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EUGENE LE MOULT'S *PREPONA* TYPES (LEPIDOPTERA: NYMPHALIDAE, CHARAXINAE)

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This paper deals with the type material of butterflies belonging to the S. American genus *Prepona* Boisduval, described by Eugene Le Moul't in his work *Etudes sur les Prepona* (1932). Le Moul't was an insect dealer somewhat infamous in entomological circles; for present purposes it will suffice to say that he published most of his work privately, many of his taxonomic conclusions were unsound, and he was a "splitter", subdividing many previously accepted species on little evidence. He was also inclined to describe very minor variations as aberrations or other infrasubspecific categories. Reference to his type material is usually essential when revisional work is undertaken on the groups he touched upon. Le Moul't's *Prepona* 'Etude' was never completed; that part which was published appeared after 'Seitz', and there is undoubtedly much synonymy to unravel. It is hoped that the present work will be of assistance to those studying this genus in the future.

The bulk of Le Moul't's very extensive Lepidoptera collection which remained after his death was disposed by auction in some 1100 lots, on 5th-7th February 1968, by Mes. Hoebanx and Lemaire at the Hotel Drouot, Paris (sale catalogue, Hoebanx & Lemaire, 1967). The greater part of Le Moul't's *Prepona* types were still in his collection at that time and were included in lots 405-500. Most of the types in this sale material of *Prepona* are now housed in the British Museum (Natural History). This material was obtained partly by purchase, but much was due to the generosity of one of the auctioneers, M. Claude Lemaire, who presented a total of 42 specimens and nine microscope slides to the BMNH. In addition it may be noted that the type specimens of three subspecies of *Prepona* described by Le Moul't, now in the possession of M. René Lichy ("Yavita", Chemin des Claies, 95-Saint Leu-La Foret, France), have been kindly bequeathed to the BMNH by M. Lichy, who originally collected the material concerned in Guatemala (Lichy, 1933). The types of *Prepona* described by Le Moul't from the Joicey collection came to the BMNH in 1934. With certain exceptions, the only remaining type material of importance connected with Le Moul't's *Prepona* work not now in London, are some seven specimens originally described from the Museum der Humboldt Universität, Berlin. However, the fate of the type material of some seven species

group names, and 14 infrasubspecific *Prepona* names (out of a total of 42 species group and 26 infrasubspecific), validly published by Le Moult, is still unknown at this time. Le Moult described a number of specimens from the private collections of Moreau and Philippon; the Moreau collection, in part at least, was sold *via* the Rousseau-Decelle auction, also held in Paris. In addition to certain 'whole' specimens, some of the genitalia preparations, which were mainly made by Reverdin, drawings of which were to have appeared in the subsequent, unpublished parts of Le Moult's 'Etude', are also lost.

All the names raised by Le Moult (1932) in his incomplete work on *Prepona* are listed below, in alphabetical order, with notes on the type material and specimen data. In this list, unless there is some indication to the contrary, it should be assumed that Le Moult's original description apparently only notes specimens from his own collection. Also, unless the original description gives a clear indication of a holotype or unique specimen, all type specimens are treated as syntypic, even if only one specimen has been found. Allotypes, where described, are listed as such, although for nomenclatural purposes the present author regards them as nothing more than paratypes. In some cases the names which appear on the type specimen determination labels of Le Moult differ from those actually published; where these discrepancies occur, the manuscript name is noted.

With respect to data given from specimens in the British Museum (Natural History), where a label is quoted between symbols '/ /' (but note Le Moult's abbreviation of subspecies, "s/sp."), it is generally quoted verbatim, in full. However, not all labels on the specimens have been quoted from in most cases, the information often being duplicated or irrelevant for this list. Such unquoted labels include various coloured 'type-labels' (BMNH and Le Moult origin); duplicated Le Moult determination labels (originating as drawer labels, often with a price tag); various labels such as cryptic notes, odd numbers, etc.; Le Moult's own collection labels ("E. Le Moult, Naturaliste, Paris"); BMNH registration numbers; and determination labels of the present author added during curation. Generally, what is quoted is the basic data label, Le Moult's determination label (usually signed in his characteristic fashion), any genitalia preparation numbers, and collection origin labels (apart from Le Moult's own, as noted above).

