

false sinus. *Inner lip*: there is a thin glaze on the body, the line across which is very straight, as is also the line down the pillar where the glaze forms a projecting border (without teeth), which runs out sharp and narrow to the very point; the point of the pillar is very obliquely cut off with a twist; the pillar itself is short, strong, and conical. H. 0.25 in. B. 0.13. Penultimate whorl, height 0.05. Mouth, height 0.11, breadth 0.06.

This belongs to the same group as *Columbella (Pyrene) strix*.

12. *Columbella (Conidea) flava* (Bruguière).

- ? Martini, Conch. Cab., vol. ii. p. 135, pl. xlv. fig. 467.
Buccinum flavum, Bruguière, Encycl. méthod., vol. i. p. 281, sp. 53.
Columbella flavida, Lamarck, Anim. s. vert., vol. vii. p. 294, and (ed. Desh.) vol. x. p. 268, sp. 4.
 " " Sowerby, Thes. Conch., vol. i. pt. 4, p. 118, sp. 22, pl. xxxvii. figs. 55-57.
 " " Kiener, Iconographie, p. 34, sp. 30, pl. viii. fig. 3.
 " *flava*, Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. xi. pl. vi. p. 27.
 " *flavida*, Deshayes, Moll. Réunion, p. 131.
 " " Lischke, Jap. Meer. Conch., vol. i. p. 58, vol. ii. p. 47, and (*Columbella undata*)
 vol. iii. p. 34, pl. ii. figs. 1-4.
 " *flavida*, v. Martens, Moll. Mauritius, &c., p. 247.
 " (*Conidea*) *flava*, Tryon, Manual, vol. v. p. 182, pl. lix. figs. 67-72.
 " (*Pyrene*) *flava*, Dunker, Ind. Moll. Mar. Japon., p. 55.

Station 172. July 22, 1874. Lat. 20° 58' S., long. 175° 9' W. Off Nukalofa, Tongatabu. 18 fathoms. Coral mud.

Habitat.—Indian Ocean, Ceylon, and Polynesia (v. Martens), Japan (Lischke).

I have put a mark of interrogation to the citation of "Martini, Conch. Cab.," because he positively ascribes the species there mentioned to Gorea, Jamaica, and the Antilles; but Professor v. Martens (*loc. cit.*) quotes Martini for this species.

13. *Columbella (Pusiostoma) mendicaria* (Linne).

- Voluta mendicaria*, Linne, Syst. Nat., p. 1191, No. 412.
 " " Martini, Conch. Cab., vol. ii. p. 132, pl. xlv. figs. 460, 461.
 " " Dillwyn, Cat., vol. i. p. 536, sp. 82.
 " " Wood, Ind. Test., p. 102, pl. xx. fig. 79.
Columbella mendicaria, Lamarck, Anim. s. vert., vol. vii. p. 296, and (ed. Desh.) vol. x. p. 272, sp. 14.
 " " Bruguière, Encycl. méthod., vol. ii. p. 254, sp. 9, pl. cccclxxv. fig. 10.
 " " Quoy and Gaimard, "Astrolabe" Zool., vol. ii. p. 584, pl. xl. figs. 27, 28.
 " " Kiener, Iconographie, p. 48, sp. 43, pl. vi. fig. 1.
Ricinula mendicaria, Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. iii. pl. ii. fig. 8.
Columbella mendicaria, Gray, Moll. Figures, vol. ii. pl. xcvi. fig. 7.
 " " Mörch, Journ. de conch., vol. vii. (1858), p. 260, pl. ix. fig. 7 (*radula*).