Archipelago to the Himalayas, and westward to Madagascar. There are also specimens in the Kew Herbarium from the Solomon Islands and the New Hebrides, but not from the Fijis.

Davallia elegans, Swartz.

Davallia elegans, Swartz; Baker in Journ. Linn. Soc. Lond., xv. p. 106; Benth., Fl. Austr., vii. p. 715.

ADMIRALTY ISLANDS.—Widely diffused in Tropical Asia, Africa, Australia, and Polynesia, where it extends eastward to Harvey Island and Tahiti.

Lindsaya lobata, Poir.

Lindsaya lobata, Poir.; Baker in Journ. Linn. Soc. Lond., xv. p. 106; Hook. and Bak., Synopsis Fil., p. 111; Benth., Fl. Austr., vii. p. 720.

ADMIRALTY ISLANDS.—North-eastern Australia to Samoa and the Fijis, and the Malayan Archipelago to Southern India. Baker unites Lindsaya billardieri, Lindsaya pulchra, Lindsaya harveyi, and Lindsaya seemanni, Carruthers (Seem., Fl. Vit., pp. 337 et 338) with this.

Asplenium nidus, Linn.

Asplenium nidus, Linn.; Baker in Journ. Linn. Soc. Lond., xv. p. 106; Benth., Fl. Austr., vii. p. 744; Seem., Fl. Vit., p. 353.

ADMIRALTY ISLANDS.—Very widely spread in the warmer parts of the Old World, and in Polynesia ranging from New Caledonia to Mangaia, Tahiti, Elisabeth Island, and the Sandwich Islands. It inhabits the islands of the Indian Ocean, including Madagascar, Johanna, the Seychelles, and Diego Garcia, Chagos Archipelago, but not Continental Africa.

Asplenium falcatum, Lam.

Asplenium falcatum, Lam.; Baker in Journ. Linn. Soc. Lond., xv. p. 107; Benth., Fl. Austr., vii. p. 746; Seem., Fl. Vit., p. 354.

ADMIRALTY ISLANDS.—This species ranges from New Zealand to India and Africa, and in Polynesia it extends to the Fijis, Samoa, and Tongatabu. Recently, too, Mr Jenman has sent a specimen of a fern from Jamaica, which is not distinguishable from this.

Asplenium cuneatum, Lam.

Asplenium cuneatum, Lam.; Baker in Journ. Linn. Soc. Lond., xv. p. 107; Hook. and Bak., Synopsis Fil., p. 214; Seem., Fl. Vit., p. 355.

ADMIRALTY ISLANDS. — A common Tropical American species, also found in South and Tropical Africa, the Mascarene Islands, Hong Kong, Java, and other parts of the Malayan Archipelago; the other Polynesian localities represented in the Kew Herbarium are the Fijis and the Sandwich Islands.