

PLATE VIII.

BRAIN OF ELEPHANT SEAL.

The fissures, convolutions, and other divisions of the brain, both in this and the succeeding Plates, are lettered as below :—

<i>Fissures.</i>	
s.	Sylvian.
c.	crucial.
pc.	prae cruciate.
ps.	presylvian.
co.	coronal.
ml.	medilateral.
l.	lateral.
ss.	suprasylvian.
ssp.	posterior suprasylvian.
rh.	rhinal.
pr.	postrhinal.
io.	intraorbital.
ol.	olfactory.
h.	hippocampal.
sp.	splenial.
sps.	suprasplenial.
ph.	postero-horizontal.
psp.	postsplenial.
v.	vorticose.

<i>Convolutions, &c.</i>	
rc.	gyrus rectus.
isc.	internal supraorbital.
csc.	external supraorbital.
wr.	ursine lozenge.
sac.	sagittal or 1st external.
mlc.	medilateral or 2nd external.
ssc.	suprasylvian or 3rd external.
syc.	Sylvian or 4th external.
sgc.	sigmoid gyrus.
cc.	callosal gyrus.
hc.	hippocampal gyrus.
lh.	lobus hippocampi or uncinate.
spc.	splenial convolution.
sspc.	suprasplenial convolution.
prc.	proceran convolution.
to.	tuber olfactorm.
ob.	olfactory bulb.
P.	pineal body.
H.	hypophysis cerebri or pituitary body.
ccl.	corpus callosum.
cs.	corpus striatum.
oth.	optic thalamus.
ch.	choroid plexus.
hm.	hippocampus major.
f.	fornix.
th.	tenia hippocampi.
C1.	1st cervical spinal nerve.

In this and the following plates the Roman Numerals I.-XII. inclusive indicate the cranial nerves, as follows :—

I. olfactory.	V. trigeminal.	IX. glosso-pharyngeal.
II. optic.	VI. abducent.	X. pneumogastric.
III. motor oculi.	VII. portio dura or facial.	XI. spinal accessory.
IV. troclearis.	VIII. portio mollis or auditory.	XII. hypoglossal.

Fig. 1. Superior surface of the brain of *Macrorhinus leoninus*. The dotted outline represents the form of the brain as taken from a cast of the cranial cavity.

Fig. 2. Inferior surface of the same brain.

Fig. 3. Profile view of the right hemisphere of the same brain.

The above figures were drawn from nature by T. W. Dewar, M.B.

Fig. 4. Superior surface of the brain of a foetal *Phoca grænlandica*, with the pia mater not stripped off.

Fig. 5. Vertical transverse section through the right hemisphere and lateral ventricle of the cerebrum of brain *a* of the Walrus. *ccl*, corpus callosum forming the roof of the lateral ventricle; *cs*, corpus striatum.

Figs. 4 and 5 were drawn from nature from my dissection by Professor Richard Caton.