CRAMBUS ANCEPS, n. s.

3 Q. Belongs to the group of fuscous species with the primaries crossed by two angulated dark lines. Narrow-winged; deep brownish fuscous; outer line followed by a faint narrow pale shading; inner line fused with a dark outer discal spot; lines irregular and rather broad, angulated on cell. Hind wings fuscous with fuscous fringes and traces of an extra mesial shade line. Head and thorax dark fuscous; legs paler; wings fuscous beneath. Expanse 18 mil. Sauzalito, Cal., Behrens, Oct. 6, two specimens.

CRAMBUS LACINIELLUS, n. s.

2. This species, of which I have examined large material, principally collected by Mr. Fish in Maine, is allied to fuscicostellus. larger, without the median gray shade, but shades gradually from the ochrey fuscous costal region to the paler and grayish internal region of the There is a very narrow bright line between two black hairlines at the base of the fringe. The wing is crossed by two broken rusty lines, the inner more oblique, both more or less faint and incomplete. The hind wings are very pale fuscous, paler than in fuscicostellus. Zeller has drawn my attention to the existence of allied species to fusticostellus, but not until recently could I satisfy myself as to what the latter species was. According to the description "spatio inter costam et venam medianum distincte canescente" and Prof. Zeller's recent determination of a specimen sent him under the letter "d," I now recognize his species from Texas and N. Y. It is smaller and deeper colored than laciniellus, the gray median striped shade extends over the middle of the wing, diffusely continued in some specimens to external margin. The outer of the two lines is broken into dots and the lines are narrower and deeper colored. The fringes are darker, shining fuscous, and I cannot see the double hair-The latter expands 26 to 29 mil. Mount Desert lines of laciniellus. (Grote); Orono (Fish). I have sent this species to Zeller under the Nos. 2 and 30.

CRAMBUS ATTENUATUS, n. s.

Fore wings narrow, dusty ochrey fuscous with an ill-defined median gray or whitish stripe extending outwardly diffusedly along the veins to external margin. This stripe is crossed at the middle of the wing by an oblique brown line, not always legible, the fragment of a mesial line. Exterior line very near the margin, only visible in a double, outwardly