

STATION 346.

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| <i>x Pulvinulina patagonica</i> (d'Orbigny).
" <i>pauperata</i> , Parker and Jones.
<i>x</i> " <i>tumida</i> , Brady. | <i>Rotalia soldanii</i> , d'Orbigny.
<i>Nonionina umbilicatula</i> (Montagu).
<i>Polystomella striatopunctata</i> (Fichtel and Moll). |
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ORGANISMS FROM
SURFACE-NETS.

Surface Organisms.—The following species are recorded from the surface at this Station :—

RADIOLARIA (Haeckel, Zool. pt. 40).

- Siphonosphera socialis*, Haeckel.
- Artiscus hystrix*, Haeckel.
- Xiphacantha ciliata*, Haeckel.
- Lychnaspis giltschii*, Haeckel.
- Icosaspis elegans*, Haeckel.
- Gorgonetta mirabilis*, Haeckel.
- Castanidium buchanani*, Haeckel.
- " *moseleyi*, Haeckel.
- Castanura tizardi*, Haeckel.
- Conchidium argiope*, Haeckel.
- Cælodendrum spinosissimum*, Haeckel.

SIPHONOPHORÆ (Haeckel, Zool. pt. 77).

- Vellela scaphidia*, Péron and Lesueur.
- Armenista sigmoides*, n.g., n.sp.

- Aglaisma gegenbauri*, n.sp.
- Calpe gegenbauri*, n.sp.

AMPHIPODA (Stebbing, Zool. pt. 67).

- Phronimella elongata*, Claus.

SCHIZOPODA (Sars, Zool. pt. 37).

- Thysanopoda tricuspidata*, M.-Edwards.
- Nematoscelis rostrata*, n.g., n.sp.

TUNICATA (Herdman, Zool. pt. 76).

- Salpa democratica - mucronata*, Forskål.

The tow-nets procured Oscillatoriaceæ in great abundance, *Pyrocystis*, Diatoms, *Peridinium*, a few Coccospores and Rhabdospheres, *Globigerina*, *Orbulina*, *Pullenia*, *Sphaeroidina*, *Pulvinulina*, Medusæ, Siphonophoræ, *Sagitta*, *Alciopa*, *Tomopteris*, Aphroditacean larvæ, Copepods, Hyperids, Decapods and larvæ, *Atlanta* and other Heteropods, various species of Pteropods, *Appendicularia*, *Doliolum*, and small fishes. A tow-net sent down to 200 fathoms yielded Challengeridæ and other deep-sea Radiolaria.

STATION 347.

Station 347 (Sounding 497), Ascension Island to St. Vincent (see Chart 12 and Diagram 7).

April 7, 1876 ; lat. $0^{\circ} 15'$ S., long. $14^{\circ} 25'$ W.

Temperature of air at noon, $81^{\circ}\cdot 8$; mean for the day, $81^{\circ}\cdot 4$.