

Asterina cepheus being probably the form in question. *Asterina squamata* and *Asterina marginata*, off Senegal, the latter extending across the Atlantic to Brazil. *Asterina minuta* (Gray), *Asterina lymani*, *Asterina pilosa*, and **Asterina folium*, from the West Indian area, the last-mentioned also off the coast of Florida (*vide* Alexander Agassiz). *Asterina granifera*, *Asterina coccinea*, *Asterina gunnii*, and **Asterina exigua*, from the Cape of Good Hope; *Asterina coccinea* extending into the Indian Ocean to Mozambique, *Asterina gunnii* extending to Australia and Tasmania, and *Asterina exigua* extending through the Indian and Southern Oceans into the Eastern Archipelago and Pacific.

INDIAN and SOUTHERN OCEANS: Seven (or eight ?) species between the parallels of 30° N. and 40° S.

**Asterina cepheus*, **Asterina penicillaris*, and *Asterina wega*, from the Red Sea; *Asterina cepheus* is also found off Zanzibar and Mozambique, and extends into the Eastern Archipelago and Pacific; *Asterina penicillaris* is also found off Port Natal, and extends into the Eastern Archipelago and Pacific; *Asterina wega* is also found off Mauritius. *Asterina gibbosa* is reputed to occur in the Red Sea, and at Mauritius and Madagascar, and to extend into the Eastern Archipelago, but *Asterina cepheus* is probably the species intended. *Asterina coccinea* and *Asterina coronata*, off Mozambique, the former extending to the Cape of Good Hope, and the latter into the Eastern Archipelago. As to the specific distinction of *Asterina coronata* from *Asterina cepheus* I am somewhat doubtful. *Asterina fimbriata*, off the Island of Bourbon. **Asterina exigua*, from Natal, Mauritius, Madagascar, St Paul Island, extending to the Cape of Good Hope, and passing eastward into the Eastern Archipelago and Pacific.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO: Four (or five ?) species between the parallels of 20° N. and 20° S.

**Asterina cepheus*, **Asterina exigua*, and **Asterina penicillaris* from Java; *Asterina cepheus* and *Asterina exigua* are also found off the Philippines and extend into the Indian Ocean and Pacific, the latter occurring at the Cape of Good Hope. *Asterina exigua* and *Asterina penicillaris* are also found off the Moluccas, and the latter at Flores, and extending into the Pacific and Indian Oceans. *Asterina coronata* (the specific distinctness of which from *Asterina cepheus*