

*Habitat.*—From the Hebrides of Scotland (Jeffreys) to the Canaries (McAndrew) and Mediterranean (Monterosato). 0 to 128 fathoms.

*Fossil.*—From the Upper Miocene (Seguenza).

12. *Rissoa (Alvania) canariensis*, d'Orbigny, and var. of Manzoni.

*Rissoa canariensis*, d'Orbigny, Moll. Canaries, Webb and Berthelot, p. 78, pl. vi. figs. 5-7.

" " Manzoni, *Rissoa Canaries, &c.*, McAndrew, Journ. de conch., 1868, vol. xvi. p. 245, sp. 11.

" " Watson, Proc. Zool. Soc. Lond., 1873, p. 376, pl. xxxv. fig. 12.

" " Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. xx. pl. ix. fig. 82.

" " Gwyn Jeffreys, "Lightning" and "Porcupine" Moll., Proc. Zool. Soc. Lond., 1884, p. 114, sp. 9.

" " Weinkauff, Conch. Cab. (ed. Küster), p. 118, sp. 18, pl. iii. figs. 19, 20.

February 10, 1873. Tenerife, Canaries. 70 fathoms.

*Habitat.*—Canaries (d'Orbigny); Madeira (Watson).

The variety of this somewhat variable form is that referred to by Manzoni (*loc. cit. supra*) as resembling *Rissoa punctura* (Montague). It differs from that species in having the sculpture less sharp and somewhat coarser; the base is more produced; the whorls are more conical, and less roundedly cylindrical; the suture is less impressed (though the lower part of each whorl is a little more constricted); the apex is blunter, being larger and more tabulated; and the extreme tip is more impressed.

13. *Rissoa (Alvania) hispidula* (Monterosato).

*Rissoa clathrata* (but not of Grateloup), Philippi, Enumeratio, vol. ii. p. 223, sp. 16b, and p. 303, note, pl. xxviii. fig. 20.

*Alvania clathrata*, Weinkauff, Conch. Mittelmeer., vol. ii. p. 302, sp. 2.

*Rissoa clathrata*, Monterosato, Enumerazione, p. 24.

" " Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. xx. pl. ix. fig. 76.

*Alvania clathrata*, Seguenza, Form. Terz. Calabria, pp. 268, 320.

*Rissoa clathrata*, Weinkauff, Conch. Cab. (ed. Küster), p. 167, sp. 78, pl. xxi. figs. 9, 12.

*Acinus hispidulus*, Monterosato, Nomenclatura, p. 63.

Station 75. July 2, 1873. Lat. 38° 38' N., long. 28° 28' 30" W. Off Fayal, Azores. 450 to 500 fathoms. Volcanic mud.]

*Habitat.*—Mediterranean (Philippi).

*Fossil.*—From the Middle Pliocene onwards (Seguenza).

I am indebted to Dr Gwyn Jeffreys for the identification of this species, my acquaintance with which is slight.

Philippi (*loc. cit. supra*, p. 303, note) withdraws his name of *clathrata* as preoccupied, but does not say by whom. It had been previously used by Grateloup for a Falunien fossil (see Tab. Coq. foss. tert. Dax Landes, Bull. Soc. Linn. Bordeaux, 1827, vol. ii. p. 133, No. 104). The identification of the species with *Rissoa zetlandica* (Mont.), is, according to Monterosato, a mistake.