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Cover Photo: Murphysboro Marsh in winter.

## Murphysboro Marsh

Robert H. Mohlenbrock

A little known one-acre wetland habitat about one mile north of Murphysboro in Jackson County has long been known as a unique natural area since its discovery by Raymond Hatcher and the author during the summer of 1948 while we were still in high school. For want of a better name, we called it the Murphysboro Marsh, and that name is applied today to it by the few people who know of its existence.

The area is nearly circular and treeless in the center where the water is deepest. Surrounding the marsh is a dense woodland border of green ash (Fraxinus lanceolata), sweet gum (Liquidambar styraciflua), red maple (Acer rubrum), slippery elm (Ulmus rubra), swamp chestnut oak (Quercus michauxii), and black willow (Salix nigra).

The marsh itself is not visible from the country road that passes within 50 feet of it, but a roadside ditch full of aquatic plants and a dense hedge of swamp rose (Rosa palustris) mark the area from the road.

Plants in the wet ditch include arrowhead (Sagittaria latifolia), water plantain (Alisma plantago-aquatica var. parviflorum), wild blue iris (Iris shrevei), small buttercup (Ranunculus pusillus), parsley buttercup (Ranunculus sceleratus), manna grass (Glyceria striata), perfoliate boneset (Eupatorium perfoliatum), ground bean (Apios americana), and several sedges (Scirpus cyperinus, Carex lurida, C. vulpinoidea, C. tribuloides, C. squarrosa, C. frankii, and C. shortiana).

But it is the marsh itself that is the center of attraction. The area is bog-like, and it is unwise and usually impossible to walk into the depth of the marsh without

sinking in to one's knees. Voigt and Mohlenbrock (1964) described the area as "a seepage area" in which "a small spring flows onto low ground where drainage is poor, and this results in a marshy condition throughout the year. . From the immediate area of the orifice may be found water starwort (Callitriche heterophylla), while along the course of its flow to lower ground is a dense stand of tear thumb (Polygonum sagittatum)."

The deepest area is dominated by marsh goldenrod (Solidago patula) and marsh fern (Thelypteris palustris var. pubescens), two species generally not found elsewhere in extreme southern Illinois. Dominant sedges are Carex crus-corvi, C. crinita, C. stipata, C. comosa, and C. lanuginosa.

In the wooded border, smooth arrowwood (Viburnum recognitum) is common, and the hairy buttonbush (Cephalanthus occidentalis var. pubescens) is present. Growing in the transition zone between the marsh and its drier border are swan's sedge (Carex swanii), false nettle (Boehmeria cylindrica var. drummondiana), and white turtlehead (Chelone glabra).

This small area is privately owned, but efforts should be made to acquire it for an Illinois Nature Preserve so that this unusual habitat in southern Illinois can be preserved.

#### Literature Cited

- Voigt, J. W. & R. H. Mohlenbrock. 1964. Plant Communities of Southern Illinois. Southern Illinois University Press, Carbondale. 202 pp.

# Taxa New to Illinois in Guide to The Vascular Flora of Illinois, Revised and Enlarged Edition

Robert H. Mohlenbrock

One hundred eighty taxa of vascular plants are included in the Guide to the Vascular Flora of Illinois, Revised and Enlarged Edition (1986) that were not in the previous edition (1975). These additions during the decade represent newly discovered taxa in Illinois or, in a few instances, taxa which are now recognized as distinct but were not considered distinct in 1975.

An analysis of these 180 additions provides some interesting data. Nine of the additions, including four hybrids, are ferns. All are considered native in Illinois. Four species are gymnosperms, all introduced. Of the thirteen additional grasses, only five are native. In addition to the grasses and ferns, there are 80 new adventive herbs and 42 new native herbs. Among the broad-leaved woody plant additions, 25 are adventive and 7 are native.

In summary, there are 32 additional woody taxa and 148 additional herbaceous taxa. One hundred seventeen of the additions are adventive, 63 are native.

A number of taxa included in the 1975 work have been reduced to synonymy and no longer are recognized.

The overall total number of taxa in the Guide to the Vascular Flora of Illinois, Revised and Enlarged Edition (1986) is 3,203.

The following list contains the 180 taxa of vascular plants added to the Illinois flora between 1975 and 1986. The sequence follows that found in the new edition.

