referred to it in the British Museum and Challenger collection are rightly designated. It is much better delineated in Desmarest's figure of Lambrus spinimanus, which is cited by Milne Edwards as synonymous with Lambrus contrarius.

The Challenger example has the following dimensions :-

| Adult $\%$. |  |  |  |  | Lines. | Millims. |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Length of carapace and rostrum, | . | . | . | . | . | $18 \frac{1}{2}$ | 41 |
| Breadth of carapace, nearly | . | . | . | . | . | $17 \frac{1}{2}$ | 36.5 |
| Length of a chelipede, | . | . | . | . | . | $44 \frac{1}{2}$ | 94.5 |
| Length of first ambulatory leg, nearly | . | . | . | . | 25 | 52.5 |  |

Lambrus longimanus (Linné).
3 Cancer longimanus, $\uparrow$, Liuné, Mus. Ludovici Ulrici, p. 441, 1764 ; Syst. Nat., ed. xii., p. 1047, 1766.

Lambrus longimanus, Leach, Trans. Linn. Soc. Liond., vol. xi. p. 310, 1815.

| " |  | Milne Edwards, Hist. Nat. Crust., vol. i. p. 354, 1834; Atlas in Latr. Règne Animal de Cuvier, Crust., pl. xxvi. fig. 1. |
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|  |  | Miers, Ann. and Mag. Nat. Hist., ser. 5, vol. iv. p. 20, 1879. |

South of New Guinea, 28 fathoms, in lat. $9^{\circ} 59^{\prime} 0^{\prime \prime}$ S., long. $139^{\circ} 42^{\prime} 0^{\prime \prime}$ E. (Station 188) (two males and two females) ; Amboina, 100 fathoms (a small fe male)

The specimens thus designated are certainly the Lambrus longimanus of Milne Edwards, as figured in the large illustrated edition of the Règne Animal de Cuvier (loc. cit.), but in his description of the same species in his Histoire naturelle des Crustacés the lateral margins of the carapace are described as "armés d'épines trèslongues et légèrement rameuses," a character inapplicable to any specimens which have come under my observation.

The largest of the Challenger specimens (a female) measures as follows:-

Adult 9 .
Length of carapace and rostrum, nearly
Breadth of carapace, nearly . . . . . . 11
Length of a chelipede, . . . . . . $36 \frac{1}{2}$
Length of first ambulatory leg, . . . . . 15
Lines. Millims.
$10 \frac{1}{2} \quad 22$
$11 \quad 23$
$36 \frac{1}{2} \quad 77$
31.5

## Lambrus affinis, A. Milne Edwards.

Lambrus affinis, A. Milne Edwards, Nouv. Archiv. Mus. Hist. Nat., vol. viii. p. 261, pl xiv. fig. 4, 1872.
"Torres Strait, August 1874" (an adult male).
In this species the merus-joints of the ambulatory legs are smooth; in the following (Lambrus intermedius), they are compressed, and the last two pairs are more or less distinctly granulated on the margins.