The following abbreviations for museums are used throughout:

AME - Allyn Museum of Entomology, Sarasota, Florida, U.S.A.

BMNH - British Museum (Natural History), London, England

ZMHU - Zoologisches Museum der Humboldt Universität, Berlin, E. Germany

Names are listed in **bold** face type when available, and *normal* italic when either invalid or infrasubspecific. The list includes a total of 72 names, 42 of which are available names of the species group. It also includes the generic name *Pseudoprepona* Le Moult, which is an objective synonym of the older established generic name *Archaeoprepona* Fruhstorfer (**syn. nov.**).

*A LIST OF THE NAMES PROPOSED BY
E. LE MOULT IN THE GENUS PREPONA,
WITH NOTES ON THEIR TYPE MATERIAL*

adunca Le Moult, 1932:5 (as ab. of *Prepona joiceyi overlaeti*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'loc. 1 Orenoque Venezuela col. le Moult/ *Prepona Joiceyi* s/sp. Dufayi ab. *aduncus* ♂ Holotype det E. Le Moult/ Ex E. Le Moult Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

aguacensis Le Moult, 1932:10 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*). 1 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes (BMNH). 'Rio Aguacatal Colomb. West. Cord. 2000m. Coll. Fassl/*Prepona Aguacensis* ♂ et ♀ types/ Ex E. Le Moult Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

Although described from a "holotype and an allotype", there is no indication in the description or on the specimens as to which is which.

aloisi Le Moult, 1932:15 (as ab. ♂ of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.
Described from Itaituba.

amazonica Le Moul't, 1932:13 (as subsp. of *Prepona rothschildi*). Holotype ♂, 1 paratype ♂ (BMNH). Holotype, 'Itaituba. 2 Tapajoz/ Prepona rothschildi s/sp. amazonica ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/9383/BMNH Rhopalocera Slide No. 103/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. Paratype, 'Itaituba Rio Tapajoz/ Prepona rothschildi s/sp. amazonica ♂ nov. s/sp. Paratype E. Le Moul't/ Ex. E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

Described from a series of males and females from the Rio Tapajoz and the Rio Negro.

The name *amazonica* Le Moul't is preoccupied by *Prepona demophon* var. *amazonica* Staudinger; Bryk (1939:656) renamed Le Moul't's subspecies *homonyma*.

apollinari Le Moul't, 1932:7 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudojoiceyi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Muzo, Colombia.

blanci Le Moul't, 1932:14 (as subsp. of *Prepona lilianae*). 2 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes (BMNH). 1 ♂, 'Itaituba, Rio Tapajoz, Mars 1926 Bresil/ Prepona lilianae s/sp. strympli ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype Le Moul't det./9387 [sic!]/ BMNH Rhopalocera Slide No. 106/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.' 1 ♂, 'Itaituba. 5 Tapajoz / Prepona lilianae s/sp. strympli nov. s/sp. Paratypes Le Moul't det./ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'. 1 ♀, 'Mai 1925 Itaituba Rio Tapajoz Bresil/ Prepona lilianae s/sp. strympli nov. s/sp. Allotype Le Moul't det./ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'.

In the description the dissection number is given as "271-9386". The name "strympli" is clearly a manuscript name replaced in Le Moul't's published work by *blanci*.

bouvieri Le Moul't, 1932:5, pl.1, figs 3, 6 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Bas Maroni.

buenavista Le Moul't, 1932:16 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Buenavista, Bolivie Dep. Santa-Cruz Coll. Le Moul't/ Holotype E. Le Moul't de la s/sp. Buenavista/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

caucensis Le Moul't, 1932:10, pl.3, figs 3, 4 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*). 1 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes (BMNH). 1 ♂, 'Pereira (Cauca) Colombie/ Cauensis ♂ & ♀ types/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♀, 'Pereira (Cauca) Colombie/ Prepona omphale s/sp. caucensis nov. s/sp. Types ♂ & ♀ / Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

Although described from a "holotype and an allotype", there is no indication in the description or on the specimens as to which is which.

circumviolacea Le Moul't, 1932:15 (as ab. of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Itaituba.

cuyabensis Le Moul't, 1932:13 (as subsp. of *Prepona rothschildi*). Holotype ♂ (BMNH). 'River System Cuyaba-Corumba Matto Grosso Brazil/ Prepona Rothschildi s/sp. cuyabensis ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Joicey Bequest'.

