

FIGURE 46

Family HYBOTIDAE

Subfamily HYBOTINAE

Distribution in southern Africa of the genera:

Acarterus, Syndvas and Sabinios

(after Smith, 1969).

Acarterus ●

Syndvas ○

Sabinios □

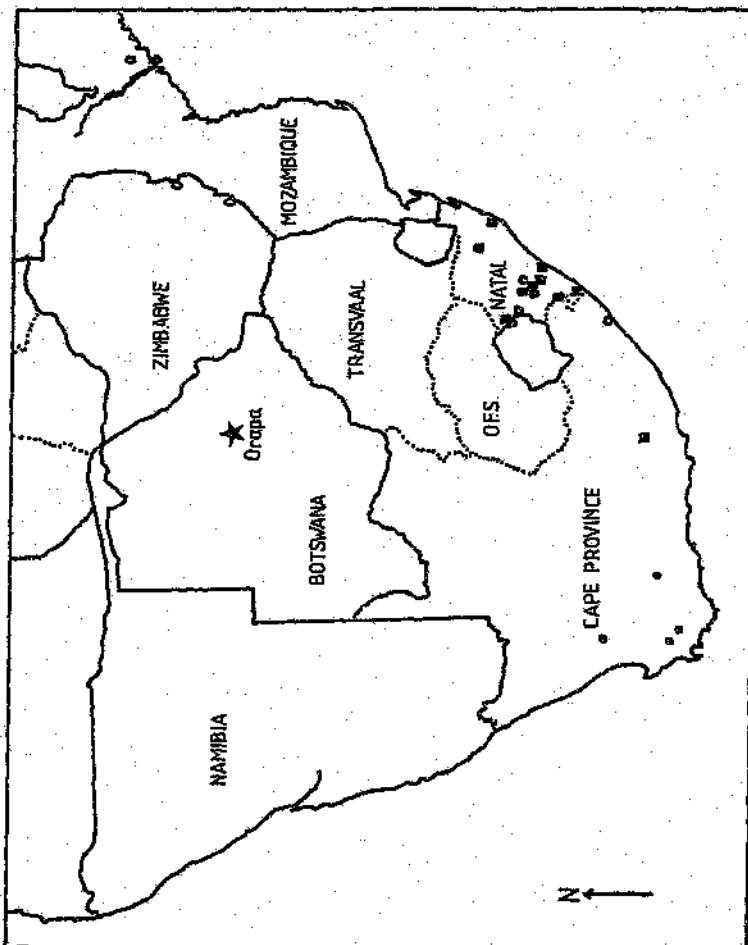


FIGURE 46

**FIGURE 47**

**Family ?MYCETOPHILIDAE**

SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/22455), whole specimen (x47.5).

Inset: chaetotaxy of fore legs (x58.0).

