

- 5 (8) Lateral lobes of head either not longer than the median, or, if so, then contiguous, at least partly.
- 6 (7) Labium scarcely extending to middle coxæ; hind femora not widened at base. 1. *Cyclopelta* A. & S.
- 7 (6) Labium extending to hind coxæ; hind femora (at least in ♀) strongly widened at base. 2. *Patanocnema* Karsch.
- 8 (5) Lateral lobes of head much longer than the median, and not at all contiguous. 3. *Dinidor* Latr.
- 9 (4) Antennæ 5-segmentate.
- 10 (11) Head subæquilateral, or scarcely transverse, lateral margins straight or slightly sinuate; eyes sessile; ♂ pygophor not emarginate, apically rounded, rarely with an obsolescent sinuation in the middle. 4. *Aspongopus* Laporte.
- 11 (10) Head transverse, deeply sinuate in front of the stylete eyes; fore femora distinctly spinose towards the apex; ♂ pygophor distinctly sinuate apically. 5. *Colpoproctus* Stal.
- 12 (3) Tarsi 2-segmentate.
- 13 (14) Lateral margins of head not contiguous, head laterally with a spine in front of the eyes. 6. *Thalma* Walker.
- 14 (13) Lateral lobes of head contiguous, head spineless in front of the eyes. 7. *Urusa* Walker.
- 15 (2) Pronotum anteriorly much wider than the head with eyes; pronotum laterally distinctly laminate. 8. *Sagriva* Spinola.
- 16 (1) Lateral margins of abdomen tuberculately dentate.
- 17 (18) Lateral margins of pronotum obliquely straight. 9. *Byrsodepsus* Stal.
- 18 (17) Lateral margins of pronotum angularly sinuate. 10. *Megymenum* Laporte.

THE Province of Quebec is to be congratulated on its decision to appoint a Provincial Entomologist. The Rev. Abbe V. A. Huard, the Conservator of the Provincial Museum at Quebec, has been appointed to the office of Entomologist. As the editor of "Le Naturaliste Canadien" and successor to Provancher, he is well known to entomologists in Canada, and we wish him all success in his new duties in a field which offers unparalleled opportunities for entomological work and assistance to those whose livelihood depends on successful husbandry in the farm, field and forest.