6. Toxoneuron apicale. N. sp.

J.—Black, shining, clothed with a very short dull pubescence; sutures of mesothorax not crenulated; metathorax with strongly developed elevated lines; wings hyaline, apex fuliginous, leaving base of marginal and of second cubital cells hyaline; nervures and stigma black; legs black, anterior femora except base and their tibiæ entirely, bright orange-yellow, intermediate knees slightly tinged with testaceous. Length .20 inch.

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7. TOXONEURON TIBIATOR.

Bracon tibiator, Say, Long's 2nd Exped., ii, p. 322; (Toxoncuron) Bost. Jour. Nat. Hist., i, p, 259.

- "Pennsylvania" (Say); Illinois. A very pretty species, easily recognized by the white annulus at base of posterior tibiæ. Length .25 inch.
 - 8. Toxoneuron thoracicum. N. sp.
- 3 9.—Black, shining; head, prothorax, mesothorax, spot beneath tegulae and anterior legs except coxae, trochanters and base of femora pale ferruginous; spot on cheeks beneath, mouth, more or less of clypeus and a spot between ocelli and eyes in 3, black; wings uniformly blackishfuliginous, nervures and stigma black; metathorax with strongly developed elevated lines, forming an ovate central area. Length .20 inch.

Cordova, Mexico. (Sumichrast.)

- 9. Toxoneuron abdominale. N. sp.
- &.—Black, clothed with a short dull pubescence; posterior orbits, legs except coxae and trochanters, and the abdomen entirely pale sanguineous; base of first abdominal segment tinged with yellow; wings dark fuliginous, nervures and stigma black; posterior tarsi dusky. Length .28 inch.

Illinois. Bracon populator (Say, Long's 2nd Exped., ii, p. 323), which is also referred to this genus by Say, and which, he says, is "a very common insect in many parts of the United States, does not appear to be a Toxoneuron, as the ovipositor is described as being longer than the abdomen." It is probably a true Bracon.