

BULLA? OCCIDUA.



CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Animal Limax.

Testa univalvis, convoluta, inermis.

Apertura coarctata, oblonga, longitudinalis.

Columella obliqua, lævis.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1181.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

BULLA? (Helix?) ovato-oblonga, crassa, albidæ, spira obtusa, labio purpureo.

HELIX oblonga. H. testa perforata ovato-oblonga, striata, labro columellaque roseis.

Müll. Hist. Verm. p. 86. n. 284.

PSEUDO-AURIS MIDÆ, testa ovali oblonga, subumbilicata, tumida, crassa, anfractibus sex ventricosis, apice obtuso, labro et labio roseis, apertura ovata integerrima.

Martini. Vol. 9. p. 30. t. 119.

fig. 1022. 1023.

BUCCINUM admodum crassum, &c. &c.

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t. 1055. fig. 1.

COCHLEA

COCHLEA terrestris Americana Plumieri.

Lift. it. Par. p. 74. t. 3.

HELIX oblonga.

Born. Mus. Cæs. Vind. test. t. 15.

fig. 21. 22.

HELIX oblonga.

Lin. Syst. Nat. Gmel. p. 3637.

COCHLEÆ levæ.

Seb. Mus. 3. t. 71. fig. 17—20.

Facie formaque generali affinis admodum est Bulla Occidua per pulchræ Bullæ achatinæ, quam in hoc opere jam depinximus. Ab illa tamen facile dignosci possit, quod crassior multo fit, labio non tenui, quale est Bullæ achatinæ, sed circa testæ hiatum solidam in marginem ducto. Differt quoque colore; nam alba paulatim subflavet, labio pulchre roseo, (quo etiam leviter inficitur interna testæ superficies,) caretque omnino eleganti illa variatione qua decoratur Bulla achatina. Terrestris est species, et in variis Americæ meridionalis partibus non raro reperitur, nec non in insulis Americanis seu occiduis. Animal testam incolens helici communissimum est. Color est cinereus, umbris striisque huc illuc obscurioribus et lucidioribus variatus, et in aliquibus partibus sub-cæruleo et roseo commixtus. Viro celeberrimo Carolo Plumiero, quem circiter finem sæculi jam elapsi merito insigniverunt scripta

scripta quæ congeffit de naturali novi orbis historia,
de botanice præcipue, figuram archetypam debemus,
quam in tabula imitati fumus, quamque cum Listero
in Lutesia Parisiorum agente, communicavit Plu-
mierus. Ova quæ deponit Bulla occidua putamine
calcario conteguntur, et tum forma tum magnitu-
dine ad ovorum passeris vulgaris similitudinem tam
prope dicuntur accedere, ut ab iis vix ac ne vix
possint distingui.

THE
OCCIDENTAL BULLA.



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.

Ovate-oblong thick BULLA? (*Helix?*) with obtuse spire, and purple lip.

The Rose-lipped SNAIL.

Rose-mouthed BULLA.

Surinam SNAIL.

Oviparous SNAIL.

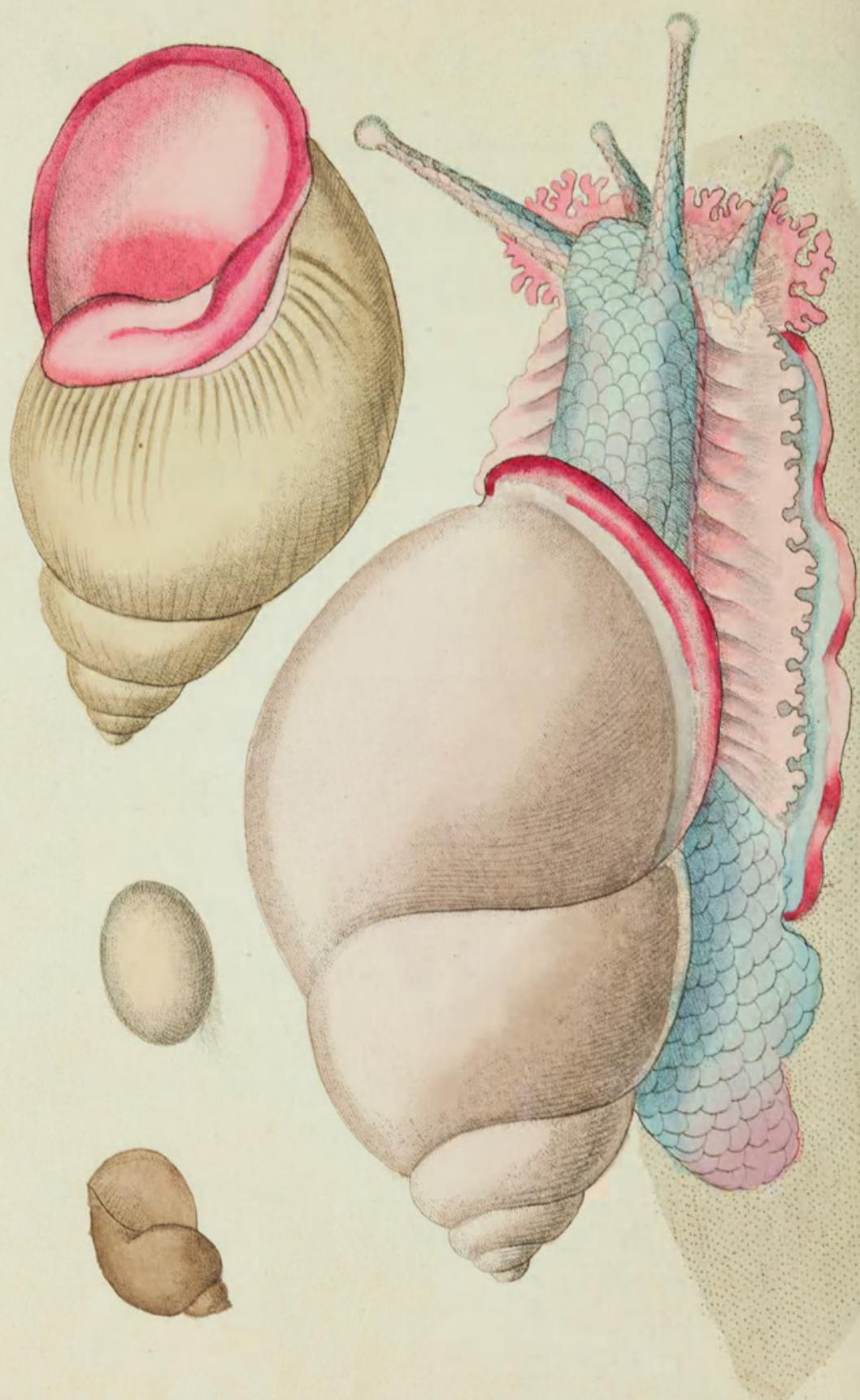
Der Rosenmund. } *Martini. Vol. 9. p. 30. t. 119.*
Roodlip. } *fig. 1022. 1023.*

FAUSSE Oreille de Midas.

Davil. Cat. 1. p. 134. n. 166.

Der rosenmundige SCHNIRKEL.

Born. Mus. Cœf. p. 381. t. 15.
fig. 21. 22.
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