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2. DESCRIPTIONS OF THIRTY-EIGHT NEW SPECIES OF LAND-SHELLS, FROM THE COLLECTION OF H. CUMING, ESQ.
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1. *HELIX RHEA*, Pfr. *H. testa subobtectè perforata, globoso-depressa, solida, striata, sulcis obliquis irregularibus profunde cicatricosa, epidermide glutinosa, fulva, castaneo strigata obducta; spira brevi, conoidea, obtusa; anfr. 5 convexis, infra suturam canaliculatam perturgidis, ultimo obsolete subangulato, peripheria albo-fasciato, basi leviter undulato-striato, subcompresso; apertura perobliqua, truncato-ovali, intus albida, nitida; perist. simplice, obtuso, margine dextro subinflexo.*

Diam. maj. 69, min. 56, alt. 37 mill.

Hab. Dingle, Province of Ilo Ilo, Island of Panay, in woods under decayed leaves.

2. *HELIX COFFEA*, Pfr. *H. testa perforata, elato-trochiformi, solidula, levissime striatula, fusca, fasciis saturationibus et suturali alba notata; spira convexo-conica, apice nigricante, acutiuscula; anfr. 6 modice convexis, ultimo peripheria obsoletissime angulato, basi subplano, fusco; apertura obliqua, truncato-ovali; perist. recto, marginibus subparallelis, columellari vix incrassato, ad perforationem reflexiusculo.*

Diam. maj. 30, min. 26, alt. 24 mill.

Hab. Moluccas.

3. *HELIX LALLOËNSIS*, Pfr. *H. testa imperforata, subdepresso-globosa, tenui, striis confertis subtilissime decussata, parum nitida, alba, fasciis 2 antice nigricantibus, tum pallescentibus ornata; spira parvula, convexa; anfr. 4 rapide accrescentibus, ultimo inflato, antice vix descendente; columella tenui, compressa, subexcavata, leviter arcuata; apertura obliqua, lunato-rotundata; perist. tenui, æqualiter et mediocriter expanso.*

Diam. maj. 29–38, min. $22\frac{1}{2}$ –29, alt. 18–25 mill.

Hab. Lallo, Cagayan, Isle of Luzon.

4. *HELIX MILITARIS*, Pfr. *H. testa imperforata, globoso-turbinata, tenui, oblique striata et lineis minutis oblique descendentes sculpta, nigro-castanea; spira turbinata, apice obtusa; anfr. $6\frac{1}{2}$ convexis, ultimo turgido, carinato (carina antice obsoletiore), breviter deflexo; columella brevi, plica valida dentiformi munita; apertura perobliqua, lunato-rotundata; perist. albo, expanso et reflexo, margine dextro perarcuato, columellari fere appresso.*

Diam. maj. 47, min. 39, alt. 36 mill.

Hab. Seychelles.

5. *HELIX CAMELUS*, Pfr. *H. testa compressè umbilicata, conoideo-campanulata, solida, striata, sub lente minutissime decussata, alba, castaneo trifasciata; spira ventrosa, sursum conoideo-attenuata; anfr. 6 modice convexis, ultimo antice vix descendente, basi subgibboso-compresso; apertura diagonali, truncato-ovali;*

columella arcuata, callosa, subtruncata; perist. albo, expanso, margine columellari dilatato, patente.

Diam. maj. 29, min. 25, alt. 26 mill.

Hab. — ?

6. **HELIX FLEXUOSA**, Pfr. *H. testa umbilicata, depressa, solidula, leviter striata, nitida, castanea; spira subplana, medio vix immersa; anfr. 5 celeriter accrescentibus, convexiusculis, superne irregulariter spiraliter striatis, ultimo lato, subdepresso, antice vix descendente, basi circa umbilicum angustum, pervium non compresso; apertura obliqua, rotundato-lunari, latiore quam alta; perist. læte lilacino, expanso, margine basali declivi, flexuoso, reflexo.*

Diam. maj. 30, min. 25, alt. 11 mill.