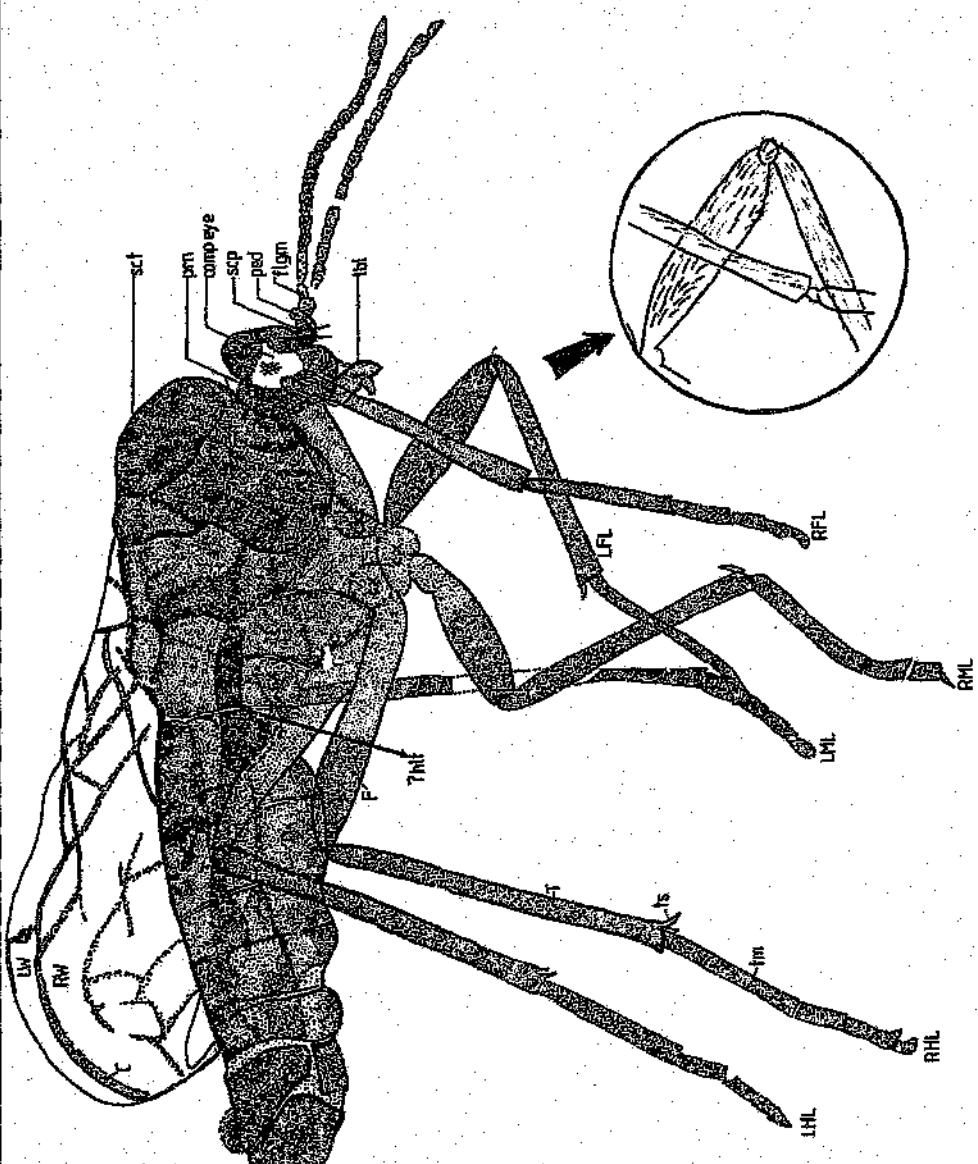


FIGURE 47

**FIGURE 48**

**Family ?RHAGIONIDAE**

**SPECIMEN 2: (BP/2/25896), wing (x73.2).**

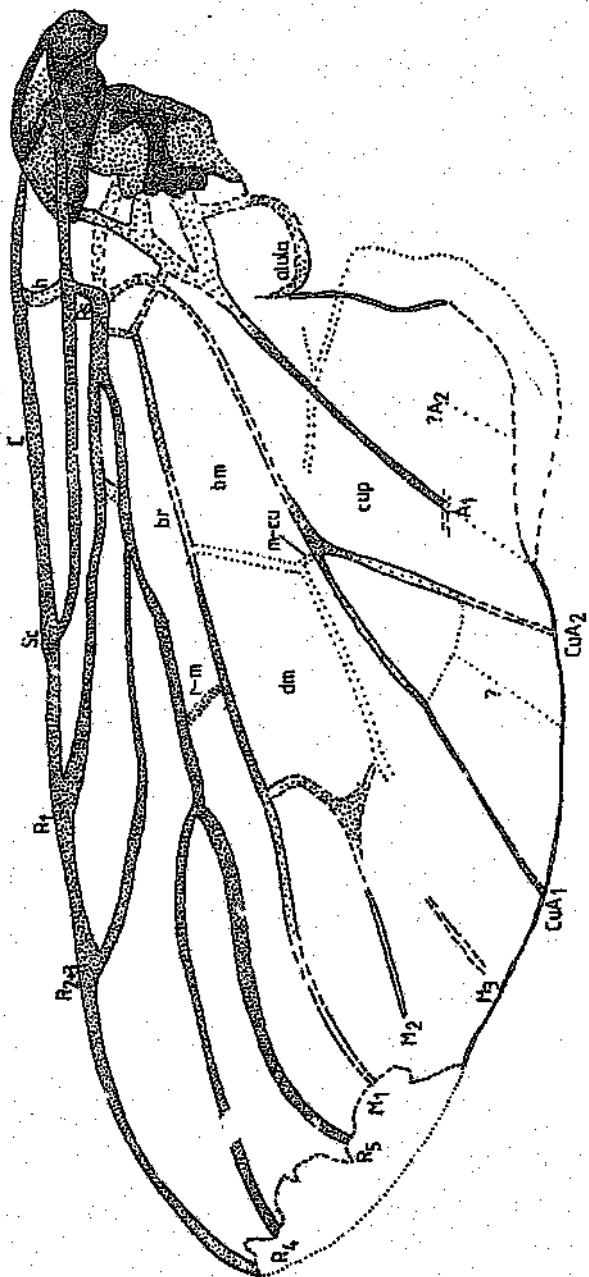


FIGURE 48

**FIGURE 49**

**Family ?RHAGIONIDAE/**

**?TABANIDAE**

**SPECIMEN 3: (BP/4/18217), whole specimen (21.8).**

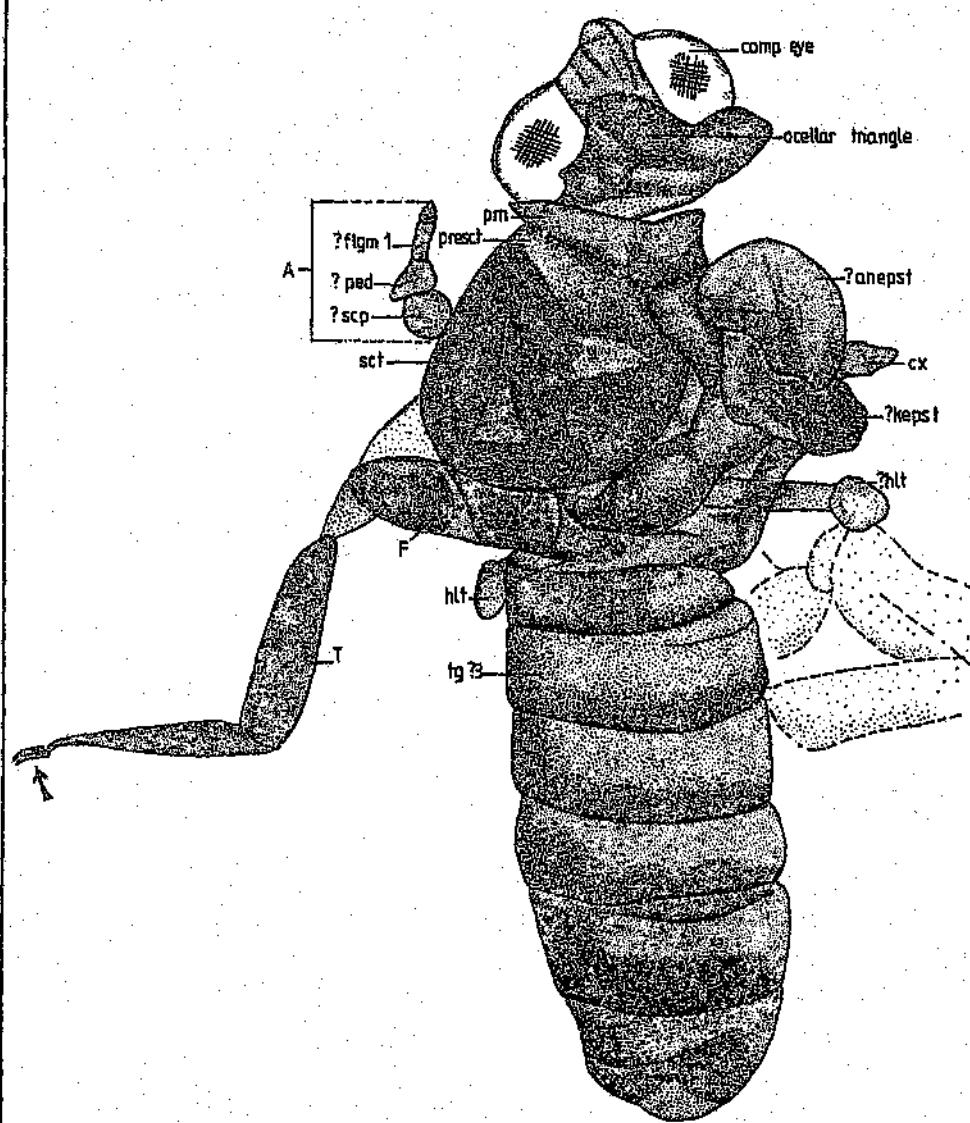


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**FIGURE 50**

**Family ?Mycetophilidae**

**SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/26238), whole specimen (x50.3).**

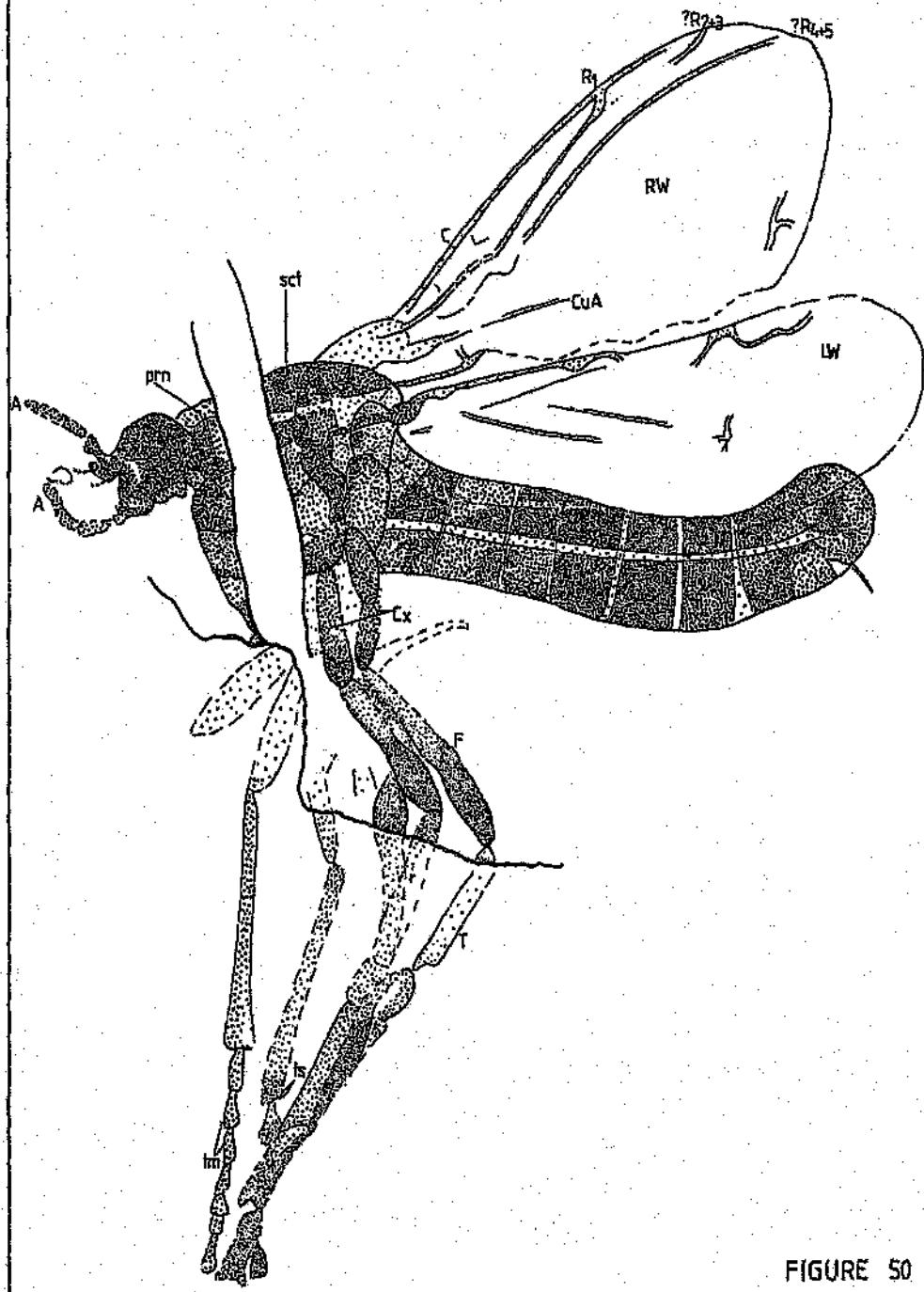


FIGURE 50

**FIGURE 51**

**Family ?**

**SPECIMEN 2: (BP/2/fragment), whole specimen (x54.8).**

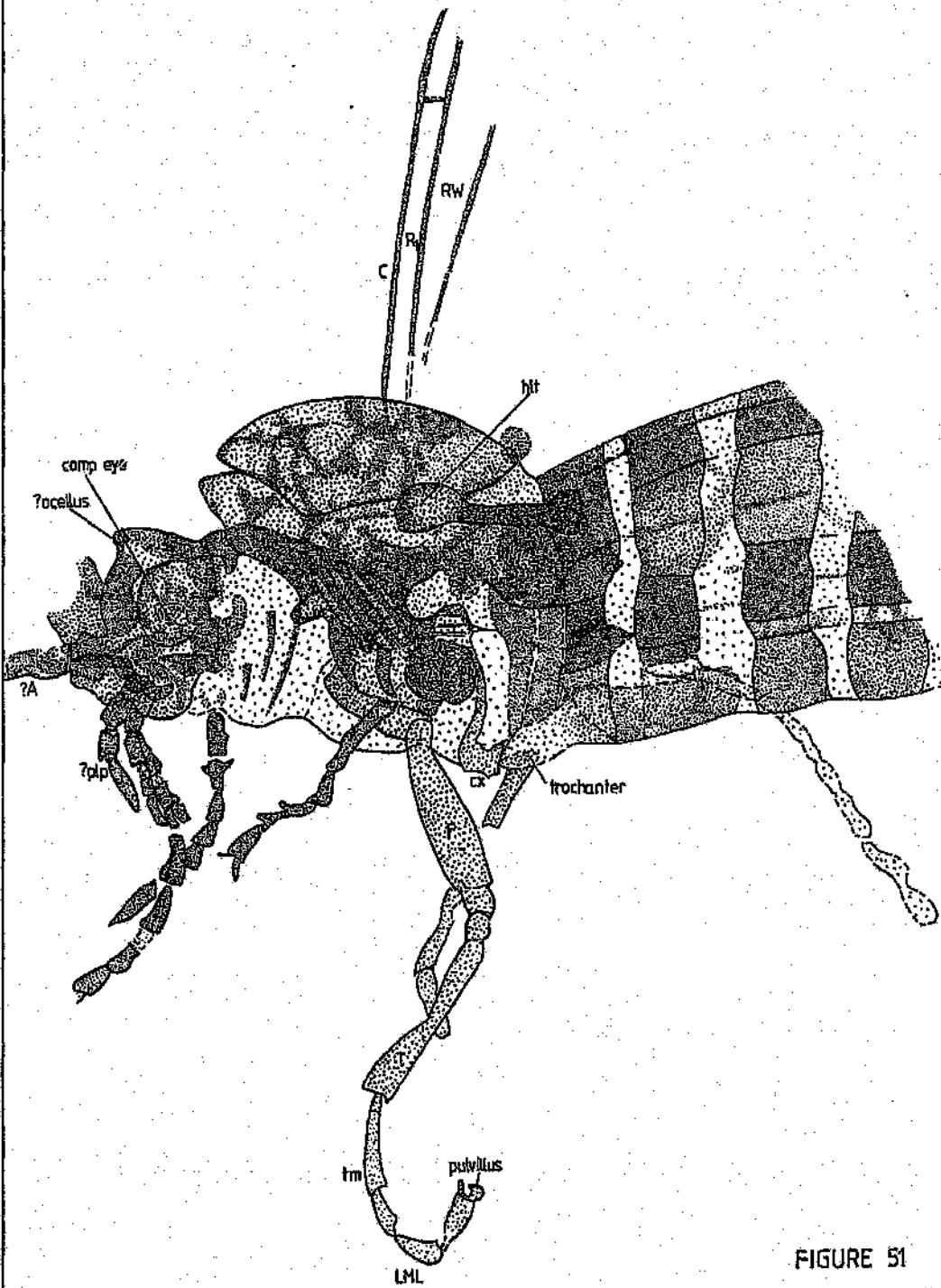


FIGURE 51

**FIGURE 52**

**Family ?**

**SPECIMEN 3: (BP/2/25974), whole specimen (x38.1).**

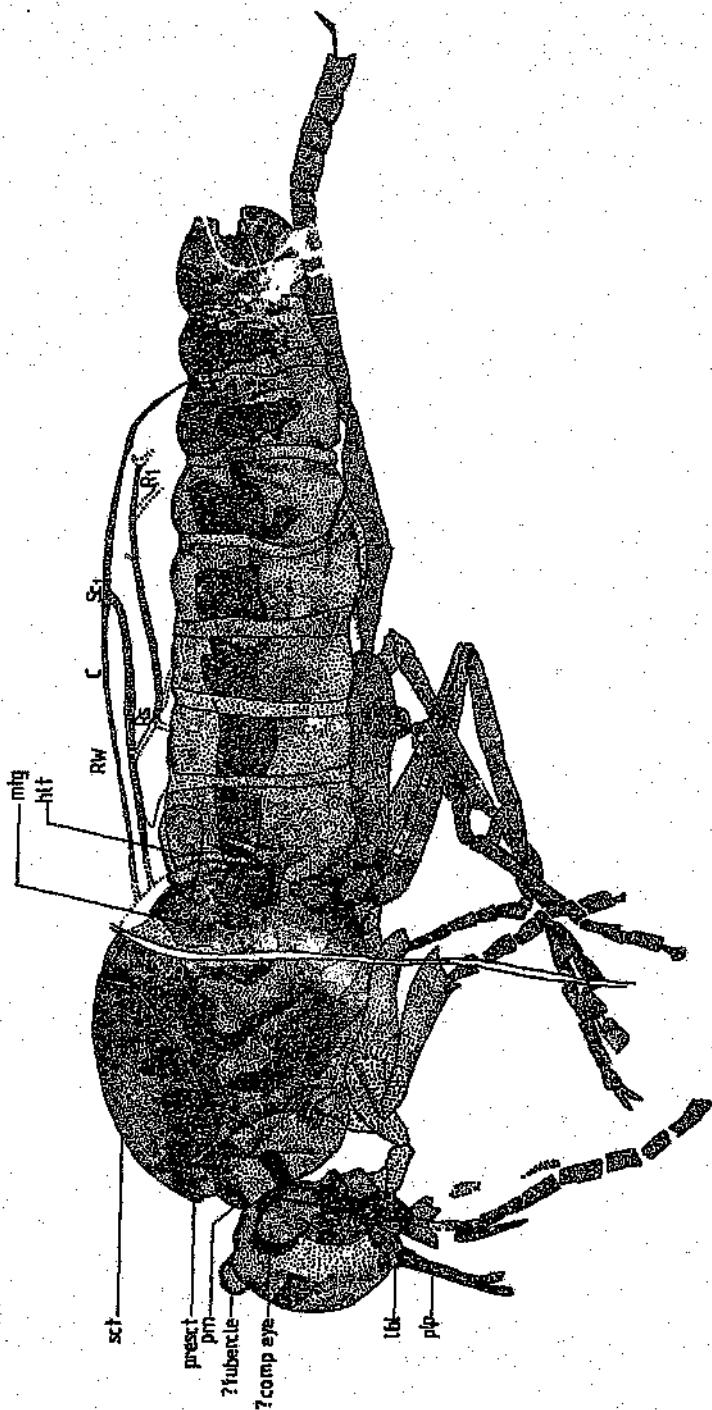


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**Family ?Anisopodidae**

**SPECIMEN 4: (BP/2/26852), whole specimen (x69.5).**

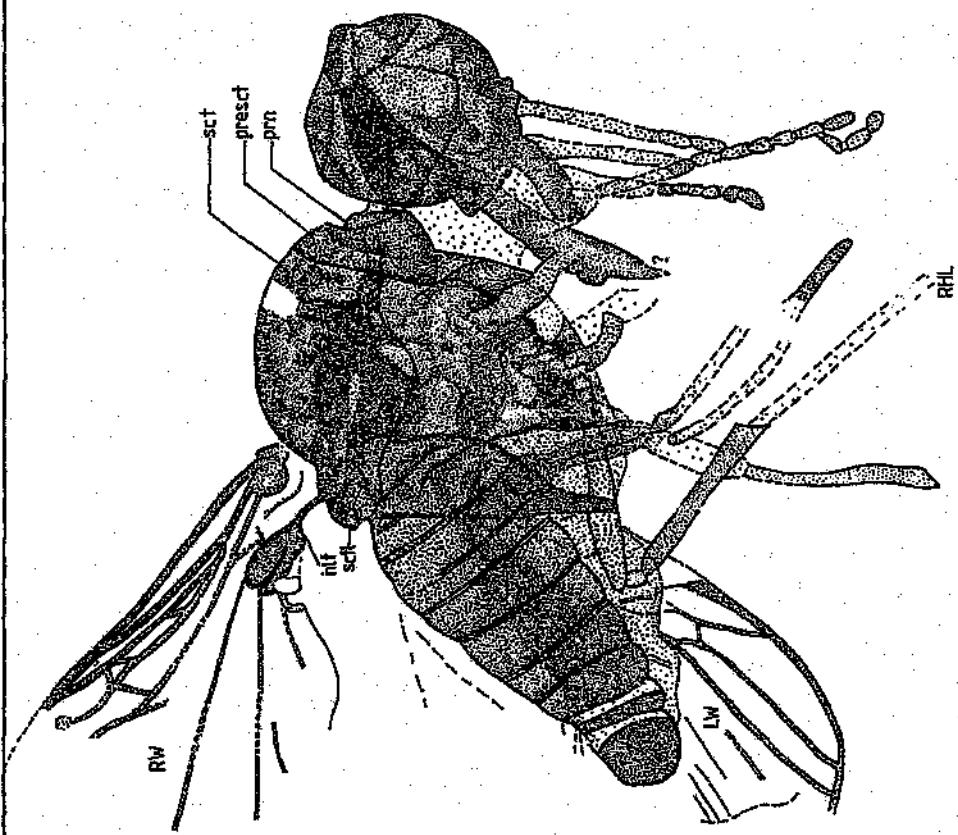


FIGURE 53

FIGURE 54

SPECIMEN 4: (BP/2/26852), reconstruction of wing (x69.5):  
A-D represent various ways in which the left and right  
wings (i.e. distal and proximal parts respectively) may be  
joined. Note the differences that may be possible in wing  
length and venation.

