

## GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION.

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The Reef Madreporaria collected were obtained from the Atlantic and Pacific regions, which in the case of the Reef Madreporaria generally are characterised, with but one doubtful exception, viz., *Isophyllia australis*, by the distinctness of the forms occurring in each.

### ATLANTIC REGION.

Thirty-seven species of True Corals, representing fourteen genera, and three species of Hydrocorals, were collected in this region, and were obtained from the following localities :—

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| <p>1. Bermuda.</p> <p>2. St. Thomas (Danish West Indies).</p> |  | <p>3. St. Vincent (Cape Verde Islands).</p> <p>4. Barra Grande (Brazil),</p> <p>5. Simon's Bay (Cape of Good Hope).</p> |
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#### 1. BERMUDA.

Since the communication of my note on the Bermuda Reef-Corals,<sup>1</sup> two additional species have come to light, making a total of twenty-three species of True Corals, representing nine genera, and two species of Hydrocorals, which were collected at Bermuda, thus more than doubling the number formerly known.

They comprise the following :—

<p><i>Oculina coronalis</i>, n. sp.</p> <p>„ <i>speciosa</i>, Edw. and H.</p> <p>„ <i>varicosa</i>, Lesr.</p> <p>„ <i>pallens</i>, Ehrh.</p> <p>„ <i>diffusa</i>, Lamk.</p> <p>„ <i>bermudensis</i>, Duch. and Mich.</p> <p><i>Madracis decactis</i>, Lyman (= <i>Pentaplopora decactis</i>).</p>		<p><i>Isophyllia strigosa</i>, Duch. and Mich. (= <i>Isophyllia rigida</i>, Verrill).</p> <p>„ <i>fragilis</i>, Dana.</p> <p>„ <i>dipsacea</i>, Dana.</p> <p>„ <i>australis</i>, Edw. and H.</p> <p>„ <i>cylindrica</i>, Duch. and Mich.</p> <p>„ <i>knoxi</i>, Duch. and Mich.</p> <p>„ <i>marginata</i>, Duch. and Mich.</p>
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<sup>1</sup> Narr. Chall. Exp., vol. i. part. i. p. 145.