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*Terebra metcalfi* Reeve, 1860, Conch. Icon. 12: pl. 26, fig. 139. The type is lost. Reeve's figure looks as though it might belong to the genus *Mazatlania*. His type locality is the West Indies, but it resembles no terebrid species from the Western Atlantic. (N. DUB) 5287

## Species 139. (Mus. Metcalfe.)

TEREBRA METCALFII. *Ter. testá cylindraceo-oblongá, albidá, flammulis aurantiis albi-punctatis pallidissimè tinctá, ad marginem suturalem rufo-punctatá, anfractibus convexis, indivisis, primis costatis, costis cito evanidis; aperturá oblongá, columellá callosá, breviusculá.*

METCALFE'S TEREBRA. Shell cylindrically oblong, whitish, faintly tinged with pale white-dotted orange flames, red-dotted at the sutural margin, whorls convex, undivided, the first ribbed, ribs soon fading; aperture oblong, columella callous, rather short.

*Hab.* West Indies?

An interesting species, of which the specimen figured, from the collection of Mr. Metcalfe, is the only one I have seen. It was collected originally by the Rev. Lansdowne Guilding.

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Metcalfei (*Terebra*), Reeve. Conch. Ic., 139, 1860, 145 . 36

T. METCALFEI, Reeve. Pl. 11, fig. 5.

Shell cylindrically oblong, whitish, faintly tinged with pale white-dotted orange flames, red-dotted at the sutural margin whorls convex, the first ribbed, ribs soon fading.

Length, 12 mill.

West Indies

Described from a single specimen collected by Rev. L. Guilding

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5. *Terebra Metcalfei*, Reeve. Conch. Icon., f. 139.