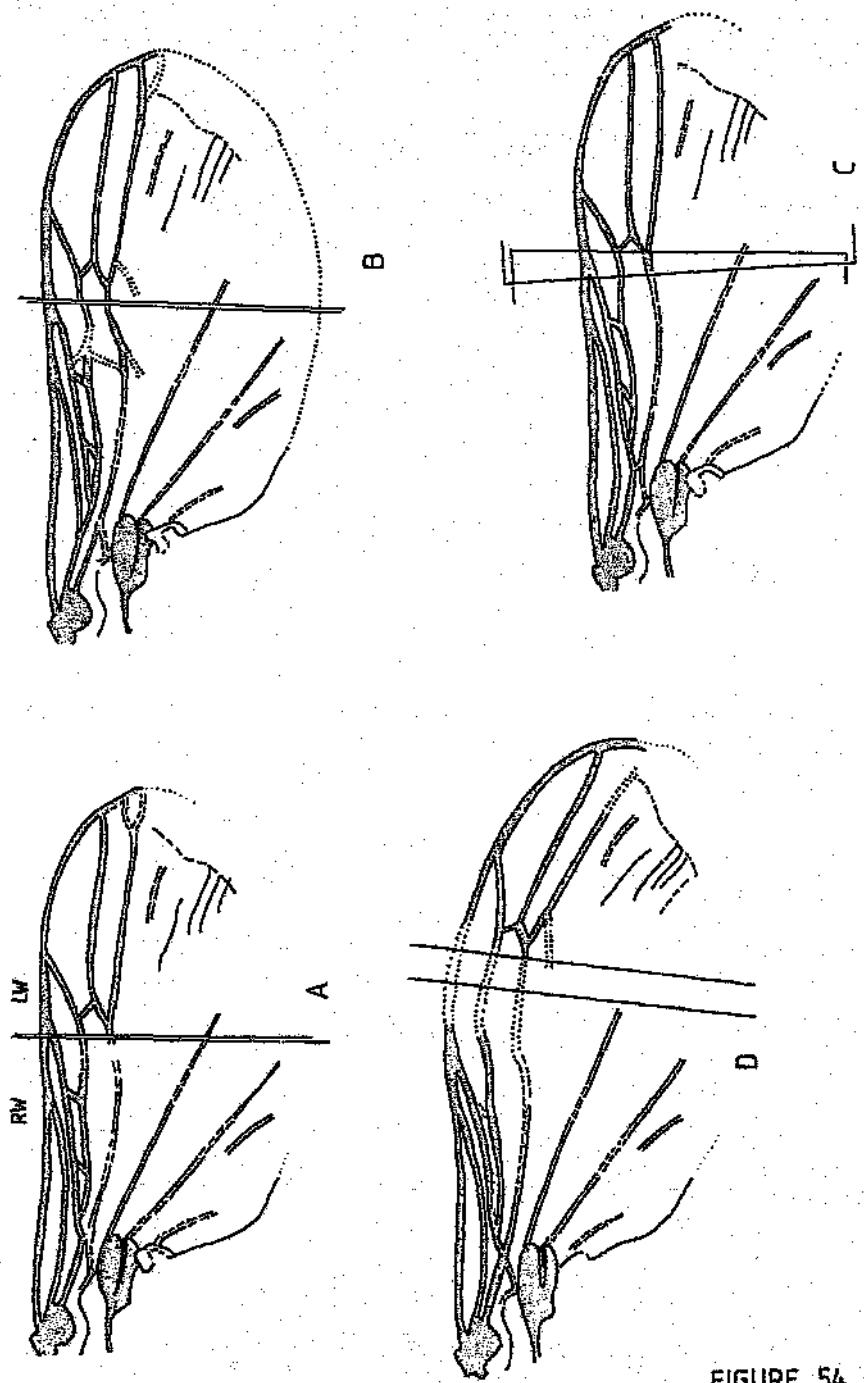


FIGURE 54

**FIGURE 55**

**Protolbiogaster rhaetica Rohdendorf**

(Family Protolbiogastridae)

(according to Rohdendorf, 1974).

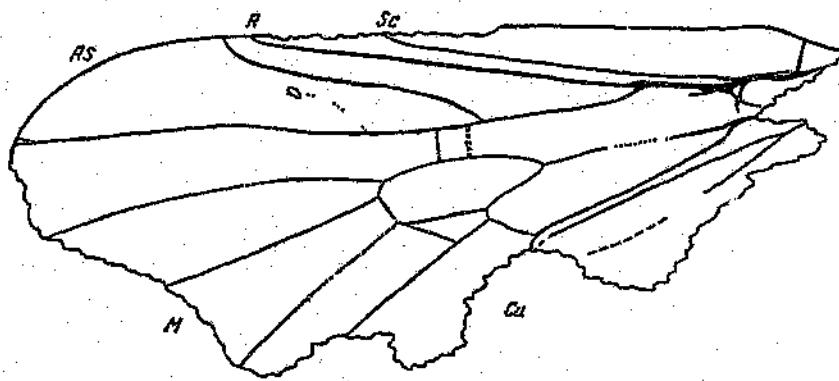


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**FIGURE 56**

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SPECIMEN 5: (BP/2/25248), whole specimen (x27.2).

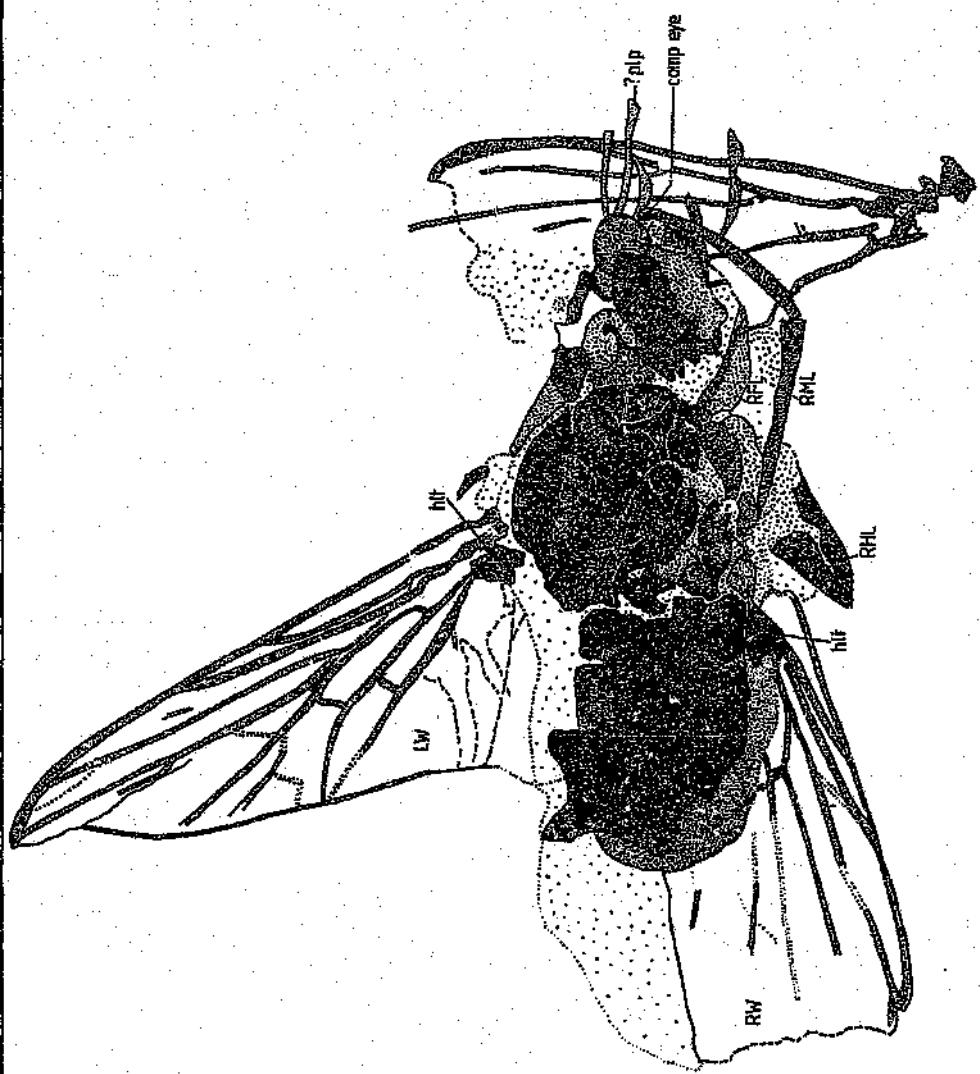


FIGURE 56

**FIGURE 57**

**Family ?**

**SPECIMEN 5: (BP/2/25248) (x27.2).**

- (a) Left wing.
- (b) Right wing.
- (c) composite of left and right wings.

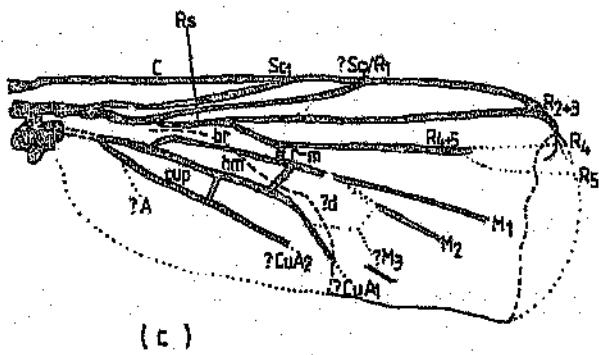
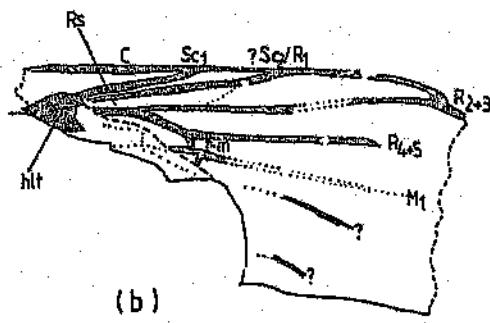
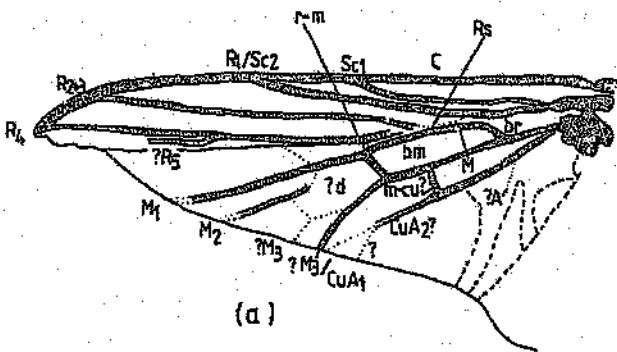


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**FIGURE 58**

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**SPECIMEN 6: (BP/2/25911), whole specimen (x66.0).**

