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J. BUSZKO : Noctuidae, in : Klucze do oznaczania owadów Polski (Keys for the Identification of Polish Insects), Nr. 135, Part 27, Lepidoptera, Fasc. 53 g (in Polish), 17 pp., paperback 17 × 24 cm. Państwowe Wydawnictwo Naukowe, Warszawa-Wrocław, 1985. Price zł 30.

This volume is the fifth part in the series of keys for the identification of the Polish Noctuidae (see *Nota lepid.* 7: 88), and deals with the small subfamily Bryophilinae. Nine species are treated, seven of which occur in Poland and two of which could possibly be found. The present key follows the same style as all those previously published. The selected bibliography comprises 5 titles.

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J. BUSZKO & E. BARANIAK : Roeslerstammiidae, Acrolepiidae, Orthotaeliidae, in : Klucze do oznaczania owadów Polski (Keys for the Identification of Polish Insects), Nr. 134, Part 27, Lepidoptera, Fasc. 17, 18 (in Polish), 31 pp., paperback 17 × 24 cm. Państwowe Wydawnictwo Naukowe, Warszawa-Wrocław, 1985. Price zł 60.

The present volume deals with three families of the microlepidoptera : Roeslerstammiidae with 2 species, Acrolepiidae with 10 species of which the occurrence of two is considered possible in Poland, and Orthotaeliidae with 1 species.

A review of the systematic position and characteristics of the families begins this work. Keys for the identification of genera and species are based on wing pattern and genitalia of both sexes. All species are briefly described, including diagnostic characters, bionomy, general distribution and occurrence in Poland, and are well illustrated by line-drawings of external and internal features, most of which were prepared by the authors. Only some figures of wing patterns seem to be too schematic, e.g. *Digitivalva pulicariae* (fig. 37). A bibliography (8 titles) and an index to the scientific names complete this issue.

This volume will be welcomed mainly by Polish lepidopterists, but it could also be useful to microlepidopterists elsewhere in Europe.

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