

PLATE XLVII.

A branch of *Pisonia darwinii*, natural size.

Figure 1.—A flower in bud.

- „ 2.—An expanded perianth after the stamens have fallen away.
- „ 3.—The same laid open.
- „ 4.—A flower from which the perianth has been removed.
- „ 5.—Front view of a stamen.
- „ 6.—Back view of the same.
- „ 7.—A pistil with a portion of the wall of the ovary removed, revealing the ovule.
- „ 8.—The same unopened ; all enlarged.

The drawing was made from a specimen collected by the late Mr Charles Darwin, which is now preserved in the Cambridge University Herbarium.