MANTIDÆ IN THE AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM.

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(Figure 1.)

Through the courtesy of the Trustees of the Australian Museum, Sydney, I have been able to study the Mantidæ preserved in that institution. Although the series is small it contains several species of considerable interest. In the following paper several new records are made and one new species, referred to a new genus allied to *Stenomantis*, is described. Notes on the synonymy of the Australian species are given in former papers¹ and are therefore not repeated here.

Subfamily PERLAMANTINÆ.

Genus PARAOXYPILUS Saussure, 1870.

PARAOXYPILUS TASMANIENSIS Saussure, 1870.

Locality.—New South Wales: Maroubra (November); Coogee (December); Sydney.

PARAOXYPILUS VERREAUXI Saussure, 1871.

Locality.—Queensland: Byfield, near Yeppoon (October); Almaden, near Chillagoe (January, a Jarva, October, adults).

PARAOXYPILUS ARMATUS Giglio-Tos, 1913.

Locality.—Queensland: Mabuiag Island in Torres Strait, one female.

Genus Gyromantis Giglio-Tos, 1913.

GYROMANTIS KRAUSSI (Saussure, 1871).

Locality.—Queensland: Powella, near Aramac (August); Almaden, near Chillagoe (May).

¹Tindale, N. B.—Records of the South Australian Museum, ii, 1923, pp. 425-457, pl. xli-xxii and ii, 1924, pp. 547-552, pl. xxxix.