Hab. Borneo.

7. **HELIX BICILIATA**, Pfr. *H. testa perforata, convexo-lenticulari, tenui, pellucida, cornea, oblique plicata, bicarinata, carinis pilis longis ciliatis; spira parum elata, vertice subtili; anfr. 4½ scalaribus, ultimo antice non descendente, basi vix convexo; apertura subobliqua, depresso securiformi; perist. simplice, recto, marginibus subparallelis, columellari vix reflexiusculo,*

Diam. maj. 7½, min. 6½, alt. 3½ mill.

Hab. Ceylon.

8. **HELIX LEUCOSTYLA**, Pfr. *H. testa imperforata, conoideo-semiglobosa, solida, oblique striata, sub lente minute decussata, castanea; spira convexiusculo-conica, apice obtusula; anfr. 6½ convexiusculis, lente accrescentibus, ultimo non descendente, utrinque convexo, medio carinato; columella stricta, parum obliqua, calloso-incrassata; apertura diagonali, subtetragono-lunari; perist. simplice, recto.*

Diam. maj. 21½, min. 19½, alt. 14 mill.

Hab. Mauritius Island.

9. **HELIX LUDERSI**, Pfr. *H. testa umbilicata, sublenticulari, tenuiuscula, oblique striatula, corneo-albida, fasciis angustis æqualibus rufis ornata; spira convexa, obtusa; sutura albomarginata; anfr. 5½ vix convexiusculis, lente accrescentibus, ultimo non descendente, medio carina acuta alba munito, basi convexiusculo, nitido; umbilico conico, ⅙ diametri subæquante; apertura diagonali, subrhombico-lunari; perist. simplice, marginibus vix convergentibus, supero recto, acuto, basali subincrassato.*

Diam. maj. 19, min. 17, alt. 7 mill.

Hab. Ovalau, Feejee Islands (Mr. Macgillivray).

10. **HELIX CONFUSA**, Pfr. *H. testa umbilicata, conoideo-semiglobosa, tenuiuscula, confertim striata et irregulariter spiraliter subsulcata, glutinosa, fulvo-lutea, castaneo-radiata; spira breviter conoidea, obtusa; anfr. 4½, ultimo lato, obsolete striato, supra peripheriam subimpresso, antice non descendente, basi convexo,*

læviore; umbilico perspectivo, intus concolore, striato; apertura fere diagonali, truncato-ovali, intus margaritacea; perist. simplice, recto, margine columellari superne subdilato, patente.

Diam. maj. 35, min. 28, alt. 17 mill.

Hab. Cape Upstart, Australia.

11. **HELIX ANTRORSA**, Pfr. *H. testa umbilicata, subconica, tenui, striata et rugulis antrorsum descendentibus decussata, pellucida, corneo-albida; spira conoidea, obtusiuscula; sutura marginata; anfr. 5 convexiusculis, celeriter accrescentibus, ultimo compresse et acute carinato, superne planiusculo, antice cum carina deflexo, basi circa umbilicum angustum inflato; apertura perobliqua, lanceolato-lunari; perist. tenui, marginibus vix convergentibus, supero expanso, ad carinam subrostrato, basali perarcuato, reflexo, supra umbilicum dilato.*

Diam. maj. 23, min. $19\frac{1}{2}$, alt. 12 mill.

Hab. Haman Island.

12. **HELIX EXALTATA**, Pfr. *H. testa perforata, trochiformi, tenuiuscula, striis obliquis et spiralibus minute decussata, carinata, sericea, albida, supra carinam fusco anguste unifasciata; spira concavo-conica, elata, acutiuscula; anfr. 7 vix convexiusculis, ultimo non descendente, infra carinam acutam modice convexo; apertura parum obliqua, angulato-lunari; perist. simplice, recto, margine columellari superne reflexiusculo.*

Diam. maj. 15, min. $13\frac{2}{3}$, alt. 11 mill.

Hab. Salomon's Islands.

