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### VALID SPECIES OF THE NUCULID PELECYPOD ACILA

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The preparation of a monograph of nuculid pelecypods of the genus Acila (1), with the ultimate aim to evaluate objectively the time value of the species, necessitated the compilation of the accompanying tabulation. The publication of the monograph has been delayed indefinitely and when it does appear it will not present in such compact form the information contained in this note.

Fifty names have been employed in connection with the name Acila. Twenty of these were published between the years 1836 and 1899, inclusive, seventeen between 1900 and 1925, and thirteen between 1926 and 1932. Ten per cent of the names are homonyms; they are cordata, hamiltonensis, japonica, minuta (a secondary homonym), and truncata. Three of the names have been attached incorrectly to Acila; namely, tuberculata, chickasaensis, and japonica. Ten species (20 %) are treated as synonyms. Twenty-two (44 %) of the species are believed to be valid, but this number may be increased when better preserved specimens are available for examination.

The precise geological age of about one-third of the holotypes is doubtful. For example, the age of *Acila (Truncacila) ermani* (Girard) has been given as Cretaceous, Miocene, and late Tertiary. Most of the other cases of doubt depend upon the difficulty

<sup>(1)</sup> Consult Schenck, H. G., « Classification of Nuculid Pelecypods » (this *Bulletin*, tome X, No. 20, p. 41, June, 1934).

of deciding upon the boundary between Oligocene and Miocene (2).

The repositories of original material, as far as known to the writer, are as follows: University of California Museum of Paleontology, Berkeley; U. S. National Museum, Washington, D. C.; Academy of Natural Sciences, Philadelphia; Department of Geology, Stanford University, California; Kyoto Imperial University, Japan; collection of A. Olsson (presumably donated to the Paleontological Research Institute, Ithaca, New York); San Diego Society of Natural History, California; Geologisches Staatsinstitut, Hamburg; University of Berlin; Musée royal d'Histoire naturelle de Belgique; collection of C. E. Weaver at the University of Washington, Seattle; Sammlung für Paläontologie und historische Geologie, Munich; and the British Museum (Natural History).

Two especially important but neglected species that may prove to be valid are schomburgki and ermani. The former, described in 1846, has been reported from the Eocene of Trinidad, but its age is more likely Oligocene, according to E. Lehner (3). As for Acila (Truncacila) ermani, named in 1844, the type is said to come from Atka Island, Alaska; if it could be found and studied, the species might prove to be close to the well-known late Cenozoic European species, Acila (Truncacila) cobboldiae.

The artificial key presented below may aid in the identification of specimens. Named forms not considered during its preparation because of insufficient material include ermani, eximia gettysburgensis var. alaskensis, gottschei, granulata, hamiltonensis, minuta, nelsoni, picturata, pugetensis, schomburgki, and yakatagensis.

(3) Letter dated 8 January, 1935.

<sup>(2)</sup> Reasons for taking the Aquitanian stage and its equivalents as Oligocene are presented in my note on « What is the Vaqueros formation of California and is it Oligocene », (Bull. Amer. Assoc. Pet. Geol., vol. 10, n° 4, April, 1935).

# ARTIFICIAL KEY TO SOME SPECIES OF ACILA H. AND A. ADAMS, 1858.

Genotype: Nucula divaricata Hinds, by subsequent designation, Stoliczka, 1871.

Type of *Truncacila*: Nucula castrensis Hinds, by original designation, Schenck in Grant and Gale, 1931.

Orientation of shell: beaks are posterior.

Rostral sinus: Depression extending from umbones to posterior ventral margin.

Escutcheonal area: below (ventral) and posterior to beaks.

Lunule: Anterior to beaks.

Area of obsolete radial ribbing: Area at ventral part of shell where radial ribs are indistinct, being obscured by concentric sculpture.

Key based on adult specimens.

