Transactions of your Society I can consult in Edinburgh.

My address will be "Arbroath" for a fortnight or so.

With kind regards,

Yours,

Yours very truly

S. Bishop

On page 188 of my recently published paper in the list of Fresh-water Shells figured, I find an Erratum, which had previously escaped my notice. Succinea Nagpurensis is just under the head of Valvata, as if it were a fifth species of that genus.

BLACKER

Arbroath, 24 Octr 1860.

My Dear Sir,

I do not remember whether when I arrived from India or at any other period I gave you some indistinct specimens of Esthria on white shale from Kotá. I looked on them as somewhat interesting as they seemed to me to be of the same species as the larger form so plentiful at Maingali. I have searched through my collection for some specimens to send you now, but I can find none but a mere fragment or two. The

specimens I brought home are on very thin, friable shales of a white hue, the Entomostraca themselves having a faint yellowish or brownish mark. I hope you may have one or two in your possession. If not, I fear those that I here enclose will not enable you to say whether the Kotá species is the same with that at Bírúngalí, which I am very anxious to ascertain. By the way, are the two forms at Bírúngalí two species - a larger and smaller - or is the one the young of the other?

On the enclosed paper you will also find Cypridae, from Kotá, which occur along with the Estheriae, & in company with Lepidotus Deccanensis, and insect remains.

Cypridae are also found, but generally compressed, in the bituminous shale of Kotá.

I add a specimen of Cypris from the Eocene at Karwad, which I think you will find in pretty good condition. Is it Cypris Hunteri?

I propose being in London towards the end of next month on my way to India. Our passages are taken in the steamer from Marseilles of 5th Dec. Please let me know what are your nights for the Society meeting in Nov., lest I should have anything to submit connected with our plant sandstones. I was much obliged to you for your information regarding South Africa. The