

the fauna of the abyssal area, not one species of this genus has been found in the cold water of the Norwegian Sea, where the genus *Lycodes* (of the family Zoarcidæ) predominates. But *Lycodes* is not limited to the Norwegian Sea, being represented in

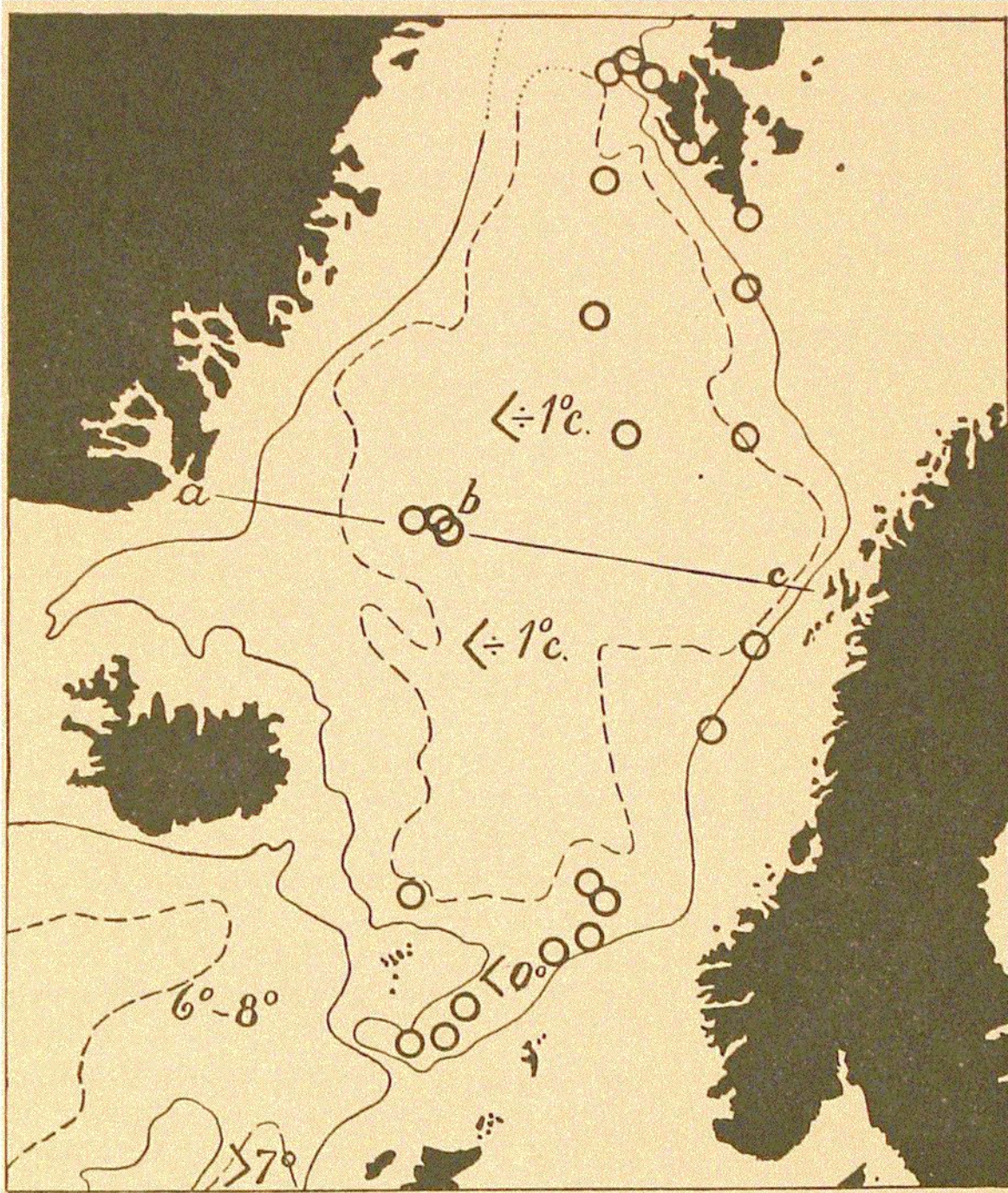


FIG. 309.—THE NORWEGIAN SEA.

Continuous line = 600 metres.

Broken line = 2000 metres.

Section through *a*, *b*, *c*, shown in Fig. 310.

the abyssal depths as well as on the slopes of the Atlantic, though no species has been found common to the Atlantic and the Norwegian Sea. To the Danish scientist Adolf Jensen we owe our knowledge regarding this interesting biological fact.