富山海湾湾ロ底質中の有孔虫遺骸群集

(底質研究その一)

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Résumé

Foraminiferal Death Assemblages from the Mouth of Toyama-Bay (Studies on Recent Marine Sediments-No. 1)

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The paper is the preliminary report on the ecological studies of the recent foraminifera dreged at the mouth of Toyama Bay. A complete report will be offered after finishing the supplementary survey. Toyama Bay is under open sea condition, and in summer and autumn three water systems are developed being stratified; (See the table on p. 183) The lower Tsushima Current comes from the Pacific through shallow Tsushima straight and is a branch of the southern Kuroshio Current. The water mass peculiar to the Japan Sea fills the most of the Japan Sea (inland basin) and is autochthonous.

The death assemblages of benthonic forraminifera are grouped into four (A-D).

Assemblage A is typical "Kuroshio" fauna, the members of which are quite common in the Kuroshio district on the Pacific side, both recent and fossil.

Assemblage B has a transitional character from A to C, but is definitely characterized by predominance of some species of *Cassidulina*.

Assemblage C may be quite peculiar to the Japan Sea, both recent and fossil. Similar assemblage has not been found on the Pacific side even in the Ovashio under-current.

Assemblage D is remarkably different from the others. The cause of this faunal differentiation is not clear, but the effect of the oligo-oxygen water, such as in the stagnant water mass of submarine valley, is possibly inferable.

The vertical distribution of assemblages well corresponds to water mass and its vicissitude, and not to the depth.

It may be neccessary to take into account not only simple chemical-physical properties (such as temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen etc.) but "water mass."

Therefore, in the shallower part where water systems are thin and many, the faunal differentiation is rapid and conspicuous. This is an important factor for the correlation of young formations in using fossil foraminifera, but at the same time this limitation may be one of the keys to analyse the evolutional changes in the oil ' field of Japan.

At stations 64-1 and 65 a great quantity of remains of planktonic foraminifera is deposited, where a distict change of temperature-salinity relation, such as caused by coastal waters, is not observed on the surface layer. This anomaly of the deposition of planktonic foraminifera is a problem to be solved in future.

Individuals transported from their own living places do not occupy the dominant elements in any assemblages in the present cases.

現世海底堆積物の研究は,層序学にとつて極めて重要 なものであるが,石油,ガスの開発にとつても重要な基礎 研究である。地質調査所では石油課等に於いて潮く此の 種の研究に手をぞめようとしているが,既に行われた調 査の中,富山海湾の有孔虫概査の結果をととに報告する。 なお石油会社の要望もあり,今後も日本海に重点を於い て,底質の各種研究を続行する方針である。又本海湾に ついては,今秋,補足的再調査を実施するので,次回に更 に詳しく報告したい。

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I. 湾口附近の環境

(1) 地形 富山湾は日本海側に於ける 本州最大の海湾で,湾口北 部の能登半島東北端より東 へ陸棚が張り出し台地狀を 呈し,その周線は約300mの 深度であるが,此の部分は 海底地形・海流・陸地地形・ 河川等の関係より,bankに 近い條件下にあると判断さ れる。又この部分の陸棚斜 面は湾内に向い8°~12°の

傾斜をなす。湾口南部本土側では,陸棚は 30m の深 さ迄発達し,以深は 7°以下の傾斜を以て深度 1,000m 内外の広く且概ね平坦な湾底に達する。湾底には,湾 口北部より中央に侵入する 1,200 ~ 1,300m の深さの 浅い蛇行する海底谷がある。

(2) 底質 300m 以梁の海底は泥質で,200m 附近 より急に粒度を増し,砂質泥,細砂に移るが,底質分布 の状況は海図 120 号より判断されたい。なほ採泥点で の篩分結果は第 2 図に示す。

(3) 海況 本海湾は全面的に外海水が侵入し,完全な内湾環境は湾奥の七尾湾以外に見られない。從つて 本海湾湾口附近の海況は本州側中部日本海の海況と略 ペ同一である。日本海は外部と 200m 以浅の 4 海峽

水 茶	深度 m	塩 分 ‰	溫度°C	pĦ	溶存酸素 cc/L
Water system	Depth	Salinity	Water temperature		dissolved O ₂
対島海流上層 upper Tsushima Current	0~20	33.00~34.10	28~22	8.4~8.2	5~6

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第一躍層 1st spring (or discontinuous) layer

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II. 有孔虫遺骸群集



器によった。なお同時に通常の海象観測も行われた。底

第 1 表 底 接種百分率分布表,

Table 1.

