

Genus *Podoceropsis*, Boeck, 1860.

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 1862. *Nænia*, Bate and Westwood, Brit. Sess. Crust., vol. i. p. 471.
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 1878. *Nænia*, Spence Bate, Crustacea in Couch's Cornish Fauna revised and added to, p. 58.
 1878. *Podoceropsis*, Stebbing, Ann. and Mag. Nat. Hist., ser. 5, vol. ii. p. 367.
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 1887. „ Bonnier, Catal. Crust. Malac. Concarneau, p. 108.
 1887. „ Chevreux, Catal. Crust. Amph. Bretagne, p. 27.

For the original definition of the genus, see Note on Boeck, 1860 (p. 324); for the definition of *Nænia*, see Note on Spence Bate, 1862 (p. 336); for that of *Megamphopus*, which I only with hesitation make a synonym of the present genus, see Note on Norman, 1869 (in Appendix); for the definition of *Xenoclea*, see Note on Boeck, 1870 (p. 402). In 1876, as in 1870, Boeck defines it as follows, as third genus of the Photinae:—

“*Upper Antennæ* with the third joint of the peduncle elongate; accessory flagellum wanting.

“*First Gnathopods* with the wrist elongate.

“*First and Second Peræopods* with the first joint very broad.

“*Third Uropods* biramous, the rami about equal to one another in length.

“*Telson* apically sinuate.”

Of *Podoceropsis*, as sixth genus of the Microdeutopinæ, he gives the following definition:—

“*Upper Antennæ* with the third joint of the peduncle elongate; accessory flagellum wanting.

“*Second Gnathopods* larger than the *First*, and in the male much stronger than in the female.

“*First and Second Peræopods* with the finger small.

“*Third Uropods* with the rami equal to one another.”

To *Podoceropsis* Boeck assigns the one species, *Podoceropsis sophiæ*, to which he makes *Nænia tuberculosa*, Spence Bate, a synonym; to *Xenoclea* he assigns the one species, *Xenoclea batei*, which is almost certainly the same as *Nænia rimapalmata*, Spence Bate. In *Nænia rimapalmata*, Spence Bate, in *Megamphopus cornutus*,