

IXODIDAE FROM SUMATRA.

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Nine small tubes of Sumatran ticks collected from 1913—1917 by Mr. E. JACOBSON were found to contain representatives of five genera and eight species. Some of the specimens were larvae or nymphs which, with our present knowledge, it is impossible to identify with certainty, but the adult specimens all belonged to species already known, and only two are of special interest. *Ixodes spinicoxalis* was described by NEUMANN in 1899 from specimens taken from *Martes (Mustela) flavigula* in Sumatra, and a female of this rare species is comprised in the present collection (tube No. 2). Another female *Ixodes* from an unknown host I attribute to the species *I. granulatus* SUPINO (1897) established for forms found on Burmese squirrels but long considered doubtfully valid until NUTTALL in 1916, examined the types and found the species to be undoubtedly good.

Subjoined is a list of the tubes and their contents, the host, locality and date being added when known:

Tube	name	host	locality	date
1.	<i>Haemaphysalis leachi</i> AND. ♂♂, ♀♀.	<i>Martes flavigula Henricii</i> (WESTERM).	Andalas (Tandjung) Sumatra's W. coast.	V. 14.
1a.	<i>Amblyomma</i> nymphs probably <i>testudinarum</i> C. L. KOCH.	"	"	"
2.	<i>Ixodes spinicoxalis</i> NEUM. ♀	"	"	"
2a.	<i>H. leachi</i> AND. 1 ♂, 2 ♀♀.	"	"	"
3.	<i>Amblyomma testudinarum</i> C. L. KOCH, ♀.	on rock inhabited by <i>Macaca irus</i> CUV.	Pandang (Sumatra's W. coast).	"
4.	<i>Haemaphysalis</i> nymph probably <i>cornigera</i> .	<i>Tana tana</i> (RAFFLES) (Tupajidae).	Suban Ajam (Bencoolen).	VIII. 16.
5.	<i>Dermacentor auratus</i> SUP. ♂.	unknown.	Sungai Kumbang (Korintji).	VIII. 15.
6.	<i>Amblyomma</i> nymphs probably <i>testudinarum</i> .	„a reptile”.	Buo (Sumatra's W. coast).	III. 14.
7.	<i>Ixodes granulatus</i> SUP. ♀.	unknown.	Muaro Sako (Sumatra's W. coast).	X. 15.
8.	<i>Haemaphysalis hystricis</i> SUP. ♀♀.	<i>Arctonyx hoeveni</i> (Hubr.)	Bukit Kaba (Bencoolen).	VII. 16.
9.	<i>Aponomma</i> larvae indeterminate.	<i>Nycticebus buku</i> (MARTIN).	Sumatra's West coast.	X. 14.
9a.	<i>H. leachi</i> 2 ♀♀.	"	"	"

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