UMBONES TO POSTERIOR VENTRAL MARGIN,
B. Height is 80 % or more of length
BB. Height is less than 80 % of length.
C. Escutcheonal area bounded by a narrow ribless groved area

CC. Escutcheonal area crossed by radial ribs.

SHELL WITH WELL-DEFINED ROSTRAL SINUS FROM

D. Distinct area of obsolete radial ribbing on majority of

DD. No area of obsolete radial ribbing or with only a narrow

E. Umbonal area high, on adults; lunule outlined by a shallow groove and low ridge ... ... ... ... ... ... ... EE. Umbonal area not high; lunule not outlined by shallow

groove. F. Dorsal margin straight, as seen from side; narrow area of obsolete radial ribbing on larger specimens... ...

AA, SHELL LACKING A ROSTRAL SINUS OR POSSESSING ONLY AN INCIPIENT SINUS.

FF. Dorsal margin gently curving; narrow area of obso-

mens.

C. Length 20 m m, or more,

D. Area of obsolete radial ribbing narrow; height seldom DD. Area of obsolete radial ribbing generally wide; height

B. Area of obsolete radial ribbing present on majority of speci-

Acila (Truncacila) blancoensis Howe.

Acila (Acila) semirostrata (GRANT & GALE).

Acila (Acila) isthmica (Brown & Pilsbry).

Acila (Acila) divaricata (HINDS) var. sub-

Acila (Acila) gettysburgensis (REAGAN).

Acila (Acila) divaricata (HINDS).

Acila (Acila) fultoni (SMITH).

mirabilis (MAKIYAMA).

Acila (Truncacila) cobboldiae (Sowerby).

D. Height generally more than 78 % of length	Acila (Truncacila) castrensis (HINDS). Acila (Truncacila) insignis (GOULD).	
BB. No area of obsolete radial ribbing or such an area only weakly developed.	(docab).	*
C. Escutcheonal area bounded by a narrow ribless grooved area.  CC. Escutcheonal area crossed by radial ribs.	Acila (Truncacila) demessa Finlay.	
D. Radial ribs up to or more than 1 mm, wide	Acila (Truncacila) paita Olsson.	
E. Escutcheonal area set off by a marked depressed area, when shell is viewed posteriorly; ribbing fine	Acila (Truncacila) bivirgata (Sowerby).	OF
EE. Escutcheonal area not set off by a marked depressed area; ribbing fine to coarse.		THE N
F. Adult specimens seldom exceed a length of 20 mm.		Iuou
G. Definite concentric lines of growth more than 6 on adults.		NUCULID P
H. Usually more than 10 mm. thick when 17 + mm. long	Acila (Truncacila) muta Clark.	PELECYPOD ACILA
HH. Usually less than 10 mm. thick when 17 + mm long	Acila (Truncacila) conradi (Meek).	OD AC
GG. Definite concentric growth lines six or less	Acila (Truncacila) decisa (CONRAD).	ILA
FF. Adult specimens generally longer than 20 mm.		
G. Incipient sinus indistinct or absent	Acila (Truncacila) shumardi (DALL).	
H. Shell compressed	Acila (Truncacila) dalli (Arnold).	
HH. Shell inflated	Acila (Truncacila) nehalemensis Hanna.	<b>υ</b> τ