13. **HELIX VEXILLARIS**, Pfr. *H. testa imperforata, turbinata, tenui, striata et leviter antrorsum rugato-malleata, nitidula, alba; spira turbinata, apice grisca, acutiuscula; anfr. 5 convexis, ultimo vix descendente, turgido, subangulato, basi virenti-fulvo, spiraliter striato; columella declivi, subarcuata, plana; apertura diagonali, truncato-elliptica; perist. tenui, marginibus subconventibus, dextro expanso et reflexiusculo, superne arcuato, basali reflexo.*

Diam. maj. 28, min. 23, alt. 22 mill.

Hab. Haman Island.

14. **HELIX FRINGILLA**, Pfr. *H. testa imperforata, conoideoglobosa, solida, oblique striata, nitida, subepidermide lutea albida; spira convexo-conoidea, acutiuscula; anfr. $4\frac{1}{2}$ parum convexis, ultimo antice subito deflexo et valde constricto, medio subcarinato, basi conveziore, spiraliter striato, centro excavato; apertura perobliqua, irregulariter subtriangulari lunari; perist. calloso, albo, reflexo, margine supero subflexuoso, basali perarcuato, prope columellam intus subdentato.*

Diam. maj. 23, min. $20\frac{1}{2}$, alt. 15 mill.

Hab. Monda Island.

15. **HELIX MOTACILLA**, Pfr. *H. testa anguste umbilicata, conoideo-subglobosa, tenui, striatula striolisque antrorsum descendentibus sub-*

decussata, fusco-lutea, ad suturam et peripheriam albo fasciata; spira conoidea, obtusula; anfr. 4½ convexis, ultimo inflato, antice non descendente, medio subcarinato; apertura diagonali, subtriangulari-lunari; perist. roseo-albo, marginibus distantibus, supero flexuoso, expanso, basali reflexo, leviter arcuato, juxta columellarem subfornicatim leviter dentato.

Diam. maj. 20, min. 18, alt. 12½ mill.

Hab. Eddystone Island.

16. *HELIX SACHALENSIS*, Pfr. *H. testa anguste umbilicata, conoidea, tenui, striata, striolis antrorsum descendentibus subdecussata, fulvescenti-albida, fascia alba peripherica, angusta castanea supra eam et nonnullis fuscis ornata; spira conoidea; anfr. 4½ modice convexis, ultimo non descendente, medio subcarinato; apertura diagonali, rotundato-lunari; perist. tenui, marginibus subconniventibus, supero arcuato, expanso, basali reflexo, ad umbilicum dilatato, fornicato.*

Diam. maj. 19½, min. 15½, alt. 12 mill.

Hab. Sachala Island.

17. *HELIX HEROICA*, Pfr. *H. testa umbilicata, convexo-depressu, solida, irregulariter albo-plicata, interstitiis corneis; spira parum elevata, convexa, apice obtusa, livida; anfr. 4½ convexiusculis, lente accrescentibus, ultimo antice breviter deflexo, medio subangulato, basi subplanulato, antrorsum tumido et tum subcontracto; apertura perobliqua, elliptica; perist. subcontinuo, margine supero tenui, expanso, basali flexuoso, dilatato, reflexo, intus dente mediocri transversali munito.*

Diam. maj. 23½, min. 18, alt. 12 mill.

Hab. Celebes (Mrs. F. Pfeiffer).

Note.—*Helix Bridwilli*, Pfr. in Proc. Zool. Soc. 1853, p. 49, and Reeve, Conch. Ic. sp. 1034, pl. 157, must be *Helix Bidwilli*.

18. *BULIMUS INTEGER*, Pfr. *B. testa imperforata, oblonga, solida, oblique irregulariter rugata, spiraliter sulcata (interstitiis confertim arcuato-lineolatis), carnea, strigis et flammulis griseo-fuscis picta; spira elongato-conica, obtusula; sutura crenulata; anfr. 7½ convexiusculis, ultimo spiru paulo brevior; columella griseo-lilacea, terete, subtorta, arcuatim in peristoma continuata; apertura fere verticali, truncata, ovali; perist. subincrassato, breviter expanso, margine columellari subdilatato, adnato.*

Long. 82, diam. 39 mill.

