

Camacolaimus spissus n. sp.

Fig. 177 a, b

Locality and material. — Falklands Islands. St. 53: a young ♀

Dimensions: $L = 2,420 \mu\text{m}$, $a = 28,48$, $\beta = 14,24$, $\gamma = 21,61$

Body on the whole evenly thick, tapering posteriorly scarcely noticeably, anteriorly gradually, except in the oesophageal region, which is more strongly thinned. Cuticle annulated. Head strongly thinned, at the front end truncate, provided with 4 slender, submedian bristles, measuring half the corresponding head diameter. Dorsal wall of the pharynx as usually thickened. Oesophagus short, slender, with a moderately large, elongated, pyriform bulb, its muscles interrupted in the middle, here surrounded by the nerve ring. Ventral gland at the level of the posterior half of the bulb and opening in a distance of 80μ behind the front end.

Lateral organs situated near the front end, rather inconspicuous, rounded, forming a simple sling, in section 3μ , i. e. about $1/3$ — $1/4$ of the corresponding head diameter.

Tail straight, conical, containing 3 glands in its anterior half.

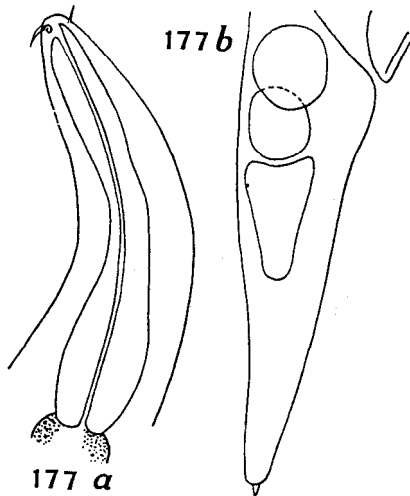


Fig. 177. *Camacolaimus spissus* n. sp. a. Anterior part, oesophageal region, b. Tail, $\times 600$