

to Gervais and Alix, its tendon is inserted into the terminal phalanx of the rudimental toe in *Eudytes chrysolophus*.

12. *Extensor proprius digiti medii*.

Le muscle pedieux (part of), Vicq d'Azyr, 1774, p. 516, No. 2.

L'extenseur propre du médius, Cuvier, vol. i. p. 393.

Muscle No. 3, Meckel, vol. vi. p. 110.

Described by Reid, p. 145.

Dorsal du troisième doigt, Gervais and Alix, p. 37.

Attachments.—This, the second dorsal interosseous muscle, *arises* from the upper half of the anterior surface of the third metatarsal, and to a small extent from the adjoining surface of the second metatarsal bone. The muscle passes vertically downwards, and is *inserted* into the dorsal aspect of the base of the first phalanx of the third toe.

Action.—It extends the third toe.

Nerve supply.—A branch from the anterior tibial nerve.

13. *Abductor digiti interni*.

Le muscle pedieux (part of), Vicq d'Azyr, 1774, p. 516, No. 2.

Muscle No. 5, Meckel, vol. vi. p. 110.

Described by Reid, p. 145.

Dorsal du deuxième doigt, Gervais and Alix, p. 37.

Attachments.—This muscle *arises* from the upper half of the anterior surface of the second metatarsal bone. It passes obliquely downwards and inwards, and is *inserted* into the inner side of the base of the first phalanx of the second toe.

Action.—It extends the toe and abducts it from the middle line of the foot.

Nerve supply.—A branch from the anterior tibial nerve.

14. *Adductor digiti externi*.

Le muscle pedieux (part of), Vicq d'Azyr, 1774, p. 516, No. 2.

Muscle No. 4, Meckel, vol. vi. p. 110.

Described by Reid, p. 145.

Dorsal du quatrième doigt, Gervais and Alix, p. 37.

Attachments.—This muscle *arises* from the upper half of the anterior surfaces of the third and fourth metatarsal bones, as well as from the groove between them. It passes vertically downwards, and its tendon, after passing between the pulley-like lower extremities of the third and fourth metatarsal bones, is inserted into the inner side of the base of the first phalanx of the fourth or outer toe.