

wings same as upper, but lighter in colour, the spots of the fore wing faintly repeated.

Two ♀ specimens, Wellington, B. C., May 15, Rev. Geo. W. Taylor; Mt. Washington, N. H., Mrs. A. T. Slosson.

Types in Mrs. Slosson's and my collections.

Closest to *capitella*, Clerck (Europe), which differs in the inner dorsal spot extending entirely across the wing; the outer spots approach more closely together, and the apical spot is absent. This species belongs in group I of Dr. Dietz's revision, and can readily be separated from the two American species by the inner dorsal mark, which in both extends from dorsal to costal margin.

Named in honour of Rev. G. W. Taylor, to whom I am indebted for many interesting specimens.

*Amydria crescentella*, sp. nov.—Expanse, 16 to 18 mm.

Palpi, head, antennae and thorax very pale brown, dusted with dark brown, the latter predominant on external surfaces of palpi. Abdomen and legs pale cinereous, tarsi dusted with brown.

Fore wing creamy white, slightly dusted with brown scales; this light ground colour only occurs in a large triangular basal patch, extending to a quarter on costa and nearly to middle on dorsal margin. A curved oblique fascia from middle of costa to end of cell, a similar but narrower fascia from costa just before apex, curving inwardly towards but not reaching the middle fascia. These two fascias are so sharply defined against the dark brown of the balance of the wing that they appear as a crescent-shaped band, interrupted in the middle.

The balance of the wing is cinnamon-brown, dotted with darker brown. In some specimens the pale basal area is rather heavily dusted with brown inwardly, leaving only the margin of the pale colour, forming a narrow oblique fascia. On the costa, within the crescent, are two pale dashes separated by a dark dot, and outwardly bounded by dark brown, which also extends below them. Before the middle of fascia the costa is cream colour, marked by a number of brown dots. On the outer margin is a line of dark brown dots, separated by a few paler scales. Cilia same as dark portion of wing.

Hind wing light cinnamon-brown, under side of both wings the same. Five specimens, all Baboquivaria Mountains, Pima C., Arizona, July 15 to 30; two collected by Prof. F. H. Snow, three by Mr. O. C. Poling. Types, University of Kansas and in my collection.

(To be continued.)