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A REVIEW OF EUGENE LE MOULT'S NAMES OF HELICOPIS

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Vane-Wright (1974) discussed the names proposed by E. Le Moult for butterflies in the genus *Prepona* Boisduval (Nymphalidae), and in like manner, we propose to discuss the names created by the same author for the riodinids of the genus *Helicopis* Fabricius. Unlike the *Prepona* revision, Le Moult's "Revision du genre Helicopis..." was substantially completed, and very few manuscript types have been found. There is one such putative "holotype" of a Le Moult *Helicopis* name in the Allyn Museum collection for which no description has been found; perhaps other such specimens exist in other collections, but we are not aware of them.

It cannot be denied that Le Moult was a tireless worker, no matter what may be said about his scientific objectivity or his ethics as a dealer of entomological materials. He was certainly a "splitter" of taxa in the tradition of many European *Parnassius* or *Zygaena* workers, perhaps because he was a dealer and "types" commanded a much

higher price than did other, more ordinary specimens.

The genus *Helicopis* was perfect subject for Le Moult's predilection for splitting. The pattern of these butterflies is complicated and minor (and not so minor) variants are common in any population. Therefore, the gathering of long series of these insects invariably will give a significant number of specimens that vary more or less impressively from what is perceived as "normal". It was for these variations that Le Moult assiduously searched for, found and described in his publications (Le Moult, 1939; 1940); the names he proposed are those discussed herein.

After his death, Le Moult's collection was sold in lots at auction in Paris during February, 1968. The senior author, acting as agent for the Allyn Museum of Entomology, attempted to purchase all of the *Helicopis* offered. In this he was mostly suc-

cessful, a few lots going to other bidders (generally lots containing types of aberrations or forms, rather than of available names). Accordingly, the Allyn Museum collection now contains 147 Le Moult *Helicopis* holotypes and many allotypes and paratypes. Le Moult's revision was also based in part on material from the collections of the Muséum national d'Histoire naturelle, Paris, the Musée Royal d'Histoire naturelle de Belgique, Brussels, and the private collection of Madame Fournier de Horrack (now included in the Muséum national d'Histoire naturelle). The Muséum national d'Histoire naturelle contains 12 Le Moult holotypes, several allotypes and many paratypes. The remaining 23 holotypes apparently were sold at auction to other buyers and their whereabouts is now unknown.

That the 182 names proposed by Le Moult in *Helicopis* is extreme may be appreciated by the fact that most classifications of the genus more or less follow that adopted by Seitz (1916: 633-634). That author recognized three species; e. g., cupido (Linnaeus) selene C. and R. Felder (as endymion (Cramer), nec. Fabricius, and gnidus (Fabricius) (as acis (Fabricius), nec. Drury). Seitz further recognized one additional subspecies each in cupido and endymion (=selene). Other authors have accepted a few other subspecies, but in no case other than Le Moult's does the total number of nomenclatorially valid taxa exceed a dozen or so! Le Moult's characters for separating the taxa were based on the maculation of the wings; depending on the group, the forewing or the hindwing (seldom both) was used, and their variations were faithfully described and named as new. The genitalia were not employed, characteristics of which would have served only to group "taxa" into what Le Moult considered "species groups" (corresponding to presently recognized species). Only 40 of the 182 names proposed by Le Moult are available for the species-group, the remainder being infrasubspecific.

Type specimens were labelled in all instances and identified as to their status. A few inconsistencies have been found between Le Moult's series and the specimens mentioned in the original descriptions. In all cases, these inconsistencies are mentioned in the text here given, as well as instances where Le Moult has mentioned the wrong sexes of specimens. Whether these inconsistencies arose through error, or whether Le Moult added specimens at a later date is not known and perhaps never will be at this late date.

The names are listed alphabetically for the *Helicopis* described by Le Moult (in all cases they were originally described in *Helicopis*) (1939; 1940). Names available in the species - group are given in **bold face** type, whereas unavailable, infrasubspecific names are given in *italics*. The disposition of type specimens, where known, is given along with the locality data for the specimens. Finally, a preliminary assignment of each of the Le Moult taxa is given.

Repositories of the Le Moult *Helicopis* specimens are abbreviated as follows: **AME** = Allyn Museum of Entomology, of the Florida State Museum, Sarasota, Florida, U.S.A.; **MNHN** = Muséum national d'Histoire naturelle, Paris, France (including the collection of Mme Fournier de Horrack); **MRHN** = Musée Royal d'Histoire naturelle de Belgique, Brussels, Belgium.

Type specimens are abbreviated as follows: HT = holotype; AT = allotype and PT(s) = paratype(s).

ALPHABETICAL LISTING OF TAXA

aboti Le Moult, 1940: 125 (as \circ f. of H. a. agardi). Whereabouts of HT \circ not known; described from a single specimen from Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, in Le Moult's collection. Probably referable to either H. cupido lindeni Grote or H. c. coria Stichel, assuming the validity of either name.

achilles Le Moult, 1940: 130 (as $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ f. of H. lindeni). HT $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Four $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ PTs in MNHN, three from Santarém and one from Taperinha, Pará, Brasil. One $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ specimen, labelled as a PT, but not mentioned in the original description, is in AME and is considered to be a pseudotype. Probably referable to H. cupido lindeni, assuming the validity of that taxon.

aderotica Le Moult, 1940: 124 (as \eth f. of H. a. agardi). HT \eth and seven \eth PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Obidos, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Three \eth PTs from same locality in MNHN. Probably referable to H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, assuming the validity of either taxon.

aeacus Le Moult, 1940: 125 (as \circ f. of H. a. agardi). Described from a \circ HT and a series of \circ PTs in Le Moult's collection from Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, but the whereabouts of any type specimen is unknown. Probably referable to H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, assuming the validity of either taxon.

agardi Le Moult, 1940: 122-124; figs. 46-49 (as species of Helicopis). HT \circlearrowleft and 19 \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as \circlearrowleft bidos, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Eight \circlearrowleft and three \circlearrowleft PTs from same locality in MNHN. The whereabouts of the AT \circlearrowleft and the \circlearrowleft PTs originally in Le Moult's collection is not known. An additional \circlearrowleft , labelled as a PT and from Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, is in AME but is not mentioned in the original description; it is considered to be a pseudotype. A synonym of either H. $cupido\ lindeni\ or\ H$. $c.\ coria$, if either name is valid.

ajax Le Moult, 1940: 131 (as ♂ f. of *H. lecerfi*). HT ♂ and one ♂ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One ♂ PT from same locality in MNHN. Probably referable to *H. cupido divergens* Seitz, assuming the validity of that taxon.

albescens Le Moult, 1939: 85; fig. 10 (as species of Helicopis). Unique HT \circlearrowleft in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Perhaps this is a slight \circlearrowleft aberration of Amazonian H. gnidus.

