

round the Globe in 1772-1774; to facilitate reference, however, to any particular species, I have added a separate systematic list of all the species collected.

The proportion of new species is larger than could have been anticipated, as most of the localities visited had been previously well searched by naturalists, and is much larger than is found in the majority of similar miscellaneous collections. The localities which yielded the most important results by the discovery not only of undescribed species, but also of those to which particular faunistic interest is attached, are, in the Atlantic, St Paul's Rocks, Ascension, and the mouth of the Plate River; in the Southern Ocean, Magellan Straits, Juan Fernandez, and Kerguelen Island; in the Pacific, Twofold Bay, the Arafura Sea, the Admiralty, Sandwich Islands, and Japan.

In accordance with the instructions received, a complete set of the series, including 661 specimens, especially the typical examples from which descriptions and figures have been taken, has been deposited in the British Museum.

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