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INTRODUCTION.

THE object of the present Catalogue has been to give a complete list of all the Lepidopterous Insects that have been recorded as found in Great Britain, indicating at the same time those species that are contained in the Collection, which, since the death of Mr. Stephens, has been enriched by the Cabinet of that Author, containing all the typical species described in his Works.

Great pains have been taken to ascertain every name, which has been applied to the respective species and their varieties, the author of the same, and the date of publication; the references to such names as are unaccompanied by descriptions being included in parentheses: all are arranged chronologically, excepting those to the illustrations and to the figures, which invariably follow their authorities. With these exceptions it has not been attempted to give the synonymy, from the impracticability of so doing, within moderate limits; they

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may be found quoted at length, up to the period of its publication, in Mr. Stephens' 'Systematic Catalogue of British Insects,' 8vo, 1829.

The species in the British Museum Collection are indicated by the letters B.M., annexed.

This Edition has been carefully revised, and brought up to the present state of the Science, by Messrs. H. T. Stainton and Edwin Shepherd, so well known for their attention to this part of British Entomology.

JOHN EDWARD GRAY.

British Museum,

May 1, 1856.

CATALOGUE

OF

BRITISH LEPIDOPTERA.

CLASS INSECTA HAUSTELLATA.

ORDER LEPIDOPTERA.

§ 1. RHOPALOCERA.

Rhopalocera, Boisdwal, L. 162, 1836.

Ropaloceres, Dum. C. 222, 1823.

Lep.—Diurna, Lat. G. iv. 186, 1809.

Family I. PAPILIONIDÆ.

Papilionidæ, Leach, E. E. ix. 127, 1815.

Sub-Family I. PAPILIONIDI.

Papilionidi, Step. MSS. Papilionidæ, Dup. C. 21, 1846.

Genus 1. PAPILIO.

Papilio Auctorum. Amaryssus, Dalm. P. S. 85, 1816, 1.

a. JASONIDES, Hüb. V. 83, 1816, 9.

1. Papilio Machaon. The Swallow-tailed.

B. M.

Papilio Machaon, Linn. S. Nat. i. 462, 1758. Step. H. i. 6, 1827. West. & H. B. t. 1, f. 1, 1840.

Papilio Reginæ, Retz. G. 30, 1783.

Var. a. Papilio Sphyrus, Hüb. Pa. t. 155, f. 775—6, 1822.
Var. b. Engram. Pap. d'Eur. ii. 273, t. 70, Sup. 16, f. 68, 1780.

Sub-F. II. RHODOCERIDI.

Rhodoceridi, Step. MSS. Rhodoceridæ, Dup. C. 26, 1846. Pierides, p., West. G. 87, 1839.

2. GONEPTERYX.

Gonepteryx, Loa. E. E. ix. 127, 1815. Ganoris, p., Dalm. P. S. 89, 1816, 1. Anteos, Hüb. V. 99, 1816, 9. Rhodocera, Bois. L. i. 597, 1836. Gonopteryx, Bois. (L. i. 598, 1836). Goniapteryx, West. G. 87, 1839.

1. GONEPTERYN RHAMNI. The Brimstone.

B. M.

Papilio Rhamni, Linn. S. Nat. i. 470, 1758. Lew. B. B. t. 31, f. 1-4, 1795.

Gonepteryx Rhamni, Step. H. i. 8, 1837. Papilio canicularis, Retz. G. 30, 1783.

Var. a. Gonepteryx Rhamui, Cur. B. E. iv. t. 173, 1827.

3. COLIAS.

Colias, Fab.—Ill. M. vi. 284, 1807. Eurymus, Swain. Z. I. 2, ser. fo. 60, 1832. Ganyra, Dalm. MSS.?

a. Coloris, Hit. V. 97, 1816.

1. COLIAS EDUSA. The Clouded Yellow.

B. M.

Papilio Edusa, Fab. M. ii. 23, 1787.
Colias Edusa, Step. H. i. 12, 1827.
Papilio croccus, var. a. Four. E. P. ii. 250, 1785.
Papilio Hyale, Don. B. I. ii. 17, t. 43, f. Sup. 1793, 3.
Papilio Electra, Lew. B. B. 68, t. 32, 1795.

Var. a. Papilio Helice, Hüb. Pa. 2, 87, f. 440. Papilio Edusa-alba, Haw. (Pr. 2, 1802).

Var. b. Colias Crysotheme, Step. H. i. 11, t. 2*, f. 1, 2, 1827. Var. c. Colias Myrmidone, West. & H. B. 130, t. 42, f. 1—3, 1841. § Colias Edusa, Wing.—Tr. Ent. S. v. 119, t. 14, f. 2, 1849.

b. XERENE, Hüb. V. 96, 1816.

2. Colias Hyale. The Pale Clouded Yellow.

B. M.

Papilio Hyale, Linn. S. Nat. i. 469, 1758.
 Colias Hyale, Step. II. i. 13, 1827. Cur. B. E. v. t. 242, 1829.
 Papilio Paleno, Esp. S. i. 68, t. 4, f. 2, 1777.

Sub-F. III. PIERIDI.

Pieridi, Step. MSS. Pieridæ, Dup. C. 23, 1846.

4. APORIA.

Aporia, Hüb. V. 90, 1816. Pieris, C. p.; Schr. F. B. ii. 1, 164, 1801. Pontia, p., Fab.—Ill. M. vi. 283, 1807. Leuconea, Donz.—Dup. C. 24, 1846.

1. APORIA CRATEGI. The Black-veined White.

B. M.

Papilio Cratægi, Linn. S. Nat. i. 467, 1758.
Pieris Cratægi, Step. H. i. 27, 1827. Cur. B. E. viii. t. 360, 1831.

Papilio nigrovenosus, Retz. G. 30, 1783.

5. PIERIS.

Pieris, C. p.; Schr. F. B. ii. 1, 164, 1801. Pontia, Fab.—Ill. M. vi. 283, 1807. Ganoris, p., Dalm. P. S. 86, 1816, 1. Catophaga, Hüb. V. 93, 1816, 9.

a. Pients.

PIERIS BRASSICE. The Great White Cabbage.
 Papilio Brassice, Linn. S. Nat. i. 467, 1758. Lew. B. B. 56, t. 25, f. 1-5, 1795.
 Pontia Brassice, Step. H. i. 15, 1827.