albobasalis Le Moult, 1940: 133 (as \circ f. of *H. lecerfi columbiana*). Unique HT \circ in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Putumayo, S.E. Colombia, and confirming its status as the HT. Perhaps this is an aberration of *H. cupido*, near *gradiva* Stichel.

albocincta Le Moult, 1939: 84; fig. 6 (as f. of H. acis curusamba). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , one \circlearrowleft and five \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Three \circlearrowleft PTs from the same locality and one \circlearrowleft PT from Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, in MNHN; the latter may be mislabelled. Apparently a form of H. gnidus, perhaps referable to H. g. curusamba Le Moult, if that taxon is considered a necessary one.

alboflava Le Moult, 1940: 101 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and nine \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Two \circ PTs from Langatabiki and seven \circ PTs from Rio Mana, both in Guyane Française, in AME and mentioned in the original description. One \circ PT from "Bas Maroni, Langatabiki" in MNHN. Undoubtedly this is a common \circ form of H. c. cupido.

alboflavoradiata Le Moult, 1940: 101 (as \lozenge f. of H. c. cupido). HT \lozenge in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming its status as the HT. Le Moult (1940: 101) also mentions a series of \lozenge PTs from the same locality in his collection, but these have not been located. It is a minor form of H. c. cupido.

alboflavornata Le Moult, 1940: 102 (as $\, \circ \, f$. of H. c. cupido). HT $\, \circ \, and$ two $\, \circ \, PTs$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. One $\, \circ \, PT$ from "Guyane Anglaise" is mentioned in the original description but has not been found. This is another, less common $\, \circ \, f$ form of H. c. cupido.

albomarginata Le Moult, 1940: 100 (as ♂ f. of H. c. cupido). Whereabouts of HT ♂ and the series of ♂ PTs from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, is not known. It is a minor ♂ form of H. c. cupido.

alboradiata Le Moult, 1940: 101 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and seven \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Another ten \circ PTs, mentioned in the original description, from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, are in AME. One \circ PT from Bas Maroni is in MNHN. Undoubtedly this is a common \circ form of H. C. cupido.

albotransversa Le Moult, 1940: 100 (as 3 f. of H. c. cupido). Unique HT 3 in AME,

bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming its status as the HT. This is an apparently uncommon \hat{c} form of H. c. cupido.

amazonica Le Moult,1939: 89; fig. 16 (as species of *Helicopis*). HT \circlearrowleft and AT \circlearrowleft in AME, without locality labels but confirming their status as type specimens. A \circlearrowleft PT in MNHN mentioned in the original description is labelled "Amaz.". These specimens

represent a form or an Amazonian subspecies of H. gnidus.

androgyne Le Moult, 1939: 83 (as \circ f. of H. acis obidonus). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. A series of \circ PTs from the same locality was mentioned by Le Moult (1939: 83) as from his own collection, but the location of these insects is not known. Perhaps this is referable to a minor \circ form of an Amazonian subspecies of H. gnidus, should such a name be necessary.

aurantiaca Le Moult, 1940: 121 (as \circ f. of *H. horrackae*). HT \circ and three \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is probably a not uncommon \circ form of

Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

baucis Le Moult, 1940: 132 (as \circ f. of H. l. lecerfi). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. A series of \circ PTs from the same locality in Le Moult's collection has not been located. Apparently this is a \circ form of H. cupido divergens, assuming the validity of that taxon.

beaulieui Le Moult, 1939: 89-90; fig. 18 (as species of Helicopis). Unique HT δ in MNHN, without locality label but with a label confirming its status as the HT. This specimen may refer to an aberration of an Amazonian subspecies of H. gnidus, should

such a name be necessary.

belemensis Le Moult, 1940: 108; figs. 34-35 (as subspecies of *H. cupido*). HT $\hat{\circ}$, AT \circ and one $\hat{\circ}$ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Belém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Three $\hat{\circ}$ and three \circ PTs in MNHN from "Pará, Amázons". An additional group group of PTs was designated from Le Moult's collection but have not been located. This name is probably a synonym of *H. cupido coria*, should retention of that name be desired.

bergeri Le Moult, 1940: 111-112; figs. 37-39 (as species of *Helicopis*). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , eleven \circlearrowleft and five \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. The original description, however, lists nine \circlearrowleft and eleven \circlearrowleft PTs; the problem of whether this was a misprint (perhaps of eleven \circlearrowleft and nine \circlearrowleft specimens) or whether additional specimens were labelled after the description was published is unresolved at this time. Two \circlearrowleft and two \circlearrowleft PTs from Uypiranga are in MNHN. This name may refer to a valid Amazonian subspecies of *H. cupido*, depending on what additional material from the region shows.

bilineata Le Moult, 1940: 105 (as \eth f. of H. cupido venezuelensis). HT \eth and one \eth PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Barrancas, Venzuela, and confirming their status as type specimens. One \eth PT in AME from Rio Aguiro, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela. The original description lists more than one PT from each locality, but the disposition of these specimens is not known. This is probably a form of H. c. cupido,

unless the name tersa Stichel is valid.

bimarginata Le Moult, 1940: 99 (as $\[\circ \]$ f. of H. c. cupido). HT $\[\circ \]$ and 40 $\[\circ \]$ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. 46 $\[\circ \]$ PTs in AME from Langatabiki and Mana River, both in Guayane Française. Seven $\[\circ \]$ PTs from Bas Maroni in MNHN. Four $\[\circ \]$ specimens, labelled as PTs, from various parts of Surinam are in MHNH (ex Fournier collection) but these are not mentioned in the original description and must be considered pseudotypes. This is evidently a very common $\[\circ \]$ form of H. c. cupido.

brabanti Le Moult, 1940: 126 (as \circ f. of H. a. agardi). Location of HT \circ and the series of \circ PTs from Le Moult's collection is not known. This form was described from Obidos, Pará, Brasil, and is probably a form either of H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria

should a subspecific name be needed.

brasiliensis Le Moult, 1940: 137; figs. 65-66 (as subspecies of H. endymion). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , three \circlearrowleft and six \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Two \circlearrowleft PTs from \lq Obidos, Pará, Brasil, also in AME. Two \circlearrowleft and one \circlearrowleft PTs from Manaus, Amazonas, Brasil, and one \circlearrowleft and three \circlearrowleft PTs from Uypiranga are in MNHN. These specimens are very little different from H. s. selene, but that name could apply to an Amazonian subspecies should such a name be desirable.

brisi Le Moult, 1940: 100; fig. 28 (as δ f. of *H. c. cupido*). HT δ and two δ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Mana, near mouth of Crique Jacques, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a minor δ

form of H. c. cupido.

