

traceable, but still it is impressed, though very slightly so. *Mouth* long, narrow, a very little curved, with parallel lips. *Outer lip* rises as high as the apex; ascends slightly at its insertion, where it has a feeble bluntly angular sinus; in front it is obliquely truncate, but not emarginate; its forward edge is blunt and barely convex; there is a strong broad varix. *Inner lip* broadly thickened and spread out on the body, barely convex; about $\frac{2}{3}$ of its length are occupied by the folds, of which the highest is horizontal, the lower 3 are slightly stronger, are very oblique, and are recognisable across the pad of enamel which encircles the point of the base; the foremost one is too feeble to form a reverted flange round the tip of the pillar. H. 0·14 in. B. 0·11. Mouth, height 0·14, breadth 0·02.

This species slightly resembles *Marginella angasi*, Brazier, from Port Jackson; but is stumper, with a smaller and more curved mouth, and 4 (not 1) pillar folds.

5. *Marginella (Glabella) agapeta*,¹ n. sp. (Pl. XVI. fig. 9).

Station 163B. June 3, 1874. Lat. 33° 51' 15" S., long. 151° 22' 15" E. Port Jackson, Sydney. 35 fathoms. Hard ground. Bottom temperature 63°.

Shell.—Gibbously oval, thin, translucent, lustrous, short-spined, small-mouthed, toothed on the outer lip, and with three folds on the pillar. *Sculpture*: There are slightly flexuous unequal lines of growth and excessively faint and minute microscopic spirals. *Colour*: the spire, lip-edge, and front of the shell are porcellanous white; but the body-whorl has a translucent ruddy brownish tinge. *Spire* short and broadly conical. *Apex* large, round, covered with a pad of enamel. *Whorls* 4, small. *Suture* buried in enamel, but quite distinct. *Mouth* long, narrow, curved, a very little broader in front than behind, with a rather deep, narrow, and angular sinus behind, and in front a narrowish, small, rounded, and oblique canal, formed by the truncation of the shell. *Outer lip* with no external callus, but thickened within and scored across there with small close numerous and rather long teeth, which are absent in the canal in front and in the bottom of the sinus behind; the truncation in front which produces the canal is slight, and almost perpendicular to the axis. *Inner lip* is almost straight, slightly thickened on the body, and has in front three slight, blunt, subequal, close-set, oblique folds, of which the foremost is continued as a reverted edge on the left of the canal. H. 0·3 in. B. 0·17. Mouth, height 0·24, greatest breadth 0·04.

This species is not unlike the *Marginella turbinata*, Sow.; but is less cylindrical, with a slightly higher spire, a decidedly narrower mouth, a toothed and unvarixed outer lip, and 3, not 4, teeth on the pillar. It is not any of those given by Angas in his Australian lists.

¹ ἀγαπητός, beloved.