

the Blattidæ and Mantidæ, in vol. I., but the account of them had to be deferred until the appearance of Brunner v. Wattenwyl's and J. Redtenbacher's Monograph, the concluding portion of which was not published till 1908. Prof. L. Bruner's work on the Acridiidæ, in which Mr. A. P. Morse assisted him with the subfamily Tettiginæ, was issued in 1900-1908, the Tettiginæ having appeared in 1900-1901. The list of the Phasmidæ, published in 1908, was compiled from the above mentioned Monograph, the authors of which included the material obtained by the Editors of the present work. As in vol. I., the species, excepting the Tettiginæ, likely to occur in Mexico or Central America are included in the enumeration. Altogether 663 species are regarded as belonging to the fauna, although in many cases, owing to lack of material, there is at present no actual record from within the limits of Central America. The 663 species are apportioned thus: Acridiidæ, including the 26 Tettiginæ, 522 (138 new); Phasmidæ 141. The Index to the two volumes occupies pp. 379-412 in vol. II.

The eight plates (four for each family) include figures of 120 species, some of which are Nearctic or Neotropical forms closely related to those known to inhabit Central America.