

(1854)⁸. *Gelechia cerealella* Stn. List Br. An. BM. XVI. Lp. 3 83 no. 85 (1854)⁹. *Sitotroga cerealella* Hnmn. Schm. Deutsch. Tin. 287 no. 426 (1870)¹⁰. *Gelechia melanarthra* Lwr. Pr. Lin. Soc. NSW. 25 416-7 (1900)¹¹. *Sitotroga cerealella* Stgr-Rbl. Cat. Lp. Pal. 2 157 sp. 2902 (1901)¹²; Busck Bull. US. Nat. Mus. 52 496 sp. 5552 (1902)¹³; Pr. US. Nat. Mus. 25 782 Pf. 28·3 (1903)¹⁴; Meyr. Pr. Lin. Soc. NSW. 29 286 sp. 50 (1904)¹⁵; Jr. Bomb. NH. Soc. 16 591 (1905)¹⁶; Wlsm. Pr. Z. Soc. Lond. 1907 928 sp. 22 (1908)¹⁷; etc.

Hab. EUROPE^(1-10, 12-15, 17). ASIA⁽¹⁶⁻¹⁷⁾. AUSTRALIA^(11, 15, 17). AFRICA—CAPE COLONY: TRANSKEI: Umtala, 1890 (*F. Barrett*, 9401)—MASHONALAND: Salisbury, 22-7. I. 1895 (*R. Coryndon*, 6225)—CANARIES^(12, 17)—MADEIRAS^(12, 17). AMERICA, N-C. North America^(6, 12-15, 17). Central America—MEXICO: VERA CRUZ: Cordova, XII. 1907 (*F. Knab*): GUERRERO: Amula, 6000 ft., VIII. (*H. H. Smith*): DURANGO: Ciudad, 8100 ft. (*Forrer*): OAXACA: Salina Cruz (*W. Schaus*)—⊕ stored grain, maize, wheat, rice, etc.

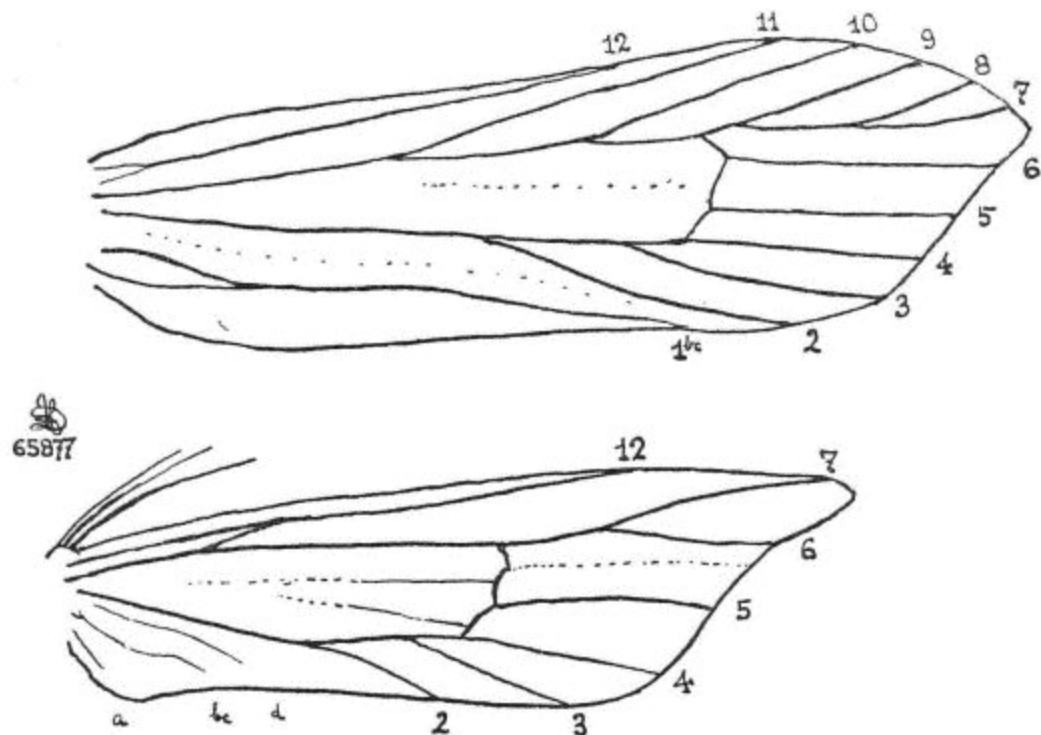
CATALEXIS, gen. n.

(κατάλεξις = a choosing.)

Type: *Catalexis tapinota* Wlsm. (Tab. I. fig. 18.)



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5. *Catalexis tapinota* Wlsm. ♀.

Antennae (—1), slightly serrate; basal joint without pecten. *Labial Palpi* recurved, terminal joint shorter than median; median joint without brush-like scales beneath. *Maxillary Palpi* rudimentary. *Haustellum* present. *Head* and *Thorax* smooth. *Forewings*, costa straight, or slightly depressed beyond middle, apex obtusely depressed, termen oblique, dorsum nearly parallel with costa, but slightly narrowing towards base: *neuration* 12 veins; 7 and 8 stalked, 7 to costa; 9 out of stalk of 7 + 8; 2-6 separate. *Hindwings* 1, costa straight, apex acuminate, scarcely depressed, termen very slightly sinuate, oblique, tornus pronounced, dorsum very slightly rounded, almost parallel with costa: *neuration* 8 veins; 5 cubital, 2-5 remote; 6 and 7 stalked. *Abdomen* normal. *Legs* smooth.

Perhaps allied to *Logisis* Wlsm., but differing in the form of the palpi, and in the stalking of HW: 6-7. It differs from *Brachmia* Hb. in FW: 2-3 and HW: 3-4 being separate, not stalked; from *Acanthophila* Hnmn. in FW: 7-8 not being coincident; and from *Stomopteryx* Hnmn. in having FW: 9 out of stalk of 7 + 8.