- Selaginella eclipses Buck SELAGINELLACEAE  
Botrychium oneidense (Gilb.) House OPHIOGLOSSACEAE  
Gymnocarpium robertianum (Hoffm.) Newm. ASPLENIACEAE  
Dryopteris filix-mas (L.) Schott ASPLENIACEAE  
Asplenium X shawneense (R.C. Moran) ASPLENIACEAE  
Asplenium trichomanes L. ssp. quadrivalens D.E. Meyer  
 ASPLENIACEAE  
Cystopteris X illinoensis Moran ASPLENIACEAE  
Cystopteris X laurentiana (Weatherby) Blasd. ASPLENIACEAE  
Cystopteris X tenuis (Michx.) Desv. ASPLENIACEAE  
Picea mariana (Mill.) BSP. PINACEAE  
Picea abies (L.) Karst. PINACEAE  
Pinus walllichiana A.B. Jacks. PINACEAE  
Pinus nigra Arnold PINACEAE  
Bromus carinatus Hook. POACEAE  
Bromus squarrosus L. POACEAE  
Calamagrostis neglecta (Ehrh.) Gaertn. POACEAE  
Hordeum geniculatum All. POACEAE  
Diarrhena americana Beauv. var. obovata Gl. POACEAE  
Paspalum laeve Michx. var. circulare (Nash) Fern. POACEAE  
Paspalum dilatatum Poir. POACEAE  
Andropogon hallii Hack. POACEAE  
Andropogon ternarius Michx. POACEAE  
Sporobolus ozarkanus Fern. POACEAE  
Leptochloa uninervia (Presl) Hitchc. & Chase POACEAE  
Zoysia japonica Steud. POACEAE  
Pennisetum alopecuroides (L.) Spreng. POACEAE  
Cyperus retrorsus Chapm. CYPERACEAE  
Eleocharis parvula (Roem. & Schult.) Link CYPERACEAE  
Scirpus mucronatus L. CYPERACEAE  
Scleria oligantha Michx. CYPERACEAE  
Calla palustris L. ARACEAE  
Tradescantia subaspera Ker var. montana (Shuttlew.) Anders.  
 & Woodson COMMELINACEAE  
Liriope spicata Lour. LILIACEAE  
Allium fistulosum L. LILIACEAE  
Erythronium mesochoreum Knerr LILIACEAE  
Ornithogalum natans L. LILIACEAE  
Lycoris radiata Herb. LILIACEAE  
Dioscorea batatas Dcne. DIOSCOREACEAE  
Iris flavescens DC. IRIDACEAE  
Thalia dealbata Roscoe MARANTACEAE  
Spiranthes romanzoffiana Cham. ORCHIDACEAE  
Isotria medeoloides (Willd.) Raf. ORCHIDACEAE  
Betula pumila L. var. glabra Regel BETULACEAE

- Betula pumila L. var. glandulifera Regel BETULACEAE  
Corylus rostrata Ait. CORYLACEAE  
Castanea mollissima Blume FAGACEAE  
Rumex longifolius DC. POLYGONACEAE  
Rumex cristatus DC. POLYGONACEAE  
Polygonum arenastrum Boreau POLYGONACEAE  
Polygonum neglectum Besser POLYGONACEAE  
Salsola collina Pallas CHENOPODIACEAE  
Corispermum nitidum Kit. CHENOPODIACEAE  
Atriplex glabriuscula Edmondston CHENOPODIACEAE  
Chenopodium pumilio R. Br. CHENOPODIACEAE  
Monolepis nuttalliana (R. & S.) Greene CHENOPODIACEAE  
Mirabilis jalapa L. NYCTAGINACEAE  
Cerastium semidecandrum L. CARYOPHYLLACEAE  
Ranunculus arvensis L. RANUNCULACEAE  
Ranunculus ficaria L. RANUNCULACEAE  
Eranthis hyemalis (L.) Salisb. RANUNCULACEAE  
Consolida regalis S.F. Gray RANUNCULACEAE  
Delphinium carolinianum Walt. var. penardii (Huth) Warnock  
RANUNCULACEAE  
Cimicifuga americana Michx. RANUNCULACEAE  
Aconitum uncinatum L. RANUNCULACEAE  
Calycanthus floridus L. CALYCANTHACEAE  
Dicentra eximia (Ker) Torr. PAPAVERACEAE  
Tamarix gallica L. TAMARICACEAE  
Cardamine pratensis L. var. palustris Wimm. & Grab.  
BRASSICACEAE  
Thlaspi perfoliatum L. BRASSICACEAE  
Matthiola incana (L.) R.Br. BRASSICACEAE  
Lunaria annua L. BRASSICACEAE  
Sedum rupestre L. CRASSULACEAE  
Sedum alboroseum Boreau CRASSULACEAE  
Rhodotypos scandens (Thunb.) Makino ROSACEAE  
Kerria japonica L. ROSACEAE  
Spiraea japonica L. ROSACEAE  
Prunus triloba Lindl. ROSACEAE  
Prunus padus L. ROSACEAE  
Amelanchier sanguinea (Pursh) DC. ROSACEAE  
Pyrus calleryana Dcne. ROSACEAE  
Rosa wichuriana Crep. ROSACEAE  
Rosa moschata Herrm. ROSACEAE  
Rosa rubrifolia Vill. ROSACEAE  
Rosa acicularis Lindl. ROSACEAE  
Potentilla reptans L. ROSACEAE  
Potentilla inclinata Vill. ROSACEAE