Percentage Distribution	ı of	Benthonic	Foraminifera	at	the	Mouth	\mathbf{of}	Toyama	Bay
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		Assemblage	A		В			С		Q
-		Water System	Low Tsus Curr	hima ent	Sprin Laye	ıg r	Ja pe W	apan Se eculiar Vater M	ea Iass	
		Station	60	60-1	65	64-1	61,	64	62	63
		Species Depth in meter	83	142	222	248	468	633	947	1203
	1	Siphogenerina raphana (PARKER & JONES)	51	11		.1	2	1	. 1	2
	2	Bulimina marginata d'Orbigny	18	47	13	9	3	2	.3	2
	-3	Bolivina robusta H. B. BRADY	13	1	7	4	2	х · ·	-	1
	4	Proteonina difflugiformis (H. B. BRADY)		10	2	<u>}</u>	4			4
	5	Haplophragmoides glomerata BRADY		10		•	7	6	5	14
	6	Cassidulina yabei Asano & Nakamura		· .	18	2				
	7	C. subglobosa H. B. BRADY			7	6				
	. 8	C. californica var. japonica Asano & NAKAMURA			7	18		. 5	2	7
	9	Elphidium advenum (Cushman)	2		6	3				
, t	10	E. planum Husezima & Maruhasi		1.1	5	· · ·				
	11	Angulogerina sp. 1			1	15	25	41	54	1
	12	Uvigerina peregrina Cushman		1		10		5	6	
	13	U. cfr. bifurcata d'Orbigny			•		15	7	14	
	14	Trochammina japonica sp. nov.					14	4	3	13
•	15	Haplophragmoides trullissata (BRADY)	3				12	•		13
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					1997 - N. M.				
16	Astrononion stellatum Cushman & Edwards			r i		[5	3	4
17	Bolivina decussata Brady	. ·			2 .		5		
18	Cibicides lobatulus (WALKER & JACOB)					1.	2	5	
19	Quinqueloculina venusta KARRER			· · ·		1	2		13
20	Reophax scorpiurus Montfort		1					$\frac{1}{2}$	8
21	Ammosphaeroidina grandis Cushman		4	1					
:22	Bolivina subspinescens Cushman	3	1		2				
23	Trochammina cfr. squamata PARKER & JONES	2					1.1		
24	Loxostoma karrerianum (BRADY)	2							
:25	Noninn manpukuziensis Otuka	1			*			· · · (]
26	Elphidium fabum (FICHTEL & MOLL)	i							
:27	Haplothragmoides sp. 1	1	· .		1	1			
:28	Streblus ketienziensis Ishizaki	1	1						
29	Eggerella scabra (WILLIAMSON)		2						
.30	Lagena striata strumosa REUSS		2						
31	Reathar an		2						
32	Proteoning crassa HADA		2						
22	Entroplania managinata (WILLEND & DOVE)					•:	•		
-00 -24	Toutularia abbreviata (WALKER & DOIS)	- ·			4	1		- 1 -	
25	Cilicity to a low end of the cost of the c		1		-				
-00	Cuoiciaes pseudoungerianus (Cushman)		1	3	1	4	e e de R		
-30	Ammodiscus incertus d'Orbigny		1						
.37	Guttulina pacifica (Cushman & Ozawa)		1	1		•			· .
.38	Haplophragmoides canariensis d'Orbigny		-1			1.1			
.39	Pullenia sphaeroides (d'ORBIGNY)		1						
-40	P. bulloides (d'Orbigny)			4	1				•
41	Bulimina aculeata d'Orbigny		*	3				× .	
42	Globobulimina pacifica Cushman			3	4				
43	Bolivina sp. 3	-		3	1				
-44	Cibicides refulgens Montfort			3	• 2	1997 - 19			
-45	Elphidium jenseni (Cushman)			2			•		
46	Eponides karsteni (REUSS)		1	2	2				