CC. Length does not exceed 20 mm.

SPECIES	AUTHOR	DATE	REFERENCE TO ORIGINAL DESCRIPTION	REPOSITORY OF PROTEROTYPES	REPOSITORY OF TOPOTYPES	TYPE LOCALITY	AGE OF HOLOTYPE	STATUS OF SPECIES	SUBGENUS
1. bivirgata.	J. de C. Sowerby.	1836	Trans. Geol. Soc., ser. 2, vol. 4, 1836, p. 335, pl. 11, fig. 8.	Apparently lost (Woods, 1899).	British Museum, Musée royal d'Histoire naturelle de Belgique, California Academy of Sciences, etc.	Southeastern England.	Cretaceous.	Valid.	Truncacila.
2. blancoensis.	Howe.	1922	Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol. Sci., vol. 14, no. 3, Sept. 8, 1922, pp. 95-96, pl. 9, fig. 3.	Holotype No. 59, Stanford University Paleo. Coll.	Nos. 5881-5892, Calif. Acad. Sci.	Near Cape Blanco, Oregon.	Pliocene of H. V. Howe, 1922.	Valid.	Truncacila.
3. castrensis.	Hinds.	1843	Proc. Zool. Soc. London, Part XI, 1843,p. 98.	Unknown.	Los Angeles Museum; Stanford University Paleo. Collection.	Sitka, Alaska.	Recent.	Valid.	Truncacila.
4. chickasaensis.	Cragin.	1895	Colorado Coll. Studies, 5th year, p. 56.	Unknown.		Love County, Oklahoma.	Cretaceous.	Not Acila.	
5. cobboldiae.	Sowerby.	1818	Mineral Conch., vol. 2, 1818, p. 177, pl. 180, fig. 2.	No. 43216 British Museum of Natural History,	C. 3214-3248, Sedgwick Museum, Cambridge, England; Mus. Practical Geol. London, wall-case 23, shelf 6, tab. 102.	Bramerton, Norfolk, England.	Pliocene.	Valid.	Truncacila.
6. conradi.	Meek.	1864	As divaricata Conrad, Am. Jour. Sci., vol. 5, 1848, p. 432, fig. 1.	Paratype No. 3526, U. S. Nat. Museum.	sien 0, tab. 102.	Astoria, Oregon.	Miocene,	Valid.	Truncacila.
			New name by Meek, Checklist Miocene Foss. N. America. Nov., 1864.		-		1		
7. cordata.	Dall.	1898	Trans. Wagner Free Inst. Sci., vol. 3, pt. 4, April, 1898, p. 573. Fig. in Trans. Wagner Free Inst. Sci., vol. 3, pt. 5, December, 1900, p. 1196, pl. 40, fig. 4. Not Nucula cordata Goldfuss.	No. 107450, U. S. Nat. Museum.	Stanford University.	Near Mist, Columbia County, Oregon,	Early Oligocene.	Name changed to nehalemensis.	Truncacila.
8. dalli.	Arnold.	1908	Proc. U. S. Nat. Mus., vol. 34, August 8, 1908, pp. 264-365, pl. 33, fig. 15.	Plastotype and impression, U. S. Nat. Museum Cat. No. 165452.	Stanford University.	Waddell Creek, Santa Cruz County, Cali- fornia.	San Lorenzo, Oligocene.	Valid.	Truncacila.
9. decisa.	Conrad.	1855	Appendix to W. P. Blake's prelimaary geological report of Pacific Railroad Survey, House Document 129, July, 1855,	Lost (Dall, 1909).	University of California,	San Diego, California.	Eocene.	Valid.	Truncacila,
10. domeson	Finlay.	1007	pp. 11-12.	*	-sel	1			
10. demessa.	Finay.	1927	As truncata Gabb, Paleo. Calif., vol. 1, 1864, p. 198, 235, pl. 26, fig. 184 a, b. New name by Finlay, Trans. Pr. New Zealand Inst., vol. 57, March 10, 1927, p. 522.	Unknown. Lectotype (selected by Stewart) in Philadelphia Acad. Sci.	Stanford University Paleo. Collection, No. 5549; U. S. Nat. Museum, Univ. Calif., etc.	Pence's Ranch, Pentz, Butte County, California.	Upper Cretaceous.	Valid; see truncata.	Truncacila.
