

Genus **APSARASA.**

Apsarasa, Moore, P. Z. S. 1867, p. 665..... Type.
radians.

Proboscis fully developed; palpi upturned, the 2nd joint reaching about to middle of frons and very broadly scaled, the 3rd moderate; frons with rounded prominence with beak-like process at extremity; eyes large, round; antennæ of male laminate, minutely ciliated; thorax clothed almost entirely with scales and without crests; tibiæ smoothly scaled; abdomen with some rough hair at base and crest on basal segment. Fore wing rather narrow, the apex much rounded, the termen evenly curved and not crenulate; veins 3 and 5 from near angle of cell; 6 from upper angle; 9 from 10 anastomosing with 8 to form the areole; 11 from cell. Hind wing with veins 3, 4 very shortly stalked; 5 obsolescent from middle of discocellulars; 6, 7 from upper angle; 8 anastomosing with the cell near base only.

A. Palpi with white patch at extremity of 2nd joint; tegulæ with yellow patch.

a. Fore wing with medial yellow band on inner area; hind wing with the white patch extending to vein 1

nigrocærulea.

b. Fore wing with quadrate medial yellow patch on inner area; hind wing with the white patch not extending below vein 2 except at termen.....

atramenta.

B. Palpi without white at extremity of 2nd joint; tegulæ with two yellow bands.

a. Hind wing with the white patch extending almost to cell

radians.

b. Hind wing with irregular white patch on termen

figurata.