Described from a single specimen in the Joicey Collection.

decellei Le Moul't, 1932:15 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Camota, Rio Tocantins, Brasil.

delormei Le Moul, 1932:15 (as ab. of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

Whereabouts type material unknown.

Described from Itaituba, Rio Tapajoz, and from Manaus.

draudti Le Moul, 1932:8 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudojoiceyi*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). '62. 24. Mexico. Pres. by Prof. M. Draudt/ pseudojoiceyi s/sp. Draudti Holotype E. Le Moul/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll.'

A female in the BMNH bears the labels "Tapaschula Mexico. E. A. Böttcher Berlin/ pseudojoiceyi mexicana/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll.". The name "mexicana" is an unpublished manuscript name of the type frequently found on Le Moul specimens; this specimen may be a female syntype of *pseudojoiceyi draudti*.

favareli Le Moul, 1932:14 (as ab. of *Prepona lilianae*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Bas-Maroni.

fonquerniei Le Moul, 1932:7 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudojoiceyi*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'El Nar. 13-9-26/ Prepona pseudojoiceyi s/sp. Fonquerniei ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll.'

Described from "El Naranjo, Guatemala".

foucheri Le Moul, 1932:15 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Teffé, and from Sao Paulo d'Olivencia, Rio Solimoes.

guaraunos Le Moul, 1932:4 (as subsp. of *Prepona laertes*), *nomen nudum*.

guatemalensis Le Moul, 1932:11, pl.2, figs 5-13 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*). 1 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes, in coll. René Lichy, bequeathed to the BMNH (see introduction).

Described from specimens reared by Lichy at "Guazacapan, Guatemala". However, Lichy (1933:26), in discussing the biology of this insect, notes that the true locality was "El Naranjo, Dept. Quezaltenango, Guatemala, 820 m. d'alt".

guiensis Le Moul, 1932:15, pl.1, figs 4, 7 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

2 ♂ syntypes (BMNH). 1 ♂, 'Guyane Française/ Prepona pseudomphale s/sp. guiensis ♂ nov. sp. Holotype E. Le Moul/9380/ Slide lost?/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♂, 'Guyane Française/ Prepona pseudomphale s/sp. guiensis nov. s/sp. Paratypes ♂ Le Moul det./ Ex E. Le Moul Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

heringi Le Moul, 1932:4 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*). Holotype ♂, and two paratype ♀ in ZMHU, Berlin.

Described from a holotype male and an "allotype" female in the Schoenck collection, and a paratype female in the Möschler collection, all from "Surinam", and actually the property of the Berlin museum.

homonyma Bryk, 1939:656.

Name proposed by Bryk as a replacement name for the preoccupied *Prepona rothschildi amazonica* Le Moul. See *amazonica*.

hondurensis Le Moul, 1932:7 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudojoiceyi*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Honduras S. Pedro Sula E. Wittkugel/ 6.28/ Prepona pseudojoiceyi s/sp. Hondurensis Holotype E. Le Moul/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll.'

The original material, very probably just this single specimen, is noted in the description as coming from the Joicey collection.

horracki Le Moul't, 1932:4, pl.1, fig. 5 (as ab. of *Prepona joiceyi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Tucupita.

interrupta Le Moul't, 1932:13 (as ab. ♀ of *Prepona rothschildi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Bas Maroni.

joiceyi Le Moul't, 1932:3, pl.1, fig. 1 (as sp. of *Prepona*). 1 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes (BMNH).

