

but sharper furrow which runs out into a little prickle on the outer lip; the upper part of the body-whorl is buried in enamel, banded with alternate white, brown, and pale, the succession of which colours up the spire makes it possible to count the whorls. *Colour* fawn, banded with white and brown. *Spire* high and small. *Apex* small, bluntly rounded, and white; it is free from enamel. *Whorls* 6; the last is elongated, and a very little tumid. *Suture* buried. *Mouth* narrowly oval, pointed above, truncated, and emarginate in front. *Outer lip* flatly curved, thin, with a projecting point on the edge in front. *Inner lip* slightly convex on the body, concave below; a thick labial pad loads the twisted pillar, fills the mouth above, spreads out on the body, and covers the spire. *Operculum*, triangularly lanceolate, sharp-pointed above, with a terminal nucleus lying toward the outer edge, feebly lineated, thin, yellow, with a dull gloss; it quite fills the mouth of the shell. H. 0·37 in. B. 0·17. Mouth, height 0·22, breadth 0·07.

This species is narrower than any of the small *Ancillas*, and has at the same time all the appearance of being full grown.

6. *Ancilla (Amalda) oblonga* (Sowerby).

- Ancillaria oblonga*, Sowerby, Sp. Conch., pt. 1, p. 7, figs. 38, 39.
 „ „ Sowerby, Thes. Conch., vol. iii. pt. 19, p. 65, sp. 38, pl. ccxiii. (iii. Gen.) figs. 42, 43.
 „ „ Lamarek, Anim. s. vert. (ed. Desh.), vol. x. p. 595, sp. 10.
 „ „ Kiener, Iconog., p. 15, sp. 10, pl. iv. fig. 2.
 „ „ Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. xv. pl. viii. fig. 24.
Amalda oblonga, Angas, Port Jackson Moll., Proc. Zool. Soc. Lond., 1867, p. 193, No. 41.
Ancillaria oblonga, Weinkauff in Conch. Cab. (ed. Küster), p. 28, sp. 29, pl. ix. figs. 2, 5.
 „ „ Weinkauff, Jahrb. deutsch. malak. Gesellsch., 1880, p. 105, sp. 36.

April 17-18, 1874. Port Jackson, Sydney, Australia. 2 to 10 fathoms.

Station 163B. June 3, 1874. Lat. 35° 51' 15" S., long. 151° 22' 15" E. Port Jackson, Sydney. 30 to 35 fathoms. Hard ground.

Habitat.—Port Jackson (Angas).

7. *Ancilla (Dipsaccus) cingulata* (Sowerby).

- Ancillaria cingulata*, Sowerby, Sp. Conch., pt. 1, p. 6, figs. 36, 37.
Dipsaccus cingulatus, Adams, Genera, vol. i. p. 147.
Ancillaria cingulata, Sowerby, Thes. Conch., vol. iii. pt. 19, p. 62, sp. 25, pl. ccxiii. (iii. Gen.) fig. 54.
 „ „ Reeve, Conch. Icon., vol. xv. pl. ii. fig. 4.
 „ „ Kiener, Iconog., p. 10, sp. 6, pl. iv. figs. 1 and 1a.
 „ „ Weinkauff in Conch. Cab. (ed. Küster), p. 11, sp. 11, pl. iv. figs. 1, 2.
 „ „ Weinkauff, Jahrb. deutsch. malak. Gesellsch., 1880, p. 106, sp. 43.

Station 188. September 10, 1874. Lat. 9° 59' S., long. 139° 42' E. West of Cape York, off south-west point of Papua. 28 fathoms. Green mud.