β. *Testa minore, sæpe subunicolore carneo-grisca, anfr. 6½, columella magis torta.*

Long. 65, diam. 31 mill.

Hab. Quito, Ecuador (Mrs. Pfeiffer).

19. *BULIMUS PLUMBEUS*, Pfr. *B. testa imperforata, oblongu, solida, impressionibus obliquis malleata, sub epidermide olivaceo rufo-strigata et flammulata; spira convexo-conica, apice nigricante, obtusula; sutura subcrenulata; anfr. 6 vix convexis, ultimo*

spira paulo brevior, antice subascendente, basi attenuato; columella leviter plicata, cæruleo-albida; apertura vix obliqua, semi-ovali, intus nigro-livida, margaritacea; perist. nigricanti-plumbeo, incrassato et breviter reflexo.

Long. 93, diam. 36 mill.

Hab. Venezuela.

20. **BULIMUS HAINESI**, Pfr. *B. testa imperforata, ovato-conica, solida, oblique leviter striata, castanea, strigis undulosis et laceris flavidis picta; spira elongata, subconcavo-conica, apice violacea, acutiuscula; anfr. $6\frac{1}{2}$ convexiusculis, ultimo $\frac{2}{3}$ longitudinis vix formante, infra medium subangulato; columella parum declivi, livido-carnea; apertura diagonali, lunato-rotundata; perist. expanso et breviter reflexo, violaceo-fusco.*

Long. 52, diam. 27 mill.

Hab. Philippine Islands.

21. **BULIMUS EPISCOPALIS**, Pfr. *B. testa anguste umbilicata, ovato-conica, tenui, longitudinaliter subrugoso-striata et minute granulata, interdum transverse sulcatula, olivaceo-fulva, maculis rufis irregulariter uspersa; spira conica, acutiuscula; anfr. $4\frac{1}{2}$, superis vix convexis, ultimo $\frac{2}{3}$ longitudinis subæquante, oblique descendente, antice arcuatim subascendente, basi vix attenuato; columella leviter compressa plicata; apertura angulato-ovali, intus lilacea; perist. purpureo, expanso et breviter revoluto, margine columellari subappresso.*

Long. 47-58, diam. 22-27 mill.

Hab. Bogota.

22. **BULIMUS COCAPATENSIS**, Pfr. *B. testa imperforata, ovato-oblonga, solida, minutissime decussata, sub epidermide virenti-fulvida violaceo-carnea; spira convexo-conica, apice obtusa; sutura albida, irregulari; anfr. $5\frac{1}{2}$, superis radiatim costatis et minutissime granulatis, sequentibus peroblique descendentes, parum convexis, ultimo spiram subæquante, basi rotundato; columella recedente, leviter arcuata; apertura subverticali, acuminato-ovali, intus margaritacea; perist. incrassato, breviter expanso, marginibus callo nitido junctis, columellari dilatato, adnato.*

Long. 67, diam. 30 mill.

Hab. Cocapata, Bolivia (*T. Bridges*).

23. **BULIMUS CONFLUENS**, Pfr. *B. testa late et compressa umbilicata, oblongo-acuminata, tenuiuscula, impresso-punctata, albida, strigis spadiceis angulosis, subfasciatim confluentibus, albo-punctatis picta; spira elongato-conica, acutiuscula; anfr. $6\frac{1}{2}$ convexiusculis, ultimo spiram subæquante, basi valde compresso; columella arcuatim procedente, basi nodifera; apertura vix obliqua, rhombeo-ovali, basi subangulata, intus lilaceo-rubente; perist. undique late expanso, patente, margine columellari subflexuoso.*

Long. 40, diam. 17 mill.

Hab. Marmato, New Granada.

