PSEUDOSTOMA (GEOMYS) MEXICANUS.—LE CONTE.

P. Mexicanus, mollipilosus, saturate cinereus, supra nigro-tinctus, naso brunneo, cauda mediocri, pilosa, versus apicem subnuda, auribus brevibus, primoribus superioribus medio profunde sulcatis.

SYNONYMES.

ASCOMYS MEXICANUS.—Lichtenstein, Abhandl. Berl. Akad. 1827, 113.

" " Brantz, Muiz. 27.

" " Wagner, Schreb. Säugth. Suppl. 3, 384.

" " Schinz, Syn. Mam. 2, 133.

SACCOPHORUS MEXICANUS.—Fischer, Richardson, Rep. Brit. Ass. 6, 156.

" " Syn. Mam. 305.

" " Eydoux, Voy. Favorite, 23, tab. 8.

DESCRIPTION.

One specimen, Mexico, Mr. J. SPEAKMAN. Fur very fine, shining, very dark cinereous, above tipped with black, beneath entirely cinereous; nose and whiskers brownish; breast and fore-legs slightly tinted with brown. Ears short. Upper incisors with a very deep groove on the middle of the anterior surface. Feet thinly clothed with brownish hair. Tail covered with hair, which is very dense and long at the base, gradually becoming shorter and more scanty, leaving the tip almost naked. (Dr. LE CONTE.)

DIMENSIONS.

	Inches.
Length from nose to root of tail, - - - - -	11
" tail, - - - - -	5
Fore-foot to end of middle claw, - - - - -	1.7
Hind-foot to end of middle claw, - - - - -	1.7

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