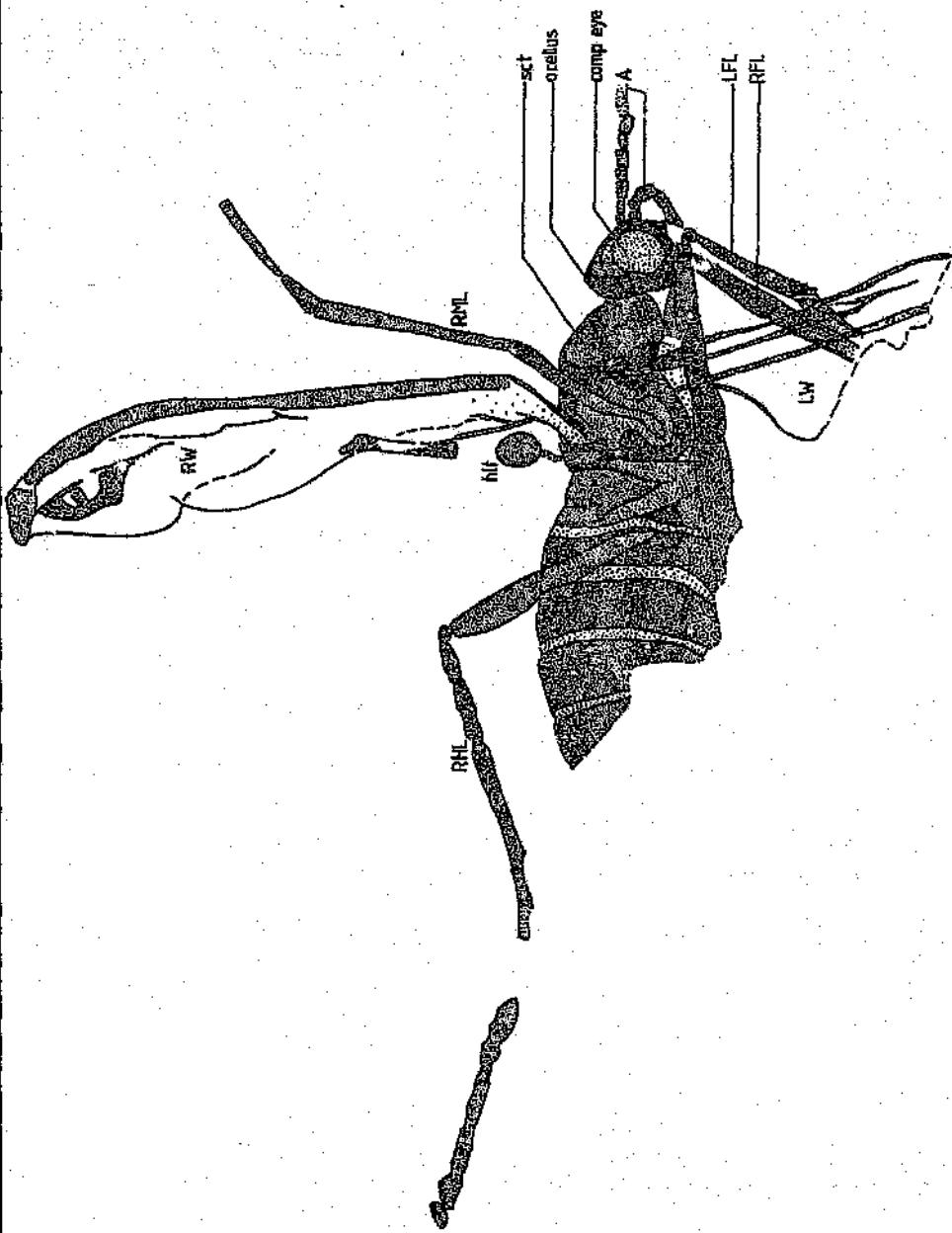


FIGURE 58

**FIGURE 59**

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**SPECIMEN 7: (BP/2/25859), whole specimen (x54.8).**

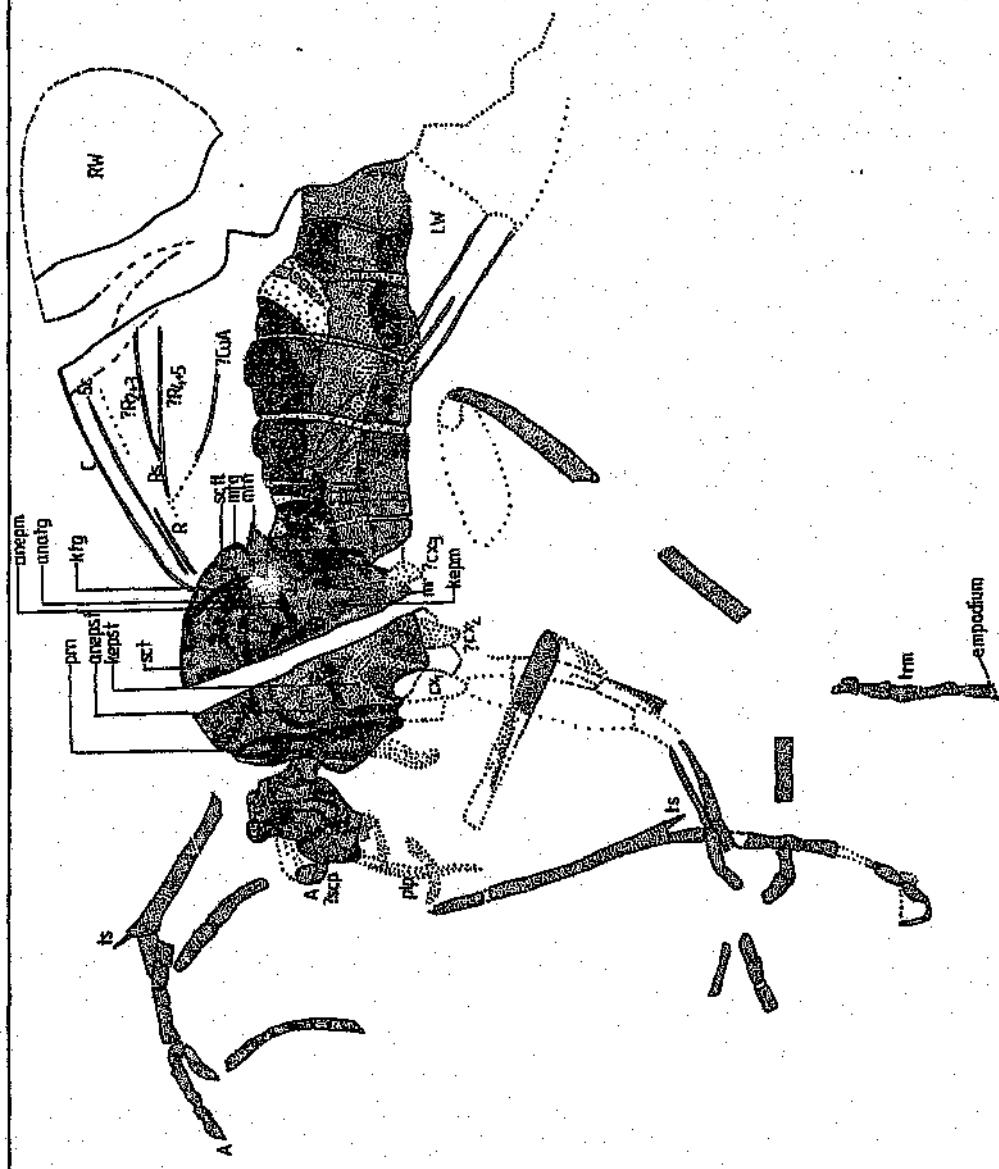


FIGURE 59

**FIGURE 60**

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**SPECIMEN 8: (BP/2/22455), whole specimen (x36.1).**

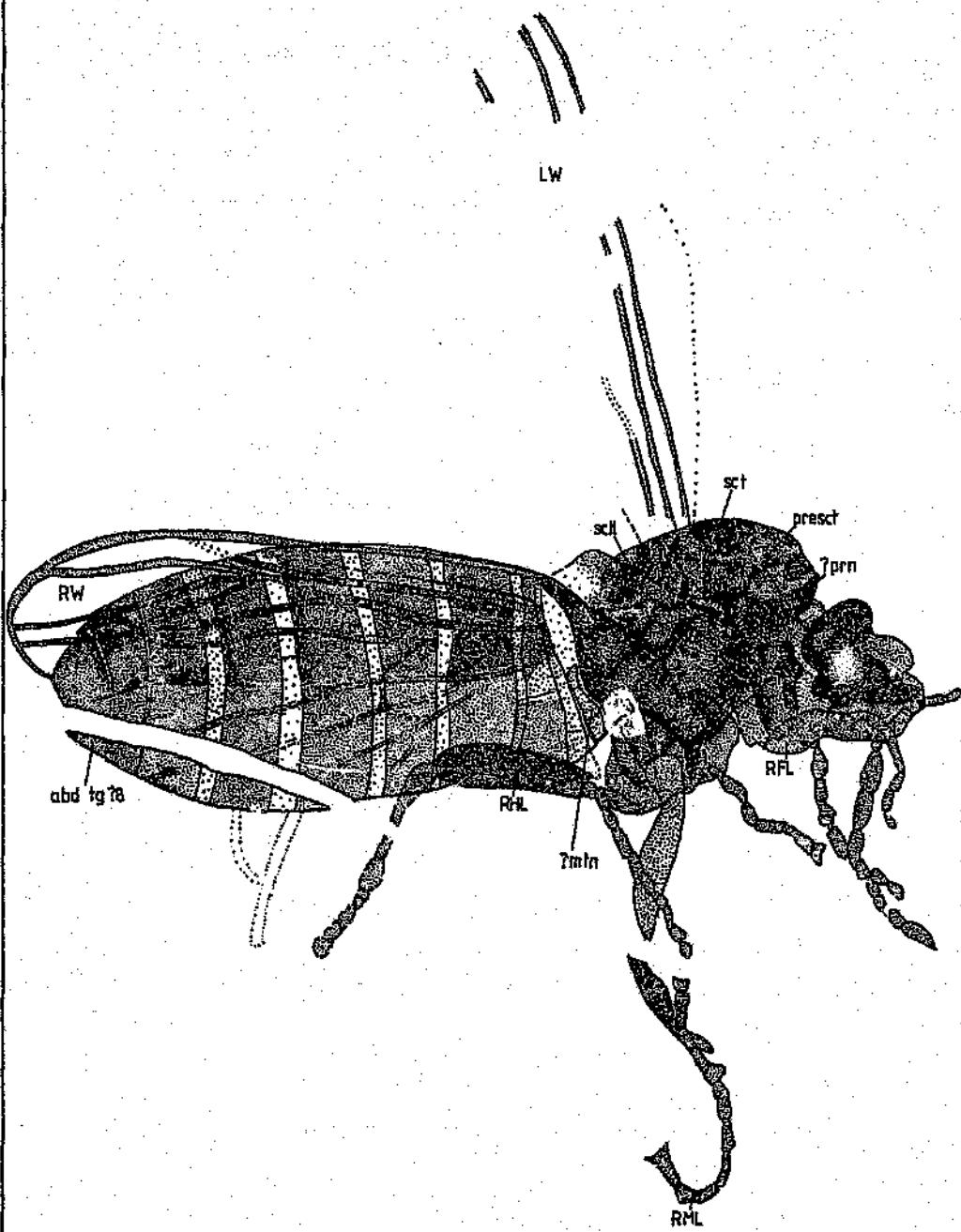


FIGURE 60

**FIGURE 61**

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SPECIMEN 8: (BP/2/22455), wing (x36.1).

