

CONTINENTAL NEUROPTERA, &c., TAKEN BY DR.
T. A. CHAPMAN IN 1909 AND 1910.

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From time to time Dr. Chapman has been good enough to hand over to me a few neuropterous and other insects which he has obtained on his Continental trips. A list of those taken in 1909 and 1910 is here given. Species that are not British are marked with an asterisk. Mr. K. J. Morton has been good enough to assist me in naming them, and those insects in which he is more immediately interested are now in his cabinet.

AMELIE-LES-BAINS, APRIL 6TH-21ST, 1909, AND VERNET-LES-BAINS,
APRIL 24TH TO MAY 9TH, 1909.

Plecoptera.

**Taniopteryx seticornis*. Vernet.

Nemoura of the group of *marginata* apparently; one each from Amelie and Vernet respectively; both, unfortunately, were females.

Neuroptera.

Hemerobius subnebulosus. Amelie.

Chrysopa aspersa. Vernet.

**Panorpa meridionalis*. Vernet.

Trichoptera.

Hydropsyche pellucidula. Amelie and Bagnial-sur-Mer.

Philopotamus montanus. Amelie and Vernet.

**Rhyacophila persimilis*. Amelie.

**Rhyacophila tristis*. Vernet.

SOUTH OF FRANCE AT VAL D'HERENS, &c. JULY AND AUGUST, 1909.

Plecoptera. Val d'Herens: July 10th-30th.

**Dictyoptyeryx alpina*.

**Dictyoptyeryx intricata*.

**Taniopteryx neglecta*.

**Nemoura sinuata*, and probably another species of the same genus, but all are females.

Leuctra inermis.

Ephemeroptera.

**Ecdyurus helveticus*. One male, one female, Val d'Herens: July 10th-30th.

Neuroptera. Val d'Herens: July 10th-30th.

**Raphidia flavipes*. Four females.

Micromus paganus. One.

**Megalomus tortricoides*. Seven.

Chrysopa perla. Three.

Panorpa germanica. Three males.

**Panorpa alpina*. One female.

Trichoptera.

- **Drusus discolor*
 **Drusus chrysotus*
 **Drusus alpinus*
 **Drusus muelleri*
 **Drusus melanchætes* } Val d'Herens : July 10th-30th.
- **Cryptothrix nebulicola*. Trelechant, Col de Montets : August 6th.
 **Potamorites biguttatus*. Val d'Herens : July 10th-30th.
 **Sericostoma pedemontanum*. One from Trelechant : August 6th.
 Four from Val d'Herens : July 10th-30th.
Plectrocnemia conspersa. One from Trelechant : August 6th.
 One from Val d'Herens : July 10th-30th.
 **Rhyacophila vulgaris*. Val d'Herens : July 10th-30th.

HYERES, ST. MAXIME, BINN, AND HOSPENTHAL, APRIL TO JULY, 1910.

Plecoptera.

Nemoura mortoni. Three females, Hospenthal : July 12th-31st.

Odonata.

Brachytron pratense. One female, Hyères : April 5th-20th.
Pyrrhosoma nymphula. One male, one female, St. Maxime : April 29th-May 11th.

Neuroptera.

Sialis lutaria. Two, Hospenthal : July 12th-31st.
Raphidia notata. One male, Binn : June 20th-30th.
Chrysopa vulgaris. One, St. Maxime : April 29th-May 11th.

Trichoptera.

- **Acrophylax zerberus*. A female, Binn : June 20th-30th.
 **Drusus alpinus*. Three females, Binn : June 20th-30th.
 **Drusus nigrescens*. A male and a female, Binn : June 20th-30th.
 A male, Hospenthal : July 12th-31st.
 **Drusus melanchætes*. Two males and two females, Hospenthal :
 July 12th-31st.
 **Lithax niger*. Seven, one of small size, Hospenthal : July 12th-
 31st (six of them marked "Gotthard").
 **Potamorites biguttatus*. Two males, Hospenthal : July 12th-31st.
 **Rhyacophila vulgaris*. A male, Binn : June 20th-30th. [There
 was also a **Sericostoma* female (probably *galcatum*) from
 Le Canadel.]

Kingston-on-Thames : February, 1911.

ABERRATION OF *ACRONYCTA RUMICIS* AND *A. ALNI*.

BY RICHARD SOUTH.

HERR M. GILLMER (Ent. Rec. xix. p. 91) describes an aberration of *Acronycta rumicis* as follows:—"It has the basal and marginal areas of the fore wings black, the middle area scarcely darker brownish-grey than in typical specimens; the outer, light, transverse lines obsolete (or suppressed), only the white mark