24. **BULIMUS CONVEXUS**, Pfr. *B. testa anguste umbilicata, oblongo-fusiforimi, solidula, striata, nitida, albida, strigis fuscis, albo-lineolatis ornata; spira elongata, acutiuscula; anfr. 7 convexis, ultima spira paulo brevior, juxta umbilicum compressa; columella arcuata, supra basin nodifera; apertura obliqua, basi recedente, elliptica, basi canaliculata, intus lilaceo-rosea; perist. latiuscule expanso, margine columellari anguste reflexo.*

Long. 38, diam. 14 mill.

Hab. New Granada.

25. **BULIMUS CHAMÆLEON**, Pfr. *B. testa perforata, ovato-oblonga, solidula, striatula, nitida, albida, strigis fulvis, castaneis et latis nigricantibus varie ornata; spira convexo-conica, obtusula; anfr. 6 convexiusculis, ultimo spira paulo brevior, basi rotundato; columella leviter torta, recedente; apertura vix obliqua, truncato-ovali, intus albida; perist. simplice, recto, margine columellari superne dilatato, subangulatim reflexo.*

Long. 27, diam. $11\frac{1}{2}$ mill.

Hab. Quito (Mr. Bourcier).

26. **BULIMUS ABSCISSUS**, Pfr. *B. testa subimperfecta, pyramidata, solidula, ruguloso-striata, opaca, albida; spira elongato-conica, acutiuscula; anfr. $6\frac{1}{2}$ vix convexiusculis, ultimo spira paulo brevior, basi rectangule carinato, quasi abscisso; columella arcuata; apertura parum obliqua, rhomboideo-ovali, intus rosea; perist. vix expanso, purpureo, marginibus callo purpureo junctis, columellari reflexo, subadnato.*

Long. 28, diam. 13 mill.

Hab. Province of Quito, Ecuador.

27. **BULIMUS VERRUCOSUS**, Pfr. *B. testa aperte et compresse umbilicata, ovato-conica, solida, plicis subinterruptis et verrucis oblongis sculpta, fusca, pallide variegata; spira conica, acutiuscula; sutura subcanaliculata; anfr. $7\frac{1}{2}$ planiusculis, ultimo $\frac{3}{4}$ longitudinis subæquante, basi rotundato; columella leviter plicata; apertura subverticali, truncato-ovali, ad columellam subangulata, intus livida; perist. recto, intus fusco-limbato, margine columellari dilatato, patente.*

Long. 23, diam. $11\frac{1}{2}$ mill.

Hab. Galapagos Islands.

28. **ACHATINA ATRAMENTARIA**, Pfr. (A. regina β , Pfr. Mon.) *A. testa oblongo-ovata, solidula, confertim subruditer striata, nitidula, plerumque tegumento calcareo obducta; spira elongata, apice obtusiuscula; anfr. 7 modice convexis, summis carneis, sequentibus fusco-violaceo flammulatis, ultimo $\frac{3}{4}$ longitudinis subæquante, nigricante; columella violacea, callosa, subtorta, basi oblique truncata; apertura obliqua, truncato-ovali, intus margaritacea, violacea; perist. simplice, intus nigro-limbato, marginibus callo fusco-nigro junctis.*

Long. 81, diam. 35 mill.

Hab. New Granada.

29. *ACHATINA (OLEACINA) BINNEYANA*, Pfr. *A. testa fusiformi, tenui, confertim plicata, parum nitente, curvea, strigis varicosis castaneis irregulariter notata; spira conica, apice acutiuscula; sutura marginata et eleganter crenulata; anfr. 7½ parum convexis, ultimo spira paulo longiore, basi attenuato; columella leviter arcuata, ad basin apertura verticalis, lanceolata late truncata; perist. simplice, tenui.*

Long. 91, diam. 33 mill.

Hab. — ?

