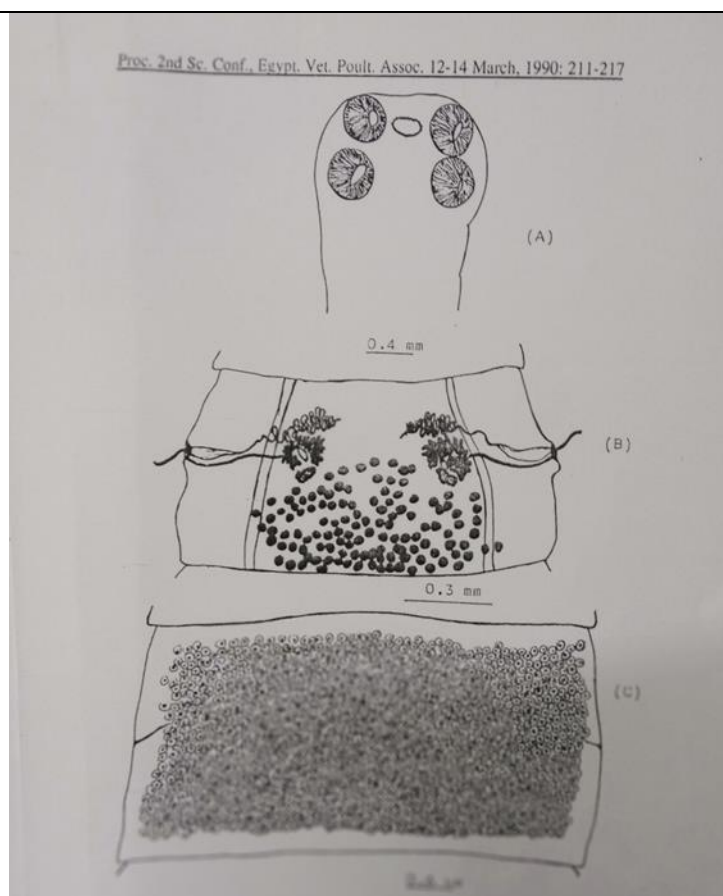


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Abstract

A total of 81 sand partridge Arabian haggal; *Ammoperdix heyi* from Saudi Arabia and from Sinai peninsula, Egypt were examined for helminth parasites. The only identified worm species was *Cotugnia digonopora* recovered from 27 birds. Worm burden in females was almost twice that in males. Herein the *Ammoperdix heyi* could be considered a new avian host record for that cestode species.



Cotugnia digonopora, A: scolex, B: Mature segment, C: Gravid segment