**Phylloporus foliiporus**

**Cap:** convex with a slight umbo; 28 - 70 mm diameter; glabrous and dry, with some fine scales near margin; dark brown (7F5), reddish brown (9D3-8), chestnut, fading to pale brown and sometimes margin paler.

**Stipe:** tapering with a slight bulb at base; 30 – 40 × 8 – 10 mm; pale brown with slightly darker but scarce squamules;

**Gills:** decurrent, bright golden yellow; lamellulae present; fleetingly green then black on bruising.

**Flesh:** thick white, staining pale pinkish brown in cap darker brown in lower half of stipe.

**Smell:** pleasant, boletoid.

**Spore print:** greenish brown.

**Spores:** fusoid; 7.6 – 9.1 × 3.4 – 4.8 µm, average 8.4 ± 0.5 × 4 ± 0.4 µm, Q = 1.85 – 2.47, average Q = 2.10 ± 0.2.

**Basidia:** clavate, ± 50 × 9 µm, four spored.

**Cheilocystidia:** clavate

**Pleurocystidia:**

**Pileipellis:** a trichoderm of septate cells narrowing towards the septa.

**Habitat:** in wet sclerophyl forest under Eucalyptus, but the Aberdeen collection was apparently under Acacia.

**Notes:** Watling retains this as a separate species but seems to relate it to *P. clelandii* which is a much more robust species with larger spores. The combination of the cyanescent reaction to bruising, dark brown cap colour and short spores define these collections.

**Collections examined:** BRIP 10283, Goodna, 19 iii 1975, J.E.C. Aberdeen, 19 Mar 1975; PL130315, Cooloolabin Forest, Pat Leonard, 7 Mar 2015.