whitish spots, one below the other, and there are three more prominent white spots in the three lower interspaces. At the apex, nearer the base than these two whitish spots, are two more larger ones, representing the two tawny spots of the upper surface. The general ground colour is blackish, with tawny suffusions.

The markings of under side of hind wing are the same in location and limitation as on the upper surface. The general colouring, however, is much lighter. The white band of upper surface is repeated, showing no suffusion from surrounding areas. Nearer the base is a tawny band running from costa to anal angle. This band is edged with black. Nearer the base is a white band which runs from costa downwards along inner margin, edged with tawny black. The hind marginal area is brown, with a double row of interspacial white lines near the margin, and a band of tawny, edged with black on its basal side, extends from upper angle to anal angle, where it meets the tawny band first mentioned. At their junction they broaden somewhat into a bright tawny anal spot.

This species is in the same group as, and resembles closely, A. aethalia, Feld., and A. thesprotia, Feld.

Mesene Rochesteri, sp. nov.

Habitat : Suapure, Venezuela. Expanse, .90 inch.

Head black. Antennæ black, with minute white annulations at base of each joint. Club black, with orange tip. Thorax black above, with orange hairs; beneath grayish. Abdomen orange above, beneath grayish. Legs orange above, beneath grayish.

Upper side of fore wing orange. Hind margin, apical area and costa black. This black border is nearly one quarter inch broad, covering more than half the wing area.

Upper side of hind wing orange of same shade as fore wing. The hind margin has a broad black border, the same width as on fore wing. Costa and inner margin are orange.

Under side of fore wing the same as upper surface.

Under side of hind wing the same as upper surface, except that the black border contains two white spots, one near the anal angle, the other midway to upper angle.

Variations.—In the ten specimens in my collection, there is scarcely any variation in the width or density of the black border. In some specimens the fore wing has a white spot at the inner edge of the hind marginal black border midway from apex to lower angle. The two white