

the first part of a series of observations on the structure of the eye-muscles in the Mammalia. — A communication was read from Mr. Osbert Salvin, F. R. S., on some birds transmitted by the Rev. Thomas Powell from the Samoan Islands, amongst which were two new species proposed to be called *Pinurolestes powelli* and *Fregetta moestissima*. — A communication was read from Mr. W. H. Dall containing remarks on the use of the generic name *Gouldia* in Zoology. — Mr. George A. Shaw read notes upon the habits of four species of Lemurs, specimens of which had been brought alive to England in 1878, from the province of Betsileo in Central Madagascar. — A communication was read from Mr. F. Moore, F. Z. S., containing descriptions of some new Asiatic Diurnal Lepidoptera. — Dr. A. Günther F. R. S., pointed out the characters of a new Rodent from Medellin U. S. of Columbia, for which the name *Thrinacodus albicauda* was proposed. — P. L. Selater, Secretary.

2. Notiz.

Die von Prof. A. Ecker schon in den 60er Jahren begonnene »Anatomie des Frosches« hat einem tief empfundenen Bedürfnis der Physiologen entsprochen. Es war daher um so mehr zu bedauern, dass die weitere Bearbeitung des Werkes ins Stocken gerathen und es bis jetzt bei der Ausgabe des ersten Heftes, das Skelet- und Muskelsystem enthaltend, geblieben ist. Es geht uns nun die willkommene Mittheilung zu, dass in den nächsten Wochen das zweite Heft mit der Lehre von den Lymphräumen, dem centralen und peripheren Nervensystem unter die Presse gelangen wird. Dasselbe ist gemeinschaftlich von Ecker und Wiedersheim bearbeitet und wird ausser einer grösseren Zahl von Holzschnitten eine lithographirte Tafel als Beigabe erhalten, worauf die einzelnen Nervenbahnen des Frosches in verschiedenen Farbentönen übersichtlich eingetragen sind. Es dürfte dadurch bei Vivisectionen das Auffinden eines Nervenbezirkes in hohem Grade erleichtert werden.

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