

BRITISH FUNGI.

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*Hyphomycetes.***Volutella roseolum.** *Cooke.* "Rosy Volutella."

Stem distinct, whole plant rose-pink; stroma subglobose, crowned above with obtuse cylindrical spores, surrounded by long flexuous, septate, attenuated, hyaline setæ.

On *Bilbergia*. Glasnevin. (*W. S. Keit.*)

Evidently allied to *Chaetostroma stipitatum*, Corda.

Volutella stipitatum. *B. & Br.* "Stipitate Volutella."

Stem short, brownish, or none; stroma spherical, fleshy, covered above with a stratum of rosy spores, and furnished with solitary, rigid, septate, subulate, hyaline setæ; spores ovate-oblong, minute, hyaline.—*Chaetostroma stipitatum*, Corda *Ic. iii. f. 83. B. & Br. Ann. N.H. no. 1312. Psilonia stipitata, Lib. exs. 287.*

On elder. Batheaston, March, 1869.

"This belongs properly to the genus *Volutella*."—*B. & Br.*

Epicoccum micropus. *Corda.* "Small-stemmed Epicoccum."

Gregarious; tufts effused, black; stroma subglobose, then depressed, reddish-brown; casidia emergent, clavate, transversely septate, brown; spores subglobose or tetrahedral, base depressed, apodal or very shortly pedicellate, smooth, brown.—*Corda Ic. iii. f. 82. B. & Br. Ann. N.H. no. 1313.*

On decaying *Lactarius deliciosus*. Ascot. Oct.

Spondylocladium. *Preuss.*

Hyphasma creeping, septate; fertile flocci erect, simple or somewhat branched, septate; spores homogeneous, cellular, laterally opposite or verticillate.—*Preuss in Sturm. D.F. vi. p. 105.*

Spondylocladium fumosum. *Preuss.* "Smoky Spondylocladium."

Tufts effused, black; hyphasma branched, septate; flocci simple, septate, erect, pellucid, brown, bearing three or four spores in a verticillate manner from the upper septa, spores subfusiform, brown, with the endochrome twice divided.—*Preuss in Sturm. D.F. no. 35, t. 53. B. & Br. Ann. N.H. no. 1314, t. 18, f. 7.*

On rotten sticks. Batheaston. March. Spores .001 in. long, .0004-.0005 in. wide.

Graphium stilboideum. *Corda.* "Cabbage stalk Graphium."

Gregarious; stem erect, subulate, simple, black, opaque; head of spores glutinous, whitish, then livid; threads simple, whitish; spores ovate, oblong, pellucid.—*Corda Ic. ii., f. 69. B. & Br. Ann. N.H. no. 1315.*

On cabbage stalks. Batheaston. April, 1869. Spores .0002-.0004 in. long.

Peronospora entospora. *B. & Br.* "Clavate Peronospora."

Fertile threads simple, clavate, surmounted by a crown of apiculi, bearing the ellipsoidal conidea, each of which papillate at the apex; endochrome granular. Oogonia yellowish, subglobose, tuberculate.



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