calliopea Le Moult, 1940: 130 (as \circ f. of *H. lindeni*). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. 11 \circ PTs from Santarém and three \circ PTs from Taperinha, Pará, Brasil, in MNHN. This is a minor \circ probably of *H. cupido lindeni* (or *H. c. coria*), assuming the validity of either.

calypso Le Moult, 1940: 130-131 (as \circ f. of H. lindeni). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. One \circ PT from Taperinha, Pará, Brasil, in AME. Two \circ PTs from Santarém and one \circ PT from Taperinha in MNHN. Name refers to a very pale form of H. cupido lindeni, if that name is needed.

castor Le Moult, 1940: 127 (as $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ f. of H. agardi legayi). HT $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ and two $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ PT from the same locality in MNHN. This is probably a minor form of H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, assuming the validity of either name.

cinereoflava Le Moult, 1940: 102 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and one \circ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. The only other PT mentioned, a \circ from Rio Mana, Guyane Française, is also in AME. This is a strange aberration of H. c. cupido with pronounced yellow shading near the apex of the forewing.

cinereoradiata Le Moult, 1940: 117 (as \circ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a \circ aberration of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?). clerci Le Moult, 1940: 125 (as \circ f. of H. a. agardi). The whereabouts of the HT \circ and the series of \circ PTs not known. This form was described from Obidos, Pará, Brasil, and

seems to be referable to H. cupido coria, if that name is worthy of retention.

columbiana Le Moult, 1940: 132-133 (as subspecies of H. lecerfi). HT \circ , AT \circ and the single \circ PT in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Putumayo, Colombia, and confirming their status as type specimens. This name is available for a Rio Putumayo subspecies of H. cupido, but it is probably only a synonym of H. cupido gradiva.

curusamba Le Moult, 1939: 84; fig. 5 (as subspecies of H. acis). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , 38 \circlearrowleft and 47 \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. 32 \circlearrowleft and 24 \circlearrowleft PTs from Rio Curusamba

in MNHN. This may be a valid subspecies of H. gnidus.

delormei Le Moult, 1940: 118 (as δ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT δ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Apparently this is a rare aberrant δ of Amazonian H. cupido, perhaps gradiva.

diluta Le Moult, 1939: 85 (as \circ f. of *H. fournierae*). HT \circ and five \circ PTs in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as "Pará, Amazonas", Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. A sixth \circ PT was not found. This is referable to a subspecies

of *H. gnidus*, probably *curusamba*.

disjuncta Le Moult, 1940: 132 (as \circ f. of H. l. lecerfi). HT \circ and six \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a slight form of H. cupido divergens,

assuming the necessity of that name.

duhameli Le Moult, 1940: 101 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and seven \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Seven \circ PTs from Bas Maroni and 19 \circ PTs from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, in MNHN. One \circ PT (locality not given) in MRHN. Apparently this is a rather common \circ form of H. c. cupido.

Apparently this is a rather common ♀ form of *H. c. cupido*.

dyeri Le Moult, 1940: 108-109 (as ♂ f. of *H. cupido belemensis*). Location of the HT ♂ from Belém, Pará, Brasil, originally in Le Moult's collection, not known. One ♂ PT from Belém and two ♂ PTs from "Pará, Amazonas", Brasil, in MNHN. This is prob-

ably a δ form of *H. cupido coria*, if that name is necessary.

eburnea Le Moult, 1940: 120 (as δ f. of H. horrackae). HT δ and two δ PTs (only one cited in original description) in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Which of the PTs might have been labelled after publication of the original description, or whether Le Moult erred in stating that there was only one, is a matter for conjecture and presently is unresolved. This is probably referable to Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?), assuming that taxon is different from typical cupido.

eburneobasalis Le Moult, 1940: 119 (as & f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT & in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This taxon refers to Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?), if

retention of that name is warranted.

eburneomarginata Le Moult, 1940: 117 (as ♂ f. of H. horrackae). HT ♂ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. The location of the single PT from the same locality is not known. This is a form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?), assuming the validity of that taxon.

eburneoradiata Le Moult, 1940: 117-118 (as \circ f. of *H. horrackae*). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is referable to Amazonian *H. cupido* (gradivus?).

favreli Le Moult, 1940: 113 (as \circ f. of H. b. bergeri). HT \circ and three \circ PTs (only one mentioned in the original description) in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Whether the PTs are genuine and the manuscript faulty, or vice versa, cannot be determined at this time. This is referable to an Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

flavescens Le Moult, 1940: 102 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and eight \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Four \circ PTs from Langatabiki and six \circ PTs from Rio Mana, both Guyane Française, also in AME. This is a not uncommon \circ form of H. c.

cupido.

flavissima Le Moult, 1940: 124 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of H. a. agardi). HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. The single $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ PT, also from Óbidos, in MNHN. Referable to either H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, assuming the need for either name.

flavoalba Le Moult, 1940: 121-122 (as \circ f. of H. horrackae). HT \circ and the single \circ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a \circ form of H. cupido (gradiva?), if that taxon is distinct enough to warrant a name.

flavobasalis Le Moult Le Moult, 1940: 117 (as \circ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is an uncommon \circ form of H. cupido (gradiva?).

flavocinerea Le Moult, 1940: 132 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of H. l. l. l. l. l. l. Location of HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ and the series of $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ PTs not known; described from Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil. Apparently this is a $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ form of H. cupido divergens, assuming the necessity of that name.

flavofusca Le Moult, 1940: 120 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Apparently this is a minor $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ form of H. cupido gradiva, assuming the necessity of that name.

flavomarginata Le Moult, 1940: 126 (as $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ f. of H. a. agardi). HT $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ and 12 $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ Pts in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. An additional $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ PT from the same locality is in MNHN. Probably referable to either H. cupido coria or H. c. lindeni, assuming the validity of either name.

flavotransversa Le Moult, 1940: 119 (as δ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT δ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is referable to H. cupido gradiva, if that name is needed.

fleuryi Le Moult, 1939: 91 (as subspecies of H. lesoudierae). Location of HT \eth from São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, not known. AT \wp and two \eth PTs from the same locality in AME. One \eth PT from "Amaz. sup." in MNHN. Name available, if needed for Amazonian H. gnidus.

fournierae Le Moult, 1939: 85; fig. 9 (as species of *Helicopis*). HT \Diamond , AT \Diamond , one \Diamond and three \Diamond PTs in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One \Diamond and two \Diamond PTs from Pará in AME. Name is available for an Amazonian subspecies of *H. gnidus*, should such a name be required.

fulvomarginata Le Moult, 1940: 124 (as \Diamond f. of H. a. agardi). HT \Diamond and two \Diamond PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a minor \Diamond form of H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, if either of those names is necessary.