47	Reussella spinulosa (REUSS)		-	1	2 ':				
. 48	Guttulina yabei ovale Cushman & Ozawa	· •.		1	• •				
49	Rolymorphina charlottensis Cushman	1	*	1	44		-		
50	Discorbis orbicularis TERQUEM			1					
51	Quinqueloculina curta var.			1					
52	Patellinella inconspicua (BRADY)	¢		1	3				
53	Siphogenerina dimorpha (Parker & Jones)			1					
54	Cassidulina orientale CUSHMAN			.1	1		1		
.55	Planulina wuellerstorffi (SCHWAGER)			1					
.56	Anomalina grosserugosa (Gümbel)				2				
.57	Pullenia quinqueloba (Reuss)				1				1
-58	Virgulina complanata Egger				1		2		2
59	Epistomina elegans (d'ORBIGNY)	ŀ			1				
-60	Uvigerina pseudoampullacea Asano				1				
-61	Buliminella elegantissima (d'Orbigny)				1		v - 5	2 - 24 3	
62	Cibicides cf. bseudoungerianus (CUSHMAN)		1 A.			3			
.63	Hablorbhragmoides subglobosa SARS		1.1			2			
64	H. sp.	1 · · · ·		1		- 1			
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65 Trochammina cfr. globigeriniformis (Parker& Jones)	
66 Cassidulina sp	
67 Entosolenia globosa (MONTAGU)	3
68 Cassidulina laevigata d'ORBIGNY	
69 Lagena elongata (EHRENBERG)	
70 Nonionella globosa sp. nov.	2
71 Reophax sp.	
72 Bolivina cfr. seminuda Cushman	
73 Lagena hexagona WILLIAMSON	
74 Pyrgo murrhyna (Schwager)	2
75 Trochammina inflața (Montagu)	2
76 Cassidulina kasiwazakiensis Husez. & Marun.	2
77 Lagena distoma PARKER & JONES	1
78 Uvigerina tenuistriata REUSS	1
79 Haplophragmoides sp.	
Quantity of dry sample (grams)	40 40 40 40 13 40 20 20
(1) Percentage is determined by 100 individuals	drawn by random sampling
(2) Position:	
Station Latitude	Longitude Depth
60 37° 00'.1 N	137° 39′ 2 E 83 m
61 02.8	38.6 168
62 05.4	37.8 947
63 13.4	34.2 1203
. 64 18.6	32.4 633
64-1 21.1	32.2 . 248
65 23.3	31.8 222
Sampling carried out of	on 11 Aug. 1948 by No. 4 Kaiyō-Maru
	奈 曲 St 60 (83m)
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51%	47% れば(註)本海湾北方の
Prote	onina 柏崎沖陸棚上にあつて
Eulimina 12	% / は,本群は 40m より出
	"ś" 。 現し, 特に後種は 50m
	いない 以深より優勢になつて
	きょう くるという。本海湾の
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±24 5 ⊠1	142 通知に見たい。
Fig. 5. Generic Composition of Assem	世ングルTanharch 、 blage A
(2) 広特刑溃龄联生	史に「世にへいるの」で
(-) 出版半路時代の戦争に 1 新にひて相て	のクう。これり懓占,懓
明日本に小されたのよりの地点の研集は年期に力ら行る。	註) 以下「柏崎沖」 については:
A 掛 Siphogeneria raphana—Bulimina marginata	1) Rep't. Comm. Treatise Marine Ecol. Paleoecol.
постриада	1947-1948 pp. 104-110 (Dec. 1948)
註) Fig.5 の St. 60 で Siphogerina は Siphogene-	2) Geol. Rep't Teikoku Oil Co., No. 1182 (Mar.
rina・の誤り。	1949, MS) (in Japanese)
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浅野清氏に依る若狹海湾浦島礁の "200m 附近の第二 群"が本群に当ると推定されるが、分布表が定性的であ る為、これも確言し得ない。本群集に類似せるものは、灰 爪層、脇本層などより発見せられるが、同等なものではな い。太平洋側の現生、化石両群集共未だ類似するものは 報ぜられてない。

