STATION 228.

golden band round it (like Semper's Collenterate larva), Beroë, Echinoderm larvæ, Sagitta, Alciopa, Sipunculid and Echiurid larvæ, Cypridina (three or four species), Pontella, Copilia, Calanus, Setella, Saphirina, Hyperids, Oxycephalus, Erichthus, Euphausia, Regulus lucidus, Dana, Lucifer, Sergestes and larvæ, Phyllosoma, Zoëæ, Halobates, small Lamellibranchs and Gasteropods, Atlanta, Cardiopoda, Firoloida, Pteropods and larvæ in great variety, small Cephalopods, Appendicularia, Doliolum, Salpa, small fishes. A female shark (Carcharias) was caught; it had the remains of a noddy tern in its stomach. What appeared to be a true Amaba was observed, but it may have escaped from some of the animals on the Hastigerina became abundant, while the other Foraminifera became less numerous; it was always of a red colour and always had spines, along which it threw out its pseudopodia, attaching itself to the glass globe by other pseudopodia; it had no yellow cells (zooxanthellæ) like Orbulina and Globigerina. The red sarcode mass of Aulosphæra was often separated from the skeleton, and was found in the globe among the other things without reticulated sphere. Some of the specimens of Halobates lived for a long time in a glass globe, diving frequently and carrying with them a bubble of air.

The following species are recorded from the surface in this part of the Pacific, in February and March 1875, the exact date not being noted:—

Amphipoda (Stebbing, Zool. pt. 67).

Phronimella elongata, Claus.

Schizopoda (Sars, Zool. pt. 37).

Nematoscelis rostrata, n.g., n.sp.

Siriella gracilis, Dana.

Macrura (Spence Bate, Zool. pt. 52).

Sergestes corniculum, Krøyer.

" læviventralis, n.sp.

Sciacaris telsonis, n.g., n.sp.

Amphion sp. (?), (Zoëæ).

Pelagic Hemiptera (White, Zool. pt. 19).

Halobates willerstorffi, Frauenfeld.

" germanus, n.sp.

Nudibranchiata (Bergh, Zool. pt. 26).

Glaucilla briareus (Reinhardt).

Tunicata (Herdman, Zool. pt. 76).

Pyrosoma sp. (?).

Salpa runcinata - fusiformis,

Chamisso—Cuvier.

Station 229 (Sounding 367), Admiralty Islands to Yokohama (see Chart 31, and Station 229. Diagrams 14 and 16).

April 1, 1875; lat. 22° 1′ N., long. 140° 27′ E. Temperature of air at noon, 79° 8; mean for the day, 77° 3.