11. dewalquei.	Briart and Cornet.	1870	Mem. Acad. Roy. Belg., vol. 34, 1870, pp. 62-63, pl. 5, figs. 26-28.	No. 5496, Mus. Roy. Hist. Nat. de Belg., Brussels, Holotype.	Ecole des Mines, Mons, Belgium.	Commune of Strepy-Bracquegnies, Belgium.	Cretaceous.	Synonym of bivirgata.	Truncacila.
12. divaricata.	Hinds.	1843	Proc. Zool. Soc. London, Part XI, 1843, p. 97. Read July 11, 1843. Fig. in Zool. of Voyage of H. M. S. Sulphur, vol. 2, 1843, pl. 18, fig. 4. Not Nucula divaricata Valenciennes.	Unknown.		China Sea from 84 fathoms,	Recent.	Valid.	Acila s. s.
13. empirensis.	Howe.	1922	Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol. Sci., vol. 14, no. 3, Sept. 8,	Type, No. 30032-30033, Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo	Calif. Acad. Sci	Coop Canalananta Gua Gunta Ouri	Pliocene of H. V. Howe,	Valid.	Muun oo dh
14. ermani.	Girard.	1844	1922, p. 96, pl. 9, figs. 4, 5, 8.  A. Ermans Archiv, wiss, kunde Russland, vol. 3, 1844, p. 545,			Coos Conglomerate, Coos County. Oregon.	1922. May be Miocene.	vanu.	Truncacila.
			figs. 8a, b. Fig. in Verhand. RussK. Mineral. Gesel. St. Petersburg, 1848-49 (1850), pl. 5, figs. 1a, b.	Chanown.		Atka Island, Alaska.	Pliocene (?)	A subspecies or synonym of cobboldiae?	Truncacila.
15. eximia.	Yokoyama.	1925	Jour. Coll. Sci. Imp. Univ. Tokyo, vol. 45, Art. 7, June 25, 1925, p. 11, pl. 1, figs. 14-16.	Unknown.		Jôban coal field.	Miocene.	Needs further study.	Truncacila (?).
16. fultoni.	Smith.	1892	Jour. Conch., vol. 7, October, 1892, pp. 111-112. Fig. in Alcock, «A Naturalist in Indian Seas», 1902, fig. 80.	Unknown.	Nos. 5531, 5532, 5569, Stanford University Paleo. Collection; Schenck Coll., No. 666; probable topo-	Bay of Bengal, India.	Recent.	Valid.	Acila s. s.
17. gabbiana.	Dickerson.	1916	Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol., vol. 9, May 2, 1916, p. 481, pl. 36, fig. 1.	Type No. 11802, Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo.	types in Oldroyd Coll., No. 1259.  Schenck Collection, etc.	Center Sec. 15, T. 18 S., R. 13 E., M. D. M.,	Eocene	Synonym of decisa.	Truncacila.
18. gettysburgensis.	Reagan.	1909	Trans. Kan. Acad. Sci., vol. 22, November 24, 1909, pp. 175-177	No. 328302, U. S. Nat. Museum.	Univ. Calif.; Stanford Univ.; No. 5830, Calif.	16 miles north of Coalinga, Calif.			
19. gettysburgensis	B. L. Clark.	1932	pl. 1, fig. 3.  Bull. Geol. Soc. Am., vol. 43, no 3, September 30, 1932, pp. 804-805, pl. 14, fig. 15		Acad. Sci.	Probably near Gettysburg, Clallam County, Washington.	Oligocene.	Valid.	Acila s. s.
var. alaskensis. 20. gottschei.	Böhm.	1916	7.			Johnson Creek, Alaska.	Late Oligocene.	Valid (?)	Acila s. s.
			Jahr. d. k. Preus. Geol. Landesan., 1915 (1916, Bd. 36, Th. 1, Ht. 3, pp. 554-555, pl. 29, figs. 5-7.			Cape Jonquière, (Dué) Russian Sakhalin.	Tertiary (Oligocene or Miocene).	Unsettled.	Truncacila.
