9. Emenadia limbata. (Tab. XVI. figg. 13, 14, ♂; 15, 16, ♀.)

Ripiphorus limbatus, Fabr. Ent. Syst. i. 2, p. 112¹; Oliv. Ent. iii. no. 65, p. 6, t. 1. figg. 5 a, 5 b². Rhipiphorus limbatus, Say, Bost. Journ. Nat. Hist. i. p. 189³; Complete Writings, ii. p. 660⁴; Gerst. Rhipiph. Col. Fam. Disp. Syst. p. 30⁵; Horn, Trans. Am. Ent. Soc. v. p. 125⁶.

Hab. North America⁵, United States³, Pennsylvania to Texas⁶.—Mexico, Xucumanatlan (H. H. Smith), Cuernavaca, Guanajuato, Orizaba (Sallé), Chilpancingo, Cerro de Plumas (Höge); Guatemala (Sallé); Costa Rica, Caché (Rogers); Panama, Volcan de Chiriqui (Champion).

We have received about twenty specimens of this extremely variable species, all but three of which are from Mexico: of these, six are black; two are black, with the thorax rufous; two are black, with the disc of the elytra (and the sides of the thorax also in one specimen) partly rufous; five have the thorax and elytra flavo-testaceous or stramineous, the former broadly marked with black on the anterior half of the disc and the latter with the sutural and lateral margins and the base black; one (from Chiriqui) has the thorax and elytra entirely stramineous; two are rufous, with the base or apex of the elytra black. The anterior coxæ are narrowly separated by the prosternum; the head is almost smooth, with the vertex only moderately raised; the second joint of the hind tarsi is a little widened, not or very little more than half the length of the third.

The representatives in the Sallé collection are separated into five species. I am indebted to Dr. Horn for an example of *E. limbata* for comparison. We figure four specimens, all from Mexico.

10. Emenadia discicollis. (Tab. XVI. figg. 17, ♀; 18, ♀, var.)

Rhipiphorus discicollis, Gerst. Rhipiph. Col. Fam. Disp. Syst. p. 32 (2) 1.

Rhipiphorus mutilatus, Gerst. loc. cit. $(?)^2$.

Rhipiphorus 4-maculatus, Gerst. loc. cit. p. 33 (3) 3.

Emenadia melanoptera, Chevr. Bull. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1877, p. ix 4.

Emenadia vitraci, Fleut. & Sallé, Ann. Soc. Ent. Fr. 1889, p. 432 5.

Hab. Mexico (ex coll. Sturm; Mus. Brit.), Ventanas in Durango (Forrer), Temax in North Yucatan (Gaumer).—Colombia ²; Brazil ¹; Antilles, Cuba ³, Porto Rico ⁴, Guadaloupe ⁵ (Mus. Brit.).

We have received four female specimens of an *Emenadia* from Mexico agreeing very well with Gerstäcker's description of *E. discicollis*, and there is also a Mexican example of the same species in the British Museum. In three of these the elytra are black with a slight bluish tint in certain lights, and the thorax is rufous or reddishtestaceous with the disc to a variable extent black; one (from Sturm's collection) is reddishtestaceous above and beneath, with the apices of the elytra black; one (in the