C 群 Angulogerina - Uvigerina Assemblage

- 產地 St. 61 (468m) St. 62 (947m) St. 64 (633m)
- 水 系 日本海固有水塊

底 質 泥

Angulogerina sp. 1. を主休とし, Uvigerina の二種を亜 優勢種として伴う。その他 Trochammina japonica, Astrononion stellatum, Quinqueloculina venusta が本華中 に始めて発現してくる。今迄の所, 越後油田の西山層よ り類似群集が発見される外,太平洋側では, 化石にも又現 生でも(親潮潜流・太平洋固有水塊上部)発見されてい ない。

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; • •	產	地	St. 6	3 (1	203m)				
	水	系	日本	海固	有水坊	Ľ			1
			一但し	海底	谷壁の	上部	こ位	置す	-3
	底	質	泥		•				
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上位とは僅に 250m の深度差であるが, 群集は急変す る。 過半が砂質 設有孔虫に占められ, 石灰質 設のものは Quinqueloculina venusta のみが稍著しい。本種は他の St. では少い。海底谷壁の上部に位置しているが, この様 に砂質 設型が 優勢になる事と 海況との 関係は 不明であ る。 1936 の神戶海洋気象台春風丸 St. 12 (37° 14.'3



N-137° 36./5 E) の観測は, この海底谷中 に僅に入つて いるが,谷の 内外では水温 に 差はなく, SiO2, P2O53 谷内で不連続 に高い値を示 している。03 の観測は欠け ている。 (3) 浮游 性型遺骸につ いて註記

第 2 表 浮遊性有孔虫遺骸量

Table 2Proportion of the planktonic foraminiferafor the benthonic remains (=100)

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位 置 Station	60	60-1	61	64	62	63
深度 Depth (m)	83	142	468	633	947	1203
Globigerina bulloides	23	7	0	48	22	10
G. dubia	. 1	7	0	27	0	5
Globigeri- noides rubra	1	0	0	0	0	4
Sphaeroidina bulloides	2	7	0	0	0	Ò.
Globigerina pächÿderma	0	3	7	19	7	24
G. dutertrei	0	2	0	4	7	10
Total	27	26	7	98	36	53
水 系 Water system	対島海 Lower shima	流下層 Tsu- Cur.	면 Ja	本海 pan Se wate	固有 a pecu r mass	水 塊 liar

St. 64-1 (248m) 及び St. 65 (222m) では浮遊性遺骸 量が夥しいので本表から省略

(At Sts. 64-1 and 65 enormous quantity of the planktonic remains (mostly *Globigerina bulloides*) is deposited, so that the relative abundance of them is more than 10 times as much as the benthonic forms.)

第2表に各産地毎に得られた浮遊型遺骸の底淒型 100 個体に対する相対頻度値を示した。St. 65 と St. 64-1 が 除外されているのは、これら地点の遺骸量が余りに著し く、底棲型遺骸の相対量が非常に小さかつた為である。 F. L. Parker(註) は米国東岸陸棚上で浮遊性遺骸量が 急変することに対して、小規模な水系混合により水温・塩 分の分布が急変し、これが遺骸量の急変に関係する様だ と説いている。St. 65, St. 64-1 附近では必ずしも此様な 関係は認められず、両地点の異常堆積の原因は未だ速断 し得ない。

なお Globigerina pachyderma と G. dutertrei・とは Cushman 等に依り冷水性底棲型とされているが、便宜上 ここに扱つた。両種は第2表の如く、冷水塊中に大体多 いといえそうである。

III. 要約

頭書の如く,結論的推論は成可く控える事とし,第3表 に結果の大要を表記する

ただ,二,三附言すれば:

