

**Distributional Notes on *Atrytone Dion*, Race  
*Alabama* Lindsey (Lepidoptera, Rhopalocera,  
Hesperiidae)**

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This race was described by Dr. A. W. Lindsey (*Ent. News*, July, 1923) from a male specimen (W. C. Dukes, coll., June 25, 1922, Mobile Co., Ala.) E. L. Bell collected a female at Chickasaw, Ala., Sept. 1, 1925 (*Jour. N. Y. Entom. Soc.*, XXIV, Sept., 1926). Since that time, *alabamae* has been taken in restricted areas by Dr. Austin Clark, in the Dahl Swamp, Accomac, Va., and in the Dismal Swamp of southeastern Virginia. Mr. Bell reports the individuals from the Dahl Swamp to be in most cases still darker than the type of *alabamae*. Interestingly enough, typical *dion* also occurs in colonies in Virginia.

During 1930, I caught one male (June 13) and two females (July 17, 27) of *alabamae* one-half mile from the Arkansas River at Rose City, North Little Rock, Arkansas. They were feeding on *Petunia* blossoms. These three specimens, when compared with typical *dion* from Michigan and New Jersey, met perfectly Lindsey's original description of *alabamae*, and the description of the female by E. L. Bell.