

lateral denticles on the median plate of the radula, the presence of epidermal spicules and a reproductive system surprisingly different from that of the other members of the genus further distinguish this species.

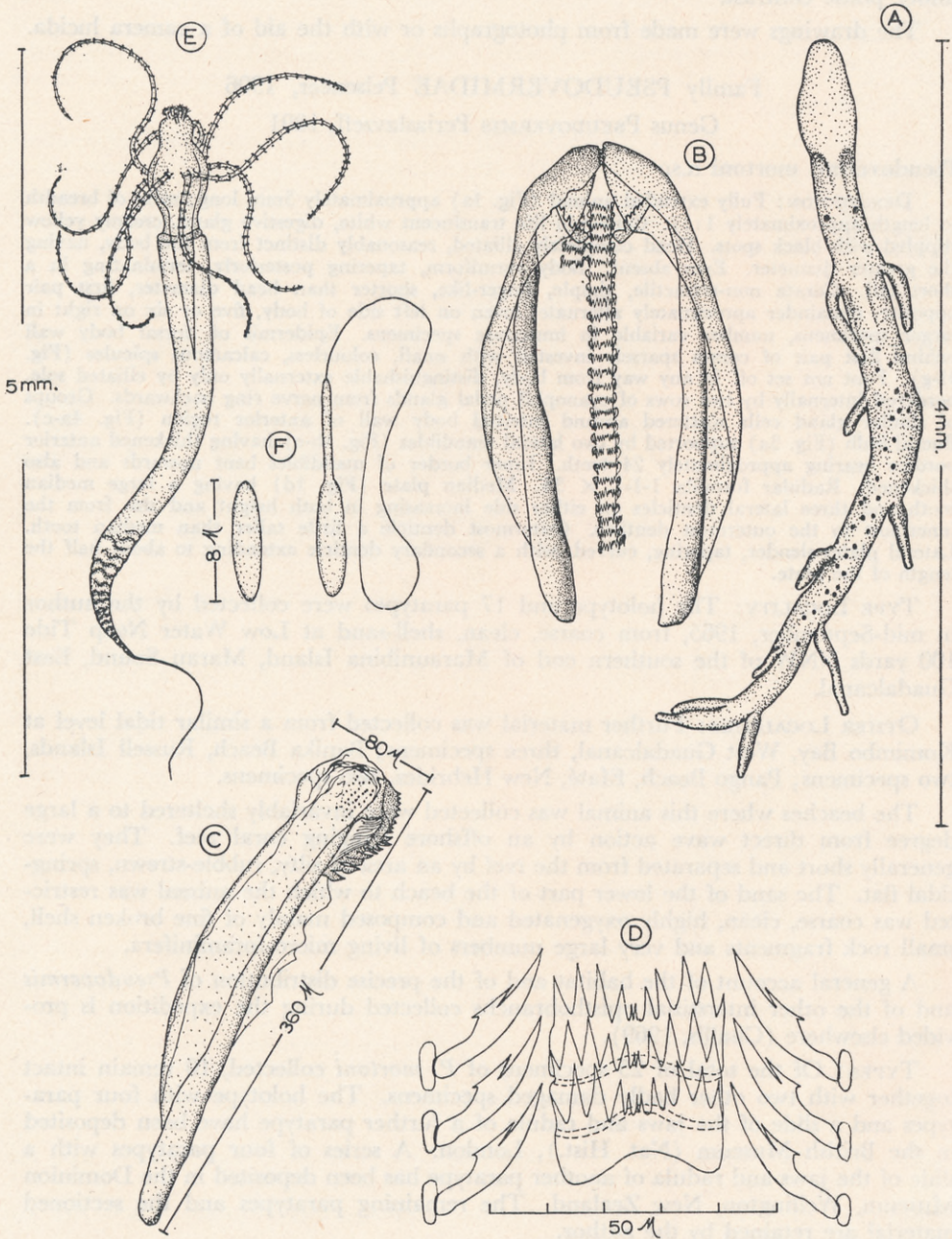


FIG. 2.—A-D. *Pseudovermis hancocki* n.sp. A. Whole animal. B. Mandibles and radula. C. Single ramus of mandible showing toothed anterior border. D. Radular plates in detail. E. *Heterostephanus* sp. F. Nematocyst exploded and unexploded of type found in both *P. hancocki* and *Heterostephanus* sp.