

wants, and he was partly aware of my situation, but there being no schooner going west from the place at the time, he kindly sent me off in a schooner belonging to the Mission, in company with two Indian sailors, who brought me to Bersiamits. I was therefore compelled to leave Migan about the 20th of July, while I was searching for *Colias interior*, *Argynnis Boisduvali* and *Lycæna Scudderi*. The specimens collected on Anticosti were not with the destroyed collection—they are safe—and are all I can send my subscribers this year, but, if God spares me, it is my intention to return next May to collect the lost species, which can be obtained without going into the section of country occupied by these Indians.

As soon as I send off the material to my subscribers, I will write an article on the Entomology of Anticosti."

We deeply regret to hear of the severe loss Mr. Couper has thus sustained, and cannot but admire his perseverance in determining to revisit these northern districts next year to endeavor to replace his lost material. We sincerely hope he will be eminently successful. We also hope soon to be able to furnish our readers with the promised paper from Mr. Couper's pen.—ED. C. E.

LIBYTHEA MOTYA.—I captured on the 2nd of September, near Hoboken, N. J., a *Libythea motya* (Bois & Lec.) at least I presume it to be that species, that being the only one given to the U. S. in Kirby's new Catalogue. I should be glad to learn through the columns of the CANADIAN ENTOMOLOGIST in what portions of North America this butterfly has been found. The specimen captured by me is very close to *L. Myrrha* (Godt.) the habitat of which is the East Indies. It is, however, somewhat smaller.

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The insect described by Dr. Kirtland as *L. bachmanii* is probably a variety only of *L. motya* of B. & L. This has been taken in Ohio, and also at Hamilton, in Ontario. It has also been received by us from W. H. Edwards, Esq., of West Virginia.—ED. C. E.

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