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| 33. Odontophorus Columbianus | Pl. XXX. |
| 34. ————— strophium | Pl. XXXI. |
| 35. ————— lineolatus | Pl. XXXII. |

I have now enumerated every species of this group with which I am at present acquainted ; all of which having been carefully compared and examined, I am fully satisfied that they are each specifically distinct, the whole forming a large and well-defined family, distinguishable from the Partridges and Quails of the Old World, with which they have been usually associated, by the absence of any spur or spur-like appendage on the tarsi, and by the possession of tooth-like processes on the under mandible. They are pugnacious in disposition, semi-arboreal in their habits, deposit their eggs in a depression of the ground, or in a very inartificial nest, and the eggs of all the species, so far as I have been able to learn, are white ; their food consists of seeds, berries, fruits, and the tender leaves of grasses and other annuals ; their flesh is white, tender, and well-flavoured.