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A P P E N D I X.

On the Classification of the Crustacea Choristopoda or Tetradecapoda; by JAMES D. DANA.

THE term Choristopoda, applied to the Tetradeacopods, alludes to the subdivision of the thorax into segments, each devoted to a separate pair of legs; this is a prominent peculiarity of the species, distinguishing them from all the Podophthalmia, and with rare exceptions from the Entomostraca.

This division of Crustacea is subdivided by Latreille and other subsequent authors into three groups, the *Amphipoda*, *Læmipoda* and *Isopoda*. Kröyer has suggested that the Læmipods are essentially Amphipods in structure, and his investigations have shown that in the only important distinction between them, that based upon the abdomen, the two groups are united by gradual transitions. In the organs of the mouth, they are the same,—also in having thoracic branchial appendages and in the position of the thoracic legs; and moreover the abdominal appendages conform to the same type, as is seen when the abdomen in the Caprellidæ is partly elongated, as in the genus *Cercops* of Kröyer.

Rejecting the division Læmipoda, the number of tribes is reduced to two. There is however a third tribe, which hitherto has not been recognized. It is intermediate in its characteristics between the Amphipods and Isopods.

The AMPHIPODA are uniformly characterized by having—

1. The three posterior pairs of thoracic legs thrown backward and more or less obliquely outward, and constituting one series, while the four anterior pairs are thrown forward and outward, in another series; this arrangement may be represented by the figures 4 : 3, (or 2+2 : 3, as the four pairs of the first series are often in two sets of two pairs each).
2. The branchial appendages thoracic.
3. The abdominal members in two sets, the three anterior pairs subnatatory, the three posterior styliform—an arrangement represented by the figures 3 : 3.

The true ISOPODA, on the contrary, have—

1. The four posterior pairs of thoracic legs in the backward series, and three anterior pairs in the forward series—3 : 4.
2. The branchial organs abdominal.
3. The abdominal members in two sets, the 5 anterior pairs branchial (the first sometimes operculiform), and only the last styliform—5 : 1.

These are two distinct types of structure of fundamental character; and any species which do not partake of these peculiarities are inter-



mediate forms and are naturally arranged in a separate group. These constitute the tribe here named

The ANISOPODA.

1. Like *Amphipoda*, the three posterior pairs of thoracic legs are in one series, and the four anterior in a different series or usually in sets of two pairs each;—4 (or 2+2) : 3.
2. Like *Isopoda*, the three posterior pairs of abdominal members are not styliform, only the last pair being of this character; the branchial organs are abdominal and not thoracic, with a rare exception.

These are constant characteristics of the whole group. Although strongly *Amphipodan*, the species have in general more external resemblance to the *Isopods*; yet the intermediate character of some genera is so obvious that they have been arranged in the former group by one author and in the latter by another.

The genera that pertain to this tribe, Anisopoda, are the following: *Arcturus* and the allied *Anthura*, *Tanais*, *Apseudes*, *Rhea*, *Praniza*, *Anceus*, *Serolis*, *Bopyrus* and allied. Each of the larger subdivisions of the Isopoda, as laid down by Edwards, affords one or more genera, and they are genera which in his system are in some instances marked off as anomalous in character.

In *Arcturus* and *Anthura*, the thoracic members have the Amphipod character, the series being 4 (or 2+2) : 3, and not 3 : 4 as in the Isopods. The abdominal appendages are like those of *Idotæa*.

In *Tanais*, there is the same arrangement. The abdominal appendages are Isopodan in being characterized by the series 5 : 1, but the 5 anterior are elongated and subnatatory, the abdomen is more flexibly articulated, approximating to the Amphipods; the 6th pair is a pair of stylets. *Apseudes* and *Rhea* are closely like *Tanais*, and actually more resemble Amphipods than Isopods. The abdomen is more elongated, and differs from the Amphipodan abdomen mainly in having but one pair of stylets with 5 pairs of subnatatories instead of three of stylets and three of natatories.

Praniza and *Anceus* have the thoracic legs Amphipodan in their arrangement. The abdomen in *Praniza* is considerably elongated and flexible, approaching the Amphipodan; but the arrangement of its appendages is Isopodan.

In *Serolis*, although the general aspect of the species is strikingly Isopodan, the arrangement of the thoracic legs is Amphipodan. Further than this, the abdomen is partly Amphipodan, for instead of the series 5 : 1, it has the series 3 : 3; yet while the 3 anterior pairs are natatory as in the Amphipoda, the next two, instead of being styliform, like the last, are branchial (one opercular to the other), and in this particular they are Isopodan.

In the *Bopyri*, the thoracic legs are so arranged in a single continuous series, that it is difficult to make out the series 4 : 3 or 3 : 4. Yet in some figures, the former (the Amphipodan) arrangement is indicated. The males are closely like *Tanais* in some instances, both in the length of the abdomen, its free articulations and its appendages.* In a female not adult of the *Bopyrus abdominalis*, figured by Kröyer,† all the tho-

* See Kröyer, in *Voy. Scand.*, pl. 28, fig. 1 A., *Dajus Mysidis*. † *Ibid.* pl. 29, fig. 1L.

racic legs of one side are obsolete excepting the 3 posterior, a fact pointing to the Amphipod arrangement 4:3. Rathke's figure of the "*Phryxus Hippolytes*"* represents a male with the 3 posterior legs either side thrown backward and the 4 anterior forward, confirming the same view.

In *Ione*, there are *thoracic* branchial appendages, which is a wide divergence from the Isopoda. In view of these facts, we conclude that the Bopyri are properly Anisopods. The resemblance in habit to the Cymothoidæ is no objection, for we find this habit also in the Cyami, species still more remote. In fact, the male Bopyri show that the species in all essential points of structure, are nearest to Jæra and Tanais. Moreover the Jæra are mostly parasitic.

The genera *Crossurus*, and *Liriope* of Rathke are near Tanais, though also related in form to male Bopyri. In *Liriope* the thoracic legs are grouped as in Tanais, and the abdominal appendages are subnatatory or nearly Amphipodan in structure, although, like Tanais, diverse from true Amphipods in having 5 pairs subnatatory, and only one pair of stylets. *Liriope* is referred to the Amphipoda by Rathke. *Cryptothir* is the name of another related genus, a species of which was found by the author in the cavity of a living barnacle (*Creusia*).

We therefore adopt as the grand divisions of the Choristopoda, the three tribes, ISOPODA, ANISOPODA and AMPHIPODA.

It is an important fact, the basis of a philosophical principle, that the most sluggish and most stupid of the Decapods are found in the transition group, Anomoura. So in the Tetradecapods, the transition group, *Anisopoda*, contains those species of the order that are lowest in activity and structural perfection; for the Bopyri, the females especially, when mature, are nearly memberless, motionless and senseless.

The *Isopoda* seem to have the same relation to the *Amphipoda* that the *Brachyura* have to the *Macroura*, and are the higher in rank.

Tribe 1. Isopoda.—The Isopoda thus stripped of genera that are not properly of the tribe, are naturally divided into three subtribes, as follows:—

Subtribus I. IDOTÆIDEA.—Appendices abdominales duæ posticæ bene operculiformes, appendices alias optime tegentes.

Subtribus II. ONISCOIDEA.—Appendices abdominales duæ posticæ styliformes et non operculiformes, fere terminales, raro obsolete.

Subtribus III. CYMOTHOIDEA.—Appendices abdominales duæ posticæ lamellatae, apud abdominis latera dispositæ.

Tribe 2. Anisopoda.—Among the Anisopoda, we find the three subtribes of the Isopoda represented. Allied to the *Idotæidea*, there are *Arcturus*, *Leachia*, *Anthura*; allied to the *Oniscoidea*, the genera *Tancis*, *Apseudes*, *Bopyrus* and others related; allied to the *Cymothoidea*, the genera *Serolis*, *Praniza*, &c. *Praniza* is an aberrant form, abnormal in the number of its legs. The three grand divisions are hence as follows:—

Subtribus I. SEROLIDEA, vel ANISOPODA CYMOTHOICA.—Appendices duæ posticæ abdominales lamellatae, apud abdominis latera dispositæ.

* Fauna Norwegens, pl. 2, f. 3.

† Fauna Norwegens, pp. 35 and 60, pl. 1.

Subtribus II. ARCTURIDE, vel ANISOPODA IDOTÆICA.—Appendices duæ posticæ abdominales lamellatæ et brevè operculiformes, appendices branchiales tegentes.

Subtribus III. TANAIDE, vel ANISOPODA ONISCICA.—Appendices duæ posticæ abdominales plus minusve styliformes, subterminales, interdum obsoletæ.

Tribe 3. Amphipoda.—The Amphipoda contain two prominent divisions, distinguished by the organs of the mouth, the eyes and general habit, the Gammarus and Hyperia sections, as laid down by Edwards. The addition of the Læmipoda to the Amphipoda introduces a third division. The sections are hence:—

Subtribus I. CAPRELLIDE.—Maxillipedes elongati, palpiformes. Caput oculique mediores. Abdomen obsolecentis.

Subtribus II. GAMMARIDEA.—Maxillipedes elongati, palpiformes. Caput oculique mediores. Abdomen appendicibus sex natatoriis sexque styliformibus instructum.

Subtribus III. HYPERIDEA.—Maxillipedes abbreviati, lamellati, operculiformes. Caput grande, oculorum cornis plerunque tectum. Appendices abdominales ac in *Gammarideis*, latius lamellatae.

