepiad plant with a large malodorous flower which attracted blowflies and induced them to deposit their young on it. Reference was also made to the papaya fruit fly, an American insect not found in Hawaii.

*Holochlora japonica* Brunn.—Dr. Williams reported this large green locustid as quite abundant on August 9, 1931, at the edge of Poamoho forest reserve at an altitude of about 1400 feet in the Koolau Mts., Oahu. Here also the Philippine wasp *Larra luzonensis* was seen on one of the trails, as well as a single worn specimen of the immigrant sphecid wasp *Isodontia harrisi* Fernald, first taken by Mr. Swezey and himself at Waianae.

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#### OCTOBER 1, 1931

The 309th regular meeting of the Hawaiian Entomological Society was held at the Experiment Station, H.S.P.A., at 2:30 p.m., October 1, 1931.

Members present: Messrs. Ehrhorn, Hagan, Illingworth, Ito, Keck, Marlowe, Mason, McBride, Olsen, Rosa, Sakimura, Smith, Van Zwaluwenburg and Weinrich.

Visitors: Messrs. G. H. Godfrey and W. J. Hartung.

President Mason called the meeting to order and appointed Mr. Van Zwaluwenburg as secretary pro tem.

Mr. O. Wilford Olsen was elected to active membership.

Mr. Ehrhorn gave an interesting account of his visit to the Pacific Coast. He stated that the California Termite Commission is completing an exhaustive report which will be published by the end of the year. He described the treatment of timbers with creosote against termites, and gave an account of his visits to various scientific centers in California.