(6) Farciminaria gracilis, n. sp. (Pl. V. fig. 3).

Character.-Zoarium 1 to $1 \frac{1}{2}$ inches high, branches short, slender, curved, once or twice forked. Zoœcia $0^{\prime \prime} .05$ to 06 long, slightly narrowing downwards; upper border projecting, lip protruding. A globose, cup-shaped avicularium placed rather to one side, with a triangular obtusely pointed mandible, which is directed obliquely downwards and outwards. Oœcium lofty, constricted below, with an arched lower border forming a blunt process on either side.

Habitat.—Station 70, lat. $38^{\circ} 25^{\prime} \mathrm{N}$., long. $35^{\circ} 50^{\prime} \mathrm{W}$., 1675 fathoms, Globigerina ooze. Station 122, lat. $9^{\circ} 5^{\prime}$ S., long. $34^{\circ} 50^{\prime}$ W., 32 to 400 fathoms, red mud.

The small size and peculiarly curved, divaricate, slender branches, at once serve to distinguish this species.
(7) Farciminaria delicatissima, n. sp. (Pl. XXXI. fig. 5).

Character:-Zoarium from 2 to 3 inches high, composed of once or twice forked straight branches. Zoœcia $0^{\prime \prime} \cdot 10$ to $\cdot 11$ long, much attenuated downwards; upper border subcucullate. Orifice very prominent when open; walls exceedingly delicate and flexible. No avicularia. Oœcium subconical, rounded in front, enveloped above in a prolongation of the epitheca or epidermis; lower border even. A long pouch distinct from the zoœcial cavity in front of each oœcial cell.

Habitat.-Station 13, lat. $21^{\circ} 38^{\prime}$ N., long. $44^{\circ} 39^{\prime}$ W., 1900 fathoms, Globigerina ooze. Station 68, lat. $38^{\circ} 3^{\prime}$ N., long. $39^{\circ} 19^{\prime} \mathrm{W} ., 2175$ fathoms, Globigerina ooze. Station 64, lat. $35^{\circ} 35^{\prime}$ N., long. $50^{\circ} 27^{\prime}$ W., red clay. Station 89, lat. $22^{\circ} 18^{\prime} \mathrm{N}$., long. $22^{\circ} 2^{\prime}$ W., 2400 fathoms, Globigerina ooze. Station 106 , lat. $1^{\circ} 47^{\prime}$ N., long. $24^{\circ}$ $26^{\prime}$ W., 1850 fathoms, Globigerina ooze. Station 14, lat. $21^{\circ} 1^{\prime}$ N., long. $46^{\circ} 29^{\prime}$ W., 1950 fathoms, Globigerina ooze.
(8) Farciminaria hexagona, n. sp. (Pl. XIV. fig. 10, and Pl. XXXI fig. 3).

Character.-Zoarium 7 to 8 inches high, composed of very long, straggling, straight, or slightly curved branches, twice furcate; sometimes with a broad web uniting the branches at the bottom of a bifurcation. Zoœcia in six series; $0^{\prime \prime} .04$ to 05 long., narrow; walls very thin and transparent, angles sharp; upper border quite level. Orifice small, prominent, but with a very narrow chitinous border. Oœcia?

Habitat.-Station 145, lat. $46^{\circ} 43^{\prime}$ S., long. $38^{\circ} 4^{\prime}$ E., 140 to 310 fathoms. Station 196 , lat. $0^{\circ} 48$ S., long. $126^{\circ} 58^{\prime}$ E., 825 fathoms, hard ground. Station 195 , lat. $4^{\circ} 21^{\prime}$ S., long. $129^{\circ} 7^{\prime}$ E., 1425 fathoms, blue mud.

