

Dimensions: Length 65 mm., altitude 40 mm., diameter 25 mm.

Habitat: Lake Druid, near Floral City, Florida, on which front are located the winter homes of the brothers Robert and Edward St. John, in whose honor this extremely lovely naiad is named since they are both students of nature and brought the species to our notice.

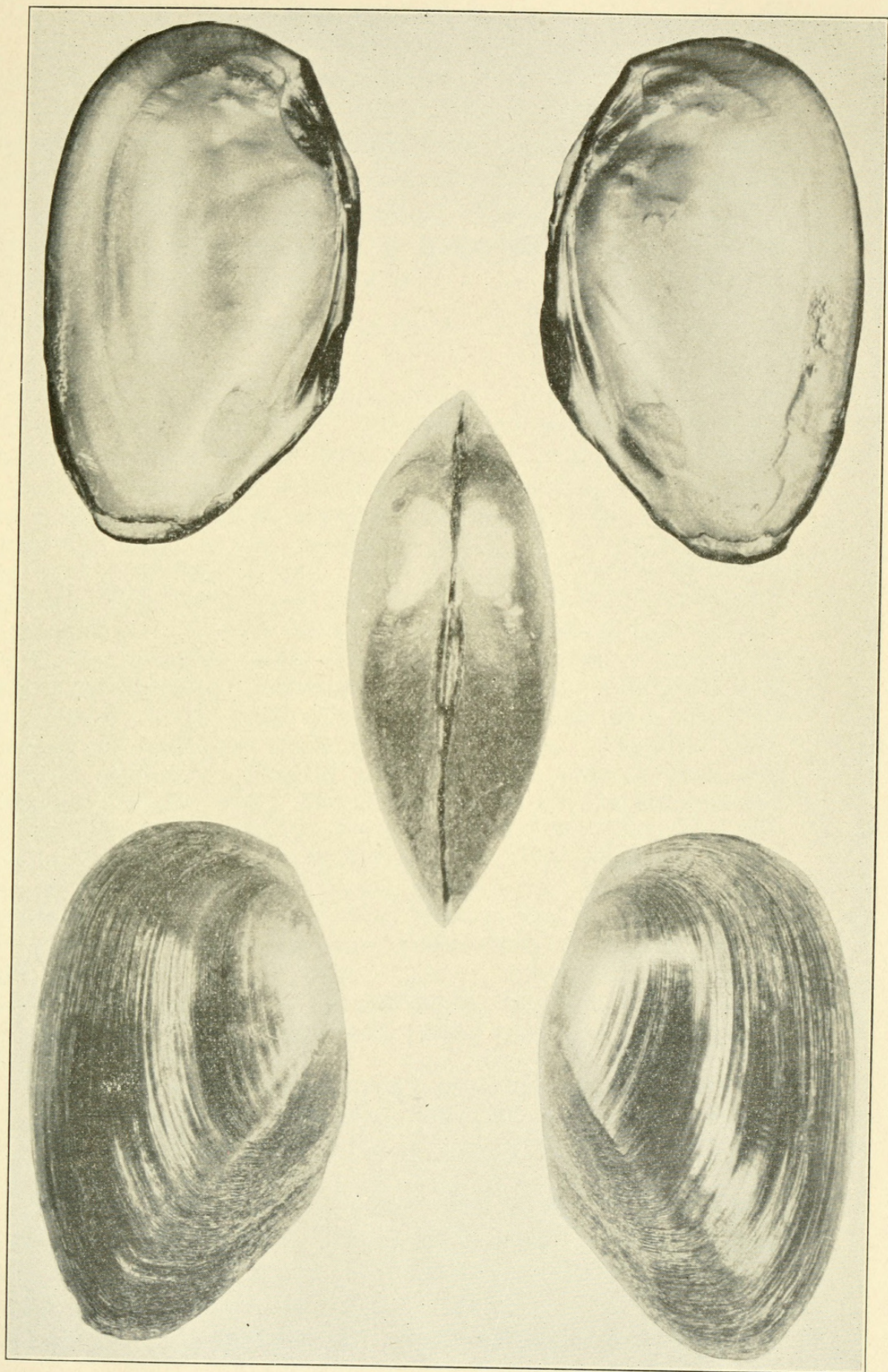
Observations: The natural place in the family lies between *U. hinkleyi* Wright and *U. pinei* Wright, both east Florida forms. It has the outline of the first and nacreous and epidermal brilliancy of the last. It comes from a water surcharged with lime and yet there is never any calcareous deposit on the shells.

The type is the collection of the United States National Museum, No. 424738, also a paratype, No. 424739. Other paratypes are in the Academy of Natural Sciences at Philadelphia, No. 161016, and in the collection of Walter F. Webb of Rochester, N. Y., who has entered upon the collection and study of the Unionidae with characteristic zeal and thoroughness. Still other paratypes have been placed in the Buffalo Academy of Sciences and the Museum of Comparative Zoology.

A NEW VARIETY OF VIVIPARUS CONTECTOIDES
(W. G. BINN) FROM JACKSON CO., FLORIDA

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In a sending from O. C. VanHyning, the Museum of Comparative Zoology received two species of Viviparidae. They were collected in streams in the vicinity of Marianna, Jackson County, Florida. *Campeloma floridense* "Call" Pilsbry was collected in a creek tributary to the Chipola River, 5 miles northeast of Marianna, and in Spring Creek, 3 miles southeast of Marianna. In the former locality it is rather elongated, much like *Campeloma lewisii* Walker. In this respect it is like the specimen from the R. E. Call collection now in the M.C.Z. (No. 4476). However, it exhibits



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Archer, A. F. 1933. "A new variety of *Viviparus contectoides* (W. G. Binn) from Jackson Co., Florida." *The Nautilus* 47, 18–20.

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