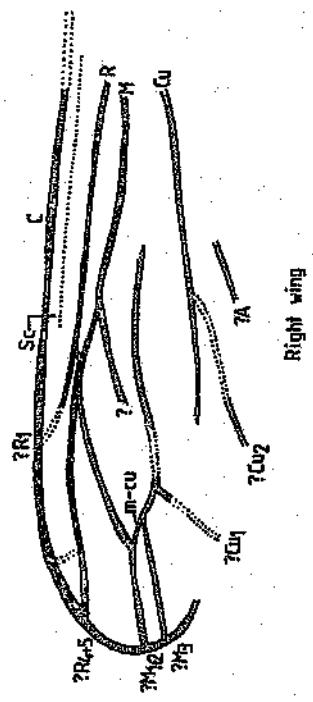


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**FIGURE 62**

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**SPECIMEN 9: (BP/2/26872), whole specimen (x77.8).**

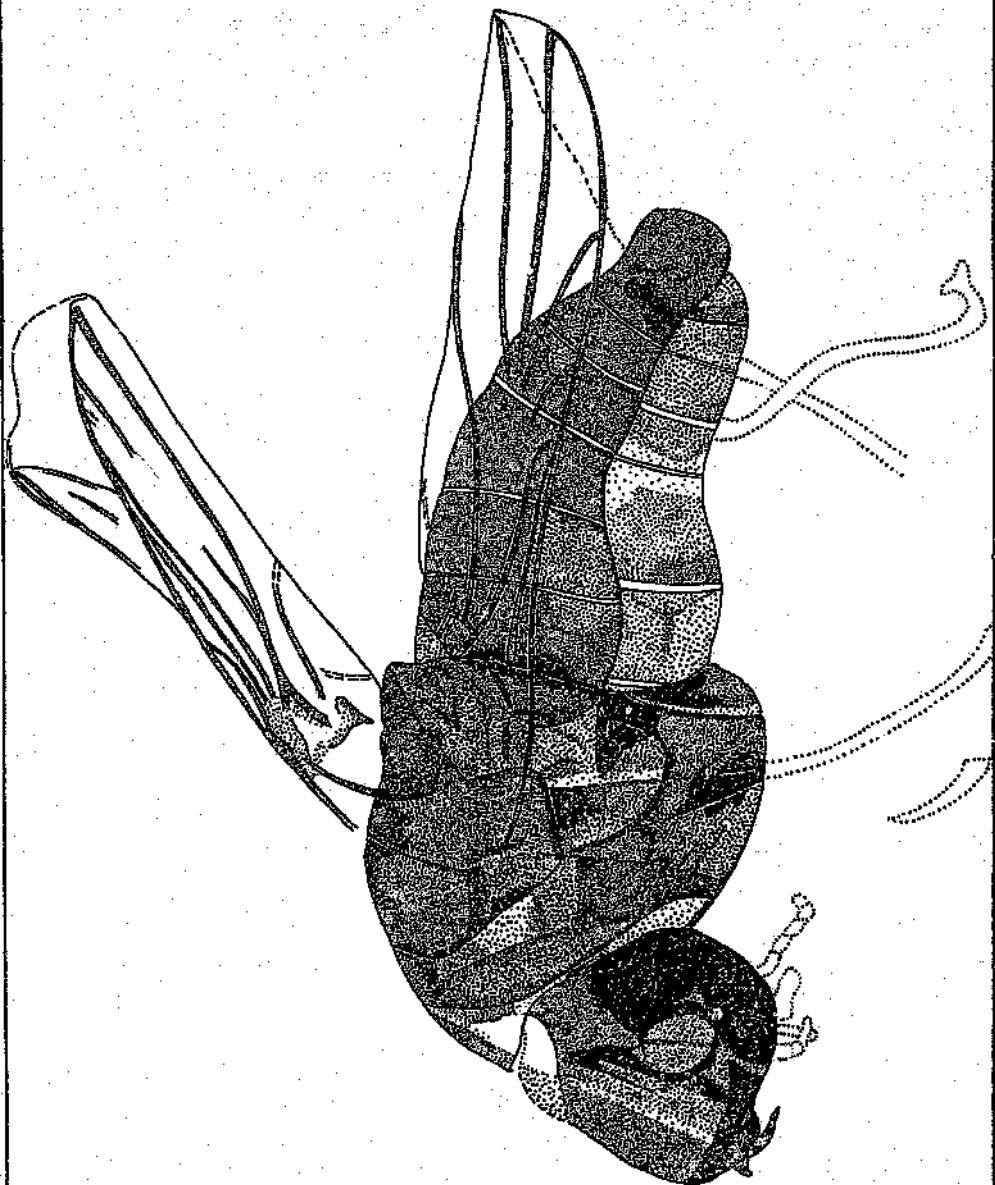


FIGURE 62

**FIGURE 63**

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SPECIMEN 10: (BP/2/26238), whole specimen (x37.3).

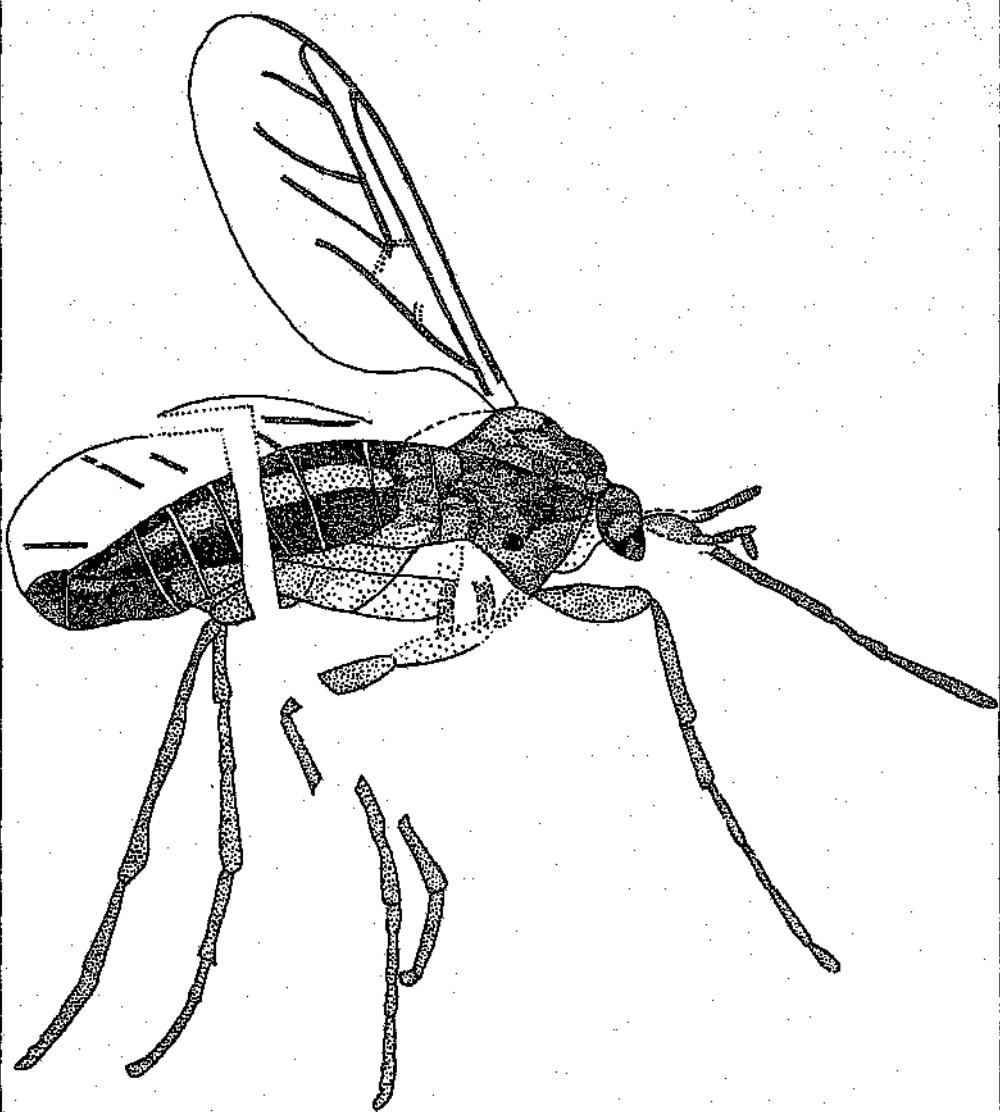


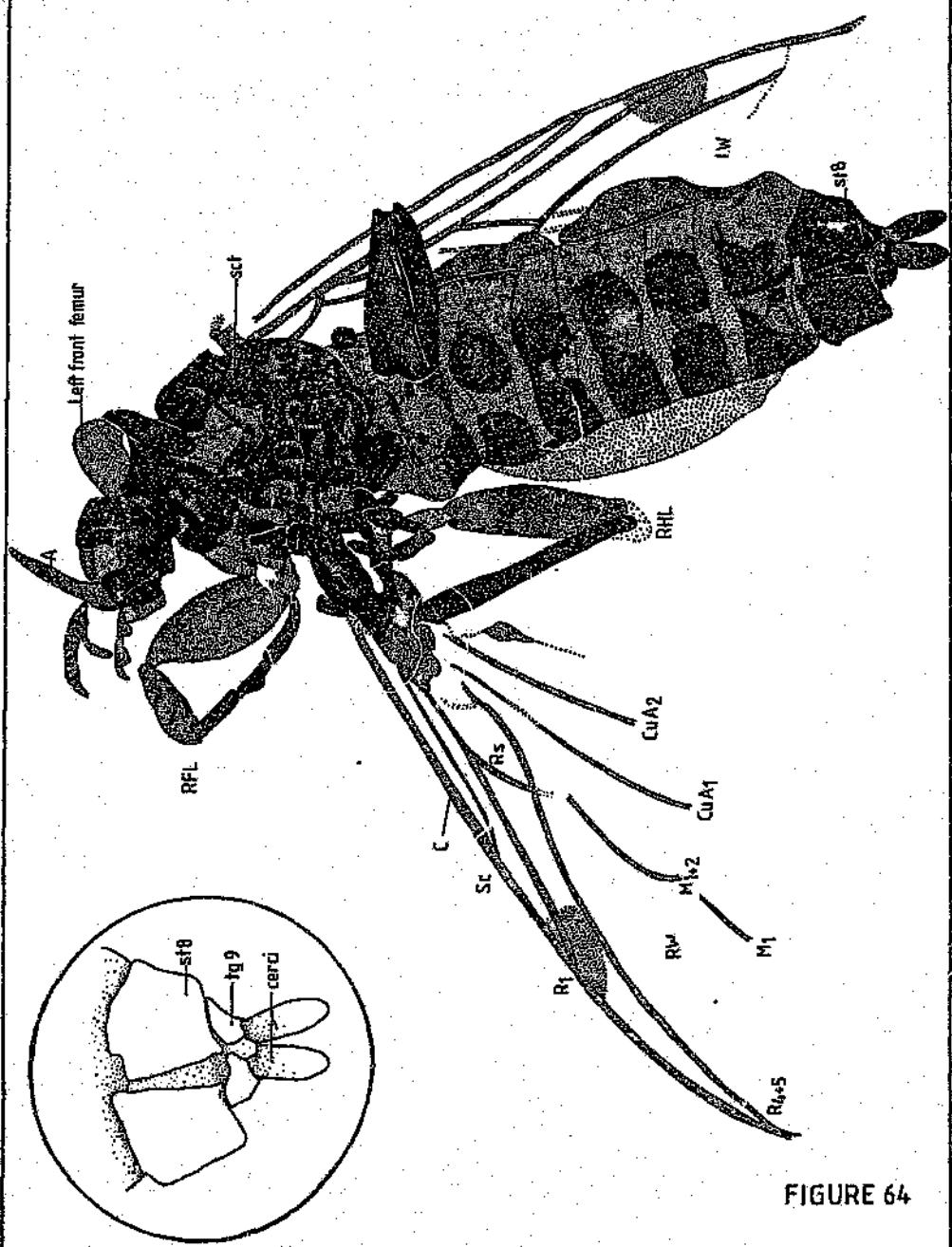
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**FIGURE 64**

