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**T**HIS, the second entomology number of this Journal, is introduced by an account and bibliography of the work of the department of entomology of the University of Kansas. The volume itself is intended as a tribute, in a small measure, to the work of the founder of the department.\* Doctor Snow, a member of the faculty of the University of Kansas from the foundation of the University, was for many years professor of natural history, and his impress, especially on the museum side, on so many branches of this subject, is such that those who are now going over his work marvel at the wonderful capacity of the man. He was, as well, a great, desirable teacher. Entomology is very early shown to have been his favorite branch. It is especially fitting that the accomplishments in his favorite work should be recorded, and it seems best to present these chronologically.

The scope and activity of the department of entomology of the University of Kansas is therefore probably best shown by a transcript from the records of the department giving the work accomplished and official publications issued.

\* It is regretted by the author that the arrangement under which this Journal is now published is such that prolonged delays sometimes prevent its regular appearance. But for this reason this issue would have appeared at a much earlier date.

## ORDER DIPTERA. (NORTH AMERICAN LIST.)

*Oscinidæ.*

- Chlorops albifacies Adams. ✓  
 appropinqua Adams. ✓  
 bilineata Adams. ✓  
 cinereipennis Adams. ✓  
 halteralis Adams. ✓  
 ingrata Will.  
 liturata Adams. ✓  
 parva Adams. ✓  
 recurva Adams. ✓  
 rubicunda Adams. ✓  
 Hippelates splendens Adams.  
 Elachiptera bilineata Adams.  
 Oscinis collusor Towns.  
 incipiens Will.

*Drosophilidæ.*

- Drosophila coffeata Will.  
 ornatipennis Will.  
 pallida Will.

*Agromyzidæ.*

- Agromyza lateralis Will.  
 sorosis Will.  
 Ophthalmomyia lacteipennis Loew.  
 lobioptera Will.

*Hippoboscidæ.*

- Trichobius dugesii Towns.

*Nycteribiidæ.*

- Nycteribia antrozoi Towns.

## ORDER LEPIDOPTERA.

*Hesperidæ.*

- Pyrgus nessus Edw. (Cotype.)  
 polingii Barnes.  
 occidentalis Skinner.  
 Heteropia melon, var. arizonensis Skinner.  
 Megathymus polingii Skinner.

*Saturniidæ.*

- Hyperchiria zephyria Grt.

*Syntomidæ.*

- Cosmosoma rubrogutta Skinner.  
 Syntomeida befana Skinner.  
 Scepasis packardii, var. cocklei Dyar.

*Lithosiidæ.*

- Ruscino arida Skinner.

*Arctiidæ.*

- Alexicles aspersa Grt.  
 Pygoctenucha funerea Grt.  
 Hemihyalea labecula Grt.  
 Bertholdia trigona Grt.