21. granulata.	Smith.	1906	Ann. Mag. Nat. Hist., vol. 18, no. 106, 1906, pp. 251-252. Fig. in Zoology of the R. I. M. S. Investigator, pl. 23, figs. 1, 1a.	Unknown.		Bay of Bengal, 18o 10' 15" north latitude, 93o 30' 45" east longitude.	Recent.	Valid.	Truncacila.
22. hamiltonensis.	B. L. Clark.	1932	Bull. Geol. Soc. Am., vol. 43, no. 3, September 30, 1932, p. 806, pl. 14, figs. 11 and 14. Not Nucula hamiltonensis d'Orbigny.	No. 30376, Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo.		Hamilton Creek, Alaska.	Late Oligocene.	Unsettled.	Truncacila.
23. hokkaidoensis.	Nagao.	1932	Journ. Fac. Sci. Hokkaido Imperial Univ., ser. 4, Geology and Mineralogy, vol. 2, no. 1, November, 1932, p. 28, pl. 5, figs. 17, 18.	Unknown.	The state of the s	Hokkaido, Japan.	Cretaceous.	Valid (?)	Truncacila.
24. insignis.	Gould.	1861	Proc. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist., vol. 8, April, 1861, p. 36.	Probably No. 1628, U. S. Nat. Museum.	Probable topotype, Schenck Coll., N. 420.	Off east coast of Japan, latitude 37o.	Recent.	Valid.	Truncacila.
25. isthmica.	Brown and Pilsbry.	1911	Proc. Acad. Nat. Sci. Philadelphia, vol. 63, April, 1911, pp. 361-362, pl. 27, figs. 11, 12.	Acad. Nat. Sci., Philadelphia.		Locks at Gatun, Isthmus of Panama.	Miocene.	Valid.	Acila s. s.
26. jacunda.	J. Thiele.	1931	Thiele und Jaeckel, Wissen. Erg. d. Deutsch. Tiefsee-Exp., Bd. 21, Heft 1, p. 198, pl. VII, fig. 42, March 20, 1931.	University of Berlin.		Zanzibar, east Africa, 463 meters.	Recent.	Synonym of granulata (?).	Truncacila.
27. japonica.	Dall.	1898	Trans. Wagner Free Inst. Sci., vol. 3, pt. 4, April, 1898, p. 572.	Unknown.		Northern Japan.	Recent.	Probably not Acila.	
28. lajollaensis.	M. A. Hanna.	1927	Not Nucula japonica Adams and Reeve.  Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol. Sci., vol. 16, March 25, 1927,	No. 31132 Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo			-		
29. lyalli,	Baird.	1863	p. 270, pl. 25, figs. 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 12, 15.  Proc. Zool. Soc. London, 1863, p. 71.			Three miles north of La Jolla, Calif.	Eocene.	Synonym of decisa.	Truncacila.
				Unknown.	Provincial Mus., Vancouver, B. C.	Esquimalt Harbor, Vancouver Island, 8 to 10 fathoms.	Recent.	Synonym of castrensis.	Truncacila.
30. minuta.	Makiyama.	1927	minuta Makiyama, Mem. Coll. Sei. Kyoto Imp. Univ., ser. B., vol. 3, no. 1, Art. 1. March, 1927, p. 25, pl. 1, figs. 8, 9. Not Nucula minuta Brown, et al.	Geological Institute, Kyoto Imperial Univ., Japan; No. Kakegawa 201.	Schenck Coll., No. 425, Stanford Univ.	Hônohasi, Japan.	Pliocene.	Name to be changed.	Truncacila (?).
31. mirabilis.	Adams and Reeve.	1850	Zool. Voy. Samarang, 1850, p. 75, pl. 21, fig. 8.	Unknown.	British Mus. Probable topotype in Oldroyd Coll., Stanford University.	Kieu-sieu, Nangasaki Bay, Japan.	Recent.	Synonym of divaricata.	Acila s. s.