The Caprellidea have the habit of certain of the Anisopoda, and their short abdomen calls to mind the Isopoda. They therefore properly stand first among the Amphipoda. The Caprellids like the species of Arcturus and Tanais, cling and stand upon seaweeds, etc., by their six hinder legs, while the body and the other legs are extended, for the purpose of capturing their food and conveying it to the mouth.

In the following synopsis of the Families, Subfamilies and Genera, some new genera are included, discovered by the author in the course of the cruise of the Exploring Expedition under Capt. Wilkes.

TRIBUS I.

I S O P O D A.

Subtribus I. IDOTÆIDEA.*

Fam. I. IDOTÆIDÆ.

Pedes fere consimiles, plus minusve ambulatorii.

G. 1. IDOTEA, *Fabr.*—Antennæ externæ longiores, flagello multiarticulato confectæ.

G. 2. EDOTEA, *Guerin.*—Antennæ externæ internis parce longiores, flagello pauciarticulato confectæ, basi paulo longiore quam basis internarum.

G. 3. ERICHSONIA, *Dana.*—Antennæ externæ internis multo longiores, geniculatae, 6-articulatae, flagello carentes. Pedes subæqui consimiles.

G. 4. CLEANTIS, *Dana.*—Antennæ externæ multo longiores, 5–6-articulatae, non geniculatae, flagello carentes. Pedes 4ti 3tiis valde breviores, et 4ti 5ti 6ti 7mi longitudine sensim incrementantes. Abdominis opercula laminam appendiculatam ad articulationem gerentia.

G. 5. EPELYS, *Dana.*—Antennæ breves, longitudine subæquæ; externæ flagello carentes, non geniculatae. Pedes subæqui.

Fam. 2. CHÆTILIDÆ.

Pedes 6ti longissimi, setiformes et multi-articulati.

G. 1. CHÆTILA, *Dana.*—Antennæ 1ma longiores, superiores, 2dæ flagello multiarticulato confectæ. Pedes 7mi breves, non unguiculati. Abdominis opercula laminam appendiculatam ad articulationem gerentia.

* The genera *Erichsonia*, *Cleantis*, *Epelys* and *Chætilia*, are described by the author in this Journal, [2.] viii, 424, 1849.

Subtribus II. ONISCOIDEA.

Fam. I. ARMADILLIDÆ.*

Corpus bene convexum, stricte articulatum. Abdomen multi-articulatum, segmento ultimo parvo. Appendices caudales ultra abdomen non exsertæ, lamellatae. Mandibulae non palpigeræ. Antennæ internæ inconspicuae.

Subfam. 1. TYLINÆ.†—Appendices caudales infra abdominis segmentum posticum celatae et operculiformes.

G. 1. *Tylus*, Latreille.

Subfam. 2. ARMADILLINÆ.‡—Appendices caudales inter duo abdominis segmenta posticia partim visa.

G. 1. *Armadillo*,|| Latr., partim, Brandt, Edw.—Basis appendicium caudalium grandis, ramo interno parvulo, altero obsoletio.

G. 2. *Sphaerillo*, Dana.—Basis appendicium caudalium grandis, ramo interno parvulo, externo parvulo, in latere basis interiore versus apicem insita.

G. 3. *Armadillidium*,¶ Brandt.—Basis appendicium caudalium brevis, ramo extero lato, terminali, interno parvulo.

G. 4. *Diploexochus*, Brandt.—*Armadillonii* appendicibus caudalibus similis. Segmenta thoracis processu horizontali utrinque armata.

Fam. II. ONICIDÆ.

Corpus saepius minus convexum, vel stricte vel laxè articulatum. Abdomen multi-articulatum, segmento ultimo parvo. Appendices caudales valde exsertæ, styliformes. Mandibulae non palpigeræ. Antennæ internæ inconspicuae.

Subfam. 1. ONISCINÆ.**—Maxillipedes 3-articulati, articulis duobus ultimis breviis et parvulis. Antennæ externæ ad articulationem 5tan bene geniculatae. Basis appendicium caudalium per breve, duos stylos multum inaequos gerens, stylo interno sub abdomine partim celato.

G. 1. *Oniscus*, Linn.—Antennæ externæ subcylindricæ, ad basin fronte partim tectæ. Flagellum 1-3-articulatum, †† articulo precedente vix brevius vel longius.

Subgen. 1. *Tachioniscus*, Brandt.††—Antennæ externæ 6-articulatae.

Subgen. 2. *Porcellio*, Latr.—Antennæ externæ 7-articulatae.

Subgen. 3. *Onisus*, Latr.—Antennæ externæ 8-articulatae.

G. 4. *Paroloscia*, Oniseo affinis. Antennæ externæ usque ad basin apertæ, 7-articulatae, subcylindricæ. Flagellum ac in *Porcellione*.

G. 5. *Platyarthrus*, Brandt.—Antennæ externæ quad articulum 5tan latæ, latere externo dilatatae.

G. 6. *Dero*, Guerin.—Flagellum antennarum externarum per breve, 4-articulatum, articulo precedente multo brevius, articulo 5to cylindrico.

* *Armadillida*, Koch, Deutschl. Crust., 34th Heft, 1840; also Cat. Brit. Crust. Brit. Mus., 1850, p. 73.

† Appendices normales abdominis 6tae nobis denominatae *appendices caudales*; segmentum abdominis ultimum *segmentum caudale* est.

|| *Tylsarius*, Edw.

§ *Armadilliens*, Edw.

¶ *Pentheus*, Koch.

¶ *Armadillo*, Koch, et Latr. partim.

** *Porcellionis*, Edw. *Porcellionidae*, Cat. Brit. Crust. Brit. Mus., 1850. We deem it better to derive the family name from the older generic name, *Oniseus*.

†† Præter hos tres articulos, flagellum articularis minutis 1-3 inconspicuis ad extremitatem confectum, ultimo styliforme et apice setigero. ¶¶ *Itea*, Koch.

Subfam. 2. SCYPHACINÆ.—Maxillipedes 2-articulati, articulo 2do iamellato. Antennæ externe ad articulationem 5tam non geniculatae. Styli caudales ac in *Oniscinæ*. Basis appendicula caudalium aut brevis aut oblongus, ramo interno interdum omnino aperto.

G. 1. SCYPHAX, Dana.—Flagellum antennarum 1-3-articulatum.

G. 2. STELONISCUS, Dana.—Flagellum antennarum tenuis, multi-articulatum.

Subfam. 3. LYGINÆ.—Maxillipedes 4-articulati, elongati. Antennæ externe ad articulationem 5tam non bene geniculatae. Styli caudales longi, basi longè exerto, ramis setiformibus, subaequalis et coque apertis.

G. 1. LYCA, Fabr.—Basis appendicula caudalium apice simplex, ramosque duos simul gerens.

G. 2. LYCIDUM, Brandt.*—Basis appendicula caudalium apice fucatus, brachio utroque ramum setiformem gerente.

Fam. 3. ASELLIIDÆ.

Corpus saepius plus depresso et laxè articulatum. Abdomen 6-articulatum, segmento ultimo grandi, scutellato. Appendices caudales styiformes, interdum brevissimæ. Mandibulae palpigeræ. Antennæ internæ conspicuae.

Subfam. 1. LIMNORINÆ.—Abdomen 5-6-articulatum.

G. 1. LIMNORIA.—Segmenta abdominis duo postica grandia, simul sumta scutellata.

Subfam. 2. ASELLINÆ.—Abdomen 1-2-articulatum.

1. *Pedes thoracici subaequii.*

G. 1. JERA, Leach.—Appendices caudales perbreves; branchiales laminæ impari tectæ.

G. 2. JERIDINA, Edw.—Appendices caudales perbreves; branchiales aperte.

G. 3. ASELLUS, Gmelin.—Appendices caudales elongatae. Pedes artici subchelati.

G. 4. JANIRA, Leach.†—*Asetia* affinis. Pedes toti unguiculati, ungue bifido.

G. 5. UENOPOMUS, Kröyer.‡—Pedes 1mo subchelati, digito 2-articulato; reliqui ambulatoriæ, articulo 6to sub-rudimentario. Appendices branchiales laminæ unicæ permagnâ tectæ. Thoracis segmenta latere incisa et dentata.

2. *Pedes posteriores valde elongati.*

G. 6. MUNNA, Kröyer.§—Appendices caudales rudimentariae. Pedes artici crassiores, subchelati; posteriores corpore multo longiores.

Subtribus III. CYMOTHOIDEA.

[The Cymothoidea correspond nearly to the *Isopodes nageurs* of Edwards.] The subtribe thus embraces along with Edwards's "Cymothoidiens" (Serois excluded) his "Spheromiens." The *Cymothoæ*, *Ega* and *Spheroma* sections are closely related, and constitute a single natural group. The first (*Cymothoïdæ*) has the antennæ attached to the under surface of the head somewhat remote from the front margin, and the caudal stylets are free; the second (*Egidæ*) has the antennæ

* *Zia*, Koch.

† *Oniscoda*, Latreille.

‡ Nat. Tidsskr., [2], ii, 1847.