30. *CYLINDRELLA CHORDATA*, Pfr. *C. testa vix rimata, cylindraceo-turrita, truncata, tenera, subtilissime striata et costulis chordaformibus, subdistantibus munita, albida; sutura costis excurrentibus crenata; anfr. superst. 11–12 vix convexiusculis, ultimo antice soluto, breviter descendente, latere dextro angulato, basi acute carinato; carina filiformi, crenata; apertura obliqua, subtetragono-rotunda; perist. albo, continuo, undique breviter expanso.*

Long. 10, diam. 2½ mill.

Hab. St. Croix, West Indies.

31. *PTEROCYCLOS BIFRONS*, Pfr. *Pt. testa umbilicata, discoidea, solida, superne arcuato-striatula, nitida, purpurascanti-castanea; spira plana, vertice subtili, lucide castaneo; sutura alba; anfr. 6 convexis, ultimo latiore, periphæria obsolete angulata, antice descendente et juxta suturam prominentiam fornicatam formante, basi violaceo; apertura diagonali, subcirculari; perist. duplicato, incrassato; interno superne sulco triangulari interrupto, externo subpatente, superne producto et in prominentiam unfractus ultimi abeunte.*

Diam. maj. 25, min. 21½, alt. 8 mill.

Hab. Ceylon.

32. *CYCLOSTOMA (CYCLOTUS) IRREGULARE*, Pfr. *C. testa umbilicata, turbinato-depressa, solida, confertim striata, fulvida; spira breviter turbinata, acutiuscula; sutura profunda; anfr. 5 convexis, ultimo superne turgido, ad suturam late canaliculato, infra medium fascia lata fusca notato, circa umbilicum infundibuliformem, intus valide plicatum subanguloso; apertura obliqua, subtriangulari-ovalis, superne angulata; perist. continuo, breviter adnato, recto, margine dextro dilatato, columellari incrassato, leviter arcuato, ad basin canaliculato.*

Diam. maj. 37, min. 30, alt. 19 mill.

Hab. Costarica, Central America.

33. *CYCLOSTOMA (CYCLOTUS) BOGOTENSE*, Pfr. *C. testa umbilicata, turbinato-depressa, tenuiuscula, malleato-punctata, nitida, fusco-viridi; spira parum elata, apice obtusiuscula, albida; anfr. 4½ convexis, rapide accrescentibus, ultimo terete, periphæria lineam albida cingulato, circa umbilicum mediocrem, conicum pallido; apertura parum obliqua, subcirculari, superne vix angulata; perist.*

recto, continuo, breviter adnato, margine dextro perarcuato, sinistro subincrassato, minus arcuato.

Diam. maj. 22, min. 17, alt. 11 mill.

Hab. New Granada.

34. **CYCLOSTOMA (CYCLOSTOMUS) LEVE**, Pfr. *C. testa perforata, globoso-conica, tenui, levi, striatula, nitida, pellucida, rubello-succinea; spira conica, acutiuscula; anfr. 5 convexis, ultimo spiram subæquante; apertura obliqua, irregulariter rotundata; perist. subcontinuo, breviter adnato, margine sinistro medio angulatim dilatato.—Operc. calcareum, nucleo submediano.*

Long. 7, diam. 5 mill.

Hab. Guadalcanar, Salomon's Islands (Mr. Macgillivray).

35. **CATAULUS AUREUS**, Pfr. *C. testa breviter rimata, oblongo-pyramidali, tenuiuscula, confertim striata, sericina, late aurea; spira turrata, apice acutiuscula; sutura submarginata; anfr. 8 convexis, ultimo parum attenuato, basi axin vix excedente; carina umbilicari valida, compressa, antrorsum parum dilatata; periomphalo lato, antice costulato; apertura circulari; perist. albo, duplici interno continuo, appresso, basi canali angusto interrupto, externo perincrassato, fornicatim reflexo, basi producto, canali mediocri perforato.*

Long. 25, diam. 10 mill.

Hab. Ceylon (Mr. Thwaites).