fulvonigra Le Moult, 1940: 121 (as \circ f. of *H. horrackae*). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Probably this is a minor form of Amazonian *H. cupido* (gradiva?).

fumosa Le Moult, 1940: 116 (as \circ f. of H. horrackae). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Location of the single \circ PT from the same locality mentioned in the original description is not known. It is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

fusca Le Moult, 1940: 114 (as \circ f. of H. bergeri lehairei). HT \circ and one \circ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

fuscobasalis Le Moult, 1940: 119 (as \circ of H. horrackae). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

fuscocastanea Le Moult, 1940: 132 (as \circ f. of H. lecerfi). HT \circ and two \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a large \circ form of H. cupido divergens, assuming the need for that name.

fuscoflava Le Moult, 1940: 115 (as \circ f. of H. b. bergeri). HT \circ and two \circ PTs (only one mentioned in the original description) in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Which, if either, PT was labelled after publication of the description is a matter for conjecture. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

fuscomarginata Le Moult, 1940: 114 (as \circ f. of H. bergeri lehairei). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

fusconigra Le Moult, 1940: 103 (as \circ f. of H. cupido pseudogradivus). HT \circ and three \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Gourdonville, Rivière Kourou, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. This minor form is surely referable to H. c. cupido.

fuscoradiata Le Moult, 1940: 117 (as \circ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

fuscorecta Le Moult, 1940: 121 (as \circ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

gelisi Le Moult, 1940: 126 (as \circ f. of H. a. agardi). Location of the HT \circ and the \circ PTs from Obidos, Pará, Brasil, in Le Moult's collection not known. This name probably

refers to a form of H. cupido lindeni, should that name be necessary.

grisoli Le Moult, 1940: 105-106, fig. 31 (as f. of H. cupido venezuelensis). Location of HT \circlearrowleft from Caracas, Venezuela, not known. AT \circlearrowleft from Caracas and one \circlearrowleft PT from Barrancas, Venezuela, in AME. One \circlearrowleft and six \circlearrowleft PTs from Caracas in MNHN. This is a minor form of H. cupido tersa Stichel, though that taxon is probably identical with H. c. cupido.

horrackae Le Moult, 1940: 115-116; fig. 43 (as species of *Helicopis*). HT \circ , AT \circ and two \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Both \circ and \circ PTs mentioned in the original description, but location of additional type material not known. This is an available, but probably unnecessary, name for Amazonian *H. cupido*.

ininiensis Le Moult, 1940: 136 (as subspecies of H. endymion). HT \circlearrowleft and a single \circlearrowleft PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as "territoire de l'Inini, Haut Maroni, Guyane Française", and confirming their status as type specimens. This name is

available, but the specimens are very doubtfully distinct from H. s. selene.

interrupta Le Moult, 1939: 86; fig. 12 (as species of *Helicopis*). HT $\,^{\circ}$, AT $\,^{\circ}$ and one $\,^{\circ}$ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Iquitos, Loreto, Peru, and confirming their status as type specimens. One PT $\,^{\circ}$ from Iquitos and one $\,^{\circ}$ PT doubtfully from "Pará" in MNHN. Additional $\,^{\circ}$ and $\,^{\circ}$ PTs from Iquitos from Le Moult's collection not located. This name is available for an upper Amazonian subspecies of $\,^{\circ}$ $\,^{\circ}$ H. $\,^{\circ}$ gnidus, should such a name be necessary.

iris Le Moult, 1940: 127 (as \circ f. of *H. agardi legayi*). HT \circ and one \circ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Apparently there are additional \circ PTs, ex Le Moult collection, but their whereabouts are unknown. Perhaps these specimens represent a \circ form

of either H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, should either name be needed.

juno Le Moult, 1940: 127 (as \circ of H. agardi legayi). HT \circ and six \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Probably this name is referable to H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, if either name is needed.

lactea Le Moult, 1940: 122 (as \circ f. of *H. horrackae*). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its

status as the HT. It is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

lacteoradiata Le Moult, 1940: 122 (as \circ f. of *H. horrackae*). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Nickerie River, Surinam, and confirming its status as the HT. Four \circ PTs from "Surinam" and Georgetown, British Guiana (Guyana), in MNHN. Surely, this is only a minor \circ form of *H. c. cupido*.

lanieli Le Moult, 1940: 125 (as \circ f. of H. a. agardi). Whereabouts of HT \circ and the \circ PTs from Obidos, Pará, Brasil, ex Le Moult collection, not known. Almost certainly this is a minor \circ form of either H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, should either name be wor-

thy of retention.

leda Le Moult, 1940: 129 (as ♀ f. of *H. agardi tapajoz*). Unique HT ♀ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Aveiro, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This probably is a form of *H. cupido lindeni*, assuming the validity of that

name.

legayi Le Moult, 1940: 126 (as subspecies of H. agardi). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , 22 \circlearrowleft and nine \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One \circlearrowleft PT from same locality in MNHN. This name available, but probably a synonym of either H. $cupido\ lindeni\ or\ H$. $c.\ coria$,

should another name than cupido be necessary.

legouaisi Le Moult, 1940: 125; figs. 50-51 (as \circ f. of H. a. agardi). Location of HT \circ , described from Óbidos, Pará, Brasil and in Le Moult's collection, not known. Eight \circ PTs from same locality in MNHN. Apparently this taxon is referable to H. cupido lindeni, if that name is needed.

lehairei Le Moult, 1940: 113-114; figs. 40-41 (as subspecies of H. bergeri). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , 19 \circlearrowleft and three \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Three \circlearrowleft and one \circlearrowleft PTs from same locality in MNHN. This name is available for the Teffe population of H. cupido, but even if such a population is recognized, it would probably be under the name H. cupido gradiva.

lemaii Le Moult, 1940: 113 (as $\, \circ \,$ f. of H. b. bergeri). Unique HT $\, \circ \,$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the

HT. Name referable to Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

lesoudierae Le Moult, 1939: 90-91; fig. 19 (as species of Helicopis). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , two \circlearrowleft and three \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Three \circlearrowleft and three \circlearrowleft PTs from Obidos, Pará, Brasil; one \circlearrowleft and two \circlearrowleft PTs from Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and one \circlearrowleft PT from Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, also in AME. Two \circlearrowleft PTs from Óbidos, one \circlearrowleft and four \circlearrowleft PTs from Itaituba, Pará, Brasil, and one \circlearrowleft PT from Manaus, Amazonas, Brasil, in MNHN. This name refers to a group of large H. gnidus specimens, perhaps of the same population as H. g. curusamba (g. v.).

littoralis Le Moult, 1940: 103-104 (as subspecies of H. cupido). HT \circlearrowleft and AT \circlearrowleft in AME, bearing labels stating locality as lower Nickerie River, Surinam, and confirming their status as type specimens. A \circlearrowleft from the same locality in AME is labelled as a PT. According to the original description (Le Moult, 1940: 103-104), these three specimens were in the Fournier collection, but such specimens could not be found in MNHN. Two \circlearrowleft PTs from Paramaraibo Bay, Surinam, one \circlearrowleft PT labelled "Sur" and one \circlearrowleft PT without data are in MRHN. There seems no choice but to state that this name is only a synonym of H. c. cupido.

livida Le Moult, 1940: 119 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, and confirming its status as the HT.

