MUREX BRANDARIS.

CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Animal Limax.

Testa univalvis, spiralis, exasperata suturis
membranaceis.

Apertura desinens in canalem integrum rectum
seu subadscendentem.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

MUREX testa subovata spinis rectis cincta,
cauda mediocri subulata recta spinisque
oblique circumdata.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1214.

MUREX Purpura.

Rondel, test. 64.

E mari Mediterraneo præcipue extrahitur Murex
Brandaris, magnitudine, spinis, coloribusque mul-
tum varians.

THE
SNIPE MUREX.

GENERIC CHARACTER.

Animal allied to a Limax or Slug.

Shell univalve, spiral, roughened by membranaceous sutures.

Aperture ending in a strait subascending channel.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

Subovate cinereous MUREX, with strait spines,
and subulate, obliquely-spined beak.

Snipe's-Bill MUREX.

This shell is principally found in the Mediterranean sea, and varies very much in size, spines, and colours.

Shaw, George. 1804. "The Snipe Murex, Murex brandaris [Pl. 631]." *The Naturalist's Miscellany* 15(CLXXV), <https://doi.org/10.5962/p.311072>.

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