

## BULLA VIRGINEA.



### CHARACTER GENERICUS.

*Animal limax.*

*Testa univalvis, convoluta, inermis.*

*Apertura subcoarctata, oblonga, longitudinalis.*

*Columella obliqua, lœvis.*

*Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1181.*

### CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

**BULLA ALBA**, fasciis versicoloribus duplicatis,  
columella truncata purpurea.

**BULLA TESTA** subturrita erecta, columella  
truncata sanguinea.

*Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1186.*

## BUCCINUM VIRGINEUM.

*Lin. Mus. Lud. Ulr. n. 267.*

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In Asiae fluviis præcipue reperta sedem sibi vindicat hæc concha inter pulcherrimas sui generis. Colore interdum variat; notas tamen semper retinet certas adeo et constantes, ut de specie non possit dubitari.

THE  
RIBBAND BULLA.

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*GENERIC CHARACTER.*

*Animal* resembling a Limax or Slug.

*Shell* univalve, convoluted.

*Aperture* somewhat straitened, oblong, longitudinal, entire at the base.

*Column* oblique and smooth.

*SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.*

WHITE BULLA, with particoloured double bands, and purple truncated column.

The STRIPED BULLA.

The PAINTED BULLA.

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This beautiful shell, which is justly considered as one of the most elegant of the genus, is principally found in the rivers of Asia. It varies sometimes in its colors, but always retains characters sufficiently clear to determine the species.



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