

both in this and in other genera. Only five upper post-canines are figured by Peters in his specimen of *Arctocephalus philippii*, the 5th being in line with the posterior border of the maxillary root of the zygoma; in *Arctocephalus argentatus*, however, six upper post-canines are represented; possibly the absence of a sixth upper post-canine in Peters' specimen of *Arctocephalus philippii* may be an individual peculiarity. In the British Museum is a skull marked *Arctocephalus nigrescens* from Juan Fernandez, and presented by the Government of Chili, which in its general appearance resembles my specimens of *Arctocephalus australis*, and it also has six upper post-canines. The under surface of the tympanic is however smoother, and the lower border of the mandible runs almost straight from symphysis to subcondyloid process. The young Fur-Seal described on p. 52 of this Report was the pup of the Fur-Seal of Juan Fernandez, but its immature condition prevents me from saying definitely whether it was *Arctocephalus australis* or another species.