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CRINOIDS.

Mr. John Stewart, of our Club, whose collections of crinoids and blastoids from the Trenton of Ottawa have recently been purchased by the Geological Survey Department and placed on exhibition in the Museum, informs me that he has cleaned and prepared *twenty-five* more specimens to show the cup, arms and pinnules. The great care, industry and skill which Mr. Stewart has displayed in developing these "stars" and "lilies" of the old abyssal depths in our district are worthy of much commendation and eulogy.

OSTRACODA.

Amongst the new forms of ostracoda recently described by Prof. Rupert Jones, F.R.S., we find the following species from Aylmer and Ottawa. These forms were collected by Messrs. W. R. Billings, T. W E. Sowter and the writer, of our Club.

- 1. Primitia Logani, Jones, Aylmer, Que.
- 2. Beyrichia clavigera, Jones, "Que.
- 3. " var. clavifracta, Jones, " Que.
- 4. Isochilir.a Ottawa, Jones, var. intermedia, Jones, Ottawa; Ont.
- 5. " labellosa, Jones, Aylmer, Que.
- 6. Leperditia Balthica (Hisinger), var. primæva, Jones, Carleton Co.
- 7. " sp. (cf. L. Hisingeri), Aylmer, Que.

Of the above, only Primitia Logani, Jones, is referred to the Trenton terrane, the others and this torm are all Chazy species.

In the "Journal of the Cincinnati Society of Natural History," Prof. E. O. Ulrich, well known to several members of our Club, has described the new species of Ostracod from Ottawa and also a variety of the same species from the same block of impure lumestone. The specimen sent contained abundance of individuals of an Isochilina, besides a Cyrtodonta or allied genus of lamellibranchiate mollusks—all from the Chazy.

Prof. Ulrich, on pp. 44 and 45 of his paper on "*New and Littie Known American Palazozoic Ostracoda*," and on Plate XI., figs. 12a, 12b, 12c and 13, has described the following forms and named them after one of our Club :—

- 1. Isochilina Amiana, Ulrich.
- 2. Isochilina Amiana, var. insignis, Ulrich.