32. mirabilis, var. ashiyaensis.	Nagao.	1928	Sci. Rep. Tohoku Imp. Univ. (2) Geol., vol. 12, no. 1, 1928, pp. 21-22, pl. 7, figs. 6-8, 9 (?), 10.	Unknown.	Calif. Acad. Sci., No. 6070.	Taya, Ashiya-machi, Province of Chikuzen	Oligocene ?	? Synonym of submirabilis.	Acila s. s.
33. muta.	B. L. Clark.	1918	Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol., vol. 11, no. 2, July 16, 1918, p. 119, pl. 13, figs. 6, 12, 13,	Type No. 11196, Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo.	Stanford Univ. Paleo. Collection, No. 5738.	1/2 mile southwest of town of Walnut Creek, Contra Costa County, California.	Oligocene,	Valid.	Truncacila.
34. muta, var. mark- leyensis.	B. L. Clark.	1918	Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol., vol. 11, no. 2, July 16, 1918, p. 121, pl. 13, fig. 3.	Type No. 11195, Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo.		1/2 mile southwest of town of Walnut Creek,	Oligocene,	Synonym of muta.	Truncacila.
35. nehalemensis.	G. D. Hanna.	1924		Type, Cat. No. 107450, U. S. Nat. Museum.	No. 5757, Stanford Univ. Paleo. Type Coll.;	Contra Costa County, California.	Keasey, early Oligocene.	Valid; see cordata.	Truncacila.
	(Wine		As cordata Dall, Trans. Wagner Free Inst. Sci., vol. 3, pt. 4, April, 1898, p. 573; fig. in pt. 5, 1900, pl. 40, fig. 4. Not cordata Goldfuss, 1838. New name by Hanna, Proc. Calif. Acad. Sci., 4 ser., vol. 13, no. 10, March 18, 1924, pp. 155-156.		No. 107401, U. S. Nat. Mus.	The state of the s	itease,, carry ongocone.		
36. nelsoni.	B. L. Clark.	1925	Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol. Sci., vol. 15, no. 4, January 5, 1925, p. 74, pl. 8, fig. 1.	Stanford University Paleo, Collection, Nos. 5202-5203.		Mouth of Duncan Creek, 3/4 mile west of Gettysburg, Washington.	Oligocene.	Unsettled.	Truncacila (?).
37. ornatissima.	d'Orbigny.	1844	Pal. Franç. Terr. Crét., vol. 3, 1844, p. 175, pl. cccii, figs. 9-12.	Unknown; probably Muséum National, Paris.		Southeastern England.	Cretaceous.	Synonym of bivirgata.	Truncacila.
38. packardi.	B. L. Clark.	1925	Univ. Calif. Publ. Bull. Dept. Geol. Sci., vol. 15, no. 4, January 5, 1925, pp. 75-76, pl. 8, figs. 8, 12.	Type No. 30297, Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo.	Calf. Acad. Sci.	Probably Newport, Oregon.	Oligocene or early Miocene.	Valid.	Truncacila.
39. paita.	Olsson.	1931	Bulls. Am. Paleo., vol. 17, no. 63, June, 1931, pp. 130-131, pl. 2, figs. 11, 13.	Olsson Collection.	No. 173, Schenck Coll. Nos. 5765, 5766, Stanford Univ. Paleo. Collection.	Pabo south of Lagunitas, Peru.	Late Oligocene.	Valid.	Truncacila.
40. picturata.	Yokoyama.	1890	Palaeontographica, vol. 36, March, 1890, pp. 161, 168, 194-195, pl. 25, figs. 1, 2, a, b.	Paleontol. Museum, Munich, Germany.	Schenck Coll., No. 582; No. 5767, Stanford Univ. Paleo. Collection.	Hokkaido, Japan.	Miocene.	Needs further study. Probably valid.	Truncacila (?).