Parker (文献表) pp. 234-236

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第 3 表 要 約 表

		A		5 m -					
•	Assemblage	位置 St. No.	深 度 Depth	水 溫 Tempe- rature	塩 分 Salinity	水 系 Water system	底 質 Bottom sedi- ments	距 岸 Distance fr. coast	備考
Λ	Siphogenerina raphana	60	83 m	17~ 10°C	33.7	対島海流下層 Lower Tsushima	砂質泥	2.7 km	
A	Buliminā marginata	60-1	142 m	12~7°C	~34.5%	Current (Kuroshio)	mud	3.6 km	
	+ Bulimina marginata	65	222 m			第2躍層附近	泥質砂	17 km	沿岸水の 影響殆ん どなく,
B	Cassidulina			7~3°C		Second spring	Silty		地形、底
	+ Angulo- gerina ~Uvigerina	64-1	248 m			Layer	sand	20 km	員寺から 礁に近い 條件と思 われる
	Angulogering sp. 1	61	468 m	1. A.				6.7 km	
C	(Unigerina herecrina	64	633 m			日本海	Silt	25 km	
	+ $U. cf. bifurcata$	62	947 m	0~1°C	$34.1 \pm 0.1\%$	固有水塊	~	12.5 km	- 1
D	Haplophragmoides glomerata H. trullissata Trochamming japonica	63	1203 m			Water mass peculiar to	Clạy	29 km	海底谷
	Quinqueloculina venusta	2.1			1 a.a. 1 A	Japan Sea			

Table 3 Summary of Result

- 1° A~C 群は性質に於て越後油田の和南津,灰爪,西山の諸層より牽する代表的化石群に類似している。
 2° 群集の differentiation は,主として水系に依存している様に見え深度に依らない。從つて水系が薄く,多い浅海・沿岸では群集は複雜で,逆に例えば日本海固有水塊の如き均質な水塊中では水平・垂直共に広く同一型が分布する。
- :3°1°,2°より油田に於ける有孔虫による対比は, 背 斜部と向斜部, 沖と周縁等の場合では相当慎重を 要するととが判る。但し此の制約は, 逆に油田の evolutional change 解析の重要な鍵の一つにも なる。

DESCRIPTIONS AND NOTES ON SOME SPECIES

Genus *Labrospira* Höglund, 1947 *Labrospira* sp. 1 Figs. 1 a, b

Test circular in side view, nearly involute on both sides; sutures rather indistinct, very slightly depressed, straight to the peripheral margin; chambers not lobulate, usually 8 in the last formed whorl; wall coarsely arenaceous but smoothly finished, yellow-brown coloured; aperture an elongate opening with slight lip just above the inner margin on the apertural face.

Diameter up to 0.65 mm; thickness up to 0.40 mm.

LOCALITIES:

- St. 60 (83 m) Lower Tsushima Current (Kuroshio proper). Rare.
- St. 61 (468 m) Water mass peculial to Japan Sea. Individuals rarely obtained at this station seem to be transported from the upper places in Tsushima Current.

This species is similar to BRADY'S figure in Challenger Report. (PL. 34 figs. 8 a, b)

Genus Trochammina PARKER & JONES, 1860 Trochammina japonica sp. nov. Figs. 2 a-c.

Test free, trochoid spiral, periphery broadly rounded, umbilical area in the ventral side deeply depressed; chambers 5 or 6 in the final whorl, inflated and slightly lobulate; sutures indistinct in the early stages, depressed, not curved, and oblique to the inner margin on the dorsal side but perpendicular to the periphery on the ventral side; wall rather coarsely arenaceous, but smoothly finished, cement white to brownish; aperture semi-circular opening at the base of the ventral side of the chamber.

Diameter=0.38 mm thickness=0.20 mm Holotype from St. 62 (947 m)

LOCALITIES:

St. 61 (468 m), St. 62 (947 m), St. 63 (1203 m) and St. 64 (633 m) all in the water mass peculiar to Japan Sea. Rare to common.

Genus Nonionella Cushman, 1926 ... Nonionella globosa sp. nov.

Figs. 3 a-c

Test acorn-shaped, asymmetrical, periphery rounded, dorsal side with chambers ending at the umbilical area, on ventral side involute and umbilical end of the lastformed chamber broadly extending beyond umbilicus with about 5 short fingers; sutures distinct, slightly depressed, nearly straight, oblique to the peripheral margin; wall smooth, thin, hyaline, finely perforate; aperture narrow slit at the base of the apertural face.

