

Bor-Am. 106 sp. 5719-38 (1891); Rtti-Splr. Lp-Fn. Baden 256-7 (1898); *etc.*; Wlsm. & Drnt. Ent. Mo. Mag. 45 173-4 (1909).

Type 2: *Tinea conturbatella* Hb. (HS. 1853).

MOMPHA (Hb.) HS. SB. Schm. Eur. 5 12, 46 no. 75 Pf. 13 4-6 (1853), 208-10 sp. 586-93 (1854); Meyr. HB. Br. Lp. 640, 678-82 tf. 679 (1895); Stgr-Rbl. Cat. Lp. Pal. 2 186-7 sp. 3576-91 (1901); Dyar Bull. US. Nat. Mus. 52 541-3 sp. 6148-68 (1902).

Type 3: *Wilsonia brevivittella* Clms. (Clms. 1864).

WILSONIA Clms. Pr. Ent. Soc. Phil. 2 428-9 (1864); Clms-Stn. Tin. N-Am. 253-4 (1872); Chmb. Bull. US. GG. Surv. 4 166 (1878); Busck Pr. Ent. Soc. Wash. 5 218 (1903).

Laverna Crt. is here used for species with *Hindwings* 8 veins, all separate: *Forewings* 12 veins, 7 and 8 stalked, 7 to costa, rest separate: *Antennae*, basicerite with well-developed pecten.

1. *Laverna farinacea*, sp. n.

Antennae mealy grey, annulate with fuscous. *Palpi* mealy grey, the median joint somewhat expanded at the apex; terminal joint about as long as the median, with three fuscous annulations. *Head* and *Thorax* mealy greyish; face whiter. *Forewings* mealy grey, with transverse reddish cupreous bands in which are some slightly raised black scales; the first band, commencing close to the base of the costa, has its inner edge marked by black scales, and runs obliquely outward to the dorsum, its outer side dilated on the cell and ill-defined; the second, parallel with it, terminates in a spot of raised scales on the dorsum, its outer side ill-defined and nearly coalescing with a small triangular costal patch of the same colour beyond the middle; a third band, almost parallel with the termen, runs inward to the dorsum from the costal cilia, and is interrupted by a minute black streak beyond the end of the cell; a dark line follows the margin around the apex and termen, giving an angular appearance to the wing, and two slender dark lines run through the mealy terminal cilia; the dorsal cilia inclining to cupreous. *Exp. al.* 9 mm. *Hindwings* and cilia pale greyish cupreous. *Abdomen* cinereous. *Legs* whitish cinereous, the tibiae and tarsi banded externally with blackish.

Type ♀ (66043); ♂ (66042) Mus. Wlsm. (*Godm-Salv. Coll.*). [PTT. (66044-5) US. Nat. Mus.]

Hab. MEXICO: GUERRERO: Amula, 6000 ft., VIII. (*H. H. Smith*). Five specimens.

2. *Laverna obsessa*, sp. n. (Tab. I. fig. 16.)

Antennae ($\frac{2}{3}$) simple; fuscous. *Palpi* evenly recurved, slender; pale cinereous, the terminal joint as long as the median, with a fuscous spot beneath, its apex also fuscous; median joint fuscous externally nearly to its apex. *Head* bronzy fuscous. *Thorax* bronzy fuscous anteriorly; posteriorly pale brassy yellowish. *Forewings* narrow, elongate; shining, brassy brownish, with a dark purplish grey patch on the costa, from the middle to the commencement of the cilia, containing at its lower edge a bright reddish cupreous spot in which are some slightly raised scales, a similar spot lying near the end of the fold below and before it; there is also a reddish cupreous patch, near the base of the costa, reaching to the fold and somewhat produced outward; the apex and termen are much shaded with dark fuscous, an inverted pale brassy yellowish streak separating the apical from the costal shade and running to the dorsum at the outer end of the fold. *Exp. al.* 9 mm. *Hindwings* and cilia pale bronzy fuscous. *Abdomen* and *Legs* (missing).

Type ♂ (66040) Mus. Wlsm. (*Godm-Salv. Coll.*).

Hab. MEXICO: GUERRERO: Amula, 6000 ft., VIII. (*H. H. Smith*). Unique.