1 ♂, 'Vénézuéla, delta de l'Orénoque/ *Prepona joiceyi* nov. sp. Holotype ♂ E. Le Moul't/9390/ BMNH Rhopalocera Slide No. 107/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♀, 'Tucupita (Venezuela) Coll. Le Moul't/ *Prepona joiceyi* nov. sp. Allotype ♀ E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

P. joiceyi is probably a synonym of *louisa* Butler, which, although originally described as from "Cuba", is almost certainly based on a continental south american specimen.

lesoudieri Le Moul't, 1932:vii (as sp. of *Prepona*), *nomen nudum*.

Four specimens (3 ♂, 1 ♀) in the BMNH presented by Claude Lemaire from the Le Moul't collection, and twelve specimens (7 ♂, 5 ♀) in the AME purchased from the Le Moul't auction, bear this invalid name; Le Moul't's description, no doubt intended to appear in the next part of his 'étude', was never published. There are various manuscript subspecies names also attached to some of the specimens.

lichyi Le Moul't, 1932:16, pl.2, figs 3, 4 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

1 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes, in coll. René Lichy, bequeathed to the BMNH (see introduction).

Described from "Guazacapan, Guatemala", from material collected by Lichy; whether or not this locality should be corrected to "El Naranjo" is not clear (see note under *guatemalensis*, above).

liliana Le Moul't, 1932:13 (as sp. of *Prepona*). 1 ♂, 3 ♀ syntypes (BMNH).

1 ♂, 'Guyane Française/ *Prepona liliana* nov. sp. Holotype ♂ E. Le Moul't/ 9386/ BMNH Rhopalocera Slide No. 105/ Ex. E. Le Moul't Coll.'. 1 ♀, 'Guyane Française St-Jean du Maroni Coll. Le Moul't/ *Prepona liliana* nov. sp. Allotype ♀ E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'. 2 ♀, 'Guyane Française St-Jean du Maroni Coll. Le Moul't / *Prepona liliana* nov. sp. Paratypes Le Moul't det./ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'.

Described from "Moyen Maroni". Three further female specimens in the BMNH may be additional syntypes.

maroniensis Le Moul't, 1932:12 (as subsp. of *Prepona philipponi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from "Maroni, Guyane Française".

marquei Le Moul't, 1932:12 (as ab. of *Prepona philipponi maroniensis*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Guyane Maroni/ *Prepona philipponi* s/sp. maroniensis ab. marquei/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

Probably described from this single specimen.

moreau Le Moul't, 1932:11, pl.3, figs 2, 7 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*).

2 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes (BMNH); 1 ♂ syntype, (AME). 1 ♂, 'Guyane Française/ *Prepona omphale* sp.sp. moreau nov. s/sp. Holotype ♂ E. Le Moul't/9372/ BMNH Rhopalocera Slide No. 100/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

1 ♂, 'Guyane Francaise/ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. moreaui nov. s/sp. Paratypes ♂ Le Moutl det./ Ex E. Le Moutl Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♀, 'Guyane Francaise St-Jean du Maroni Coll. Le Moutl/ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. moreaui nov. s/sp. Allotype ♀ E. Le Moutl/ Ex E. Le Moutl Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♂ (AME), 'Maroni, Guyane', ex coll. Moreau, ex coll. Rousseau-Decelle.

Described from "Bas Maroni, Guyane Francaise".

naranjensis Le Moutl, 1932:7, pl.2, fig. 1 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*). 1 ♂ syntype, in coll. René Lichy, bequeathed to the BMNH (see introduction).

Described from El Naranjo, Guatemala, from material collected by Lichy.

nigerrima Le Moutl, 1932:12 (as ab. of *Prepona philipponi maroniensis*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Maroni Guyane/ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. moreaui ab. nigerrima nov. ab. Holotype E. Le Moutl/ Genitalia 349/ Ex E. Le Moutl Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

The abdomen of this specimen was obviously removed and dissected, but has evidently been lost. This is apparently one of a few specimens which, having been dissected, lack a 'Reverdin number'; possibly this indicates that the preparation was never made into a permanent slide.

nigrescens Le Moutl, 1932:10 (as ab. of *Prepona omphale subdives*). Holotype ♂ (BMNH). '55.22. Muzo or Villivencia, Colombia. Dec.-March. Apoll. Maria./ Coll. J./ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. subdives ab. nigrescens nov. ab. Holotype E. Le Moutl/ Joicey Bequest'.