§ Ibid. ii, 1838, 1839, p. 612 and [2], ii, 1847.

|| The exceptions consist in our removal of his *Pranisiens*, and the genus *Serois*, to the Anisopoda.

attached to the front of the head, with the caudal stylets free; the *third* (*Spheromidae*) has the antennæ attached to the front of the head, with the inner lamina of the caudal stylets united to the abdomen. In the *Cymothoidæ*, the legs are all ancoral and the caudal stylets and branchiæ are not ciliated; in the *Aegidæ* and *Spheromidae*, only the two or three anterior pairs of legs are ancoral, if any, and the caudal stylets and branchiæ are commonly ciliated. A single genus of the *Cymothoidæ* (*Egathoa*) has the habit of *Aega* and ciliated caudal stylets, with the antennæ and ancoral legs of *Cymothoë*. This ciliation of the lamellar abdominal appendages appears to be a mark of degradation in the species, and is strikingly characteristic of the abdominal natatory feet of the Amphipoda. The family *Aegidæ* contains two groups, distinct in habit; one (*Eginae*) often parasitic, having the 6 anterior legs ancoral, the other (*Cirolaninæ*) not parasitic, and with none of the legs ancoral.]

Fam. I. CYMOTHOIDÆ.*

Maxillipedes breves, 3-4-articulati, operculiformes, articulis terminibus angustis brevibus. Appendices caudales liberae, marginibus rassisimè ciliatæ. Antennæ sub capite infixæ. Abdomen 4-6-articulatum, segmentis anterioribus raro connatis. Pedes toti ancorales. Branchiæ sœpissime non ciliate. Epimeræ conspicuae.

Subfam. I. CYMOTHOINÆ.—Lamelæ caudales nudæ. Abdomen multiarticulatum, segmentis liberis.

G. 1. Cymothoë, *Fabr.*—Femora lata, posteriora latissima. Segmenta thoracis 2-3 ve postica multo breviora nunquam latere acutè producta. Segmentum caudale sœpissimum valde transversum. Antennæ graciles; 1mæ ad basim paulo remotæ.

G. 2. Ceratothoë, *Dana.*—*Cymothoë* asinæ. Antennæ 1mæ crassæ basi conjunctæ. Caput postice latum, fronde productum et sœpe angustum.

G. 3. Livoneca, *Leach.*—Femora latiuscula, 6ta vel 7ma 5tis vix latiora, non angustiora. Segmenta thoracis 2tum 3tum 4tum 5tum 6tum que fere æqua, 7tum paulo brevius. Abdomen thorace subito vix angustius. Caput parvulum. Frons non involutus et in processum inter-antennalem conspicue non productus. Segmentum caudale vix transversum. [Corpus sepe oblique distortum.]

G. 4. Anilocra, *Leach.*—Femora angusta, posteriora angustiora. Segmentum thoracis 2tum 3tum 4tum 5tum 6tum 7tum multo brevius. Abdomen thorace subito angustius, segmentis processu laterali spiniformi infra non instructis, ultimo vix transverso.

Subgen. 1. ANILOCRA.—Rami appendicis caudalis multo inaequi.

Subgen. 2. CANOLIRIA, *Leach.*—Rami appendicis caudalis subaequi.

G. 5. Nerocila, *Leach.*—Femora et segmenta thoracis ac in *Anilocra*. Abdomen thorace subito angustius, segmentis processu lateral: spiniformi infra non instructis, ultimo vix transverso.

G. 6. Olenicra, *Leach.*—Femora latitudine medioeria. Segments thoracis 3 postica anterioribus non longiora. Abdomen thorace subito multo angustius, segmentis cum processibus spiniformibus infra non instructis, ultimo non transverso.

Subfam. 2. OROZEUKTINÆ.—Segmentum abdominis posticum ac in *Cymothoë*; segmenta alia coaila et non libera.

G. 2. OROZEUKTES, *Edw.*

* *Cymothoidiens Parasites*, Edw. Crust., iii, 228, 247.

† *Cymothoë Gaudichaudii* et *C. parallela* hic pertinent.

Subfam. 3. AEGATHOINÆ.—Lamellæ caudales ciliatæ. Abdomen multiarticulatum, segmentis liberi.

G. 1. AEGATHOA, Dana.—Abdomen thoracis subito non angustius, segmentis subaequis. Caput subtriangulatum, latum, thorace parvo angustius. Oculi grandes.

Fam. II. AEGIDÆ.*

Maxillipedes elongati, 4-6-articulati, articulis totis lamellatis, terminibus latis et brevibus. Appendices caudales liberæ, marginibus ciliatæ. Antennæ ad frontis marginem capitis affixæ, aperte. Abdomen 4-6-articulatum. Pedes 6 antici interdum ancorales aut prehensiles, saepius simpliciter unguiculati, 8 postici unguiculati et nunquam ancorales. Branchiæ ciliatæ. Epimeræ conspicuæ.

Subfam. 1. AEGINÆ.—Pedes 6 antici ancorales, unguibus validis; reliqui unguibus parvulis confecti.

G. 1. AEGA, Leach.—Pedes 6 antici æque ancorales. Antennæ 1mæ basi contiguae, 2dæ per epistomatis processum sejunctæ. Frons capitis non saliens.

Subgen. 1. AEGA.—Oculi remoti. Antennæ 1mæ basi complanatae.

Subgen. 2. CONILERA, Leach.—Oculi remoti. Antennæ 1mæ basi subcylindrica.

Subgen. 3. ROCINELA, Leach.—Oculi grandiores, inter se contiguae. Antennæ 1mæ basi complanatae.

G. 2. ACHERUSIA, Lucas.†—Ægæ affinis. Antennæ 2dæ per processum non sejunctæ. Frons capitis saliens.

G. 3. PTERELAS, Guerin.—Ægæ affinis. Pedes 2di 3tii saepissime 1m. subolidactyli, processu et articulo penultimo instar digiti immobilis, processu sive acuminato sive acie instructo.

Subfam. 2. CIROLANINÆ.—Pedes nulli ancorales.

G. 1. CIROLANA, Leach.‡—Segmenta thoracis subaequa. Pedes unguibus parvulis confecti. Antennæ 2dæ per processum epistomatis tenuem sejunctæ. Abdomen 6-articulatum.

G. 2. CORALLANA, Dana.—Segmenta thoracis subaequa. Pedes unguibus parvulis confecti. Antennæ 2dæ epistomate transverso latissimè sejunctæ et partim tectæ, epistomate antennisque 1mis latè connivertibus.

G. 3. ALITRORUS, Edw.—Segmenta thoracis 3 postica anterioribus longiora, ac in Nucocila. Pedes unguibus crassiusculis confecti.

Fam. III. SPHEROMIDÆ.§

Maxillipedes elongati 5-6-articulati et palpiformes. Appendices caudales margini abdominis laterali conjunctæ. Antennæ ad frontis marginem capitis affixæ, aperte. Abdomen 1-2-articulatum. Pedes non ancorales (raro 4 antici ancorales). Branchiæ ciliatæ. Epimeræ non distinguendæ.

* *Cynothoidiens errans*, Edw. Crust., iii, 233.—*Aegidae*, Cat. Brit. Crust. Brit. Mus., 1850, p. 78. † Expl. de l'Algiers, pl. 8, f. 3.

‡ Genera *Eurydice* et *Nelocira*, Leach, inclusa cum Cirolanæ. *Eurydice* discrepat ab domine 5-articulato tantum.

§ *Spheromiens onguiculés*, Edw. Crust., iii, 199.—*Spheromidae*, Cat. Brit. Crust. Brit. Mus., 1850, p. 75.

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Subfam. 1. SPHEROMINÆ.—Lamella appendicis caudalis externa sub internâ se latens.

1. *Corpus in globum contractile.*

G. 1. SPHEROMA, *Latr.*—Lamellæ appendicis caudalis subæquæ.

2. *Corpus in globum non contractile.*

G. 2. CYMODOCEA, *Leach, Edw.**—Caput valde transversum, multo convexum. Lamellæ appendicis caudalis subæquæ.

G. 3. CERCEIS, *Edw.*—Caput parē transversum, subtriangulatum, vix convexum. Antennæ Imæ quoad basin capite rectæ, processu non sejuncta.

G. 4. CASSIDINA, *Edw.*—Corpus latum; caput valde transversum. Lamellæ appendicis caudalis angusta, valde inæqua, externâ parvula. Antennæ Imæ quoad basin processu frontis sejuncta.

G. 5. AMPHOROIDÆUM, *Röde.*—Antennæ quoad basin lamellate portentose productæ ultra capitis frontem.

Subfam. 2. NESÆINÆ.—Lamella appendicis caudalis externa saliens, sub internâ se non latens, usquam aperta. Pedes nulli ancorales.

G. 1. NESÆA, *Leach, Edw.*†—Lamella caudalis externa recta.

G. 2. CAMPECOPEA, *Leach.* Lamella caudalis externa arcuata.

Subfam. 3. ANCININÆ.—Pedes 4 antici ancorales.

G. 1. ANCINUS, *Edw.*—Appendices caudales nūlamellæ oblongæ saliente basique brevissimo instructæ.—An tribus Anisopodorum est genus Ancinus?

TRIBUS II.

A N I S O P O D A .

Subtribus I. SEROLIDEA, vel ANISOPODA CYMOTHOICA.

Fam. I. SEROLIDÆ.

Appendices abdominales sex anticae liberæ, subnatatoriae, quatuor sequentes branchiales, bene lamellatæ, ultimæ ac in *Cymothoادis*. Antennæ Imæ sub capite insitæ.

