













24. *ECTROPIS BISTORTATA*, Goeze.

*Phalaena Geometra bistortata*, Goeze, Ent. Beytr., III (3), 438 (1781).

Enzeli, Gilan, N. W. Persia, sea level, 1 ♀, 30th June 1919 (P. A. B.).

Apparently not very different from our western forms. The range of these widely-distributed species in the Orient is not yet well ascertained, but Staudinger records it (presumably) under the erroneous name of *crepuscularia* from Armenia.

25. *GNOPHARMIA COLCHIDARIA*, Led.

*Gnophos colchidaria*, Led., Ann. Soc. Ent. Belg. XIV., 39, 48 (1870).

Menjil, N. W. Persia, semi-desert hills, 2,000 feet, 2 ♂♂, 26th and 28th March; 4 ♀♀, 26th, 28th and 29th March and 7th April 1919 (P. A. B.).

New for Persia but described from Transcaucasia. Unfortunately I have little material for comparison and the genus needs further study as regards geographical variation. The form before me is darkish, with the contrasts of ground colour and bordering beneath not extremely pronounced.

26. *GNOPHARMIA COLCHIDARIA OBJECTARIA*, Stgr. (?) (sp. div. ?)

*Gnopharmia colchidaria* var. *objectaria*, Stgr., Iris V., 183 (1892).

Qazvin, N. W. Persia, 4,000 feet, 1 ♂, 27th August 1919.

Lighter and more variegated with reddish than the foregoing, the contrasts of the undersurface extreme. The latter distinction is probably more weighty than the former, as the response of the upperside to the immediate environment is such a marked feature in the *Gnophos* group.

27. *ZAMACRA FLABELLARIA*, Heeger.

*Amphidasis flabellaria*, Heeger, Beitr. Schmett., p 6, f. 6-11 (1838).

Mirjana, near Kizil Robot, Dyala River, 10 ♂♂, 6 ♀♀, 7th January 1919 (H. D. P.)

More variegated with white than my examples from Syria and on the whole rather large.







