



FIG. 21.—Diagram of part of a Compound Ascidian colony belonging to the Polyclinidae, and showing two Ascidiozooids united to form a system.

a. anus; at. atrial aperture opening into the common cloacal cavity; Br. branchial aperture; br.s. branchial sac; cl. common cloacal aperture; cc. ectoderm; en. endostyle; gl.n. subneural gland; h. heart; i. intestine; i.gl. intestinal gland; l. languet; m. mantle; n.g. nerve ganglion; o. oesophagus; ov. ovary; p.p. peripharyngeal band; r. rectum; st. stomach; t. test; tn. tentacle; t.v. testis; v.ap. vascular appendage; v.d. vas deferens. The limits of the thorax, abdomen, and post-abdomen are shown by the dotted lines on the left hand side.