G. 1. SEROLIS, *Leach.*

Fam. II. PRANIZIDÆ.‡

Appendices abdominales totæ ac in *Egidis*. Antennæ Imæ sub capite insitæ. Pedes thoracis numero decem, paribus duobus anticus rudimentarii. Thoracis segmenta numero quinque non superantia.

Subfam. 1. PRANIZINÆ.—Caput parvum. Mandibulae vix salientes.

G. 1. PRANIZA, *Leach.*

Subfam. 2. ANCEINÆ.—Caput grande. Mandibulae ultra caput longè exsertæ.

G. 1. ANCEUS, *Risso.*

Subtribus II. ARCTURIDEA, vel ANISOPODA IDOTÆICA.

Fam. I. ARCTURIDÆ.

Subfam. 1. ARCTURINÆ.—Opercula abdominis ad ventrem stricte appressa.

* Genus *Dynamena*, Leach, is included.

† Genus *Cilicaea*, Leach, is included.

‡ *Praniscus*, Edw. Crust. iii, 92.

G. 1. ARCTURUS, Latr.—Segmenta thoracis subæqua. Antennæ 2dæ flagello longo confectæ.

G. 2. LEACHIA, Johnston.—Segmentum thoracis 4tum prælongum. Antennæ 2dæ longæ, ungue 1–3-articulato confectæ. Pedes 8 antici ciliati, non unguiculati.

Subfam. 2. ANTHRURINÆ.—Opercula abdominis ad ventrem non bene appressa, sed libera et latera abdominis partim tegentia.

G. 1. ANTHURA, Leach.—Antenne breves, 4–8-articulatæ. Pedes antici subchelati.

Subtribus III. TANAIDEA, vel ANISOPODA ONISCICA.

Fam. 1. TANAIDÆ.

Pedes 1mi 2dive subchelati, sequentes non ancorales. Abdomen paribus 5 appendiculatum subnatatoriis unoque postico stylorum instructum.

Subfam. 1. TANAINÆ.—Corpus lineare, segmento thoracis 1mo sepe oblongo capiteque parvulo. Styli caudales longo.

G. 1. TANAIS, Ehe.*—Antennæ 1ma flagello non confectæ. Pedes antici breves, crassè chelati, reliqui unguiculati. Styli caudales sat longi, 3–7-articulati, simplices.

G. 2. PARATANAI, Dana.—*Tanai* similis. Styli caudales biramei, ramis inæquis, articulis uno vel pluribus instructis. Pedes antici breves.

G. 3. LEPTOCHELIA, Dana.†—Antenne 1ma longe, flagello confectæ. Pedes antici longi, digitis hiatibus; reliqui unguiculati. Styli caudales sat longi, articulati, ramo lateralí instructi.

G. 4. ARSEUDES, Leach.—Antenne 1ma 2dæque flagello unico confectæ. Pedes antici breves, crassè chelati, 2dæ extremitate laevis, non unguiculati.

G. 5. RUEN,‡ Ede.—Antenne 1ma 2dæque flagello confectæ, 1mis quoque flagello appendiculari. Pedes 1mi 2dique crassi, 1mis chelatis, 2dis unguiculatis.

Subfam. 2. LIRIOPINÆ.—Corpus antice latius, postice sensim angustans, segmento thoracis 1mo reliquis vix longiore, capite sat grandi. Appendices abdominales numero decem elongatae.

G. 1. LIRIOPA, Rathke.§—Pedes 4 antici subprehensiles, 5ti 6tique unguiculati, 7mi abbreviati, articuloque styliformi confecti. Antennæ 1mæ perbreves [setarum scopulâ ornatae].

C. 2. CRYPTOTANIA, Dana.—*Liriopis* affinis. Pedes 7mi non abbreviati, unguiculati.

Subfam. 3. CROSSURINÆ.—Corpus antice latius, postice sensim angustatum, segmento thoracis 1mo vix longiore, capite sat grandi. Appendices abdominales inferiores numero sex, ciliatae.

G. 1. CROSSURUS, Rathke.||—Pedes antici chelati, robusti, reliquis unguiculatis. “Abdomen duabus tenuis semicircularibus e magno pilorum erectorum numero compositis finimbrasque duas exhibentibus cinctum.”

Fam. II. BOPYRIDÆ.¶

Pedes toti plerumque aliquo modo subprehensiles vel ancorales. *Maris*, corpus angustum, abdomen 1–6-articulatum, appendicibus subnatatoriis stylisque duobus stepe instructum, interdum totis appendicibus obsoletis; *feminæ*, corpus latum et obesum, oculis carens, et quoad pedes saepè partim obsoletum.

* Genus *Zenxo*, Templeton, (Trans. Ent. Soc., ii, 203,) is included.

† Amer. J. Sci. [2], iii, 425, 1849. Here falls *Tanais Edwardsii*, Kr. (Tids. iv, 1842.)

‡ Genus *Triara*, Tellkampf (Archiv. f. Nat., 1844, p. 321) Rhaæ forsitan aliinus. Styli caudales longissimi et setiformes. Speciei descriptio et icon non bona.

§ Faun. Norw., 60, pl. 1, f. 8–12. ¶ Ibid. 35, pl. 1, f. 1–7.

¶ *Epicarides*, Latr.; *Isopodes sedentaires*, Edw. Crust., iii, 277.

Subfam. 1. BOPYRINÆ.—Thorax appendicibus branchialibus carent.

- G. 1. *BOPYRUS*, *Latr.*—Pedes thoracis *feminae* manu imperfectâ confecti. Appendices abdominis branchiales laminatae, laminâ unicâ compositâ et abdomine tectæ.
 G. 2. *PHRYXUS*, *Rathke.**—Pedes thoracis *maris* ancorales, *feminae* manu imperfectâ confecti. Appendices abdominis *feminae* branchiales magna, laminis duabus inaequis nudis compositæ, una vel amba laminæ laterales; *maris* rudimentariae.
 G. 3. *CERON*, *Duvernoy.*†—Pedes thoracis *feminae* non unguiculati, per pulvillum terminaliæ ancorales. Appendices abdominis *feminae* branchiales numero duodecim, elongatæ lamellatae et bene ciliatae.
 G. 4. *DAVIS*, *Kroyer.*‡—*Maris* abdomen 6-articulatum, segmento ultimo praelongo; pedes thoracis bene unguiculati; appendices abdominis numero decem, oblongæ, ciliatae, aliis duabus terminalibus minutis. *Feminae* appendices abdominis laterales, due postice caudales breves, exsertæ.

Subfam. 2. IONINÆ.—Pedes thoracis ad basin appendices simplices branchiales gerentes.

- G. 1. *IOXE*, *Latr.*—Pedes thoracis manu imperfectâ confecti. Appendices abdominales laterales, *maris* tenuiter cylindricæ, *feminae* ramosæ præter duas ultimas simplices.
 G. 2. *ARGIA*, *Dana.*—Pedes thoracis manu imperfectâ confecti. Appendices *feminae* abdominales laterales, birameæ, ramis simplicissimis, nudis; *maris* nullis, abdomine non articulato, nudo.

TRIBUS III.

A M P H I P O D A .

Subtribus I. CAPRELLIDEA.

Fam. I. CAPRELLIDÆ.

Corpus longum et fere filiforme. Antennæ 2dæ longitudine mediocres. [Species non parasiticae.]

1. *Pedes thoracis numero 14.*

- G. 1. *PROTO*, § *Leach.*—Mandibulae palpigeræ. Branchiae segmentis 2do 3tio 4toque affixa. Pedes thoracis toti articulis normalis.
 G. 2. *PROTELLA*, *Dana.*—Mandibulae palpigeræ. Branchiae segmentis 3tio 4toque affixa. Pedes 3tii 4tique obsoleti articulo 1mo styliformi excepto.

2. *Pedes thoracis 3tii 4tique omnino obsoleti.*

- G. 3. *CAPRELLA*, *Lamk.*—Mandibulae non palpigeræ. Branchiae segmentis thoracis 3tio 4toque affixa. Abdomen brevissimum, 1-2-articulatum.
 G. 4. *REGINA*, *Kroyer.*¶—Mandibulae palpigeræ, palpis 3-articulatis. Branchiae ac in *Caprellâ*. Abdomen brevissimum, 1-2-articulatum.
 G. 5. *CERCOPS*, *Kroyer.*¶—Mandibulae palpigeræ. Branchiae segmentis 2do 3tio 4toque affixa. Abdomen 5-articulatum, appendicibus 4 elongatis 3-articulatis.

3. *Pedes 3tii 4ti 5tique obsoleti.*

- G. 6. *PODALIRIUS*, *Kroyer.***—Branchiae segmentis 3tio 4toque affixa.

Fam. 2. CYAMIDÆ.

Corpus latum, depresso. Antennæ 2dæ obsoletæ. [Species parasiticæ.]

G. 1. CYAMUS.

* Fauna Norwegens, p. 40. † Annales des Sci. Nat. [2], xv, 110, pl. 4.
 § Voy. Scand., etc., Crust. tab. 28, 29. ¶ Leptomera, Latreille.
 ¶ Tids. iv, 1842. ¶ Ibid.
 ** Voy. Scand., pl. 25, and Tids. [2], i, 283.

Subtribus II. GAMMARIDEA.

