The Polyzoa.—"About three hundred to three hundred and twenty species of Marine Polyzoa were collected during the Challenger Expedition, of which by far the largest proportion, or not less than two hundred and eighty, belong to the suborder

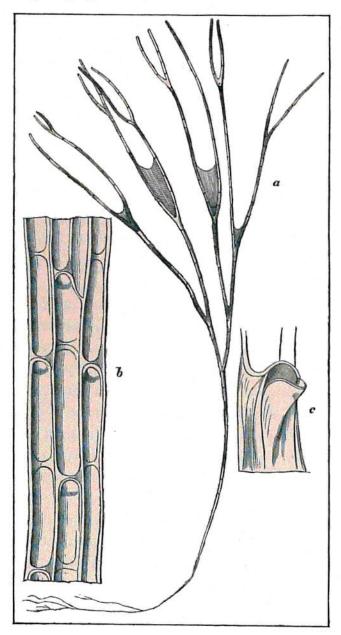


Fig. 223.—Farciminaria hexagona, Busk. a, natural size; b, magnified; c, orifice, more highly magnified.

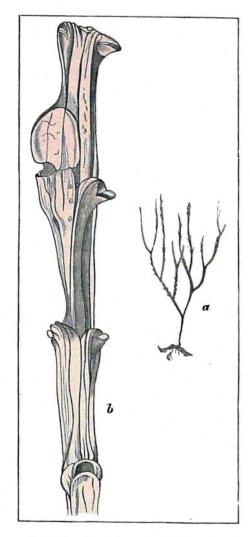


Fig. 224.—Farciminaria delicatissima, Busk. a, natural size; b, magnified.

Cheilostomata, of which about one hundred and seventy appear to have been previously undescribed.

"Belonging to the suborder Cyclostomata the number of species is about thirty, including perhaps ten new forms; whilst the Ctenostomata afford not more than seven of which two are probably as yet undescribed.