This is a minor of form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

lucasi Le Moult, 1940: 101 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of H. c. cupido). Whereabouts of HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ and the series of $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ PTs, described in Le Moult's collection from Langatabiki, Guyane

Française, not known. It is referable to H. c. cupido.

maculata Le Moult, 1940: 102 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and eight \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. 16 additional \circ PTs in AME from Langatabiki, Guyane Française. This is a slight \circ form of H. c. cupido, as Le Moult surmised.

madeirensis Le Moult, 1939: 91; fig. 20 (as subspecies of H. lesoudierae). HT \Diamond , AT \Diamond , six \Diamond and nine \Diamond PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One \Diamond and one \Diamond PTs from Manicoré, one \Diamond PT from Pôrto Velho, Rondônia, Brasil, and one \Diamond PT without locality data in MNHN. This name is available for an Amazonian subspecies of H. gnidus, is one is needed.

manicorensis Le Moult, 1939: 87; fig. 14 (as subspecies of H. interrupta). HT \Diamond , AT \Diamond , one \Diamond and one \Diamond PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This name probably refers to a variant of the last name, and both madeirensis and manicorensis refer to the

same population of H. gnidus.

marini Le Moult, 1940: 138 (as subspecies of H. endymion). HT \circlearrowleft and AT \circlearrowleft in AME, bearing labels stating locality as "Peru" and confirming their status as type specimens. If these insects were indeed taken in Peru, the name may be applicable for a subspecies of H. selene.

mars Le Moult, 1940: 126 (as & f. of H. agardi legayi). HT & and four & PTs in AME,

bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Probably this is a 3 form of lower Amazonian H. cupido (coria?).

massarensis Le Moult, 1940: 133 (as subspecies of H. lecerfi). Unique HT 3 in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as Massanary, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This name available, but probably unnecessary, for Amazo-

nian H. cupido (gradiva?).

mayueli Le Moult, 1940: 105 (as Q f. of H. cupido venezuelensis). HT Q in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Barrancas, Venezuela, and confirming its status as the HT. One ♀ PT from Rio Aguiro, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela, in AME. Three ♀ PTs from Caracas, Venezuela, in MNHN. Locations of PTs cited from Le Moult's collection from Tucupita and Caracas, Venezuela, not known. Name is probably referable to H. c. cupido, unless tersa is needed for the Orinocan populations.

meieri Le Moult, 1940: 118 (as & f. of H. horrackae). Unique & HT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivenca, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its

status as the HT. This is a minor of form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

minerva Le Moult, 1940: 126 (as of f. of H. agardi legayi). HT of and two of PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Apparently, this is a 3 form of H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, if either name is necessary.

mixta Le Moult, 1940: 115 (as Q f. of H. bergeri lehairei). HT Q and one (of a series) Q PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian H.

cupido (gradiva?).

murae Le Moult, 1940: 105 (as ♀ f. of H. cupido venezuelensis). HT ♀ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Aguiro, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela, and confirming its status as the HT. One Q PT from Caracas, Venezuela, in AME. Two Q PTs from same locality in MNHN. Locations of other Q PTs cited in original description from Rio Aguiro and Caracas, ex Le Moult collection, not known. Apparently this is a rather common Q form of Venezuelan H. cupido (tersa?).

nausicaa Le Moult, 1940: 128 (as Q f. of H. agardi legayi). HT Q and seven Q PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Probably this is referable to lower Amazonian H. cupido

nigrescens Le Moult, 1940: 113 (as ♀ f. of H. b. bergeri). Unique HT ♀ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is probably a minor of form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

nigrofusca Le Moult, 1940: 105 (as ♀ f. of H. cupido venezuelensis). HT ♀ and one ♀ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Aguiro, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela, and confirming their status as type specimens. Location of additional Q PTs mentioned in the original description from Rio Aguiro and Caracas, Venezuela, not known. This is a Q form of H. cupido tersa, if that taxon is different from the nominate subspecies.

nigromaculata Le Moult, 1939: 85 (as ♀ f. of H. acis curusamba). HT ♀ and one ♀ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Two Q PTs from Rio Curusamba in MNHN. This is a

dark Q form of H. gnidus curusamba, if that name is worthy of retention.

nigromarginata Le Moult, 1940: 124-125 (as ♀ f. of H. a. agardi). HT ♂ and six ♂ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. 11 8 PTs from Obidos in MNHN (ex Fournier collection). This is probably referable to H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, if either name is necessary.

nigropunctata Le Moult, 1940: 113 (as 3 f. of H. b. bergeri). Unique HT 3 in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor of form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

nigroradiata Le Moult, 1940: 100; fig. 29 (as 3 f. of H. c. cupido). Location of HT 3 and the "series" of 3 PTs from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, and in Le Moult's collection is not known. Apparently it is a 3 form of H. c. cupido with very dark forewings.

nigrorecta Le Moult, 1940: 115 (as \circ f. of H. bergeri lehairei). HT \circ and four \circ PTs (only one mentioned in the original description!) in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. The problem of which PT (if any) is the one specified in the description is unresolved because the specimens are all labelled identically; perhaps it is best to consider none of them to be truly paratypic. This form refers to Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

nigrotransversa Le Moult, 1940: 103 (a ♀ f. of H. cupido pseudogradiva). HT ♀ and two ♀ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Gourdonville, Rivière Kourou, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Surely this form is a

minor Q variant of H. c. cupido.

nigroventralis Le Moult, 1940: 128 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of $\, H.$ agardi tapajoz). Unique HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Aveiro, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ form of either $\, H.$ cupido lindeni or $\, H.$ c. coria,

assuming the necessity of either name.

obidonus Le Moult, 1939: 82-83; fig. 2 (as subspecies of H. acis). Location of HT \circlearrowleft not known; described from Óbidos, Para, Brasil. AT \circlearrowleft , seven \circlearrowleft and five \circlearrowleft PTs from Obidos in AME. Six \circlearrowleft and one \circlearrowleft PTs from Óbidos in MNHN. One \circlearrowleft PT from Santa Julia, Pará, Brasil, in MRHN. This name is available for a subspecies of H. gnidus, but it is probably not significantly different from other such names.

