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Aegopinella lozekiana n. nom. for *Aegopinella lozeki* STWORZEWICZ, 1975 nec SCHLICKUM, 1975.

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In my latest paper (STWORZEWICZ 1975) I gave a description of a new fossil species of the genus *Aegopinella* which I named *Ae. lozeki*. The material derives from the Early Pleistocene deposits of red-clay which filled former rock fissures. It has been found at Kielniki near Częstochowa (South Poland). The holotype — Ml/629/75 — is haused in the collection of the Institute of Systematic and Experimental Zoology of the Polish Academy of Sciences in Cracow. The description of the shell *Aegopinella lozeki* (Fig. 1) is cited below:

"Shell with hardly conical, spiral, almost flat. $4^1/_3$-$4^1/_2$ coils, poorly vaulted, separated by relatively shallow suture. Last coil more than twice as broad as penultimate, slightly lowered at aperture. Columellar pit very large and cupshaped. Upper surface of coils striated regularly, densely and strongly, the striation being

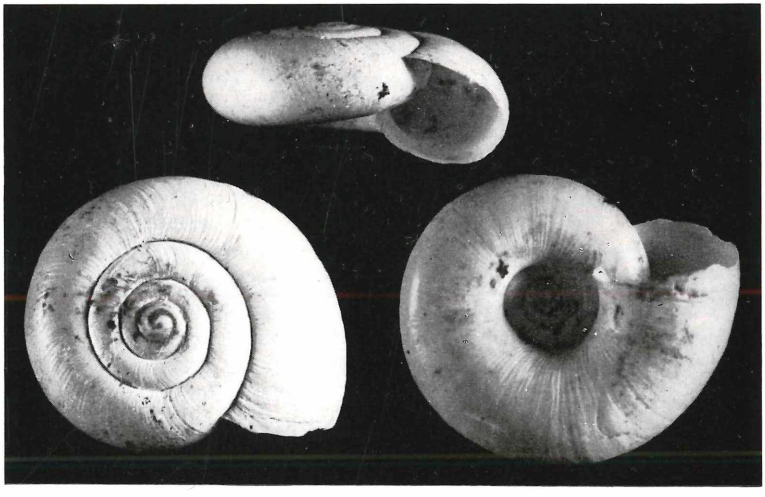

Fig. 1. *Aegopinella lozekiana* n. nom. — Holotype of *Aegopinella lozeki* STWORZEWICZ, 1975 nec SCHLICKUM, 1975 (width 11·4 mm).

weaker at the circumference. On the lower side the striae are distinct and regular and extend deep into the columellar pit. They are well seen on all coils. Aperture obliquely elliptic, flattened from above and vaulted at bottom. Spiral striation very poorly marked. Measurements of holotype: width 11·4 mm, height 6 mm. Measurements of paratypes: width 9-11·6 mm, height - 4·5-6 mm."

At the same time SCHLICKUM (1975) has described by the same name an Upper Pliocene species from Cessey-sur-Tille (Département Côte d'Or, France). Volume **106** (1/3) of Archiv für Molluskenkunde appeared on August 22nd 1975 and number 12 of Acta Zoologica Cracoviensia on September 30ty 1975, i. e. 39 days later. Thus the name of my description became a homonym (nomen praeocupatum). According to Art. 59a and Art. 60b of the International Code of Zoological Nomenclature in the case of the lack of an available synonym it is necessary to give here a new name.

On accout of the fact that my species has been devoted to Dr. VOJEN LOŽEK and I do not want to change the dedication, I propose a new name: *Aegopinella lozekiana* n. nom.

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