

Provinces, in order from east to west, e.g., N.S., Ont., B.C., etc. The characteristic faunal zones inhabited by the species will be indicated, so far as it may be possible, by abbreviations; thus: Ar.-Arctic, H.-Hudsonian, C.-Canadian, T.-Transition, Au.-Austral. Where a species is known from a few localities only, the names of these will be given with the name of the captor in cases where the species recorded is of great rarity.

- (c). If the type locality of a species is Canadian it will be given, and the places where type specimens of Canadian species are deposited will also be given when possible.
- (d). The Latin name of the chief food plants will be given in the case of the Lepidoptera, Cecidomyiidae, Aphidae, Coccidae, Phytophagous Hymenoptera and Coleoptera. (Gray's New Manual of Botany will be used throughout for the names of the food plants).
- (e). In the case of parasitic species the name of the host or chief hosts will be given wherever known.
- 5. Recent important changes in synonymy will be noticed.
- 6. In the case of new and previously unpublished records the collector's name will be given in every case.
- 7. No species of which there is no trustworthy record or specimen available is to be included.
- 8. Fossil species will be included, and also introduced species, including greenhouse species but the fact that they have been introduced will be indicated in those cases in which the fact is known.

The work of preparing the catalogue will be divided among the members, approximately, as follows:

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These members will be responsible for the lists prepared by them, and such lists will be published under their names. In the preparation of such lists it will be necessary to seek the co-operation and assistance of other specialists and all such assistance will be fully acknowledged.

The division of the work in the different orders will be