

Formerly a resident of the open country along our southwestern border but now extinct there.

GENUS PEDICETES.

126. Sharp-tailed Grouse.

(*Pedícetes phasianellus*.)

A resident of the northwestern part of the Province.

FAMILY PHASIANIDÆ.

SUBFAMILY MELEAGRINÆ.

GENUS MELEAGRIS.

127. Wild Turkey.

(*Meleagris gallapavo fera*.)

Formerly common in all the southwestern counties. There are still a few left in that district, but they are very scarce.

Resident wherever found.

Order COLUMBÆ. Pigeons.

FAMILY COLUMBIDÆ. PIGEONS.

GENUS ECTOPISTES.

128. Passenger Pigeon.

(*Ectopistes migratorius*.)

Formerly a very abundant summer resident, occurring in flocks of countless thousands, but now very scarce.

Dr. C. K. Clarke informs me that he found a small colony breeding in Eastern Ontario in 1898.

GENUS ZENAIDURA.

129. Mourning Dove. (Carolina Dove.)

(*Zenaidura macroura*.)

A common summer resident, but somewhat locally distributed. Breeding throughout its range.

Arrives early in April and departs in October, stragglers sometimes remaining until the middle of November.