36. **PUPINA SUPERBA**, Pfr. *P. testa ovato-conica, tenui, glaberima, nitidissima, aurantiaco-fusca; spira convexo-conica, acutiuscula; sutura levi, submarginata; anfr. 6 convexiusculis, ultimo latere aperturæ planulato, antice breviter ascendente, basi axin paululum excedente; apertura subcirculari, bicanaliculata; lamella parietali arcuata, latere dextro canalem latum cum peristomate formante, sinistro angulatim supra linguam latam columellarem prominente; perist. obtuso, latere dextro subrependo, sinistro ad canalem ascendentem subincrassato.*

Long. 15, diam. $12\frac{1}{2}$ mill.

Hab. Sumatra (Mrs. F. Pfeiffer).

37. **HELICINA EGREGIA**, Pfr. *H. testa subgloboso-conoidea, tenuiuscula, spiraliter substriata, albida, superne tænia lata fulvida et ad peripheriam fascia castanea ornata; spira parvula, conoidea, acuta; anfr. vix 5 convexiusculis, ultimo magno, periphæria rotundato; columella brevi, in nodum dentiformem abeunte, callum emittente lutescentem, circumscriptum; apertura obliqua, subtriangulari; perist. subincrassato, horizontaliter patente.*

Diam. maj. $11\frac{1}{2}$, min. 9, alt. $7\frac{1}{2}$ mill.

Hab. Wanderer Bay, Guadalcanar, Salomon's Islands (Mr. Macgillivray).

38. **HELICINA SPINIFERA**, Pfr. *H. testa conoidea, tenuiuscula, oblique striata et spiraliter subconfertim lirata, flavida vel carnea,*

scepe saturatius tessellata et ad suturam tænia articulata ornata; spira conoidea; anfr. 5 vix convexiusculis, ultimo acute carinato, basi convexiore; columella brevi, in spinam subacutam desinente, callum emittente vitreum, circumscriptum; apertura diagonali, subtriangulari; perist. breviter expanso, margine basali substricto, reflexiusculo.

Diam. maj. 12, min. $10\frac{1}{3}$, alt. 8 mill.

Hab. Wanderer Bay, Guadalcanar, Salomon's Islands (Mr. Macgillivray).

July 10, 1855.

John Gould, Esq., F.R.S., in the Chair.

Mr. Westwood exhibited several new and remarkable species of beetles belonging to the families *Cicindelidæ* and *Carabidæ*. The species of the former family belonged to the genera *Collyris* and *Tricondyla*, peculiar to the islands of the Eastern Ocean, and had been collected by the late Colonel Champion and by Dr. Templeton in Ceylon. The species of *Carabidæ* were remarkable for having the antennæ particoloured, several of the joints being white. They were collected in Ceylon by Mr. Thwaites, in India by General Hearsey, in Brazil by Mr. Bates, and formed several new and distinct genera.

The following paper was read :—

DESCRIPTIONS OF TWO NEW GENERA AND SEVERAL NEW SPECIES
OF MOLLUSCA, FROM THE COLLECTION OF HUGH CUMING, Esq.
BY ARTHUR ADAMS, F.L.S., &c.

Genus CLEA, H. and A. Adams.

The shell on which this genus is founded resembles a fluviatile *Buccinum*, and is from the river in Sarawak Borneo. The notch at the fore part of the aperture differs from that of *Melanopsis*, and the form and abruptly truncate columella separates it from *Hemisimis* of Swainson. The only species at present known is that described below, distinct varieties of which have lately been received from Malacca.

Type. CLEA NIGRICANS, A. Adams.

Testa bucciniformis, ovata, epidermide corneo nigro-fusco induta, spira aperturam æquante, apice decollato; anfractibus convexiusculis transversim striatis; apertura ovato-oblonga, antice valde emarginata; columella abrupte truncata, plica unica, spirali, antica, obliqua instructa; labro simplici margine subreflexo et intus subincrassato.

Shell bucciniform, ovate, covered with a brown-black horny epidermis; spire as long as the aperture, apex decollated, eroded;