[Among the Gammaridea, the author finds that the posterior caudal stylets offer important characters for distinguishing natural groups or genera, and upon this ground, some new genera have been recognized among the Corophidæ and Gammaridæ, and others *that have been rejected* are sustained. Thus *Iphimedia* is distinct from *Amphithoe*, *Mæra* and *Derothoe* from *Gammarus*, etc.]

Fam. I. DULICHIIDÆ.

Gressoriæ, habitu Caprelloideæ. Corpus lineare, epimeris obsoletis. Pedes posteriores longi, subprehensiles. Abdomen 5-articulatum.

G. 1. *DULICHA*, Kröyer.*—Pedes 5ti 6ti 7mique, subaequi, 2di manu confecti. Antennæ quatuor longæ, superiores prelongi.

Fam. II. CHELURIDÆ.

Corpus fere cylindricum, epimeris mediocribus. Abdomen segmentis 4to 5toque coalitis et oblongis, stylis inter se valde dissimilibus.

G. 1. *CHELURA*, Philippi.†

Fam. III. COROPHIDÆ.

Gressoriæ, pedibus partim lateraliter porrectis. Corpus plus minusve depresso, sœpe latum, epimeris perbrevibus, interdum obsoletis. Abdomen formâ appendicibusque normale. Antennæ sœpe pediformes.

Subfam. 1. CLYDONINÆ.—Styli caudales sex simplices, subulati.

G. 1. *CLYDONIA*, Dana.‡—Pedes filiformes, 5ti 6ti 7mique, longitudine incrementales, 1mi 2di non prehensiles. Antennæ due longæ, crasse, rigidae.

Subfam. 2. COROPHINÆ.—Antennæ plus minusve pediformes. Styli caudales 1mi 2di que biramei.

A. DIGITUS NULLUS 2-ARTICULATUS.

1. *Styli caudales 3tii minuti, simplices, 2di 1mique ramo externo cultriformi.*

G. 1. *COROPHIUM*, Latr.—Antennæ inferiores longiores et crassiores, flagello carentes. Pedes 2di non prehensiles, 1mi crassiores, articulo 4to latiore quam 5tus.

G. 2. *SIPHONOCETES*, Kröyer.§—Antennæ inferiores longiores, flagello carentes. Pedes 1mi 2di que subchelati. [Pedes 3tii 4tique articulo 4to laté obcordato. Tubum lapillis fragmentisque concharum formatum inhabitat.]

* Tids. [2], i, 512, 1845.

† Arch. f. Nat. 1839; and G. J. Allman, Ann. and Mag. N. H. xix, 361, June, 1847.

‡ Amer. J. Sci. [2], viii, 140; *Iulus*, D., on same page.

§ Vey, Scand., etc., 1838-1840, pl. 20, f. 1; Tidsskr. [2], i, 481, 1845. Kröyer in his description says:—

"Pedes thoracici primi et 2di paris validissimi, manu instructi subcheliformi. Pedes 3tii et 4ti paris articulo primo latissimo, laminari; articulo quarto obcordato, laminari, manum præbente, cuius unguis efficitur articulo quinto subconico articuloque sexto aciculari. Pedes 5ti 6tique paris minutissimi, sed robusti, recurvati, articulo primo clavato, ungue furcato. Pedes 7mi paris graciles, recurvati, articulo primo laminari, ungue minutissimo, furcato. Pedes abdominales 1mi, 2di et 3tii paris natatorii breves validissimi, parte basali latissima, rhomboidali; pedes 4ti, 5tique paris saltatori, pes abdominalis sexti paris natatorius unica instructus lamina terminali."

2. *Styli caudales 3tii minuti, ricti exserti, simplices, 2di 1mique ramis extus non praecipue spinosis nec cultriformibus, interdum nudis.*

G. 3. PLATOPHUM, *Dana*.—Corpus superne vistum subellipticum, abdomine bene infexo. Antennæ flagello brevi sepe instructæ, inferiores longiores, superiores appendiculatae. Pedes 1mi 2dique subchelati, 2dis validioribus. Pedes 10 postici mediores.

G. 4. CYRTOPHUM, *Dana*.—*Platophio* similis. Antennæ superiores non appendiculatae.

3. *Styli caudales 3tii parvuli, biramei, ramo externo non uncinato, 2di 1mique ramis extus non praecipue spinosis nec cultriformibus.*

G. 5. UNCIOLA, *Say*.*—Pedes 1mi 2dique manu confecti, 1mis validioribus. Antennæ flagellis confectæ, subpediformes, validæ, superiores paulo longiores, appendiculatae.

4. *Styli caudales 3tii paulo elongati, biramei, ramo externo uncinato.*

G. 6. PODOCERUS, *Leach*.†—Pedes 1mi 2dique subchelati, 2dis validioribus. Antennæ superiores breviores, non appendiculatae. [An maris digitus 2dus interdum 2-articulatus Kröyer teste.]

G. 7. CRATOPHUM, *Dana*.—Pedes 1mi 2dique subchelati, 2dis validioribus. Antennæ superiores breviores, appendiculatae.

B. DIGITUS 2DUS 2-ARTICULATUS.

G. 8. CERAPUS, *Say*.—Antennæ pediformes, subæquæ, flagellis carentes. Pedes 1mi 2dique prehensiles, 1mis parvulis, 2dis manu bene confectis. Styli caudales 3tii biramei, ramis subæquis, longiusculis. [Tubum membranaceum inhabitat.]

G. 9. CERAPODINA, *Edu.* (*Cerapus*, Templeton).—Antennæ totæ flagellis confectæ. Pedes 4ti 5ti 6tique obsoleti (?) [Tubum papyraceum inhabitat.]

G. 10. ERICHTHONIUS, *Edu.*‡—Antennæ flagellis confectæ. Pedes 10 postici mediores. Epimera anteriores obsoletaæ. [An styli caudales 3tii simplicissimi?]

Subfam. 3. ICILIJNAE.—Antennæ non pediformes nec subpediformes, flagellis sat longis basique sat brevi instructæ. Styli caudales ac in *Corophinia*.

G. 1. ICILIUS, *Dana*.—Pedes toti unguiculati et tenues, 4 antici longi, non prehensiles, ciliati, 10 postici fere similes. Antennæ superiores breviores non appendiculatae.

G. 2. PTERYGOCERA, *Latr.*.—Pedes posteriores sublamellati. Antennæ superiores breviores, appendiculatae, inferiores basi dilatatae.

* Jour. Acad. Nat. Sci. Philad., i, 288.

Glauconome of Kröyer has the hands and antennæ and apparently the other characters of *Unciola*. Say describes the hands of the 2nd pair in *Unciola* as *adactyle*; but they still are probably like those of Glauconome. The following is Kröyer's description:—

"Antennæ subpediformes; superiores flagello ornatae appendiculari perparvo. Oculi minuti, parum distincti. *Mandibula* apex in duos fissus ramos qui dentibus sunt armati conicis; tubercula molaria dentibus confertissimis instructus. *Labium superius* breve, depresso latissimum, margine anteriori medio inciso; *labium inferius* quatuor compositum laminis setosum. *Laminae maxillares* pedum maxillarium dentibus armatae validis; unguis palpi apice setosus. *Pes primi paris* robustissimus, manu subcheliformi; pes *secundi* paris gracilior, manu carens subcheliformi, pedes 3tii, 4tique paris pergraciles; pedes 5ti, 6ti, 7mique paris graciles femoribus parum dilatatis. Pedes abdominales 1mi 2di et 3tii paris natatorii, breves sed robustissimi; 4ti, 5tique paris saltatorii, validi; 6ti paris fere rudimentares, natatorii. Epimera minima fere evanescentia."

† *Jassa* of Leach may without inconvenience be united to *Podocerus*, as there is no essential generic difference between them.

‡ The author obtained three species in the cruise of the Expedition having the hands and many other characters of *Erichthonius*, but with the epimera of the anterior thoracic segments of considerable size; and moreover no gressorial habits were observed. They are therefore with some hesitation arranged in a genus named *Pyctilus*, among the Gammaridæ, subfamily Gammarinæ.

Fam. IV. ORCHESTIDÆ.*

Saltatoria, pedibus nullis lateraliter porrectis. Corpus compressum, epimeris magnis. Abdomen appendicibus normale. Antennæ non bene pediformes. Styli caudales 1mi 2dique biramei; 3ti simplices, brevissimi et ultra 2dos non prolongati. Mandibulæ non palpigeræ. Maxillæ 1mæ palpo sive parvulo et 1-articulato sive obsolecto instructæ.

G. 1. ORCHESTIA.—Maxillipedes non unguiculati. Antennæ 1mæ basi 2darum breviore. Epimeræ 5tæ 4tis parce breviore.

Subgen. 1. TALITRÆ.—Pedes 1mi *maris feminæ* manu non instructi.

Subgen. 2. TALORCHESTIA, *D.*—Pedes 1mi *maris ac in Talitro, feminæ* manu parvula instructi.

Subgen. 3. ORCHESTIA.—Pedes 1mi *maris feminæque* manu plus minusve instructi.

G. 2. ALLORCHESTES, *Dana*.—Maxillipedes unguiculati. Antennæ 1mæ minores, basi 2darum longiores. Epimeræ 5tæ 4tis saepius multo breviore.

Fam. V. GAMMARIDÆ.

