NOTES ON A COLLECTION OF CANADIAN MOTHS MADE
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The collection which forms the subject of this paper was kindly presented to the Ent. Soc. Ont. by Mr. D'Urban, and the specimens are kept for reference in the form in which they were given, because they were. determined by Mr. Walker, the labels all being in his handwriting and many of the insects being types of his species. Many of the species were collected in the valley of the River Rouge, and some of them are mentioned in two papers in the *Canadian Naturalist and Geologist*, vol. 5, pages 91–6, and vol. 6, pages 36–41.

"Pyralis n. sp. ?" v., 95. The specimen here described, is *Asopia devialis* Grote.

"Dasychira clandestina," vi., 36. This ♂ specimen seems to be a distinct species belonging to the genus *Gluphisia*.

"Audela acronyctoides," vi., 37. The species and genus in this instance appear to be good, and not otherwise known in collections. The specimen is in poor condition, but its ornamentation being marked, the species is quite recognizable ; there are no antennæ remaining. Mr. Walker gives them as "slightly pectinated, branches sub-clavate." The species is slenderer, but distantly recalls *Platycerura furcilla*.

"Bryophila ? spectans," vi., 38. Is *Microcœlia fragilis* of Gueneé.

"Microcœlia ? retardata," vi., 38. Is *Acronycta dissecta* G. & R.

"Cleora limitaria," vi., 39. The specimen so named approaches very closely to *Lobophora vernata* Packard.

Two new species of *Cleora* and five of *Boarmia* are then cited by name, without description. Good specimens labeled with these names are contained in the collection.

"Acidalia junctaria," vi., 39. The specimen so labeled seems to be *Corycia vestaliata* of Gueneè.

"Macaria ? subapiciaria," vi., 40. The specimen so labeled is a true *Macaria*, and is the same species as *Boarmia inordinaria* Walker, cited merely by name on the previous page.