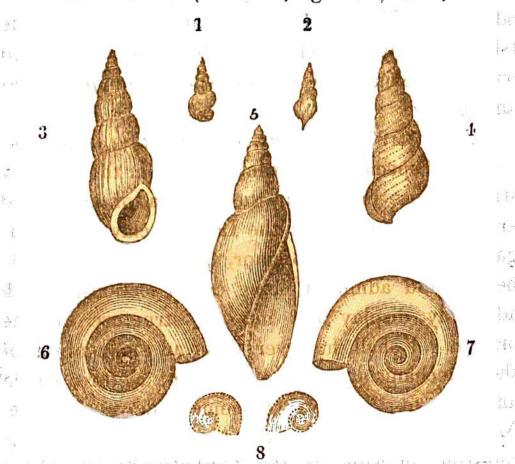
elegance, number, and variety of the species, which exceed by three times those of their living analogues. The Cerithium giganteum attains a considerable magnitude. Some masses of the Bognor rock are almost wholly composed of a species of Pectunculus. The Ampullaria (Tab. 38, fig. 7) abounds at Grignon, and is commonly in a beautiful state of freshness. You will recollect that in most of the carnivorous species the aperture of the shell is channelled. (Tab. 38, figs. 2, 3, 4, 5.)



TAB. 39.—FRESH-WATER SHELLS OF THE PARIS BASIN.

Figs. 1, 2. Bulimus conicus. 3, 4. Cyclostoma mumia. 5. Lymnea

effilea. 6, 7, 8. Planorbis.

FRESH-WATER TERTIARY SHELLS.—It has already been observed, that the shells of the mollusca