**Family BIBIONIDAE**

**SPECIMEN 1: BP/2/22454, whole specimen (x38.9).**

**Inset: details of genitalia (x55.8).**



**FIGURE 65**

**Family BIBIONIDAE**

**SPECIMEN 2: BP/2/22453, whole specimen (x27.0).**

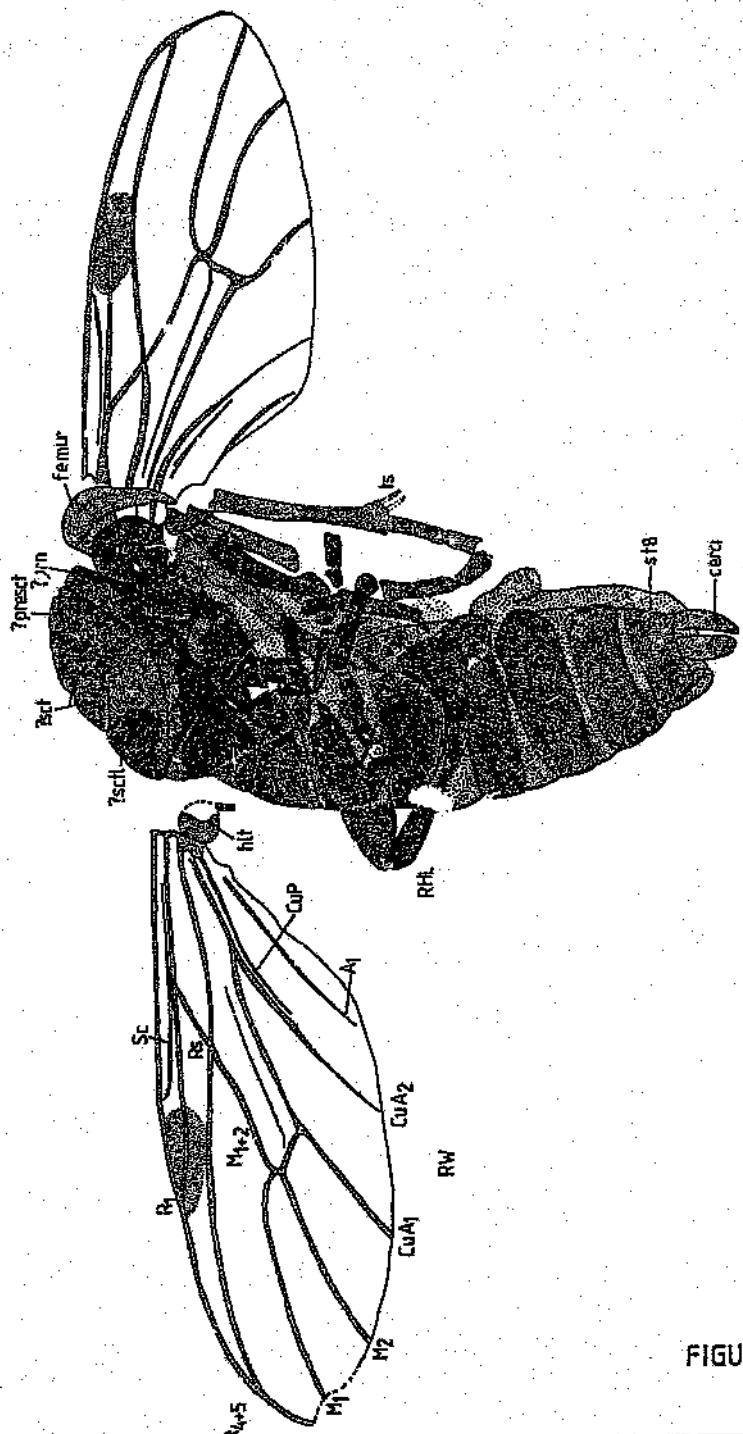


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**FIGURE 66**

**Family BISONIDAE**

**SPECIMEN 3: BP/2/22455, \* hole specimen (x33.2).**

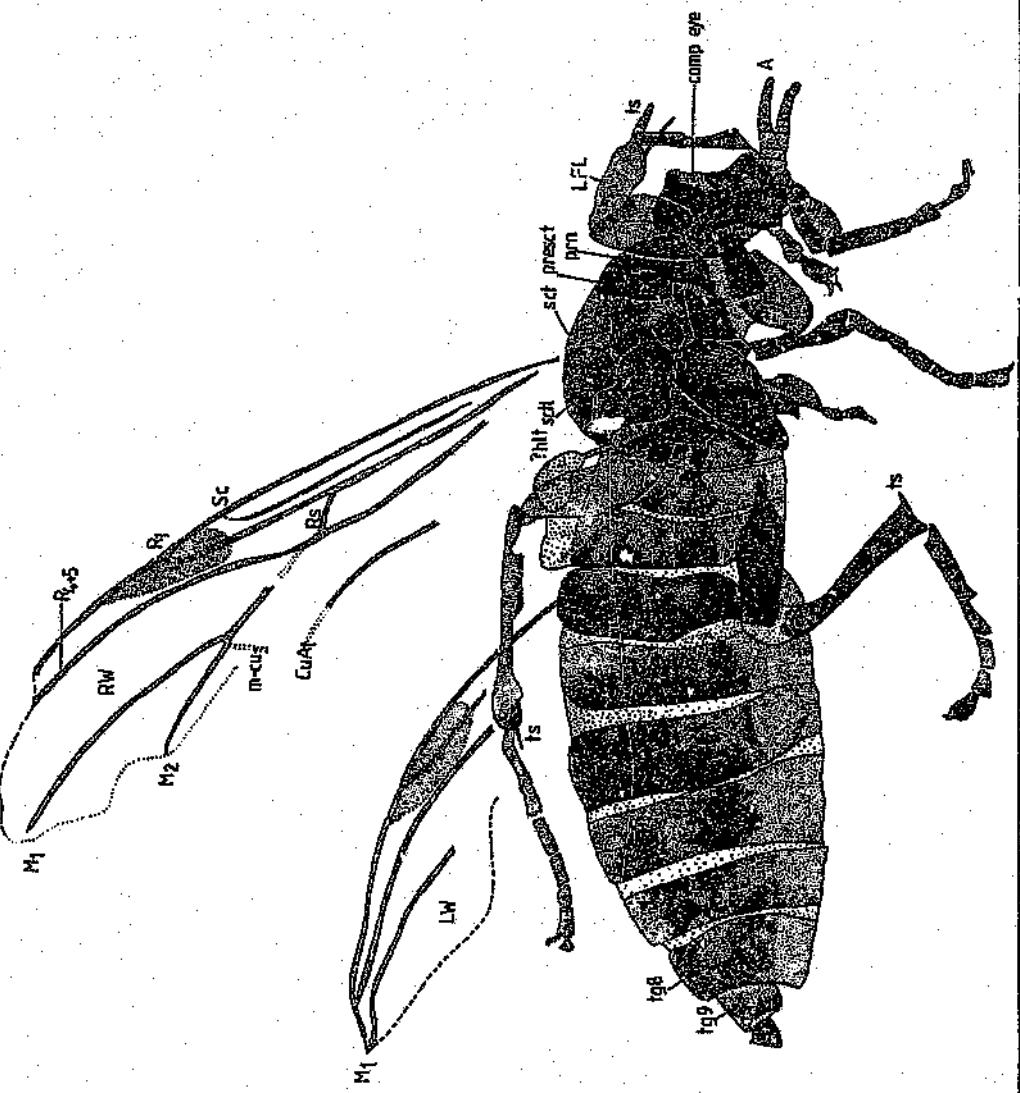


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**FIGURE 67**

**Family BIBIONIDAE**

**SPECIMEN 4: BP/2/22456, whole specimen (x41.6).**

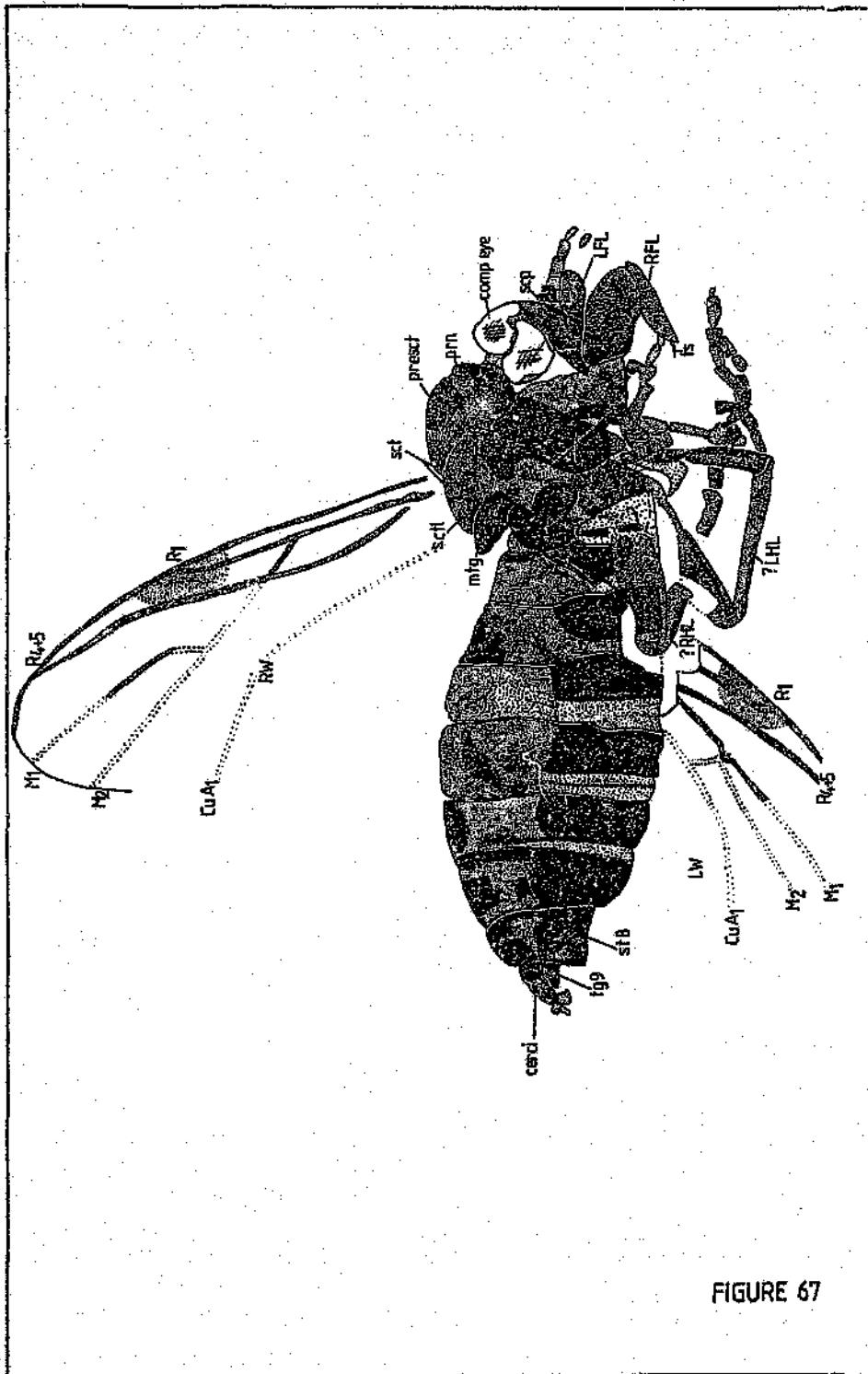


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**FIGURE 68**

Diagram illustrating the relative abundance of various dipteran families at Orapa.

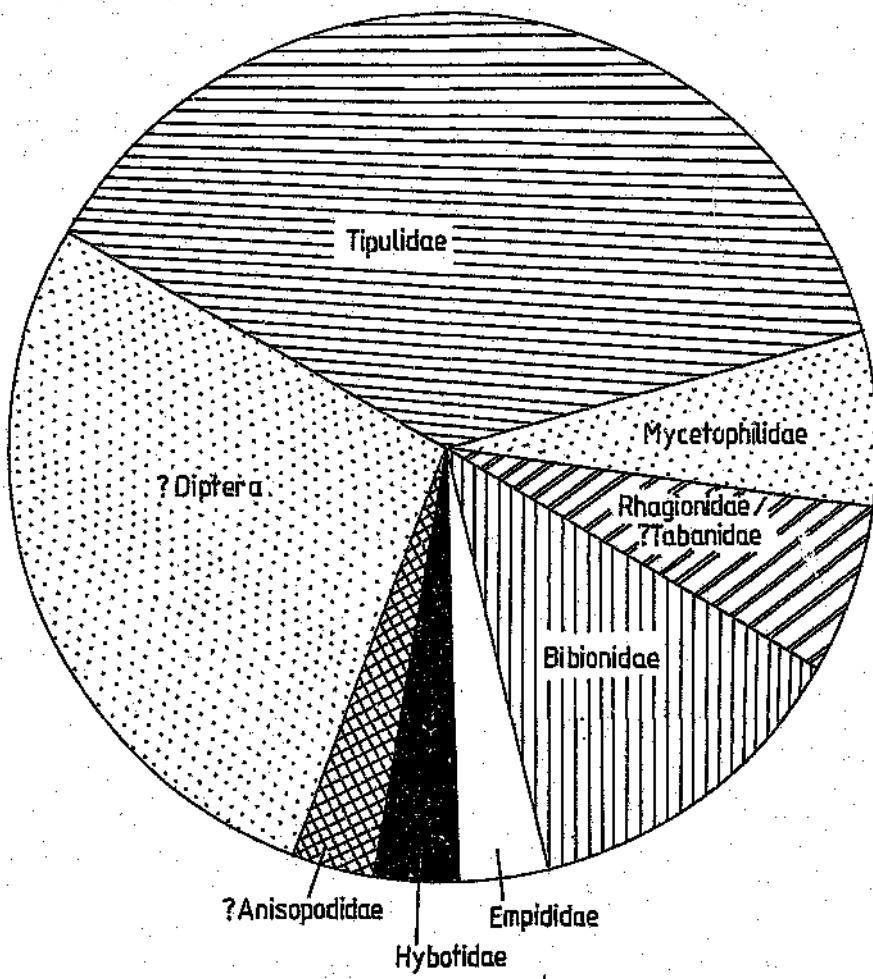


FIGURE 68

PLATE 1:

- A. Rubble removal from the Orapa mine, Botswana.
- B. Access road into the interior of the "crater".
- C. Sequential deepening of pit by "terracing" at 10m intervals.
- D. One of the students collecting rock samples at various levels of one of the 10m high, exposed rock faces.
- E. Layered mudstones breaking up neatly along bedding planes, providing fairly easy access to the fossils compressed between the layers.