41. piura.	Olsson.	1931	Bulls. Am. Paleo., vol. 17, no. 63, June, 1931, p. 131, pl. 2, figs. 9, 10, 14.	Olsson collection.	Schenck Coll., No. 174.	Pabo south of Lagunitas, Peru.	Late Oligocene.	Variety or synonym of paita.	Truncacila.
42. pugetensis.	B. L. Clark.	1925	Univ. Calif. Bull. Dept. Geol. Sci., vol. 15, no. 4, January 5, 1925, p. 75, pl. 8, fig. 4.	No. 5114, Stanford University Paleo. Collection.		Bean Point, Bainbridge Island, Washington.	Oligocene.	Unsettled.	Truncacila.
43. schomburgki.	Forbes.	1846	Schomburgk's «History of the Barbadoes », 1846, p. 565.	Lost ?	No. 115560, U. S. Nat. Museum.	Trinidad ?	Oligocene ?	Unsettled.	Truncacila (?).
44. semirostrata.	Grant and Gale.	1931	San Diego Soc. Nat. Hist., Mem. vol. 1, November 3, 1931, pp.113-115, text figs. 2 a-b, 3 a-b.	Holotype, No. 370, San Diego Soc. Nat. Hist.	Calif. Acad. Sci.	Santa Clara valley, near boundary between Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, Cali-			Acila s. s.
45. shumardi.	Dall.	1909	Trans. Wagner Free Inst. Sci., vol. 3, pt. 4, April, 1898, p. 573; fig. in vol. 3, pt. 5, December, 1900, pl. 40, figs. 1, 3, as	Type (No. 406505) and four paratypes Cat	Univ, Calif., Stanford Univ. Calif. 4 2	fornia.	00000	Volld	m
	lii.		fig. in vol. 3, pt. 5, December, 1900, pl. 40, figs. 1, 3, as decisa. Not decisa Conrad. See U. S. Geol. Survey Prof. Paper 59, April 2, 1909, p. 103.	No. 107402, U. S. Nat. Museum.	Diego Soc. Nat. Hist., British Museum, Acad. Nat. Sci. Philadelphia, etc.	rittsburg Bluff, Columbia County, Oregon.	Ongocene.	Valid.	Truncacila.
46. stillwaterensis.	Weaver and Palmer.	1922	Univ. Washington Publ. Geol., vol. 1, no. 3, June, 1922, p. 6, pl. 8, fig. 8.	Univ. Washington, Seattle, Washington.		One mile west of Vader, Washington.	Eocene.	Synonym of decisa.	Truncacila.
47. submirabilis.	Makiyama,	1926	Mem. Coll. Sci. Kyôto Imp. Univ., Ser. B, vol. 2, no. 3, 1926, pp. 151-152, pl. 12, fig. 9.	Geological Institute Kyôto Imp. Univ., Japan.		Vicinity of Meisen, North Kankyo-do, Korea.		Variety of divaricata.	Acila s. s.
48. truncata.	Gabb.	1864	Triassic and Cretaceous Fossils in Geol. Survey of California, Palaeontology, vol. 1, 1864, p. 198, pl. 26, figs. 184 a-b.	Lectotype (selected by Stewart) in Philadelphia		Pence's Ranch, Pentz, Butte County, Calif.	Oligocene).	Name changed to demessa.	Truncacila.
49. tuberculata.	Gabb.		Trans. Am Philos Soc n s vol 15 1972 n 257 757 h	Acad. Nat. Sci.					1
50 wakataan	P. F. Circ		(1922), p. 401, pl. 38, fig. 5.		The state of the s	Haiti.	Miocene.	Not an Acila.	
50. yakatagensis.	B. L. Clark.	1932	Bull. Geol. Soc. Am., vol. 43, no. 3, September 30, 1932, pp. 805-806, 836, 844, pl. 14, fig. 13.	No. 30393, Univ. Calif. Mus. Paleo.		Johnson Creek, Alaska.	Late Oligocene or Miocene.	Unsettled.	Truncacila (?).
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