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Male description of *Eutetrapha velutinofasciata* Pic, with a new synonym (Coleoptera: Cerambycidae: Lamiinae: Saperdini)

Eutetrapha velutinofasciata Pic was established for a unique female specimen from Beijing, China. Breuning (1952) transferred it to the genus *Paraglenea* Bates based on one additional female specimen from Inn-shan (China: Inner Mongolia), a transfer which was not widely accepted. We describe the male and postulate the host plant for the first time. Habitus photographs as well as illustrations of the male genitalia and claws are presented. After careful examination of both the holotype of *E. velutinofasciata* Pic, and the holotype, one paratype, as well as a series of specimens including males and females of *Paraglenea nigromaculata* Wang *et Jiang*, *P. nigromaculata* Wang *et Jiang* was found to be a junior synonym of *E. velutinofasciata* Pic.

Materials and Methods

Most specimens examined are deposited in the Insect Collection of the Institute of Zoology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing. The holotype of *Eutetrapha velutinofasciata* Pic was borrowed from the Muséum national d'Histoire Naturelle, Paris. Types of *Paraglenea nigromaculata* Wang *et* Jiang are deposited in the insect collection, Southwest Agricultural University, Chongqing, China. Dr. Li Chen examined the holotype and exchanged one paratype.

Eutetrapha velutinofasciata Pic, 1939 (Figs. 1-3)

Eutetrapha velutinofasciata Pic, 1939: 2 (type locality: Beijing).

Paraglenea velutinofasciata: Breuning, 1952: 130.

Paraglenea nigromaculata Wang et Jiang, 2002: 146 (type locality: Inner Mongolia, Shanxi, Shaanxi). syn. nov.

Type material: holotype (of *Eutetrapha velutinofasciata* Pic), female, **China:** Beijing, VI.31, leg. E. Licent; holotype (of *Paraglenea nigromaculata* Wang *et* Jiang), male, **China:** Shaanxi, Yan'an [36°35'N, 109°28'E], 1980, leg. Yizhi Sun; paratype (of *Paraglenea nigromaculata* Wang *et* Jiang), 1 female, **China:** Inner Mongolia, Huhhot [40°52'N, 111°39'E], Datai, 1964.VI. 21, leg. Xinhua Liu.

Additional material: China: 1 male, Heilongjiang, Wuying, 1980.VII.18; 1 female, Inner Mongolia, Huhhot, 1961.VIII.4 (host plant: *Populus*); 1 male, Inner Mongolia, Chayouzhongqi, 1981.VII.15; 1 male, Inner Mongolia, Wumeng, 1981.VII.14 (host plant: *Populus*); 1 female, Beijing, Badaling, alt. 700 m, 1961.VIII.3, leg. Xuezhong Zhang; 1 female, Beijing, Badaling, alt. 700 m, 1964.VII.23, leg. Subai Liao; 1 male, Hebei, Mt. Xiaowutaishan, Huichuan, alt. 1400 m, 1964.VII.14, leg. Yinheng Han; 1 female, Hebei, Xuanhua, alt. 640 m, 1964.IX.17, leg. Youheng Wang.