olivencia Le Moult, 1940: 116 (as \eth f. of H. horrackae). HT \eth in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Whereabouts of the single \eth PT from the same locality, mentioned in the description, is not known. This is a minor \eth form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

ornata Le Moult, 1940: 102 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and seven \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. 12 \circ PTs from Langatabiki and three \circ PTs from Rio Mana, both Guyane Française, also in AME. It is a common, but minor, \circ form of H. c. cupido.

ornatissima Le Moult, 1940: 103 (as Q f. of H. cupido pseudogardiva). HT Q and one Q PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Gourdonville, Rivière Kourou, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a less common Q

form of H. c. cupido.

oudini Le Moult, 1940: 101 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and four \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. One \circ PT from "Guyane" in MNHN. As described, this is a

minor of H. c. cupido.

pallescens Le Moult, 1940: 101 (as \circ f. of H. c. cupido). HT \circ and one \circ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Mana River, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Le Moult correctly associated this \circ form with H. c cupido.

pallida Le Moult, 1940: 104 (as subspecies of *H. cupido*). HT \circlearrowleft and AT \circlearrowleft in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Demerara River, British Guiana (Guyana), and confirming their status as type specimens. Two putative \circlearrowleft PTs in AME from "British Guiana" (one also labelled with the manuscript name "sublindeni"), not mentioned in the original description, are considered to be spurious. These specimens are washed-out examples of *H. c. cupido*.

paraensis Le Moult, 1939: 86; fig. 11 (as subspecies of H. albescens). HT \Diamond , AT \Diamond and two \Diamond PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Three \Diamond PTs from Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, in AME. One \Diamond PT from Óbidos in MNHN. This name is available for lower Amazonian H. gnidus, but it seems to be an aberration of H. g. curusamba from the same locality.

penelope Le Moult, 1940: 130 (as \circ f. of *H. lindeni*). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Two \circ PTs from Santarém, and one \circ PT from Taperinha, Pará, Brasil, in MNHN. Locations of other PTs from Le Moult's collection not known. This is a very minor \circ form of *H. cupido lindeni*, should even that name be needed.

peruviana Le Moult, 1940: 133 (as subspecies of H. lecerfi). Unique HT 3 in MNHN,

bearing labels stating locality as Iquitos, "Amazon" [=Loreto], Peru, and confirming its status as the HT. This name may be applied to Peruvian H. cupido populations, if these differ from H. c. gradiva.

philemon Le Moult, 1940: 132 (as 3 f. of H. l. lecerfi). HT 3 in AME without specific locality label, but stated in the original description to be Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and definitely labelled as the HT. One 3 PT (several cited in description) from Manicoré also in AME. This name probably refers to H. cupido divergens,

assuming the necessity of that name.

picardi Le Moult, 1940: 102 (as Q f. of H. c. cupido). HT Q and eight Q PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. An additional nine Q PTs from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, also in AME. Two Q PTs (and one 3 labelled as a PT of this definite Q form) from Bas Maroni in MNHN; the ♂ is considered to be spurious. This is a minor ♀ form of H. c. cupido.

pluto Le Moult, 1940: 135 (as f. of H. e. endymion). HT 3 and nine 3 PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas (or Moyen) Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. The whereabouts of the AT Q and other PTs from Le Moult's collection not known. 11 PTs from Bas Maroni in MNHN and five PTs from "Cayenne" [Guyane Française] in MRHN (sexes not stated). This is a minor variant of

H. s. selene.

poleti Le Moult, 1939: 91-92; fig. 21 (as species of Helicopis). Location of HT & from Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, is not known. AT ♀, 13 ♂ and 12 ♀ from Uypiranga in AME. One ♂ PT from Uypiranga and two ♀ PTs from Manaus, Amazonas, Brasil, in

MNHN. This is a representative phenotype of H. gnidus from Amazonas.

pollux Le Moult, 1940: 127 (as & f. of H. agardi legayi). Unique HT & in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is an insignificant variant of H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, if applicable. pompeius Le Moult, 1940: 138 (as Q f. of H. endymion brasiliensis). HT Q and one Q PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One Q PT from Obidos, Pará, Brasil, in AME. This name represents a Q form of Brasilian H. selene.

priamus Le Moult, 1940: 130 (as 3 of H. lindeni). HT 3 in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Six 3 PTs from Santarém, one 3 PT from Taperinha, Pará, Brasil, and one 3 PT without locality data in MNHN. This is a rather insignificant of form of H. cupido lindeni,

assuming the biological validity of that name.

proserpina Le Moult, 1940: 127-128 (as ♀ f. of H. agardi legayi). HT ♀ and one ♀ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a minor Q form of H. cupido (coria? lindeni?). proxima Le Moult, 1940: 112 (as & f. of H. b. bergeri). HT & and three & PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a minor of form of Amazonian H. cupido (perhaps gradiva).

pseudalbescens Le Moult, 1939: 84; fig. 8 (as 3 f. of H. acis curusamba). Unique HT ð in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor of form of H. gnidus curusamba, assuming the

biological validity of that taxon.

pseudalbocincta Le Moult, 1939: 88; fig. 15 (as subspecies of H. interrupta). Unique HT 3 in AME, bearing no locality label but confirming its HT status. This is perhaps an available name for Amazonian H. gnidus, but it might apply to H. g. medialis Schaus and Cockerell.

pseuderotica Le Moult, 1940: 126 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of H. agardi legayi). HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ and six $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is an insignificant of form of H. cupido lindeni or H. c. coria, if there is a biological need to recognize either of them.

pseudobergeri Le Moult, 1940: 125 (as Q f. of H. a. agardi). The location of the unique HT ♀ from Obidos, Pará, Brasil, ex Le Moult collection, is not known. Probably the name refers to a form of H. cupido (coria? lindeni?).

pseudocoria Le Moult, 1940: 124 (as 3 f. of H. a. agardi). Location of the HT 3 from Óbidos, Pará, Brasil, ex Le Moult collection, is unknown. One 👌 PT from Óbidos in

MNHN. This name, too, applies to H. cupido (coria? lindeni?).

pseudogradivus Le Moult, 1940: 102-103; fig. 30 (as subspecies of H. cupido). HT &, AT \circ , three \circ and 20 \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Gourdonville, Rivière Kourou, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. This taxon is surely a junior synonym of H. c. cupido.

pseudolindeni Le Moult, 1940: 122; figs. 44-45 (as species of *Helicopis*). Unique HT ♂ in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as "Haut-Carsevenne, Bresil septentrional", and confirming its status as the HT. This specimen is a slightly darkened example of H.

cupido lindeni.