Described from a single specimen in the Joicey collection.

nigrobasalis Le Moutl, 1932:6 (as ab. of *Prepona joiceyi pebana*). Holotype ♂ in ZMHU, Berlin.

Described from a single specimen from Pebas, Peru, in the Berlin museum.

orinocensis Le Moutl, 1932:16 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Tucupita (Venezuela) Coll. Le Moutl/ *Prepona pseudomphale* s/sp. Orinocensis Holotype ♂ Le Moutl/ Ex E. Le Moutl Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

overlaeti Le Moutl, 1932:4 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'loc. 1. Orenoque Venezuela Col. Le Moutl/ *Prepona joiceyi* s/sp. dufayi nov. ab. Holotype ♂ E. Le Moutl/ Ex E. Le Moutl Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

The name "dufayi" on Le Moutl's determination label has been crossed through in red ink; there seems no doubt that dufayi is a manuscript name replaced by *overlaeti* in Le Moutl's published work.

panamensis Le Moutl, 1932:11 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*). 2 ♂ syntypes (BMNH). 1 ♂, 'Lino Panama 800m Coll. Fassl/ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. panamensis nov. s/sp./ Holotype/ Ex E. Le Moutl Coll.'. 1 ♂, 'Lino Panama 800m Coll. Fassl/ Ex. E. Le Moutl Coll.'.

paraensis Le Moutl, 1932:6 (as subsp. of *Prepona [joiceyi]*). Holotype ♂ in ZMHU, Berlin.

Described from a single specimen from Para, in the Berlin museum.

pebana Le Moutl, 1932:6 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from a male holotype and a series of male paratypes, from North East Peru.

philipponi Le Moutl, 1932:12 (as sp. of *Prepona*). Holotype ♂, 2 ♂ paratypes

(BMNH). Holotype, 'Santa Fe de Bogota/ celui de la col. Philippon est etiquet pas error holotype. E. Le Moul. Holotype Philipponi. Colombie/ Genitalia 353/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll.'. 1 paratype, 'Interior of Colombia. J. Carder/ Ex Coll. Herbert Druce. 1913/ Coll. J. / Prepona Philipponi nov. sp. Paratype ♂ E. Le Moul/ Ex Coll. E. Le Moul'. 1 paratype, 'Colomb/ Ex. Grose Smith, 1910/ Coll. J./ Prepona Philipponi nov. sp. Paratype ♂ E. Le Moul/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll.'.

The abdomen of the holotype has been dissected, but the preparation is apparently lost (see note under *nigerrima*, above).

Four further males in the BMNH from Colombia, purchased from the Le Moul collection, probably belong to the original paratype series.

poleti Le Moul, 1932:5 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Teffe Amazone/ Prepona joiceyi s/sp. poleti nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

Described from specimens in the Le Moul collection and the Moreau collection.

pseudodives Le Moul, 1932:5 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from male specimens from "Santa-Fe de Bogota, Colombie", in the Le Moul collection and in the Moreau collection.

pseudojoiceyi Le Moul, 1932:7 (as sp. of *Prepona*). 1 ♀ syntype (BMNH). 'Guyane Française St-Jean du Maroni Coll. Le Moul/ Prepona pseudojoiceyi nov. sp. Holotype ♀ E. Le Moul/ Ex. E. Le Moul Coll.'.

pseudomphale Le Moul, 1932:14 (as sp. of *Prepona*). 3 ♂, 1 ♀ syntypes (BMNH). 1 ♂, 'Itaituba. 4. Tapajoz./ Prepona pseudomphale nov. sp. Holotype E. Le Moul/9385/ BMNH Rhopalocera Slide No. 104/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♂, 1 ♀, 'Itaituba, Rio Tapajoz/ Prepona pseudomphale nov. sp. Paratype E. Le Moul/ Ex. E. Le Moul Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♂, 'Itaituba Rio Tapajoz Coll. Le Moul/ Prepona pseudomphale nov. sp. Paratype ♂ E. Le Moul/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll.'.

Pseudoprepona Le Moul, 1932:vii (as a genus). Type-species: *Papilio demophon* Linnaeus, by original designation.

