

and Guiana in the east to the State of Panama, whence we have seen two specimens, one in our own collection which we figure, and one in that of Dr. Staudinger, both from the neighbourhood of Chiriqui. The figure of the male is taken from the only example of that sex we have seen; it is in the British Museum, and was captured by Buckley in Ecuador; the type (now in our possession) and all the others we have examined are females.

**37. *Thecla petelina*.** (Tab. LI. figg. 11, 12 ♀.)

*Thecla petelina*, Hew. Ill. Diurn. Lep. p. 199, t. 79. ff. 643, 644<sup>1</sup>.

Alis fuscis, anticis dimidio basali costam haud occupante et posticis ad marginem internum laete cæruleis: subtus saturate fuscis, anticis lineis tribus transversis albis, duabus submarginalibus ad apicem confluentibus, tertia discali arcuata, lineola alba ad cellulæ finem; posticis lineolis et maculis albis irregulariter notatis, macula supra lobulum analem, altera inter ramos medianos et atomis quibusdam inter eas ochraceis.

*Hab.* COSTA RICA (*Van Patten*); PANAMA, Chiriqui (*Ribbe*<sup>1</sup>, *Trotsch*).

We have three female specimens of this species before us—two from Chiriqui, lent us by Dr. Staudinger, one of them being the type of the species; the third is from Costa Rica and is now figured.

Without the male we cannot be sure of the position of this species; but it has some resemblance to *T. cadmus*, and we therefore place it here.

3. No alar stigma; apex of primaries acute; wings beneath rufous, crossed by three nearly straight white lines. (Species 38, 39.)

**38. *Thecla furina*, sp. n.** (Tab. LI. figg. 13, 14 ♂.)

♂ alis nitide cyaneis, marginibus externis late nigricantibus; posticis lineola ad angulum analem sinuosa submarginali ad angulum analem: subtus saturate castaneis, lineolis tribus transversis communibus, in posticis valde refractis albicantibus, lineola submarginali posticarum ad angulum analem ejusdem coloris.

♀ mari similis, sed colore cyaneo multo pallidiore.

*Hab.* MEXICO; GUATEMALA, Quiche Mountains (*Champion*).

This species and the next are allied to *T. ægiades* of Felder; but *T. furina* differs in having a much wider dark border in the male. We have only two specimens—a female said to be from South Mexico, but without precise locality, and a male captured by Mr. Champion in the mountains between Quiche and Totonicapam, at an elevation of between 7000 and 9000 feet above the sea; the latter is figured.

**39. *Thecla cyda*, sp. n.** (Tab. LI. figg. 15, 16 ♀.)

*Mithras ægiades*, Butl. & Druce, P. Z. S. 1874, p. 356<sup>1</sup> (nec Felder).

♂ *T. furinæ* similis, sed colore cyaneo magis nitido marginibus alarum quoque nigricantibus multo latioribus.

♀ mari similis.

*Hab.* COSTA RICA (*Van Patten*<sup>1</sup>), Irazu, Rio Sucio, Cache (*Rogers*).

We have a series of specimens of this species from Costa Rica, including three males