pseudopallida Le Moult, 1940: 105 (as Q f. of H. cupido venezuelensis). HT Q in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Aguiro, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela, and confirming its status as the HT. One ♀ PT from Barrancas, Venezuela, in AME. One ♀ PT from "Venezuela" in MNHN. The locations of the other cited PTs from Rio Aguiro, Barrancas and Caracas, Venezuela, are not known. This is a minor ♀ form of H. cupido tersa, if that taxon is separable from H. c. cupido.

pseudotransita Le Moult, 1940: 112-113 (as S f. of H. b. bergeri). Unique HT S in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor of form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

pseudotrinitensis Le Moult, 1940: 121 (as ♀ f. of H. horrackae). HT ♀ and one ♀ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a Q form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

pseudunca Le Moult, 1940: 116 (as 3 f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT 3 in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a slight 3 variety of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

putumayensis Le Moult, 1939: 88 (as subspecies of H. interrupta). HT ♂, AT ♀ and one 3 PT in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Putumayo, S. E. Colombia, and confirming their status as type specimens. Another 3 PT without precise data should be in MNHN, but this has not been located. A specimen from Rio Putumayo in AME is labelled as a PT, but this is doubtfully so. This name may apply to H. gnidus

radiata Le Moult, 1940: 127 (as 3 f. of H. agardi legayi). HT 3 and one 3 PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is an insignificant 3 form of either H. cupido

lindeni or H. c. coria, depending on the necessity for either name.

reducta Le Moult, 1940: 99-100 (as ♂ f. of H. c. cupido). Location of HT ♂ from Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, not known. Four 3 PTs from Bas Maroni and one 3 PT from Rio Mana, Guyane Française, in AME. Paratypes mentioned in the description from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, have not been located. Le Moult correctly considered this a form of H. c. cupido.

riballieri Le Moult, 1940: 103 (as ♂ f. of H. cupido pseudogradivus). HT ♂ and six ♂ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Gourdonville, Rivière Kourou, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is surely a minor ♂ form

of H. c. cupido.

rubigofusca Le Moult, 1940: 120 (as ♀ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT ♀ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a Q form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

santaremensis Le Moult, 1939: 83; fig. 3 (as subspecies of H. acis). HT ♂, AT ♀, five ổ and one ♀ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. 11 ♂ and six ♀ PTs from Santarém and two 3 PTs without locality labels in MNHN. This name is available for a subspecies of H. gnidus, if desired.

satanas Le Moult, 1940: 138; fig. 67 (as 3 f. of H. endymion brasiliensis). HT 3 in

AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. Location of the \eth PTs from the same locality mentioned in the original description is not known. This is a minor \eth form of Amazonian H. selene (brasiliensis?).

saturnus Le Moult, 1940: 138 (as $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ of $\, H.$ endymion brasiliensis). HT $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ and seven $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ PT from Uypiranga and one $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ PT from Manaus, Amazonas, Brasil, in MNHN. This is a $\, \mathring{\circ} \,$ form of Amazonian $\, H.$ selene (brasiliensis?).

semieburnea Le Moult, 1940: 120 (as $\hat{\circ}$ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT $\hat{\circ}$ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor $\hat{\circ}$ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?). semiflava Le Moult, 1940: 100 (as $\hat{\circ}$ f. of H. c. cupido). The whereabouts of the HT $\hat{\circ}$ and the $\hat{\circ}$ PTs from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, not known. Apparently this is a

minor of form of H. c. cupido, as stated by Le Moult.

semiflavida Le Moult, 1940: 105 (as \circ f. of H. cupido venezuelensis). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Barrancas, Venezuela, and confirming its status as the HT. The whereabouts of the \circ PTs from Barrancas in Le Moult's collection are not known. This is a \circ form of H. cupido, perhaps tersa.

seminigra Le Moult, 1940: 132 (as \circ f. of H. l. lecerfi). HT \circ in AME, bearing no locality label, but stated in description as being from Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and having a label identifying it as the HT. One \circ PT from Manicoré in AME. This is a \circ form of H. cupido divergens, assuming the validity of that name.

sequerae Le Moult, 1940: 116 (as \circ f. of *H. horrackae*). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. This is a minor \circ form of Amazonian *H. cupido* (gradiva?).

solimoensis Le Moult, 1939: 87; fig. 13 (as subspecies of H. interrupta). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , three \circlearrowleft and seven \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One \circlearrowleft and two \circlearrowleft PTs from São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, in AME. One \circlearrowleft PT from Teffe, one \circlearrowleft PT from São Paulo de Olivença, one \circlearrowleft and one \circlearrowleft PTs from "Amazon supérieur" and three \circlearrowleft PTs without locality data in MNHN. Name available (but probably unnecessary) for Amazonian H. gnidus.

subagardi Le Moult, 1940: 115 (as \circ f. of H. bergeri lehairei). HT \circ and four \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a slight \circ form of Amazonian H. cupido

(gradiva?).

subalbocincta Le Moult, 1939: 84; fig. 7 (as f. of *H. acis curusamba*). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. A single \circ PT from the same locality in MNHN. This is a variant of *H. gnidus* (curusamba?).

subandrogyne Le Moult, 1939: 84 (as \circ f. of H. acis curusamba). HT \circ and 29 \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Seven \circ PTs from Rio Curusamba in MNHN. This is a common (the commonest?) \circ form of H. gnidus curusamba, assuming the necessity of that name.

subaurantiaca Le Moult, 1940: 109 (as \circ f. of *H. cupido belemensis*). Location of HT \circ from Belém, Pará, Brasil, ex Le Moult collection, is not known. One \circ PT from Belem and two \circ PTs from "Pará" in MNHN. Assuming that belemensis is a valid

subspecies of H. cupido, this taxon was correctly placed by Le Moult.

‡subaurantiaca Le Moult, 1940: 121 (as \lozenge f. of H. horrackae). HT \lozenge and two \lozenge PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a \lozenge form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?). The name is preoccupied by H. cupido belemensis f. ind. "subaurantiaca" Le Moult (1940: 109), but no replacement name is here proposed because of the in-

frasubspecific natures of both names.

subcoria Le Moult, 1940: 125 (as \eth f. of H. a. agardi). The location of the unique HT \eth from Obidos, Pará, Brasil, is unknown. Perhaps it is referable to H. cupido lindeni or H.

c. coria, should retention of either name be desired.

subcupido Le Moult, 1940: 113 (as ♂ f. of H. b. bergeri). HT ♂ and the single ♂ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a ♂ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?). subeburnea Le Moult, 1940: 120 (as ♂ f. of H. horrackae). Unique HT ♂ in AME,

bearing labels stating locality as São Paulo de Olivença, Amazonas, Brasil, and confir-

ming its status as the HT. This is a form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

sublatmicus Le Moult, 1940: 136; figs. 63-64 (as f. of H. e. endymion). HT $\hat{\circ}$, AT \circ and two \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas (or Moyen) Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Three \circ PTs from