Le Moul introduced this generic name in the introduction to his 'Etude', expressing the view that *Prepona s.l.* as divisible into two genera, *Prepona s.s.* and *Pseudoprepona*. The latter name is invalid, being an objective synonym of the earlier generic name *Archaeoprepona* Fruhstorfer, 1916. This is rather fortunate, since Le Moul's name is one of the few generic names overlooked by Hemming (1967) in his catalogue, and by Cowan (1970) in his supplements to Hemming.

reducta Le Moul, 1932:10 (as ab. of *Prepona omphale subdives*). Holotype ♂ (BMNH). 'Muzo. Colombia/ Prepona omphale s/sp. subdives ab. reducta ♂ nov. ab. Holotype E. Le Moul/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

reducta Le Moul, 1932:14 (as ab. ♂ of *Prepona pseudomphale*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Itaituba, Rio Tapajoz.

rothschildi Le Moul, 1932:12, pl.3, figs 1, 6 (as sp. of *Prepona*). 4 ♂, 2 ♀ syntypes (BMNH). 1 ♂, 'Guyane Française Gou[-]Jonville Rivière de Kourou/ Prepona rothschildi ♂ nov. sp. Holotype E. Le Moul/9382/ BMNH Rhopalocera Slide No. 102/ Ex E. Le Moul Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♀, 'Guyane Française

St-Jean du Maroni Coll. Le Moul't/ *Prepona rothschildi* ♀ nov. sp. Allotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 2 ♂, 1 ♀, 'Guyane Française St-Jean du Maroni Coll. Le Moul't/ *Prepona rothschildi* nov. sp. Paratype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♂, 'Guyane Française Guatemala Rivière de Kourou/ *Prepona rothschildi* nov. sp. Paratype ♂ E. Le Moul't/ Ex. E. Le Moul't Coll.'.

Described from "Bas Maroni, Guyane Française".

saglioi Le Moul't, 1932:15 (as ab. of *Prepona pseudomphale guiensis*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from "Guyane".

schausi Le Moul't, 1932:11 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*). Holotype ♀ (BMNH). 'Quirigua, Gua./ 87.21. 4000-5000 ft. August/ Schaus and Barnes coll/ Coll. J./ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. Scahusi ♀ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Joicey Bequest'.

sinuosa Le Moul't, 1932:5 (as ab. of *Prepona joiceyi pseudodives*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from a holotype specimen from Bogota in the Le Moul't collection and a paratype from Tolima, collected by M.A. Marina, in the Joicey collection.

smithi Le Moul't, 1932:10 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*). Holotype ♂ (BMNH). 'Ex Grose Smith, 1910./ Coll. J. / *Prepona omphale* s/sp. Smithi ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Joicey Bequest'.

Described from a single specimen in the Joicey collection, noted as having no precise locality data.

steinbachi Le Moul't, 1932:16 (as ab. of *Prepona pseudomphale talboti*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Buenavista, Bolivie Dep. Santa-Cruz Coll. Le Moul't/ *Prepona pseudomphale* ♂ s/sp. buenavista Steinbachi nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

Le Moul't altered his determination label in various ways, including crossing through the name *talboti*.

subadunca Le Moul't, 1932:5 (as ab. of *Prepona joiceyi bouvieri*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from St. Jean du Maroni, French Guyana.

subamesia Le Moul't, 1932:10 (as ab. of *Prepona omphale subdives*). Holotype ♂ (BMNH). 'Muzo Colombie E. Le Moul't/ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. subdives ab. sumamesia [sic] ♂ nov. ab. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

Described from a series in the Le Moul't collection, including two specimens formerly in the Joicey collection, and three specimens in the Philippon collection.

subdives Le Moul't, 1932:9 (as subsp. of *Prepona omphale*). Holotype ♂ (BMNH). 'Muzo Columbia/ *Prepona omphale* s/sp. subdives nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. ? 1 ♂ paratype (AME). 'Guaicaramo, Colombia/ *Prepona rothschildi*, Paratype'.

