

AMITRA
DALL 1895

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TEREBRA (ACUS) AMITRA, new species.

Shell small, acute, slender, of 10 whorls without the nucleus; whorls flattish, crossed by about 17 prominent, straight, rounded, even ribs with slightly wider interspaces; spiral sculpture of sparse, sharp, incised lines, more numerous and closer on the base, eight or nine in all; sutural band absent, or not set off by sulcus or constriction; aperture longer than wide, outer lip straight incrementally; canal wide; pillar straight, smooth, with its anterior edge prominent; canal short, wide; siphonal fasciole distinct. Longitude, 9.5; maximum diameter, 2.5 mm.

Habitat.—Potrero, River Amina, Santo Domingo.

Type.—No. 113755, U. S. N. M.

This little species, though represented by only a single specimen, seems clearly distinct.

DALL 1895 Proc. U.S. Nat. Mus. p. 39

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Fig. 19. *Terebra (Oxymeris) amitra* Dall; Oligocene of St. Domingo; alt. 9.5 mm.;
op. cit., p. 39, 1895. DALL 1895 TRANS. WAGNER INST. SCI. p. 39

Terebra amitra Dall

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Terebra (Oxymeris) amitra Dall, Proc. U. S. Nat. Mus., vol. 18, no. 1035, p. 39, 1895; Trans. Wagner Inst. Sci., vol. 3, pt. 6, pl. 59, fig. 19, 1903.

We unfortunately did not collect any specimens of this rare little *Terebra*, of which there is a single shell in the National Museum. It measures 9.5 mm. in length and was collected at Potrero, Rio Amina. MAY 1917 28



21. *Terebra amitra* Dall, after Dall, lon. 9.5 mm. 28