

CHIPOLANA

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TEREBRA (ACUS) CHIPOLANA, new species. } 3 }

Shell small, slender, obsoletely sculptured, with a pupoid nucleus of four whorls and about a dozen subsequent whorls, the earlier of which are slightly smaller than the last two nuclear turns; sides flattish, suture distinct; sutural band conspicuous, set off by a deep sulcus; the band is without nodules or marked sculpture, except on the last whorl; the whorls are feebly transversely wrinkled by obsolete riblets, which on the last whorl in the type specimen take a more definite shape, but fade out on the periphery; spiral sculpture of obsolete grooves on the anterior half of the whorl, two of which on the base are more distinct than the others; aperture longer than wide; pillar simple, smooth, twisted, little recurved; siphonal fasciole with a sharp posterior keel. Longitude, 12; maximum diameter, 2.5 mm.

*Habitat*.—Chipola beds (2213). A single specimen (No. 113912) in the National Museum.

This little species is sufficiently unlike the others to require but little in the way of comparison. A dwarf *T. langdoni* var. *perpunctata*, with the ribs almost wholly obsolete and the sulcus continuous instead of broken into punctures, would be something like it.

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Fig. 2. *Terebra chipolana* Dall; Chipola Oligocene; alt. 12.0 mm.; *op. cit.*, p. 39, 1895.

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