

distinctly angulate; eyes nearly parallel the antennocular line longer than the interantennal line; antennæ rather short and stout.

Pompiloides (*castaneus* Provancher)—**argenteus** (Cresson).

Type male bearing yellow label "774" and name label "*argenteus* Cress." Dernière Provancher Collection, Public Museum, Quebec. Provancher's manuscript list proves that this is type of *castaneus*.

Argenteus (Cresson) agrees with all of the notes made on *castaneus*, and there seems to be but little doubt that the synonymy indicated by Provancher is correct.

Batazonus coquilletti (Provancher).

Type male Cat. No. 1980, U. S. Nat. Mus.

This is probably a synonym of *navus* Cresson.

DESCRIPTION OF A NEW SESIID.

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Gaëa arizonensis, sp. nov.

Female.—Fore wings opaque, golden orange red, dusted with fuscous in the intervenular parts. All the veins, rather heavily marked with fuscous. Discal mark fuscous, edged with orange red. Hind wings transparent, veins fuscous, and the outer margins narrowly edged with orange red. Fringes fuscous. Under side of fore wings with the intervenular parts considerably brighter, orange red, as also the transverse discal mark, which is wholly orange red. Hind wings similar to the above, but with the narrow, orange red margins brighter. Head black; palpi yellow. Antennæ orange red, fuscous terminally and decidedly clavate. Abdomen brown-black with a broad, yellow band on the posterior edge of each segment, except the fourth, the last three bands broader than the three basal ones. Anal tuft lemon yellow. Under side of abdomen, with all the bands much broader and the fourth also banded. Posterior legs yellow, joints black, femora black (remaining legs wanting). Expanse 25 mm.

Habitat.—Pinal Mts., Arizona.

Described from a single female. Type: collection Dr. William

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