

of the pillar, and also in front of it on the left corner of the basal mouth lip, is a marked feature. I observe, however, that, as is often the case with these brilliant colours, the crimson has somewhat faded during the years the shell has been in my hands. This may account for its absence in the British Museum specimens.

Family NERITACEA, Lamarck, 1809.

Genus *Nerita*, Linne, 1758.

Species.

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| 1. <i>Nerita albicilla</i> , Linne. | 3. <i>Nerita chamæleon</i> , Linne. |
| 2. <i>Nerita ascensionis</i> , Gmelin. | 4. <i>Nerita punctata</i> , Quoy and Gaimard. |
| | 5. <i>Nerita tessellata</i> , Gmelin. |

1. *Nerita albicilla*, Linne. (See Appendix, No. 3.)

2. *Nerita ascensionis*, Gmelin.

Nerita ascensionis, Gmelin, p. 3683, No. 55.

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| " | " | Chemnitz, Conch. Cab., vol. v. p. 297, pl. cxci. figs. 1956-57. |
| " | " | Lamarck, Anim. s. vert., vol. vi. (2) p. 193, and (ed. Desh.), vol. viii. p. 607, No. 11. |
| " | " | Dillwyn, Cat., vol. ii. p. 1000, No. 50. |
| " | " | Deshayes, Encyclop. méthod., vers. vol. iii. p. 618, sp. 6. |
| " | " | Quoy and Gaimard, "Astrolabe" Zool., vol. iii. pl. lxxv. figs. 19-22. |
| " | " | Wood, Ind. Test., p. 180, pl. xxxvi. fig. 52. |
| " | " | Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. ix. pl. iii. fig. 14. |
| " | " | Sowerby, Thes. Conch., pts. 39 and 40, p. 116, sp. 64, (iv. <i>Gen.</i>) pl. cccclxvi. fig. 72. |

September 1, 1873. St Michael's Rock, Fernando-Noronha, shore.

Habitat.—Island of Ascension.

This is *Nerita diversicolor*, Martyn fide Mörch, and *Nerita chlorostoma*, Lamarck fide Recluz (see Hanley in Wood's Index, *loc. cit. supra*).

3. *Nerita chamæleon*, Linne. (See Appendix, No. 4.)

4. *Nerita punctata*, Quoy and Gaimard.

Nerita punctata, Quoy and Gaimard, "Astrolabe" (Zool.), vol. iii. p. 185, pl. lxxv. figs. 41, 42.

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| " | " | <i>atrata</i> , Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. ix. pl. iv. fig. 16. |
| " | " | Hutton, Marine Moll. New Zealand, p. 33, No. 138. |
| " | " | Hutton, Manual New Zealand Moll., p. 89. |
| " | " | <i>punctata</i> ? v. Martens, Crit. List Moll. New Zealand, p. 29. |
| " | " | <i>atrata</i> , Angas, South Australian Moll., Proc. Zool. Soc. Lond., 1865, p. 175, No. 123. |
| " | " | Angas, Port Jackson Moll., Proc. Zool. Soc. Lond., 1867, p. 212, No. 165. |
| " | " | Sowerby, Thes. Conch., pts. 39 and 40, p. 110, sp. 31, pl. cccclxv. (iii. <i>Gen.</i>) fig. 41. |
| " | " | <i>punctata</i> , v. Martens, Moll. Mauritius, &c., p. 291. |
| " | " | <i>melanotragus</i> , E. A. Smith, "Alert" Collections, p. 69, No. 82. |

April 17-18, 1874. Port Jackson, Sydney. 2 to 10 fathoms.