.Length=0.42 mm; breadth=0.24 mm; thickness=0.22 mm

Holotype from St. 64 (633 m)

LOCALITIES:

- St. 64 (633 m) Water mass peculiar to Japan Sea. Rare.
- St. 65 (222 m) & St. 64-1 (248 m) Second spring layer. Very rare.

This is characterized by its peculiar acornshaped test and finger-like lobelets at the umbilical region on the ventral side.

Genus Bulimina d'Orbigny, 1826 Bulimina marginata d'Orbigny

Fig. 4.

Bulimina marginata, H. B. BRADY, Rep Voy. Challenger, Zoology, Vol. 9, 1884, P. 405, pl, 51, figs 3-5

Bulimina aculeata, HADA, Sci. Rep. Tohoku Imp. Univ. (Biol.) Vol. 6, 1934, p. 127, text-fig. 84.

Holotype described from recent material from Italy.

FOSSIL OCCURENCE :

Pliocene and Quaternary (warm water) deposits on the Pacific side of Honshū. Plio-Pleistocene Setana formation in Hokkaidō.

ECOLOGY:

South of Japan, 345 fms: off Japan, 258 and 440 fms.: South of Okinawa, 1075 m: Southwestern North Pacific, 860m: Tosawan (Shikoku) 91-349 m (Kuroshio Current): Onagawa-wan (Miyagi Pref.) 31 m: Misaki (Kanagawa Pref.) less than 10 fms.: Off Kashiwazaki, 38 m (rare) 51 m (common) 64-88 m + (abundant): Toyama-Bay, 83 m (common) 142 m (abundant) 222 m (common) 248m-1203m (rare, possibly transported from shallower part)

Genus Angulogerina Cushman, 1927

Angulogerina sp. 1

Figs. 5a, b, 6

Test about twice as long as broad, the broadest part nearly in the middle, triangular in transverse section, the periphery lobulate and rounded especially in the early stages; chambers distinct and inflated; sutures distinct and depressed; wall ornamented with longitudinal costae on all except last-formed chambers in the adult, finely perforate; aperture with very short tubular neck and phialine lip.

Length=ca. 0.4 mm : diameter=ca. 0.2 mm LOCALITIES :

St. 65 (222 m) second spring layer (rare), St. 64-1 (248 m) second spring layer (common), St. 61 (468 m) St. 64 (633 m) and St. 62 (947 m) water mass peculiar to Japan Sea (abundant), St. 63 (1203 m) same water as preceding system (stagnant water mass?) (rare)

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Genus Cassidulina d'Orbigny, 1826 Cassidulina yabei Asano & Nakamura Fig. 10

- Cassidulina yabei, ASANO & NAKAMURA, Jap. Jour. Geol. Geogr. Vol. 14, Nos. 3-4. 1937, p. 145. pl. 14, figs. 1 a, b.
- Holotype described from Pliocene Setana formation, Hokkaido.

FOSSIL OCCURENCE:

Common in the Pliocene deposits on the Japan Sea side.

LOCALITIES :

Recent material has not been recorded by this time. Toyama-Bay. St. 65 (222 m) second spring layer (common) St. 64-1(248 m) same as preceding one.(rare)

Cassidulina californica Cushman & Hughess var. japonica Asano & Nakamura · Figs. 11 a, b.

- Cassidulina japonica, ASANO & NAKAMURA, Jap. Jour. Geol. Geogr. Vol. 14, Nos. 3-4, 1937, p. 144, pl. 13, figs. 1, 2, text-figs. 2 a, b.
- Holotype described from recent material from Urashima Bank, Wakasa-wan, Japan Sea. (200m±)

The present specimens are considerable as the topotypes. Although the original figures and description show distinct differences from *C. californica*, it may be adequate to treat this japonic species as a variety of *C. californica* from the comparison between the present specimens and the Californian fossil specimens.

The variety is distinguishable from the species by having more acute periphery of the final chamber and very slightly less globular test.

