Differs from *nitela* by its less purely olivaceous color, the absence of the t. p. line and inconspicuous costal dots. The thoracic tuft behind the collar is prominent.

## Lygranthoecia Meskeana Grote.

I learn that this species has been re-described under the name *Heliothis fastidiosa* Strecker.

## Xylomiges hiemalis Grote.

1 learn that this is the "Dryobota Californica Behr. MS.," too briefly described in Mr. Strecker's work for identification, and later than the above name in appearing. The eyes are hairy, not naked, as they should be were the insect a Dryobota.

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## Galgula subpartita Guen.

This species I have collected not uncommonly in Central Alabama. Mr. Belfrage has sent it from Texas, and Mr. Lintner from New York. It has also been sent from California by Mr. Hy. Edwards and Mr. James Behrens. From Illinois Mr. Thos. E. Bean has forwarded me a specimen authentically determined as "*Telesilla vesca* Morrison." This latter name is a synonym; the species of *Galgula* being also generically distinguishable from *Telesilla*.

## Hadena quaesita, n. s.

This is closely allied to *lignicolor*, but a darker colored species. The ornamentation is similar, the stigmata more distinct, the reniform smaller. The median lines are faint, and seem to occupy similar positions with those in lignicolor, but here the t. p. line is more flexuous, being a little bent between veins 2 and 3. The hind wings are blackish fuscous, paler at base, with faint median line, reflected discal spot and light yellowish fringes. Beneath darker than in lignicolor. In the new species the color is more blackish brown; over the terminal space the color is, as usual, deeper, relieving strongly the pale W-mark. On a close comparison, the t. a. line is seen to be less strongly produced on submedian fold than in lignicolor; the reniform is narrower supericrly, smaller, and less con-Else' the species might be considered at first sight as a very stricted. dark *lignicolor*, with the markings distinctly apparent. The orbicular is, pale and reduced, Expanse 45 mil. Racine, Wisc., Mr. O. Meske,

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