Described from a series of specimens from Muzo, Honda, Villavicencio, Fusagasuga, Guaicaramo and Bogota, including three specimens in the Philippon collection and in the former Joicey collection.

subomphale Le Moul't, 1932:16, pl.2, fig.2 (as sp. of *Prepona*). Holotype ♂, paratype ("allotype") ♀ (BMNH). Holotype, 'Guatemala/599 / *Prepona*

subomphale nov. sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'. Paratype, 'Guaz. Juil. 1926/ Prepona subomphale nov. sp. Allotype ♀ E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'.

The female specimen is noted in the description as from Guazacapan, Guatemala.

talboti Le Moul't, 1932:16 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*). 2 ♂ syntypes (BMNH). 1 ♂, 'River System Cuyaba-Corumba Matto Grosso Brazil/ Coll. J./ Prepona pseudomphale s/sp. Talboti ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'. 1 ♂, the same data except 'Prepona pseudomphale s/sp. Talboti ♂ nov. s/sp. Paratype E. Le Moul't'.

Described from a 'holotype series' from Buenavista, and various 'paratype' specimens, including material from Cuyaba formerly in the Joicey collection; all the type material should be treated as syntypic.

tapajona Le Moul't, 1932:6 (as subsp. of *Prepona joiceyi*). Holotype ♀ (BMNH). 'Urucurituba Tapajoz Collon. Le Moul't Naturaliste, Paris/ Prepona Joiceyi s/sp. Tapajona ♀ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'.

trinitensis Le Moul't, 1932:7 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudojoiceyi*). Holotype ♂ (BMNH). 'Trinidad, 1914, W. Buthn./ Coll. J./ Prepona pseudojoiceyi s/sp. trinitensis ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Joicey Bequest'.

ucayali Le Moul't, 1932:6 (as ab. of *Prepona joiceyi pebana*). Holotype ♂ in ZMNU, Berlin.

Described from a single specimen collected by O. Michael in 1896 on the Ucayali river, Peru, and deposited in the Berlin museum.

venezuelensis Le Moul't, 1932:13 (as subsp. of *Prepona rothschildi*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Tucupita (Venezuela) Coll. Le Moul't/ Prepona Rothschildi s/sp. venezuelensis ♂ Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll.'.

violacea Le Moul't, 1932:4, pl.1, fig.2 (as ab. of *Prepona joicey* [sic]).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Tucupita.

violaceapicalis Le Moul't, 1932:13 (as ab. ♀ of *Prepona rothschildi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Bas-Maroni, apparently from a single specimen.

violacelineata Le Moul't, 1932:13 (as ab. ♀ of *Prepona rothschildi*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Bas-Maroni, apparently from a single specimen.

violaceoconjuncta Le Moul't, 1932:15 (as ♀ f. of *Prepona pseudomphale guiensis*). Holotype ♀ (BMNH). 'Guyane Française Passoura Rivière de Kourou/ Coll. J./ Prepona pseudomphale s/sp. guiensis ♀ ab. violaceoconjuncta nov. ab. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Joicey Bequest'.

Described from a single specimen, from "Maroni", in the Joicey collection.

violaceopunctata Le Moul't, 1932:15 (as ab. ♂ of *Prepona pseudomphale*). 1 ♂ syntype (BMNH). 'Itaituba Rio Tapajoz Amazonas/ Prepona pseudomphale ab. violaceopunctata nov. ab. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Ex E. Le Moul't Coll. Pres. C. Lemaire'.

yahnas Le Moul't, 1932:16 (as subsp. of *Prepona pseudomphale*). Holotype ♂

(BMNH). 'Yahuas Terr. Peru./ Coll. J./ *Prepona pseudomphale* s/sp. yahuas ♂ nov. s/sp. Holotype E. Le Moul't/ Joicey Bequest'.

Note the published spelling *yahnas* instead of 'yahuas'.

yanowski Le Moul't, 1932:14 (as ab. ♀ of *Prepona lilianae*).

Whereabouts of type material unknown.

Described from Bas Maroni.

yurimaguas Le Moul't, 1932:6 (as ab. of *Prepona joiceyi pebana*). Holotype in ZMHU, Berlin.

Described from a single specimen from Yurimaguas, in the Berlin museum.

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