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**Bug of the Month**  
**Calophasia lunula**



The toadflaxes are beautiful flowering plants in the snapdragon family but they are not native to North America and when they escape into rangelands and forests they become noxious weeds.

Toadflaxes do not provide good forage and infestations destroy the land for grazing by livestock and wildlife.

Larvae of the toadflax moth, *Calophasia lunula* feed on both Dalmatian and yellow toadflax. The larvae are brightly colored and large, making them one of the most attractive biocontrol agents currently available through the Palisade Insectary.