

If Mr. Grote is correct in referring this specimen to *sidus*, we must consider *Walkeri* as a synonym. A comparison of *Walkeri* and *vinulenta* with the European *satellitita* and Gueneé's description of *sidus*, leads me, however, to think that the latter species may be more properly identified with *vinulenta* than with *Walkeri*, for in *vinulenta* only are the primaries noticeably broader and shorter and more rounded at the apex than in *satellitita*; and the even brick-red color is very characteristic of *vinulenta*, while *Walkeri* has a decidedly purple cast, blackish in Mr. Chatfield's specimen, with the lines much more distinct. For these reasons I feel very decidedly inclined to consider *vinulenta* = *sidus*, although I retain the old name in speaking of this species in the following descriptions.

The larvæ of these five species all have the same form and habit; are omnivorous, and live in a case between two leaves, or within the fold of a single leaf—when young making a silk-covered burrow between two ribs or eating out a cavity in a bud somewhat after the manner of a Tortricid. When fully matured and somewhat soiled, it is hardly possible to separate the species. *Devia* and *vinulenta* are very nearly related in this (the larval) stage, and separable at a glance from the others, when in good condition. *Tristigmata* is readily separable from the two remaining species by the yellow tinge of the lateral line, which I found characteristic of all, without exception, of a very large series of specimens. *Morrisoni* and *Walkeri* are the most difficult to separate, but the more even and richer color of the sub-dorsal and dorsal regions, together with the obliteration of the dorsal and sub-dorsal lines and the clear white lateral line, render the latter species sufficiently recognizable when fresh. The lateral lines are sub-stigmatal, the stigmata black, the body sparsely covered with minute tubercles bearing short colorless hairs in all the species. Form cylindrical, tapering very slightly, head moderate.

*Scopelosoma Morrisoni*, Grote.

Eggs laid on oak twigs April 22. Straw color changing to reddish; flattened inferiorly, a central superior depression from which radiate beaded ridges. Transverse diameter about .6 m m. Hatched May 4.

First Stage.—When just hatched, color livid yellowish green with blackish superior and anterior tinges. Head large, jet black. Legs and prolegs black. A frontal semi-circular black plate on seg. 1. After feeding and when nearly grown, indications of a dorsal, sub-dorsal and lateral streak. Color light green, darker superiorly. L. 2-3 m m.