

The following description of the larva was taken at the time.

Length half an inch ; body somewhat onisciform, distinctly annulated.

Head very small, black and shining, and drawn within the second segment when at rest.

Body above dull green with a velvety appearance, occasioned by the presence of many short, fine, whitish hairs and minute dots of a brownish color, neither of which were plainly visible without a magnifier. A dorsal stripe of a deeper shade of green margined with a faintly paler hue. Sides of body striped obliquely with lines of a slightly paler shade of green. A lateral cream-colored stripe close to under surface extending from the anterior portion of third segment backwards.

Under surface similar in color to upper, with a darker shade having a faintly bluish tinge along the middle ; feet and prolegs tipped with pale brown.

One specimen became a chrysalis on the 28th of July, and produced the imago on the 8th of August.

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### MISCELLANEOUS MEMORANDA.

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Larva of *Arzama obliquata* Grote.—Found April 23rd, under the bark of a dead maple about three feet from the ground, where it had made for itself an oval cavity in the dust.

Head small and black ; head and first four segments flattened above ; 1st segment black, edged with light brown and with a light brown dorsal stripe ; remaining segments dull olivaceous brown, slightly pubescent, and having the greasy appearance of an *Agrotis* larva. No dorsal stripe back of 1st segment ; 1st and 2nd segments project laterally over stigmata ; immediately below the stigmata on each side is a faint, narrow, brown stripe, below which the color is much lighter. Anal segment with a fleshy fold slightly resembling that of *Catocala crataegi*.

Length 2 inches. Diameter not taken, but is small in proportion.