

16 (A). **Aphodius constricticollis.** (Tab. XXIV. fig. 11.)

Elongato-oblongus, mediocriter convexus, piceo-niger, politus, pedibus rufo-piceis, antennis tarsisque pallidioribus; capite lævissimo, inermi, clypeo fere semicirculari apice vix perspicue truncato, genis parum prominentibus; thorax quadratus, post medium paullo constrictus, apud angulos posticos subrectos iterum paullulum dilatatus, prope angulos anticos leviter angustatus, dorso subconvexo lævissimo, lateribus parce punctatis, basi marginata; scutellum mediocre; elytra striata, striis subtilissime punctulatis, interstitiis paullulum convexis; tibiæ anticæ punctulatæ.

Long. 7 millim.

Hab. MEXICO, Omilteme in Guerrero 8000 feet (*H. H. Smith*).

The bristles at the apex of the posterior tibiæ are unequal in a different way from those of the species allied to *A. rufipes* and *A. contaminatus*, the great majority being short, with a long one only at distant intervals.

16 (B). **Aphodius** —?

Hab. MEXICO, Omilteme in Guerrero (*H. H. Smith*).

A single specimen, discoloured; extremely near *A. euprosopus*.

17. **Aphodius opisthius.**

Aphodius duplex, antea p. 87.

Aphodius opisthius, antea p. 92, note.

24. **Aphodius larreæ.** (*A. bifrons*, Tab. VI. fig. 20.)

Aphodius larreæ, Horn, Trans. Am. Ent. Soc. xiv. p. 41 (February 1887)¹.

Aphodius bifrons, antea p. 90 (September 1887).

To the localities given, add :—NORTH AMERICA, El Paso, Texas¹.

Dr. Horn recognized our *A. bifrons*, the types of which he saw on a recent visit to England, as his *A. larreæ*.

24 (A). **Aphodius omiltemius.**

A. mexicano et affinis primo intuitu similis, sed valde differt genis haud productis. Paullo brevior, postice leviter dilatatus, piceo-niger, capitis thoracisque limbis, antennis, palpis et pedibus testaceo-rufis; caput inerme, vix perspicue punctulatum; clypeus semicircularis limbo explanato, margine antico obtusissime truncato, prope genas nullo modo sinuato, his subacutis sed haud productis; thorax transversim quadratus, a basi ad apicem subrecte et mediocriter angustatus, lateribus late biimpressis punctulatis, disco fere lævi, basi immarginata utrinque versus angulos posticos obtusos sed distinctos obliquata; elytra subsericeo-nitentia, sat profunde striata, striis parum conspicue punctulatis, interstitiis convexis; tibiæ posticæ extus carinis longe setosis, apice valde inæqualiter setosæ; tarsi elongati, graciles.

Long. 5 millim. ♀.

Hab. MEXICO, Omilteme in Guerrero 8000 feet (*H. H. Smith*).

The two examples appear to be females, and all the claws are simple. *A. omiltemius* resembles the species of the *A. mexicanus* group in so many features that it ought probably to be placed in it. It lacks, however, what von Harold considered