

small *Microgaster* cocoons. Several which I found on the 8th of July constructed their cocoons July 12th and the perfect insects issued about July 25. (Determination of Dr. Horn.)

NEW SPECIES AND NOTES ON STRUCTURE OF MOTHS AND GENERA.

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CATOCALA COELEBS Gr.

The fore wings are *black* with a grayish white subterminal shade. A strongly marked variety of *Badia* with the fore wings *brown*, was mistaken for *Coelebs* by Mr. Strecker, and was the occasion of its reference to *Badia*. But a sight of many specimens leads me to believe that the true *C. Coelebs*, with black fore wings, grades into *Badia*, and is only to be regarded as a variety of it. But this could not have been predicated of the type. The two extremes are exceedingly distinct and different looking.

EXENTERELLA Grote.

I propose this generic term for *Exentera* Gr., preoccupied in Insecta. Now that we have Mr. Scudder's work on genera, there will be more certainty about generic names. I notice that *Rhododipsa* is not included in Mr. Scudder's list. In speaking of the omissions in my review of it, I did not intend that any idea of purposed favoritism should be conveyed by my words. I merely regretted that some authors should have been so fully and others so sparingly represented. Had the proof of my paper been sent to me, I think I should have changed the wording to a simple expression of this regret.

HEMILEUCA Walk.

Since examining the species carefully, as far as they are accessible, the following modification of my arrangement in the "New Check List," p. 20, is proposed: