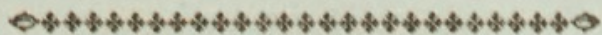




HELIX AMPULLACEA?



CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Animal Limax.

Testa univalvis, spiralis, subdiaphana, fragilis.

Apertura coarctata, intus lunata s. subrotunda :
segmento circulo dempto.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1241.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS.

HELIX testa subumbilicata subglobosa glabra,
anfractibus supra ventricosioribus umbilico
subobtecto, apertura ovato-oblonga.

Lin. Mus. Lud. Ulr. 666.

Nerita effusa?

Mull. Hist. Verm. 2. No. 361.

Seb. mus. 3. t. 4. f. 3. 4. 5.

In India præcipue conspicitur Helix ampullacea,
loca, ut plurimum, paludosa amans. Magnitudine
vera in tabula exprimitur:

THE
DILATED SNAIL.



GENERIC CHARACTER.

Animal resembling a Slug.

Shell spiral, sub-pellucid.

Aperture semilunar.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER.

SUBGLOBOSE smooth subumbilicated Snail,
with the spires enlarging at the upper part,
and with ovate-oblong aperture.

The *Helix ampullacea* is a native of India, and is said principally to be found in marshy situations: it is represented in its natural size on the annexed plate.



Shaw, George. 1803. "The Dilated Snail, *Helix ampullacea* [Pl. 576]." *The Naturalist's Miscellany* 14(CLXV), <https://doi.org/10.5962/p.311020>.

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