Saltatoria vel natatoria, pedibus nullis lateraliter porrectis. Corpus saepius compressum, raro subdepressum, epimeris sive magnis sive parvis. Styli caudales laxiores, duobus ultimis oblongis saepiusque ultra 2dos prolongatis, raro simplicibus. Mandibulæ saepissimè palpigeræ. Maxillæ 1mæ palpo 2-3-articulato (rariissimè 1-articulato) instructæ.

I. PEDES 10 POSTICI NON PREHENSILES.

Subfam. 1. STEGOCEPHALINÆ.—Antennæ breves, superiores basi crassæ. Mandibulæ acie denticulatæ instructæ, palpo brevi uniarticulato intus dentato. Epimeræ permagnæ.

G. 1. STEGOCEPHALUS, Kröyer.†—Epimeræ 4tæ maximæ, 5tis parvis. Antennæ superiores appendiculatæ. Pedes 1mi 2di manubus carentes. [Pedes 5ti 3ti 4tique directione similes.]

Subfam. 2. LYSIANASSINÆ.—Antennæ breves, superiores basi crassæ. Mandibulæ apice parce dentatae, acie vix instructæ, palpo 2-3-articulato. Maxillipedes lamellis internis grandibus. Epimeræ permagnæ.

1. *Pedes 1mi 2dique non subchelati, 2dis parvulis interdum exceptis.*

G. 1. LYSIANASSA, Edw.—Antennæ superiores appendiculatae.

G. 2. PHILIAS, Guerin.—Antennæ superiores non appendiculatae.

2. *Pedes 1mi subchelati, 2dis non subchelatis.*

G. 3. OPIS, Kr.‡—Antennæ superiores appendiculatae. Pedes 1mi crassè chelati, 2di debiles.

* The author gives a different arrangement of the species of Orchestidae from that published in this Journal, [2], viii, 135 and ix, 295, and rejects the genus *Talitrus* there instituted. He follows Fr. Müller (*Archiv f. Nat.*, 1848, 53) in considering the *Talitri* and *Orchestis* as forming a single genus, his recent investigations confirming this view. The Gammaridae also are rearranged.

† Kröyer's *Nat. Tids.* iv, 150, 1842. "Caput oculis ut videtur destitutum."

‡ Tids. iv, 149. "Pedes 1mi paris chelis armati portentosæ magnitudinis. Reliqua cum genere *Anonyce* ferme conveniunt."

G. 4. URISTES, *Dana*.*—Antennæ superiores non appendiculatæ. Pedes 1mi subchelati, 2di articulo styliformi confecti.

3. *Pedes 1mi 2dique plus minusve subcheluti.*

G. 5. ANONYX, *Kr.*†—Epimeræ permagnæ. Antennæ superiores appendiculatæ, basi breves. Maxillipedes lamellis internis grandibus. Styli caudales postici biramei, ramis subulatis.

G. 6. UROTHOR, *Dana*.—Epimeræ permagnæ, 5tis parvis. Antennæ 1mæ brevi-ores, appendiculatæ, basi sat elongato. Styli caudales postici longi, biramei, ramis foliaceis, ciliatis. Mandibulae palpo 3-articulato.

Subfam. 3. LEUCOTHOINÆ.—Antennæ superiores basi plus minusve graciles. Maxillipedes elongati, angusti, articulo longo unguiformi confecti, *lamellis internis perverbibus*. Mandibula sive palpigeræ sive non palpigeræ, processu molari carentes. [An semper?] Epimeræ magnæ.

G. 1. STENOTHOE, *Dana*.—Epimeræ permagnæ, 4tae maximaæ, 5tae parvulae. Pedes 4 antici subchelati, 2dis validioribus. Antennæ superiores longiores, non appendiculatæ. Mandibula non palpigeræ, processu molari carentes. Styli caudales 1mi 2dique ramis bene subulati, 3tis simplicissimi, subulati, spinâ crassâ confecti.

G. 2. LEUCOTHOE, *Leach*.‡—Epimeræ magnæ, 5tae parvulae. Pedes 4 antici subchelati, 2dis validioribus. Antennæ superiores longiores, non appendiculatæ. Mandibula palpigeræ. Styli caudales toti biramei, ramis subulatis.

[Cujus sedis est *Microchelos*, Kröyer.§ Amphithoe affinis, cui mandibula processu molari carentes: quoque *Amphithoe Marionis*, Edw., cui mandibula non palpigeræ.]

Subfam. 4. GAMMARINÆ.—Antennæ 1mæ basi graciles. Maxillipedes sat lati, lamellis internis sat elongatis. Mandibula acie denticulatâ instructæ et alterâ accessoriâ quoque processu molari et palpo 3-articulato. Pedes 10 postici non subprehensiles.

A. FRONS PRODUCTUS ET INFRA ANTENNIGERUS NON EST, ANTENNIS 1MIS INFERIORIBUS NON ANTERIORIBUS.

1. *Styli caudales postici biramei, ramis subaequis.*

A. PEDES 2DI NON SURCHELATI.

G. 1. ACANTHONOTUS, *Owen*.—Antennæ quatuor subaeque, 1mæ non appendiculatæ. Epimeræ magnæ. Pedes 2di filiformes, manu omnino carentes, 1mi manu vix confecti.

G. 2. ALBIRUTUS, *Edw.*.—Antennæ 1mæ breves, appendiculatæ. Epimeræ magnæ. Pedes 1mi validi non subchelati.

* Amer. J. Sci. [2], viii, 135. The genus *Stenia* is rejected.

† Tids. ii, 256, and iv, 164.

The genus *Ephippiphora* of White (Ann. and Mag. N. Hist. [2], i, 226, 1848) has been but briefly described, and we cannot pronounce upon its exact relation to either of the genera of Lysianassinae. The habit is like that of Anonyx, the epimerals large, the superior antennæ appendiculate, the posterior caudal stylets elongate as in Anonyx and not short like the Orchestidae. But the character of the termination of the 4 anterior legs is not stated, neither are they in view in the figure of the species on plate 5 of the Zool. of the Erebus and Terror. This figure represents the 5th and 6th pair of legs as rudimentary, or the basal joints twice as long as the following part, and the basal joint of the 6th smaller than that of the 5th or 7th.

‡ Kröyer states that the *bi-articulate* finger of Leucothoe is not a true generic characteristic, and adds two species to the genus, one of which has this character imperfectly and the other not at all. (Nat. Tids. iv, 141, 1842, and [2], i, p. 539, 1845). This character of the hand depends mainly on the prolongation of the inferior apex of the antepenult joint, which prolongation is variously developed in species of allied genera. They agree with Leucothoe in their peculiar slender maxillipedes; in the very small epimerals to the 1st segment, large 4th, and small 5th, 6th and 7th; in the caudal stylets; the very short 3d joint of the superior antennæ, and other characters.

§ Tids. N. R. ii, 5.

G. 3. *LEPTOCHIRUS*, Zaddach.*—Antennæ 1mæ appendiculatæ. Pedes 1mi bene subchelatae, 2di manu carentes.

B. PEDES 2DI IMIQUE SUBCHELATI.

* Antennæ 1mæ non appendiculatæ.

G. 4. *IPHIMEDIA*, Rathke,† D.—Epimeræ magnæ, 4ta maximæ, 5tis multo brevioribus et vix bilobatis. Styli caudales postici rami duobus oblongis consimili bus apice setigeris et non uncinatis instructi. Antennæ 1mæ sepius breviores.

G. 5. *CEDICERUS*, Kröyer,‡—*Iphimedia* affinis. Pedes 7mi longissimi, fere filiformes. Antennæ 1mæ breviores.

G. 6. *AMPHITHOE*, Leach, D.§—Epimeræ magnæ, 5ta maxima, vix bilobatae lobo posteriore minimo. Styli caudales postici rami duobus brevibus dissimilibus instructi, ramo externo apice recurvatum bi-uncinato, interno compresso apice non spinuloso sed pilis parce ciliato. Antennæ 1mæ sepius longiores.

** Antennæ 1mæ appendiculatæ.

G. 7. *GAMMARUS*, Fabr., D.||—Epimeræ sive mediocres sive breves. Styli caudales postici 2dis non similes, rami saepe longi cum pilis raro spinulis ornatis, apice non uncinatis. Antennæ superiores sepius longiores.

2. *Styli caudales postici sive ramo uno longo altero parvulo instructi, sive simplicisini et apice non paulo reflexi.*

* Antennæ 1mæ non appendiculatæ.

G. 8. *PHOTIS*, Kröyer,¶—Epimeræ magna, 5te 4tis non breviores et postice profundius excise. Styli caudales ramo interno rudimentario.

* The genus *Leptochirus*, (Syn. Crust. Borus. Prodromus, 1844) is described by Zaddach as having no appendicular branch to the superior antennæ. But Fr. Müller states (Archiv für Naturgeschichte, 1848, xiv, 62) that there is a small one-jointed appendage in the *Leptochirus pilosus*. The legs of the 2nd pair are described as having no proper hand, but terminating as in the genus *Talitrus*. May the form be female only?

† Beitr. zur Fauna Norwegens, p. 85, Act. Leop. xx. *Dexamine* of Leach, may perhaps be included here.

