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### CERCYONIS PEGALA NEPHELE (SATYRIDAE) AT FLUORESCENT LIGHT

Having read the recent notices of Rhopalocera taken at light, both in the *Journal of the Lepidopterists' Society* and the *Entomologist's Record and Journal of Variation*, I was most interested to find another species attracted to fluorescent light. While collecting Noctuidae in the company of John Newman at Morenci, Michigan, on the evening of July 31, 1965, using a 15-watt "BL" fluorescent black light suspended before a white sheet on a frame, a male *Cercyonis pegala nephele* (Kirby) was seen to fly at the lighted sheet and react in the same manner as a nocturnal insect. It was obviously attracted by the light, and soon settled upon the ground flap.

Due to the location of the apparatus and other circumstances, it is safe to say that the butterfly was not mechanically disturbed from its resting place, but was actually drawn by the lamp. We had seen the species occasionally while collecting in the afternoon. The specimen was taken at approximately 10:30 P.M., and a light rain of over two hours' duration had just ceased, reinforcing the certainty of attraction.

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