

Terebra (Strioterebrum) ulloa, n. sp.

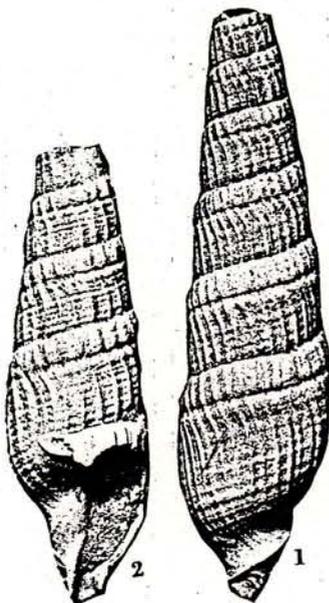
Plate 15, figs. 1, 2

Shell of medium size, with a moderate taper; nucleus unknown; post-nuclear whorls 12 or more, flattened; sutural band or fasciole about a quarter of the width of the spire-whorl and limited below by a wide, grooved line; most deeply incised on the earlier spire-whorls; the axial sculpture consists of numerous, small riblets which curve forward near the fasciolar groove but straighten again across the fasciolar band; these riblets number about 34 on the last whorl on the larger specimens but they are coarser and less numerous on the spire-whorls; spirals are variable in strength and spacing, sometimes as closely spaced, spiral bands, in other cases as more widely spaced spiral threads; they are usually absent from the fasciolar band which is thus smooth except for the ends of the largest ribs but on the spire-whorls, the spirals usually occur on the fasciolar band as well; anterior canal rather long, twisted, the pillar smooth; siphonal sinus rather strong with a strong, encircling keel. Length, 33 mm.; greater diameter, 8.25 mm.

Remarks.—This species resembles *Terebra gatunensis* Toulà from Panama but the spiral sculpture consists of finer, more irregular flattened spirals while the longitudinal riblets are finer and more like growth-lines. A small *Terebra* with two, feebly nodulated cords on each side of the fasciolar band as in *Terebra benthalis* Dall occurs at La Cruz but the specimens are too fragmentary to be described and named.

Locality and Geologic Occurrence.—Lower Zorritos of Que. La Cruz.

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1. *Terebra (Strioterebrum) ulloa*, n. sp. 147
Holotype, length 33.00 mm.
Lower Zorritos, Que. La Cruz .
2. *Terebra (Strioterebrum) ulloa*, n. sp. 147
Paratype, length 25.00 mm.
Lower Zorritos, Que La Cruz