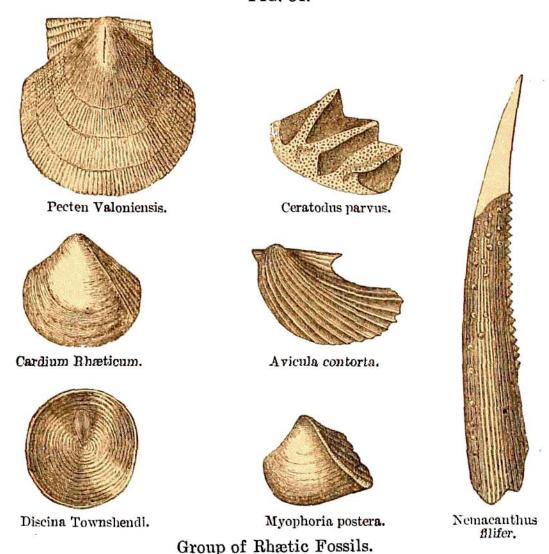
of the neighbourhood of land that bordered the old Triassic lake, and the succeeding shallow Rhætic sea, part of which was the Mendip Hills, 'the home of the Microlestes.'1

In the beds of passage, from 10 to 50 feet above Fig. 34.



there are certain thin

bands in Bone bed, Gloucestershire, named by the Rev. P. B. Brodie, who

For notices of this old land, see De la Beche 'On the Formation of the Rocks of South Wales and South-West of England'; and Ramsay, 'Denudation of South Wales and the Adjacent Counties of England,' Mem. Geol. Surv. vol. i. 1846; and 'Abnormal Conditions of Secondary Deposits,' &c., by Charles Moore, 'Quarterly Journal Geol. Soc.' vol. xxiii., 1867.