Bas Maroni in MNHN. This is a slight form of H. s. selene.

sublegouaisi Le Moult, 1940: 128 (as \circ f. of H. agardi tapajoz). HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Itaituba, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. One \circ PT from Aveiro, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, in MNHN. This is a lower Amazonian H. cupido (coria? lindeni?) form.

submarginata Le Moult, 1940: 112 (as $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ f. of H. b. bergeri). HT $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ and four $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a $\, \hat{\circ} \,$ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

subornata Le Moult, 1940: 113 (as \circ f. of H. b. bergeri). Unique HT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Uypiranga, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming its status as

the HT. This is an uncommon ♀ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

subproxima Le Moult, 1940: 114 (as ♂ f. of H. bergeri lehairei). HT ♂ and two ♂ PTs (an "AT" mentioned in the original description!) in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. The impossibility of having both a HT and an AT of a sexual form suggests that Le Moult meant to specify the "AT" as a PT: it does not explain why there are two, rather than one, PTs in AME. Presumably this is a ♂ form of Amazonian H. cupido (gradiva?).

subunca Le Moult, 1940: 100 (as of f. of H. c. cupido). HT of and one of PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Bas Maroni, Guyane Française, and confirming their status as type specimens. Six of PTs from Mana River, Guyane Française, in AME. The whereabouts of PT(s) from Langatabiki, Guyane Française, not known. Le Moult

correctly assigned this as a ô form of H. c. cupido.

sulphurea Le Moult, 1939: 87 (as Q f. of H. interrupta manicorensis). HT Q and one Q PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Manicoré, Rio Madeira, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This name refers to Amazonian

H. gnidus (manicorensis?).

‡sulphurea Le Moult, 1940: 109 (as ♂ f. of H. cupido belemensis). Unique HT ♂ in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as Prata, Pará, Brasil, and confirming its status as the HT. It is a form of H. cupido (belemensis?). The name is preoccupied by H. interrupta manicorensis f. ind. "sulphurea" Le Moult (1939: 87), but a new name is not proposed because of the infrasubspecific nature of both names.

sylvia Le Moult, 1940: 127 (as \circ f. of *H. agardi legayi*). HT \circ and one \circ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Probably this is a \circ form of *H. cupido coria* or *H. c. lindeni*,

should either of those names be worthy of retention.

tapajonus Le Moult, 1939: 83; fig. 4 (as subspecies of H. acis). HT \Diamond and AT \Diamond in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Itaituba, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, and confir-

ming their status as type specimens. One $\, \circlearrowleft \,$ and one $\, \circlearrowleft \,$ PTs from Itaituba in MNHN. The whereabouts of the PTs mentioned in the original description from Urucuritiba and Barriera, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, not known. This is an available, but probably un-

necessary, subspecific name for lower Amazonian H. gnidus.

tapajoz Le Moult, 1940: 128 (as subspecies of H. a. agardi). HT \circlearrowleft and AT \circlearrowleft in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Itaituba, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. One \circlearrowleft PT from Aveiro, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, in MNHN. The whereabouts of other PTs in Le Moult's collection from Itaituba, Aveiro and Barrancas, Rio Tapajóz, Pará, Brasil, not known. This name is available, but perhaps unnecessary, for the population of H. cupido from along the Rio Tapajóz.

teffeensis Le Moult, 1939: 92 (as subspecies of H. poleti). HT \circ and AT \circ in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Teffe, Rio Solimões, Amazonas, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. The PTs mentioned in the original description have not been found. This name is available (but probably unnecessary) for Amazonian H.

gnidus.

telamon Le Moult, 1940: 125 (as \circ f. or H. a. agardi). Location of type series not known: described from Óbidos, Pará, Brasil. Probably this is a \circ form of H. cupido (lindeni? coria?).

theseus Le Moult, 1940: 130 (as & f. of H. lindeni). HT & and two & PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Four & PTs from Taperinha, Pará, Brasil, and one & PT from (doubtful) "Espiritu Santo", Brasil, in MNHN. This is a & form of H. cupido lindeni, if that name is applicable.

transita Le Moult, 1940: 109; fig. 36 (as ♂ f. of H. cupido belemensis). Location of HT ♂ from Belém, Pará, Brasil, not known. One ♂ PT from Prata, Pará, Brasil, and one ♂ PT from "Pará" in MNHN. Presumably this is a ♂ form of lower Amazonian H. cupido

(belemensis?).

trinitensis Le Moult, 1940: 106-108; figs. 32-33 (as subspecies of *H. cupido*). HT ♂, AT ♀, nine ♂ and 11 ♀ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Port of Spain, Trinidad, and confirming their status as type specimens. One ♂ and one ♀ PTs from Port of Spain in MNHN. This name is a pure objective synonym of *H. cupido trinitatis* Seitz (Le Moult considered that the description of *trinitatis* referred to an aberration). ulysses Le Moult, 1940: 130; fig. 53 (as ♂ f. of *H. lindeni*). HT ♂ and one ♂ PT in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Santarém, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. Two ♂ PTs from Santarém and one ♂ PT from Taperinha, Pará, Brasil, in MNHN. This is a minor ♂ form of *H. cupido lindeni*, if that name is needed.

umbriensis Le Moult, 1940: 133 (as ♀ f. of H. lecerfi columbiana). Unique HT ♀ in MNHN, bearing labels stating locality as Umbria, Colombia (0° 54' N.; 76° 10' W, 350 m.), and confirming its status as the HT. This is a ♀ form of the Rio Putumayo popula-

tion of H. cupido (gradiva?).

known. This is a minor form of H. c. cupido.

venezuelensis Le Moult, 1940: 104-105 (as subspecies of $H.\ cupido$). HT \circlearrowleft , AT \circlearrowleft , two \circlearrowleft and six \circlearrowleft PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Barrancas, Orinoco River, Venezuela, and confirming their status as type specimens. There is a series of PTs, presumably from near Caracas, Venezuela, in MNHN. The whereabouts of PTs cited in the original description from Le Moult's collection from Tucupita and Rio Aguiro, Delta Amacuro, both in Venezuela, not known. This is a synonym of $H.\ cupido\ tersa$, which itself may be a synonym of $H.\ c.\ cupido$.

vesta Le Moult, 1940: 127 (as \circ f. of *H. agardi legayi*). HT \circ and six \circ PTs in AME, bearing labels stating locality as Rio Curusamba, Pará, Brasil, and confirming their status as type specimens. This is a \circ form of *H. cupido lindeni* or *H. c. coria*, assuming

the validity of either name.

wardi Le Moult, 1939: 89; fig. 17 (as species of Helicopis). Unique HT \circlearrowleft in MNHN, without data, but labelled as to its status as the HT. This name is available, but probably unnecessary for a population of H. gnidus.

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