

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

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(CONTINUED)

*subobscura* Lathy, Percy I., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Dominica, B. W. I.

Location of Type: H. J. Adams Collection (1 ♀).

Original Description: 1904, Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 452 (London).

Additional References: Druce, H. H., 1909 (September), Trans. Ent. Soc. London, p. 434 (London). (Makes *subobscura* a synonym of *piplea* Godman and Salvin.) Draudt, Max, 1920, The Macrolepidoptera of the World, vol. 5, p. 780 (Stuttgart). (Makes *subobscura* a synonym of *piplea* Godman and Salvin.) Comstock, W. P. and E. I. Huntington, 1943 (December), Ann. New York Acad. Sci., vol. 45, p. 62 (New York).

*subtusjuncta* Tutt, J. W., *Celastrina argiolus* ab.

Type Locality: Wollaston, Massachusetts, May 10.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1908, Nat. Hist. Brit. Lepid., vol. 9, p. 414 (London).

Additional Reference: McDunnough, J. H., 1938, Check list, pt. 1, p. 29, no. 475 (Los Angeles, Calif.). (Places *subtusjuncta* as an aberration of *peudargiolus* Boisduval and Le Conte.)

*suda* Draudt, Max, *Thecla*

Type Locality: Río Songo, Bolivia.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1920 (February), The Macrolepidoptera of the World, vol. 5, p. 796, pl. 158-b (Stuttgart).

*suffusa* Dean, F. Roy, *Feniseca tarquinius* var.

Type Locality: Meramac Highlands, Missouri.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1918 (August), Lepidoptera, vol. 2, p. 60 (Forest Hills, Mass.).

Additional Reference: McDunnough, J. H., 1938, Check list, pt. 1, p. 25, no. 419 (Los Angeles, Calif.). (Places *suffusa* as an aberration of *tarquinius* Fabricius.)

*sumptuosa* Druce, Hamilton H., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Espiritu Santo, Brazil.

Location of Type: Druce Collection.

Original Description: 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 571, pl. 31, fig. 3 ♂ (London).

Note: A new name for *Thecla gabriela* Hewitson (not Cramer); 1869 (April), Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 72, vol. 2, pl. 27, fig. 7 (London).

*superbus* Röber, J., *Eumaeus minyas*

Type Locality: Bolivia.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1926, Ent. Mitt., vol. 15, p. 372 (Berlin),

*suttoni* Holland, William J., *Lycaena aquilo*

Type Locality: Southampton Island, Hudson Bay, Canada.

Location of Type: Carnegie Museum, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Original Description: 1931, The Butterfly Book, Revised Edition, p. 269, pl. 68, figs. 7-9 (Garden City, N. Y.).

Additional Reference: McDunnough, J. H., 1938, Check list, pt. 1, p. 27, no. 452 (Los Angeles, Calif.). (Places *suttoni* as a synonym of *aquilo* Boisduval.)

*sweadneri* Chermock, F. H., *Mitoura*

Type Locality: St. Augustine, Florida, June, 1940.

Location of Type: Author's Collection.

Original Description: 1944 (November), Can. Ent., vol. 76, p. 216 (Guelph, Ont.).

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

Type Locality: Uranus Peak, Shoshone County, Idaho, elevation 5200 ft., July 23, 1932.

Location of Type: Author's Collection.

Original Description: 1944 (November), Can. Ent., vol. 76, p. 214 (Guelph, Ont.).

*swetti* Watson, Frank E. and William P. Comstock, *Strymon acadica souhegan* ab.

Type Locality: Stony Clove, Greene County, New York, alt. 1500-2000 ft., July 10, 1911.

Location of Type: American Museum of Natural History.

Original Description: 1920 (December), Bull. Amer. Mus. Nat. Hist., vol. 42, art. 10, p. 450 (New York, N. Y.).

*sybilla* Draudt, Max, *Scolitantides* (not Kirby) Misspelling of *sibylla* Kirby

Type Locality:

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1921 (January), The Macrolepidoptera of the World, vol. 5, p. 822 (Stuttgart).

*sycena* Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Brazil.

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1874 (December), Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 176, vol. 2, pl. 69, figs. 512 ♂, 510, 511 ♀ (London).

*syedra* Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Amazon.

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1867, Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 108, vol. 2, pl. 39, figs. 128, 129 ♂, pl. 41, fig. 145 ♂ (London).

Note: Figure 145 is probably a different species.

*sylea* Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Amazon (Pará).

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1867, Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 99, vol. 2, pl. 39, figs. 118, 119 ♂ (London).

*syllis* Godman, F. D. and O. Salvin, *Thecla*

Type Locality: San Gerónimo, Guatemala.

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1887 (September), Biologia Centrali-Americana, Insecta, Lepidoptera-Rhopalocera, vol. 2, p. 92, vol. 3, pl. 58, figs. 6, 7 ♂ (London).

*sylphis* Draudt, Max, *Scolitantides*

Type Locality: Cuzco, Peru.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1921 (January), The Macrolepidoptera of the World, vol. 5, p. 823, pl. 144-n (Stuttgart).

*sylvinus* Boisduval, Jean A., *Thecla*

Type Locality: California.

Location of Type: United States National Museum?

Original Description: 1852, Ann. Soc. Ent. France, p. 287 (Paris).

Additional Reference: Oberthür, Charles, 1913 (October), Etudes de Lepidopterologie Comparée, fasc. 9, pt. 1, p. 40, pl. 235, fig., 1920 (Rennes).

Subspecies: *desertorum* Grinnell, *putnami* Edwards.

*syncellus* Cramer, Pierre, *Papilio*

Type Locality: Surinam.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1780, Papillons exotiques des trois parties du monde, vol. 4, p. 86, pl. 334, figs. A, B (Amsterdam).

Additional References: Hewitson, W. C., 1869 (April), Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 109, vol. 2, pl. 46, figs. 207, 208 ♂; 1874 (December), *op. cit.*, vol. 1, p. 183, vol. 2, pl. 72, figs. 553 ♂, 554 ♀ (London).

Synonyms: *bitias* Cramer.

Subspecies: *sierrae* Dyar, *deserta* Draudt syn.

*syvix* Dyar, Harrison G., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Presidio, Mexico, December, 1913.

Location of Type: United States National Museum, no. 19,253.

Original Description: 1917, Proc. U. S. Natl. Mus., vol. 51, p. 3 (Washington, D. C.).

Additional Reference: Schaus, William, 1920, Ent. News, vol. 31, p. 176 (Philadelphia, Pa.). (Makes *syvix* Dyar a synonym of *cambes* Godman and Salvin.)



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