

PLATE XI.

Figs. 1-6. *Abyssascidia vasculosa*, n. sp.

Figs. 7-13. *Ascidia* sp. (Dorsal tubercle, &c.).

Figs. 14-16. *Styela sericata*, n. sp.

a. Anus.
 at. Atrial aperture.
 bl.s. Blood sinus.
 br. Branchial aperture.
 br.s. Branchial sac.
 br.si. Branchial siphon.
 c.d. Connecting ducts.
 c.ep. Cubical epithelium.
 c.t. Connective tissue.
 d.l. Dorsal lamina.
 d.t. Dorsal tubercle.
 g. Reproductive organs.

g.d. Duct of reproductive organs.
 gl.t. Glandular tubules of dorsal tubercle.
 i. Intestine.
 i.l. Internal longitudinal bars.
 inf. Infundibula of dorsal tubercle.
 l. Languet.
 l.v. Longitudinal vessels.
 m. Mantle.
 m.b. Muscle bands.
 n. Nerve.
 n.g. Nerve ganglion.

œ. Oesophagus.
 p. Papilla of branchial sac.
 p.a. Peritubercular area.
 p.p. Peripharyngeal band.
 ret. Network of stellate cells.
 sg. Stigmata.
 sp.c. Spherical gland cells.
 sq. Squamous epithelium.
 st. Stomach.
 tn, tn'. Tentacles.
 tr. Transverse vessels.
 z. Prebranchial zone.

- Fig. 1. *Abyssascidia vasculosa*; natural size.
- Fig. 2. Body of same with test removed, from left side; natural size.
- Fig. 3. Dorsal tubercle, tentacles, &c., of same; magnified (S. 1).
- Fig. 4. Part of branchial sac of same, from inside; magnified (S. 1).
- Fig. 5. Part of dorsal lamina of same; magnified (S. 1).
- Fig. 6. Alimentary canal and reproductive organs of same; natural size.
- Fig. 7. The dorsal tubercle and neighbouring parts of a large *Ascidia* from Kerguelen Island; natural size.
- Fig. 8. The same parts seen in longitudinal vertical section; natural size.
- Fig. 9. An antero-posterior section of the dorsal tubercle; magnified (S. 1).
- Fig. 10. Small part of last; highly magnified, to show the ciliated infundibula, glandular tubule, connective tissue with blood sinuses, &c. (S. $\frac{1}{6}$).
- Fig. 11. The cæcal end of one of the glandular tubules; highly magnified (S. $\frac{1}{6}$).
- Fig. 12. Transverse section of a tubule filled with cells; highly magnified (S. $\frac{1}{6}$).
- Fig. 13. Small part of the branchial sac of the same specimen of *Ascidia*; magnified (S. 1).
- Fig. 14. *Styela sericata*; natural size.
- Fig. 15. Part of the branchial sac and dorsal lamina of the same; magnified (S. 1).
- Fig. 16. The large and small tentacles of the same; magnified (S. 1).