The genus *Hyle* of H. Rathke (Fauna der Krym, Mem. Acad. Imp. St. Petersb., iii, 1837, p. 378, pl. 5) contains no characters in its description by this author which do not apply equally well to species of *Iphimedia*. The description is as follows:—“Corpus elongatum, compressum. Antennæ inferiores superioribus aliquantulum longiores; earum qualibet e tribus articulis atque flagello composita. Oculi disciformes. Pedes 14: duo eorum paria antica chelis monodactylis complanatis, 2di paris multo majoribus. Stylorum abdominalium paria tria. Abdominis appendicula terminalis simplex, erecta, verruciformis.” The posterior stylets are 2-branched though short; and the species (*H. pontica*) is thus distinct from the *Allorchestes*.

‡ Tids. iv, 155, 1842. “Frons in rostrum producta, plus minus acutum obtusumve, semper vero nodo pellucenti, ovali, flavo-rubescente turgidum. Oculi nulli?” “Pedes 3tii 4tique parisi validi, ungue instructi late laminari, quod quoque usu venit 5to 6toque pari, quorum articulus unus dilatatus non est.”

§ Includes *Pherusa* of Leach.

|| *Anathia*, Rathke (Fauna der Krym, Mem. Acad. Imp. St. Petersb., iii, 1837, p. 291, and Beitr. zur Faun. Norw. Act. Leop. xx) includes those Gammari that have the superior antennæ the shorter—not a proper basis for a genus. The eye is described as reniform.

The genus *Eusirus* of Kröyer is very near *Gammarsus*, and it is doubtful whether it should be separated. Its habit however is somewhat different. The hands of the 2 anterior pairs of legs are large and equal, and the carpus is articulated with the upper margin of the hand near its middle. The eye is reniform. The superior antennæ have a short appendicular branch, consisting of a minute joint. “Mandibula parva, apice bifurca, dentata, flabello setarum marginis interioris, tuberculo molari transverso-elliptico dentibus minutissimis confectis formata; palpus triarticulatus duplam fere aquat mandibula longitudinem. Sex branchiarum paria in mariibus (annuli thoracici 2di-7mi), 4 laminarum in feminis paria (annuli 2di-5ti).”—Tids. [2], i, 501.

¶ Tids. iv, 155, 1842, “Pes 5ti paris recurvatus, inversus, ungue rudimentari. Epimeræ permagna, 5 paria anteriora ad marginem inferiorem setis sat longis instructa, 5tum eadem est ac 4tum altitudine, postice profundius excisum. Lamina terminalis interior pedis saltatorii 3tii paris rudimentaris.”

The *inversion* of the 5th pair of legs is not a generic character.

G. 9. *MELITA*, *Leach, D.*—Epimerae 5tae 4tis multo breviores (sic an semper?). Styli caudales uno ramo longo, sive subcylindrico sive foliaceo, altero brevi vel obsoleti. [Digitus in manus latus sepe claudens.] Antennae 1mae saepius longiores.

** Antennae 1mac appendiculatae.

G. 10. *MÆRA*, *Leach, D.*—Epimera et styli caudales postici ac in *Melita*.

3. *Styli caudales postici simplicissimi, ramo uno brevi et nudo, apice paulo reflexo et spinas duas perbreves paulo exsertas gerente.*

G. 11. *DERCOTHOE*, *Dana*.—Epimerae mediocres, 5tae bene bilobatae, 4tis saepius vix breviores. Pedes 1mi 2dique digito uni-articulato confecti.

G. 12. *PYCTILUS*, *Dana*, (Erichthomus, *Ide*?)—Epimerae mediocres vel breves corpore linearis, subdepresso. Antennae longe, flagellis sat longis. Manus 1mae articulis 4to 5toque sepe instructa, digito uni-articulato; 2dae digito 2-articulato.

G. 13. (An hujus sedis?) *PARDALISCA*, *Kröyer*.*—Epimerae breves. Pedes 1mi 2dique digito 2-articulato manuque 1-articulata instructi. Antennae tenues, 1mae appendiculatae.

B. FRONS PRODUCTUS ANTENNASQUE 1MAS VERSUS EXTREMITATEM GERENS.

[AN SPECIES COROPHIDIS AFFINORES.]

G. 14. *ATYLUS*, *Leach*.—*Iphimedea* paulo affinis. Antennae subpediformes, breviores, non appendiculatae. Digi 1mi 2dique uni-articulati.

G. 15. *ISCHYROCERUS*, *Kröyer*.†—*Gammaro* paulo affinis. Antennae pediformes, 1mae appendiculatae. Palpus mandibularis longus, articulo ultimo obovato. Pedes 2di *maris* manu validissimâ instructi. Digi uni-articulati. Epimerae mediocres.

II. PEDES 10 POSTICI PARTIM PREHENSILES.

Subfam. 5. PONTOPORINÆ.—Pedes 3tii 4tique plus minusve prehensiles; 6 postici non prehensiles.

1. *Antennæ 2dae inferiores et non posteriores.*

G. 1. *LEPIDACTYLIS*, *Say*.‡—Epimerae magna. Antennæ superiores appendiculatae, inferiores basi infra valde dilatatae et partim dolabrigimes. Pedes 4 antici filiformes; 3ti 4tique manu compressâ digitoque laminato instructâ; 5ti 6ti 7mique valde compressi, 7mis longitoribus, articulis superne valde producti.

G. 2. *PONTIPOREIA*, *Kr.*§—Epimerae magna. Antennæ superiores appendiculatae. Pedes 1mi 2dique perbreves, robusti, 1mi manu latâ ungue brevi confecti, 2di manu carentes; 3tii 4tique validi, manu articulo 4to dilatato instructâ, ungue conico aculeato; 7mi ungue vel articulo 6to rudimentario.

G. 3. *AMPELISCA*, *Kr.*||—Epimerae magna. Antennæ graciles. Pedes 1mi 2dique manu nullâ subcheliformi; 3tii 4tique manu articulo 3tio instructâ, digito articulis 3 sequentibus formato, articulo ultimo vel ungue longissimo et gracillimo; 5ti 6tique 5-articulati, ungue rudimentario recurvo, immobili (vel parum mobili). Styli caudales postici natatorii.

G. 4. *PROTOMEDEIA*, *Kr.*¶—Corpus subdepressum, epimeris sat brevibus. Antennæ superiores appendiculatae, inferiores pediformes, basi prelongo. Manus 3tiae 4tique articulis 3tio 4tique instructa et digitii longi articulis sequentibus coalitis. Pedes 2di parvi, manu subcheliformi non instructi.

* Tids. iv, 153, 1842. "Caput crassiusculum." "Mandibula apice dilatata, quadridentata, palpo 3-articulato." "Pedes 3tii 4tique paris ungue sublaminari postice subtiliter serrulato." "Pedes spurii [abdominalis] 2di et 3tii paris natatorii, reliqui saltatoriis."

† Tids. iv. "Pedes spurii 4ti 5ti 6tique paris saltatori; articulus basalis 6ti paris articulis terminalibus triplo vel quadruplo longior."

‡ Jour. Acad. Nat. Sci. Philad., i, 379. Here falls *Bellia* of C. Spence Bate (Ann. and Mag. N. Hist. 1851, [2], vii, 318.)

§ Tids. iv, 152. "Pedes 5ti et 6ti paris recurvi, articulo 1mo parum modo dilatato ungue armati pusillo."

|| Tids. iv, 154. "Oculi simplices?" "Sextum pedum abdominalium par natatorium."

¶ Tids. iv, 154.

G. 5. *AORA*, Kr.*—Corpus subdepressum, epimeris sat parvis. Antennæ superiores longæ, appendiculatae, inferiores subpediformes. Pedes 1mi 2dique manu subcheliformi, 1mis maximis, articulo 3tio posticè in apicem longissimum producto, manu angustâ, ungue fere lamellari. Manus 3tiae 4tæque articulo 4to ovali instructæ digitis articulis 5to 6tæque. Styli caudales saltatorii, 6tis 7mis setis non aculeis apice instructis.

2. *Antennæ 2dæ multo posteriores, fronte in rostrum producto.*

G. 6. *PHOXUS*, Kr.†—Epimera permagna. Pedes 1mi 2dique manu subcheliformi validâ instructi. Manus 3tiae 4tæque articulo 3tio 4tæque junctis instructæ, digitis 5to 6tæque. Pedes 6ti multo longiores. Caput longum, triangulare, antice productum et acuminatum. Antennæ anteriores perbreves (capite breviores), elongate appendiculatae; posteriores paulo longiores. Mandibulae palpo longissimo. Segmentum caudale laminis constans duâbus.

Subfam. 6. ISÆINÆ.‡—Pedes quatuor vel sex postici subprehensiles.

G. 1. *ISÆA*, Edw.—*Gammaro* similis. Pedes 10 postici similes, articulo 5to apice dilatato et truncato, ungue in articuli 5ti extremitatem latiusculam claudente. Pedes 2di manu grandi confecti. Antennæ superiores appendiculatae.

G. 2. *ANISORVS*, Templeton.—Pedes 4 postici ac in *Isæa*, validiores, articulo 5to apice inferiore dentato, ungue magno. Pedes 1mi tenues et breves; 2di manu angustâ; 3tii manu grandiore; 4ti 5ti 1mis similes.