Pliocene species recorded under the name C. japonica, which may be ancestor of the variety, from oil field on the Japan Sea side, is hardly distinguished from C. californica. LOCALITIES:

St. 65 (222 m) (common) and St. 64-1 (248 m) (more common) both second spring layer. St. 64 (633 m), St. 62 (947 m) and St. 63 (1203 m) all in the water mass peculiar to Japan Sea (rare to common)

Cassidulina kasiwazakiensis Husezima & Maruhasi

Cassidulina kasiwaz¢kiensis Husezima & MARUHASI, Jour. Sigen Ken Vol. 1, No. 3, 1944, p. 399, pl. 34, figs. 13 a-c.

Holotype described from Pliocene Haizume formation, Niigata Oil field.

This species is closely related to *C. nor-crossi* CUSHMAN (Smithsonian Misc. Coll. Vol. 89, No. 9, p. 7, pl. 2, figs. 7a-c, described from off NE. Greenland)

FOSSIL OCCURENCE:

Haizume and Nishiyama formations in Niigata Oil field (Pliocene) Koetoi formation in Hokkaido (Pliocene)

LOCALITY:

Recent material has not been recorded by this time.

Toyama-Bay: St. 63 (1203 m) (water mass peculiar to Japan Sea. (rare)

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EXPLANATION OF THE PLATE

Figures			·.		
1 a, b	Labrospira sp. 1	×	33	St. 60	
•2 a, b, c	Trochammina japonica sp. nov. Holotype	×	66	St. 62	
3 a, b, c	Nonionella globosa sp. nov. Holotype	×	66	St. 64	
4	Bulimina marginata d'Orbigny	×	66	St. 60	
5 a, b	Angulogerina sp. 1 (megalospheric form)	×	66	St. 61	
6	Angulogerina sp. 1 (megalospheric form)	×	66	St. 64	
7	Virgulina complanata Egger	×	66	St. 63	
8	Uvigerina peregrina Cushman	×	.66	St. 64	
.9	Uvigerina cfr. bifurcata d'ORBIGNY	×	66	St. 64	
• 10	Cassidulina yabei Asano & Nakamura	×	66	St. 65	
11 a, b	Cassidulina californica Cushman & Hughes				
	var. japonica Asano & Nakamura	×	33	St. 65	
12	Cassidulina laevigata d'Orbigny	×	33	St. 62	

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RECENT FORAMINIFERA FROM TOYAMA-WAN ISHIWADA

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Résumé

The Lead-Zinc Deposits of the Daira Mine, Akita Prefecture, with Special Reference to No. 14 Vein

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1. The lead and zinc deposits of the Daira Mine, Akita Prefectnre, occur in the so-called "Tertiary Green Tuff" in the north eastern district of Japan. Daira deposits are of the epithermal fissure filling vein type and the faulted vein type.

2. About twenty veins are known, and three fissure filling veins and two faulted veins have been newly found in this research. The fissure filling veins are parallel each other, and their strikes are about E-W. The faulted veing, being of little worth, are made genetically in bedding slip. In general, the faults run about 45° to the direction of the fissure veins. Those facts show that the fault was produced along the maximum shearing plane by compression from east and west, and the fissure was made by the tension vertical to the compression.

3. The lower limit of the main crystallized parts of lead and zinc ores in each vein are laid on the same level, about 300 meters above sea-level. Their depth calculated to be about 150 meters. The writer wants to call this parts "the crystallized zone of lead and zinc ores." The maximum length of veins is measured 150 meters and average width is about 10 cm.

4. The ore shoots in the veins are found under the foot wall of lower angle faults.

5. The principal ore minerals are zinc blend, galena, associated with some pyrite and chalcopyrite. There are a few gangue minerals, i. e., calcite, quartz, clay material, chlorite. Rhodochrosite and mangano-calcite are rarely found.

6. The alteration of country rocks is predominant in carbonatization, chloritization and kaolinization all over the neighbourhood of the deposits. Silicification is relatively weak.

7. The proved and probable ore reserves estimated are given in the following table:

proved ore	1.5×10 ⁴ tgrade (Cu 0.65% Pb 3.30% Zn 7.65%)
probable ore	1.9×10 ⁴ tgrade (Cu 0.43% Pb 1.30% Zn 5.78%)

8. The result of this investigation can be concluded as follows: the existence of hidden veins can be supposed to exist by the genetic mechanism of vein system. The