A

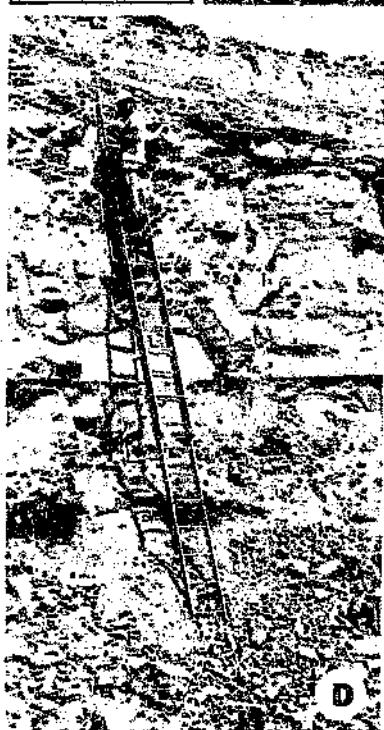


B

PLATE  
1



C



D



E

**PLATE 2:**

- A. Composite photograph of the specimen. The Legs are not included; scale bar = 1mm (x13.5).
- B. Details of the hairs on the specimen's leg; scale bar = 0.1mm (x106.7).
- C. Hairs on the leading edge of the wing;  
scale bar = 0.1mm (x108.0).
- D. Enlarged view of the specimen's compound eyes;  
scale bar = 0.1mm (x107.1).
- E. Hypopygium; scale bar = 0.1mm (x107.6).

**PLATE 2**

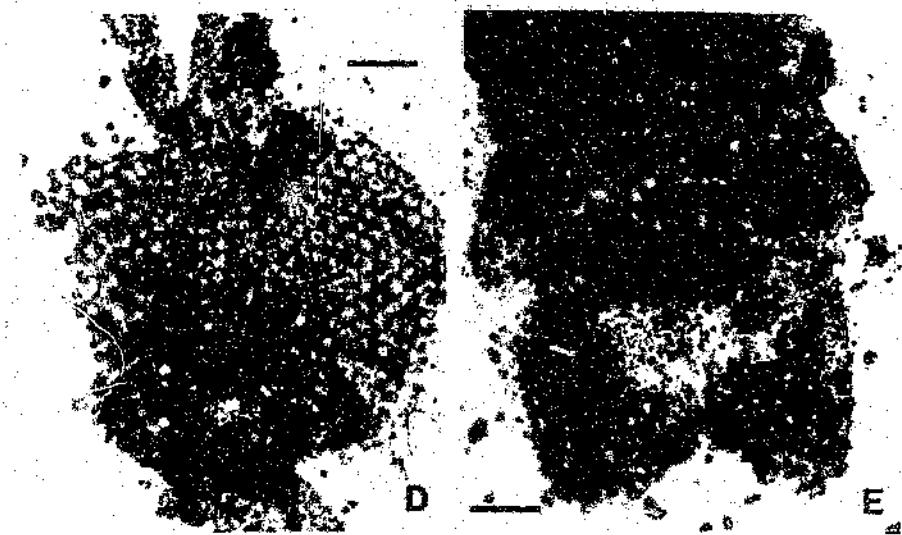
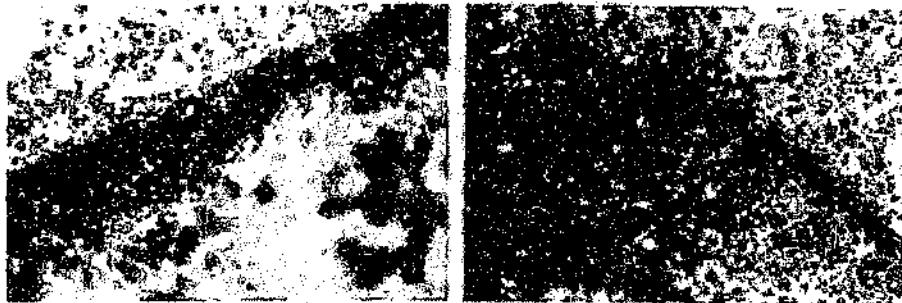
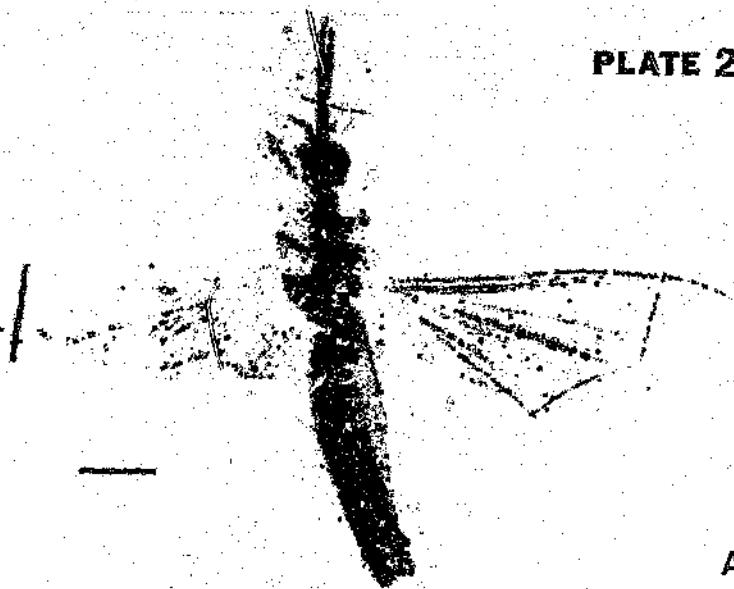


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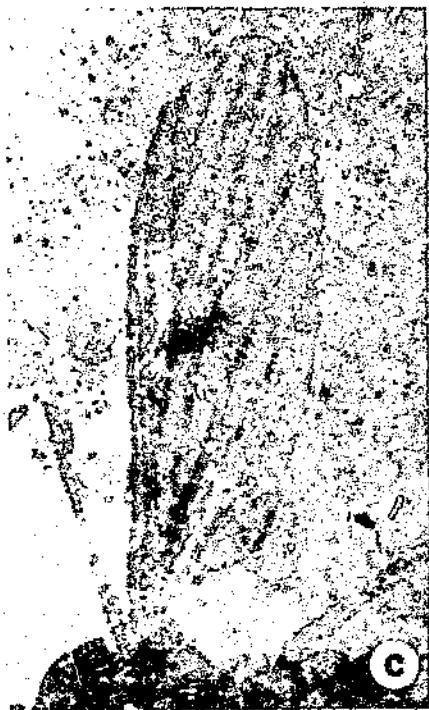
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- B. SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/27578b - counterpart), whole specimen (x7.2).
- C. SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/27578a - part), wing (x23.5).
- D. SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/27578b - counterpart), wing (x27.3).



A



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D

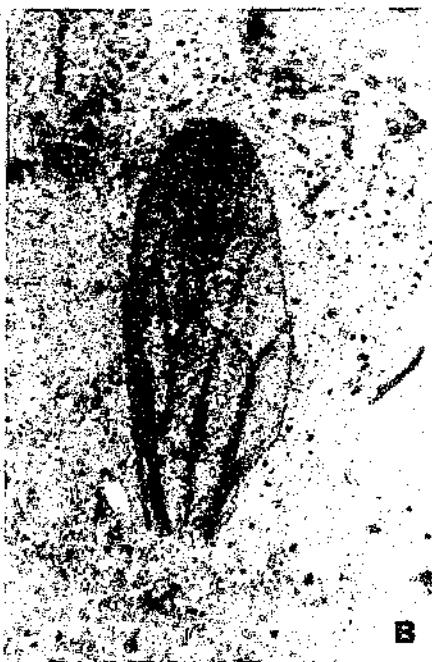
PLATE 3

PLATE 4:

- A. SPECIMEN 2: (BP/2/25228), whole specimen (x8.9).
- B. SPECIMEN 3: (BP/2/25843), whole specimen (x22.0).
- C. SPECIMEN 4: (BP/2/25939), whole specimen (x5.7).
- D. SPECIMEN 4: (BP/2/25939), details of left wing (x14).



A



B



C



D

PLATE 4

PLATE 5:

- A. SPECIMEN 5: (BP/2/25948), whole specimen (x7.1).
- B. SPECIMEN 5: (BP/2/25948), details of head and thorax  
(x10.2).
- C. SPECIMEN 6: (BP/2/26717), whole specimen (x12.5).
- D. SPECIMEN 7: (BP/2/25871), whole specimen (x10.4).

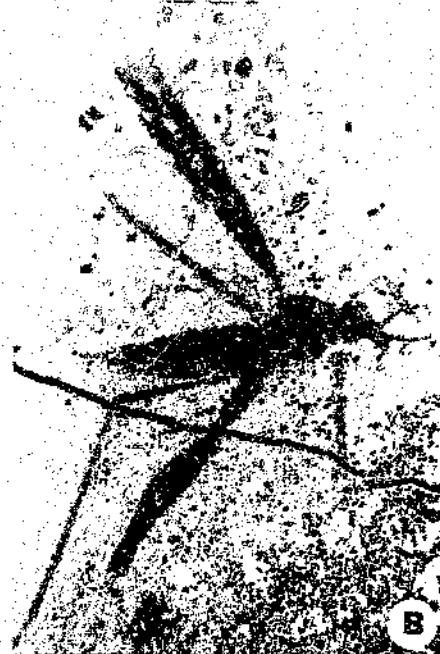
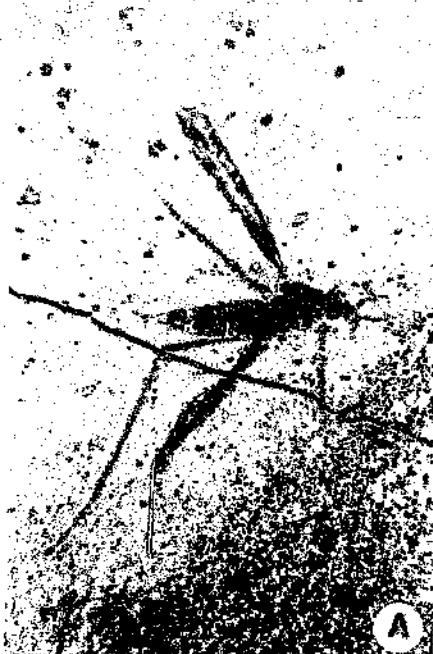


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**PLATE 6:**

- A. SPECIMEN 8: (BP/2/25919), whole specimen (x10.1).
- B. SPECIMEN 8: (BP/2/25919), details of head (x23.9).
- C. SPECIMEN 9: (BP/2/25269), whole specimen (x8.9).
- D. SPECIMEN 9: (BP/2/25269), details of head (x41.8).

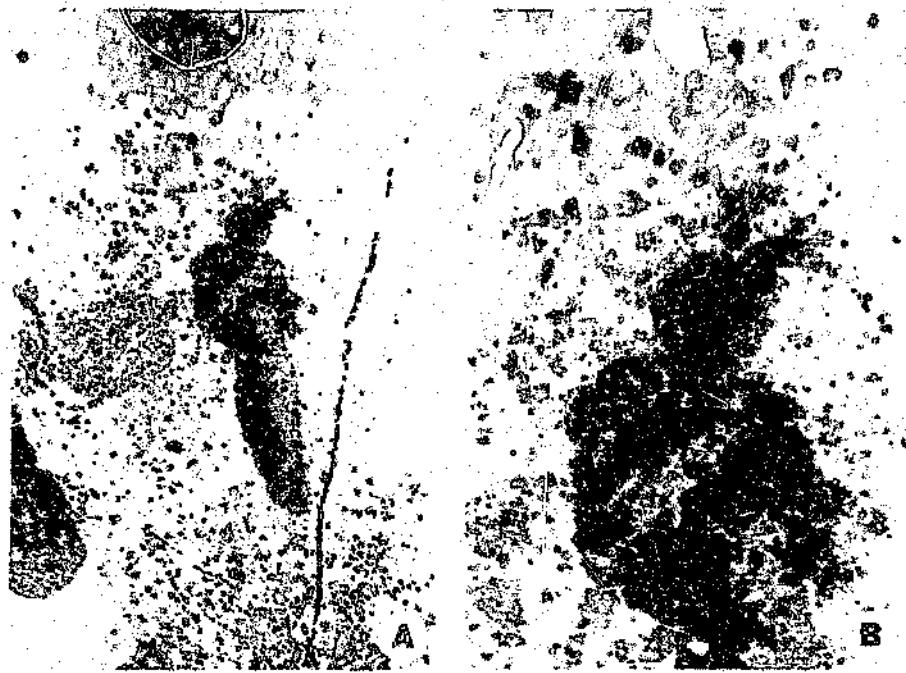


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**PLATE 7:**

- A. SPECIMEN 10: (BP/2/28228), whole specimen (x10.9).
- B. SPECIMEN 10: (BP/2/28228), details of head (x35.3).
- C. SPECIMEN 11: (BP/2/28229), whole specimen (x14.4).