Subtribus III. HYPERIDEA.§

[In the first family of the Hyperidea, (the *Hyperidæ*) neither of the 5 posterior pairs of legs are subchelate, and the antennæ are not folded up beneath the head or thorax. In the second, (the *Phronimidæ*,) one or more of the 3 posterior pairs of legs are subchelate or much enlarged, apparently for grasping in coition, and the antennæ are as in the Hyperidæ. The third family (the *Typhidæ*) differs from both the preceding in the concealment and folding of the inferior antennæ beneath the head or thorax, and in many of the species, the abdomen closes up against the venter.]

Fam. I. HYPERIDÆ.||

Antennæ 2dæ exsertæ. Abdomen in ventrem se non flectens. Pedes 5ti 6ti 7mique formâ longitudineque mediocres, 5tis 6tisve non percrassis nec prehensilibus.

Subfam. 1. VIBILINÆ.¶—Corpus formâ paulo Gammaroideum. Caput oculique mediocres. Maxillipedes palpo paryulo instructi. Palpus mandibularis tenuis.

* Tids. [2], i, 335, 1845.

† Tids. iv, 150.

‡ An genus *Laphystius* (Kröyer, Tids. iv, 156, 1842) Isæinis vel Corophidis affine. Species in Sturiones Squalosve parasitica! Descriptio sequens:—

Corpus latum, depresso, epimeris mediocribus, 4tis infra acutè productis. Caput transversum, rostratum. Antennæ sat breves, subulatae, valida, 1mae validissime, anteriores, 2dæ posteriores. Mandibulae palpo instructæ. Pedes 1mi gracillimi, manu linearis; 2di breves, manu validâ, ungue sublaminari. Reliqui decem pedes validi, subcheliformes, longitudine subæqui. Styli caudales debiles. Palpus maxilarum 1marum uniarctilatus.

§ *Hyperines* of Edwards, Crust. iii, 70: *Hyperita*, Cat. Brit. Crust. Brit. Mus. 56.

¶ Familiae due nostræ Hyperide et Phronimidæ sunt Tribus "Hypérines ordinaires." Edw. (Crust. iii, 74; et *Phronimidae* Cat. Brit. Crust. Brit. Mus., p. 56.

¶¶ *Hyperines Gammaroides*, of Edwards, Crust. iii, 72.

G. 1. VIBILIA, *Edw.*—Antennæ 4 breves, 1mæ obtuseæ. Pedes 1mi 2dique subprehensiles.

Subfam. 2. HYPERINÆ.—Caput tumidum. Oculi pergrandes. Palpus mandibularis tenuis.

1. *Antennæ sive 1mæ sive 2dæ flagello longo confectæ.*

G. 1. LESTRIGONIS, *Edw.*—Antennæ 1mæ 2dæque flagello longo confectæ. Pedes 1mi 2dique paulo prehensiles.

G. 2. TYRO, *Edw.*—Antennæ 1mæ flagello longo confectæ; 2dæ perbreves, flagello nudo.

2. *Antennæ totæ breves. Caput oculique pergrandes.*

G. 3. HYPERIA, *Latr.*—Antennæ 1mæ 2dæque conspicue, 2dis gracilioribus. Pedes 2di sepiusque 1mi subprehensiles, manibus multum imperfectis, articulo 4to ad apicem inferiore paulo producto tantum.

G. 4. METROCUS, *Krieger.*—*Hyperia* affinis. Pedes 1mi 2dique perbreves, manibus melioribus bene didactylis confecti.

G. 5. TAURIA, *Dana.*—Antennæ ac in *Hyperia*. Pedes 2di non prehensiles, articulo 4to apice inferiore non expanso nec producto.

G. 6. DAIRIA, *Edw.*—Antennæ 1mæ non conspicue, 2dæ exsertæ. Pedes 1mi 2dique plus minusque prehensiles: tarsi pedum reliquorum breves. Rami stylorum caudalium longi.

G. 7. CYSTISOMA, *Guérin.**—Antennæ pedibusque 1mis *Dairia* affine. Tarsi prælongi. Styls caudales longi, ramis brevibus.

Subfam. 2. SYNOPINÆ.—Corpus gracilius. Palpus mandibularis sat brevis, latissimus. Oculi grandes.

G. 1. SYNORIA, *Dana.*—Caput subtriangulatum, non oblongum. Pigmentum oculorum unicum. Pedes 1mi parvuli, prehensiles; 2di setis longiusculis confecti; 4ti subprehensiles; 5ti 6ti 7mique subæqui.

Fam. II. PHRONIMIDÆ.

Antennæ 2dæ exsertæ. Abdomen in ventrem se non flectens. Pedes 5ti 6tive sive crassi sive elongati, stèpius prehensiles, quoque 3ti 4tique sæpe prehensiles.

Subfam. 1. PHRONIMINÆ.—Abdomen versus basin sat gracile. Pedes 5ti magnâ manu didactylâ vel monodactylâ confecti; 3ti 4ti extrenitatem graciles, non prehensiles. Antennæ breves.

G. 1. PHRONIMA, *Latr.*—Manus pedis 5ti didactylæ. Segmentum thoracis 1mum oblongum.

G. 2. PRIMNO, *Guérin.*—Manus pedis 5ti monodactylæ. Segmentum thoracis 1mum non oblongum.

Subfam. 2. PHROSININÆ.—Abdomen versus basin sat crassum. Pedes 5ti prehensiles, monodactyli; quoque 3ti 4tique prehensiles. [Antennæ sat breves.]

1. *Manus pedis 5ti late, digito arcuato.*

G. 1. ANCHYLOMERA, *Edw.*†—Manus pedis 5ti latè et crassè subtriangulata. Pedes 6ti non prehensiles.

G. 2. PHROSINA, *Risso.*‡—Manus pedis 5ti late, oblongæ. Pedes 6ti prehensiles, 5tis fere similes, minores. Mandibulae non palpigeræ.

* Guérin, Rev. Zool., i, (1842) p. 214. Species *C. neptunus* portentosæ magnitudinis ($3\frac{1}{2}''$).

† *Hieraconyx*, Guérin.

‡ *Dactylocera*, Latreille.

2. *Manus pedis 5ti elongatè lineares, digito recto, longissimo, tenui.*

G. 3. *THEMISTO, Guérin.*—*Pedes 3tii 4tique prehensiles, manibus latis.*

Subfam. 3. *PHORCINÆ.*—*Pedes 5ti 6tive valde elongati et crassi, sed manu non confecti. [Antennæ breves.]*

G. 1. *PHORCUS, Edw.*—*Pedes 1mi 2di 3tii 4tique graciles, unguiculati, 5ti 6tique prælongi, 5ti aciculares, 6ti crassissimi.*

Fam. III. TYPHIDÆ.*

Antennæ 2dæ sub capite thoraceve celatæ et sæpius replicatæ. Abdomen in ventrem sæpe se flectens. Pedes 6 postici interdum abbreviati, articulo 1mo operculiformi, interdum longitudine mediocres.

Subfam. 1. *TYPHINÆ.*—*Abdomen in ventrem se flectens.*

G. 1. *DITHYAUS, Dana.*—*Pedes 5ti 6tique articulo 1mo latè lamellati, articulis reliquis omnino obsoletis. Antennæ 2dæ breves, sub capite celatæ, non replicatae, articulo 1mo longiore quam 2dus.*

G. 2. *TYPHIS, Riso.*—*Pedes 5ti 6tique articulo 1mo late lamellati, articulis reliquis paulo abbreviatis. Antennæ 2dæ biplicate, articulo 1mo longiore quam 2dus.*

G. 3. *THYROPTS, Dana.*†—*Pedes 5ti 6tique articulo 1mo late lamellati, articulis reliquis paulo abbreviatis. Antennæ 2dæ 4-5-plicate, sub thoracis latere celatae, articulo 1mo multo breviore quam 2dus.*

Subfam. 2. *PRONOINÆ.*—*Abdomen in ventrem se non flectens. Caput non oblongum, antennis frontalibus.*

G. 1. *PRONE, Guérin.*—*Pedes 2di non prehensiles. Pedum 6 posticorum articuli 1mi lati, reliquâ parte parisi 7mi fere obsoletæ.*

G. 2. *LYCEA, Dana.*—*Pedes 1mi 2dique subchelati. Articuli pedum 6 posticorum 1mi angusti, subaequi, reliquâ parte parisi 7mi paulo abbreviatæ.*

Subfam. 3. *OXYCEPHALINÆ.*—*Abdomen in ventrem se non flectens. Caput oblongum, antennis 1mis superficiem capitis inferiorem insitis.*

G. 1. *OXYCEPHALUS, Edw.*—*Caput breviter acuminatum. Styli caudales longitudine mediocres.*

G. 2. *RHABDOSOMA, White.*‡—*Caput rostro longo styliformi armatum. Styli caudales valde elongati.*

* *Hypérines anormales* of Edwards, Crust. iii, 94. *Typhidae*, Cat. Brit. Crust. Brit. Mus., 57.

† Species *Typhis ferox* (Edw.) is here included.

‡ Crust. Voy. Samarang, p. 63, pl. 13, f. 7.

Errata in J. D. Dana's paper on the Crustacea Choristopoda.

P. 302, 15th line from top, for 6-articulatum, read 1-6-articulatum.

P. 305, last line, for 92, read 192.

Coxi P. 306, 5 lines from bottom, for iii, read viii.
tom, for P. 307, 14th line from top, after *thoracis insert feminae.*

P. 308, 25th line from bottom, for sex, read 1mi 2dique.

P. 315, 9th line from top, for nudo, read nullo.

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