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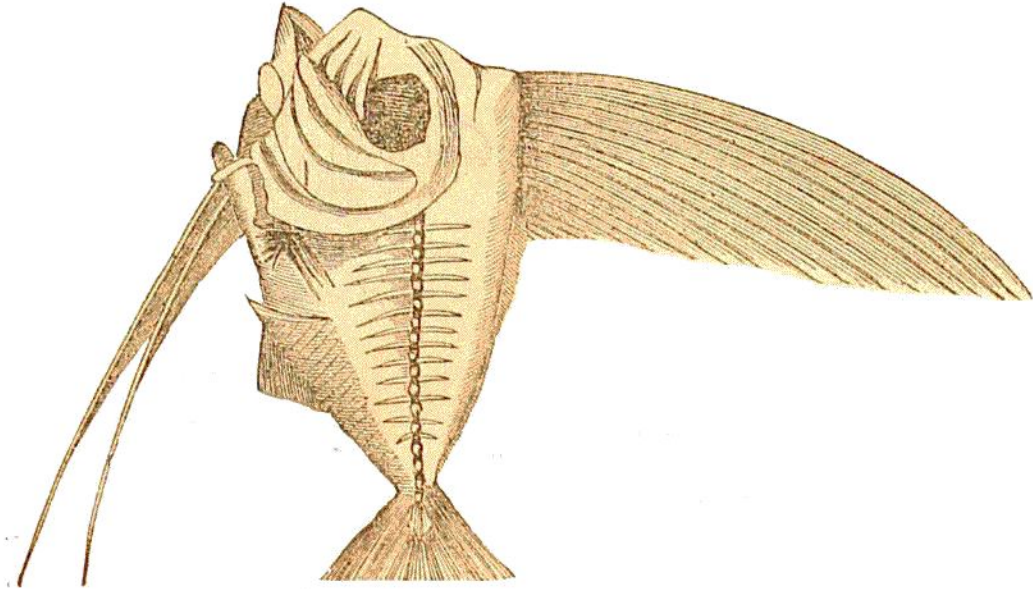
*Semiophorus velicans.*

Fig. 383.



specimen found in North Carolina, and belonged to the *Carcharodon megalodon*. Prof. Owen describes a *Carcharodon* thirty-seven feet long, with teeth two inches long and nearly two broad. Yet this tooth is five inches long and four and a half broad, and Professor Gibbes, in his *Monograph of the fossil Squalidæ of the United States*, says that they are sometimes 6.5 inches high and five inches broad. "If," says Prof. Owen, "the proportions of