SATIN MOTH (*Leucoma salicis*)

Caterpillars grow up to 5 cm long and appear in May and late July. They pupate shortly after, emerging as a white moth in July to lay eggs on leaves. Emerging larvae skeletonize poplar and willows until fall, when they overwinter in a silken cocoon-like bag attached to trunks or branches. (See caterpillars.)



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Satin Moth Larvae (Leucoma salicis)