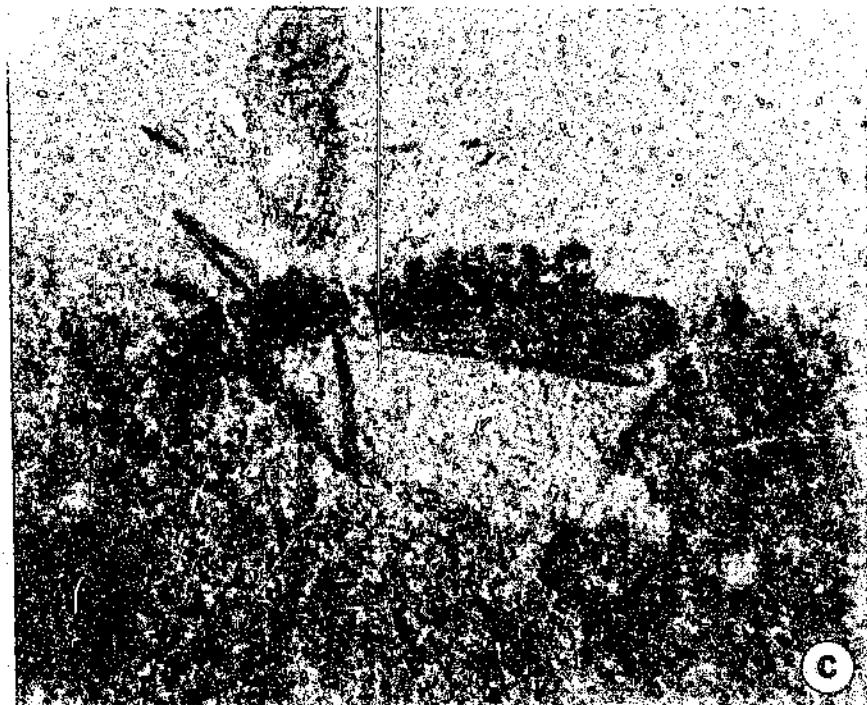


PLATE 7

PLATE 8:

Empis orapaensis sp.n., holotype, BP/2/26953. ♂.

- A. Whole specimen (x15.4).
- B. Left haltere (x5.9).
- C. Genital segments (x102.4).
- D. Tibia showing well-developed chaetotaxy (x161.3).
- E. Anterior margin of wing showing microtrichia on blade  
and stout bristles on the costa (x651.8).
- F. Chaetotaxy of a section of the abdomen (x795.2).

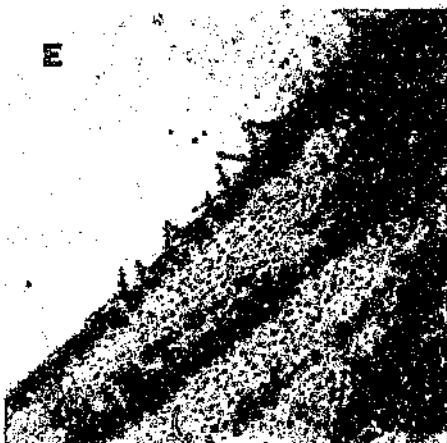
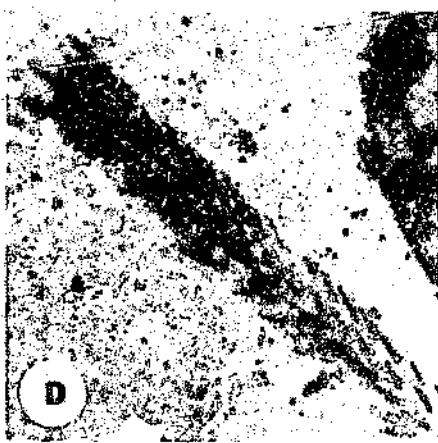
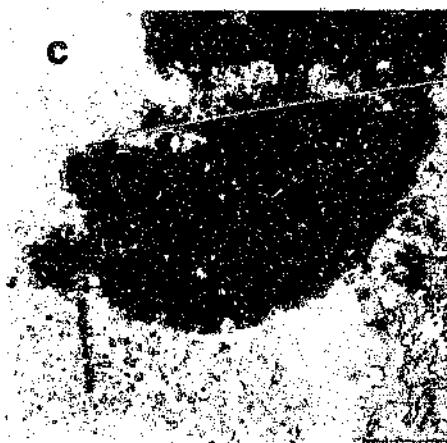
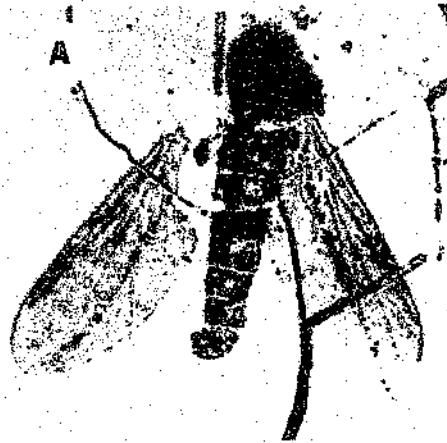


PLATE 8

PLATE 9:

- A. Pseudoacarterus orapaensis gen. et sp. nov. (BP/2/25224a - part), whole specimen (x16.7).
- B. P. orapaensis (BP/2/25224a - part), haltere (x141.4).
- C. P. orapaensis (BP/2/25224b - counterpart), whole specimen (x21.4).
- D. P. orapaensis (BP/2/25224a - part), tibia and tarsi with 2 pectinate claws (x184.5).



A

B



C

1

D



PLATE 9

PLATE 10:

- A. SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/22455), whole specimen (x19.1).
- B. SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/22455), details of head (x64.5).
- C. SPECIMEN 2: (BP/2/25896), wing (x32.9).
- D. SPECIMEN 3: (BP/2/18217), whole specimen (x7.9).



A



B



C



D

PLATE 10

**PLATE 11:**

- A. SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/26238), whole specimen (x14.7).
- B. SPECIMEN 2: (BP/2/fragment), whole specimen (x12.7).
- C. SPECIMEN 3: (BP/2/25974), whole specimen (x12.8).

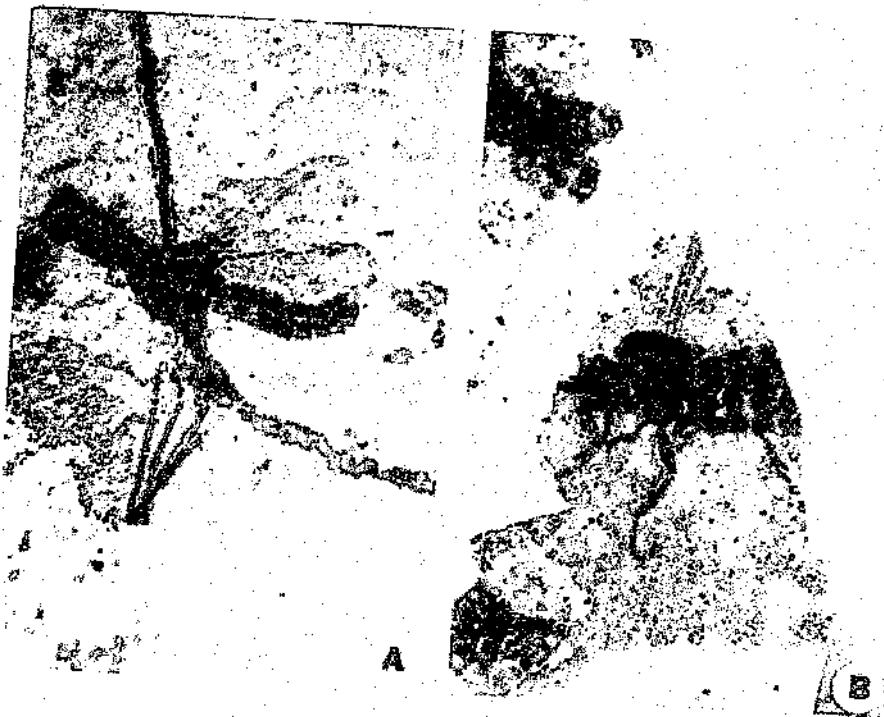


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**PLATE 12:**

- A. SPECIMEN 4: (BP/2/26852), whole specimen ( $\times 26.7$ ).
- B. SPECIMEN 5: (BP/2/25911), whole specimen ( $\times 6.8$ ).
- C. SPECIMEN 6: (BP/2/25911), whole specimen ( $\times 19.9$ ).
- D. SPECIMEN 7: (BP/2/25859), whole specimen ( $\times 17.6$ ).

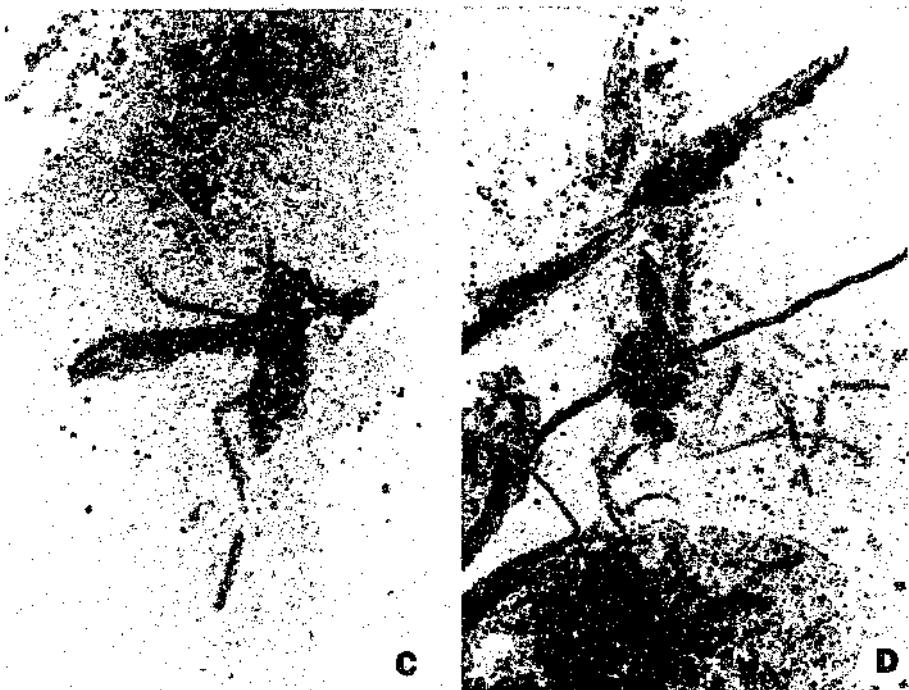


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**PLATE 13:**

- A. SPECIMEN 8: (BP/2/22455), whole specimen (x9.3).
- B. SPECIMEN 8: (BP/2/22455), details of head (x21.3).
- C. SPECIMEN 9: (BP/2/26872), whole specimen (x22.0).
- D. SPECIMEN 10: (BP/2/26238), whole specimen (x10.7).

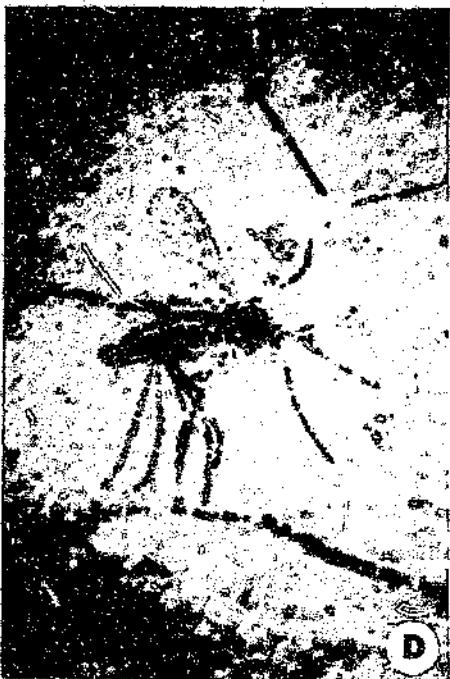


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PLATE 14:

- A. SPECIMEN 2: (BP/2/22453), whole specimen ( $\times 18.8$ ).
- B. SPECIMEN 3: (BP/2/22455), whole specimen ( $\times 12.8$ ).
- C. SPECIMEN 1: (BP/2/22454), whole specimen ( $\times 15.1$ ).
- D. SPECIMEN 4: (BP/2/22456), whole specimen ( $\times 17.5$ ).



A



B



C



D

PLATE 14

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