

AN ANNOTATED LIST OF THE LYCAENIDAE
(LEPIDOPTERA: RHOPALOCERA) OF THE
WESTERN HEMISPHERE

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sternitzkyi Field, William D., *Lycaena dorcas* race *florus*

Type Locality: Broadwater County, Montana, July 30, 1930.

Location of Type: W. D. Field Collection, Lawrence, Kansas. (United States National Museum?)

Original Description: 1936, Jour. Ent. Zool. Pomona College, vol. 28, p. 26 (Claremont, Calif.).

Additional Reference: McDunnough, J. H., 1938, Check list, pt. 1, p. 26, no. 432 (Los Angeles, Calif.). (Places the name as *Lycaena helloides florus* form ♀ *sternitzkyi* Field.)

stictos Draudt, Max, *Thecla* (not Druce) Misspelling of *stiktos* Druce

Type Locality:

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1919 (December), The Macrolepidoptera of the World, vol. 5, p. 764, pl. 151-a (Stuttgart).

stigmatos Druce, Hamilton H., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Interior of Colombia.

Location of Type: Druce Collection (♂).

Original Description: 1890, Ent. Mo. Mag., Series 2, vol. 1, p. 152 (London).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 584, pl. 34, fig. 2 ♂ (London).

stiktos Druce, Hamilton H., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Interior of Colombia.

Location of Type: Druce Collection (♂).

Original Description: 1890, Ent. Mo. Mag., Series 2, vol. 1, p. 151 (London).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 584, pl. 34, fig. 1 ♂ (type) (London).

Synonyms: *stictos* Draudt.

stilbia Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality:

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1867, Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 107, vol. 2, pl. 39, fig. 127 ♂ (London).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 603 (London). (Says that specimens from Espiritu Santo, Brazil agree with the type in the British Museum.)

strenua Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Brazil.

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1877 (January), Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 207, pl. 82, figs. 689, 690 ♀ (London).

strephon Fabricius, Johann Christian, *Papilio*

Type Locality: "In India Orientali."

Location of Type: Banksian Collection, British Museum.

Original Description: 1775, Systema Entomologiae, p. 522 (Flensburgi).

Additional References: Butler, A. G., 1869, Catalogue of Diurnal Lepidoptera Described by Fabricius in the Collection of the British Museum, p. 186 (London). Lathy, P. I., 1926, Ann. Mag. Nat. Hist., Series 9, vol. 17, p. 44 (London).

Synonyms: *sicheus* Cramer, *sichaeus* Kirby syn.

Subspecies: *occidentalis* Lathy.

striata Edwards, William H., *Lycaena*

Type Locality: San Antonio, Texas.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1877 (November), Field and Forest, vol. 3, p. 88 (Washington, D. C.).

Additional Reference: Comstock, W. P. and E. I. Huntington, 1943 (December), Ann. New York Acad. Sci., vol. 45, p. 90 (New York). (Make *striata* a subspecies of *cassius* Cramer.)

strigosa Harris, Thaddeus William, *Thecla*

Type Locality: Blue Hill, Massachusetts, August 1.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1862 (February), in Morris, Synopsis of the Lepidoptera of North America, Smithsonian Misc. Coll., p. 101 (Washington, D. C.).

Additional References: Harris, T. W., 1862, A Treatise on some of the insects of New England which are injurious to vegetation (Flint Edition), p. 276 (Boston, Mass.). Michener, C. D. and C. F. dos Passos, 1942 (November), Amer. Mus. Novitates, no. 1210, p. 3, (New York, N. Y.).

Synonyms: *pruina* Scudder.

Subspecies: *aliparops* Michener and dos Passos, *fletcheri* Michener and dos Passos, *liparops* Fletcher syn.

strophius Godart, Jean B., *Polyommatus*

Type Locality: Brazil.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1821, Encyclopédie Méthodique, vol. 9, p. 632 (Paris).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 568 (London). (Did not recognize the species.)

suada Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality; Bolivia.

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1877 (January), Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 207, vol. 2, pl. 82, figs. 691, 692 ♂ (London). (Hewitson makes *suada* a synonym of *ceromia* Hewitson which we believe to be incorrect.)

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 264 (London). (Accepts Hewitson's synonymy and says "the types are more alike than his figures.")

suasa Boisduval, Jean A., *Lycaena*

Type Locality: Mountains of eastern California.

Location of Type: United States National Museum?

Original Description: 1869, Ann. Soc. Ent. Belgique, vol. 12, p. 51 (Bruxelles).

Additional Reference: Oberthür, Charles, 1913 (October), Etudes de Lepidopterologie Comparée, fasc. 9, pt. 1, p. 43, p. 240, fig. 2080 ♂ (Rennes).

Note: *Suasa* is considered to be a synonym of *fuliginosa* Edwards.

subarcticus Chermock, F. H., *Plebeius scudderi*

Type Locality: Fairchild Point, Great Slave Lake, N. W. T., Canada, July 22, 1927.

Location of Type: Author's Collection.

Original Description: 1944 (November), Can. Ent., vol. 76, p. 213 (Guelph, Ont.).

subfloreus Schaus, William, *Thecla*

Type Locality: Poas, Costa Rica.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1913 (September), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 353, pl. 52, fig. 9 ♂ (London).

sublivens Nabokov, V., *Lycaeides argyrognomon*

Type Locality: Telluride, San Miguel Mountains, S. W. Colorado, 10,000-12,000 ft., July 28-30, 1902.

Location of Type: Museum of Comparative Zoology.

Original Description: 1949 (February), Bull. Mus. Comp. Zool., vol. 101, no. 4, p. 513, pl. 1, fig. 27, pl. 5, fig. 65 (Cambridge, Mass.).



Comstock, William Phillips, d. 1956. and Huntington, Edgar Irving. 1963. "An Annotated List of the Lycaenidae (Lepidoptera: Rhopalocera) of the Western Hemisphere." *Journal of the New York Entomological Society* 71, 262–264.

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