- Fragaria vesca L. ROSACEAE  
Filipendula ulmaria (L.) Maxim. ROSACEAE  
Porteranthus trifoliatus (L.) Britt. ROSACEAE  
Psoralea argophylla Pursh FABACEAE  
Lathyrus hirsutus L. FABACEAE  
Medicago falcata L. FABACEAE  
Canavalia ensiformis (L.) DC. FABACEAE  
Lespedeza X manniana Mack. & Bush FABACEAE  
Lespedeza daurica (Laxm.) Schindl. FABACEAE  
Lespedeza bicolor Turcz. FABACEAE  
Oxalis illinoensis Schwegm. OXALIDACEAE  
Geranium sanguineum L. GERANIACEAE  
Ruta graveolens L. RUTACEAE  
Phyllanthus urinaria L. EUPHORBIACEAE  
Croton lindheimerianus Scheele EUPHORBIACEAE  
Euphorbia hexagona Nutt. EUPHORBIACEAE  
Euphorbia lathyrus L. 1 EUPHORBIACEAE  
Chamaesyce prostrata (Ait.) Small EUPHORBIACEAE  
Toxicodendron toxicarium (Salisb.) Gillis ANACARDIACEAE  
Nemopanthus mucronatus (L.) Trelease AQUIFOLIACEAE  
Euonymus kiautschovica Loes. CELASTRACEAE  
Acer rubrum L. var. trilobum Koch ACERACEAE  
Rhamnus daurica Pall. RHAMNACEAE  
Viola tricolor L. VIOLACEAE  
Opuntia fragilis (Nutt.) Haw. CACTACEAE  
Thymelaea passerina (L.) Coss. & Germ. THYMELAEACEAE  
Elaeagnus multiflora Thunb. ELAEAGNACEAE  
Oenothera triloba Nutt. ONAGRACEAE  
Aralia elata Seem. ARALIACEAE  
Hydrocotyle ranunculoides L.f. APIACEAE  
Spermolepis echinata (Nutt.) Heller APIACEAE  
Anthriscus cerefolium (L.) Hoffm. APIACEAE  
Anthriscus sylvestris (L.) Hoffm. APIACEAE  
Chimaphila maculata (L.) Pursh PYROLACEAE  
Lysimachia fraseri Duby PRIMULACEAE  
Ligustrum obtusifolium Sieb. & Zucc. OLEACEAE  
Gentiana septemfida Pall. GENTIANACEAE  
Gentiana clausa Raf. GENTIANACEAE  
Asclepias speciosa Torr. ASCLEPIADACEAE  
Convolvulus incanus Vahl CONVOLVULACEAE  
Calystegia sepium (L.) R.Br. ssp. angulata Brummitt  
 CONVOLVULACEAE  
Calystegia sepium (L.) R.Br. ssp. erratica Brummitt  
 CONVOLVULACEAE  
Evolvulus pilosus Nutt. CONVOLVULACEAE

- Cuscuta gronovii Willd. var. latiflora Engelm. CUSCUTACEAE  
Gilia capitata Sims POLEMONIACEAE  
Phlox subulata L. POLEMONIACEAE  
Phlox maculata L. ssp. pyramidalis (J.E. Smith) Wherry  
 POLEMONIACEAE  
Phlox carolina L. ssp. angusta Wherry POLEMONIACEAE  
Phacelia gilioides A. Brand HYDROPHYLLACEAE  
Asperugo procumbens L. BORAGINACEAE  
Lycopus europaeus L. LAMIACEAE  
Ballota nigra L. LAMIACEAE  
Perilla frutescens (L.) Britt. var. crispa (Benth.) Deane  
 LAMIACEAE  
Solanum heterodoxum Dunal var. novomexicanum Bartl.  
 SOLANACEAE  
Physalis texana Rydb. SOLANACEAE  
Nicotiana longiflora Cav. SOLANACEAE  
Veronica agrestis L. SCROPHULARIACEAE  
Penstemon brevisepalus Pennell SCROPHULARIACEAE  
Penstemon canescens Britt. SCROPHULARIACEAE  
Penstemon gracilis Nutt. var. wisconsinensis (Pennell)  
 Bennett SCROPHULARIACEAE  
Verbascum speciosum Schrad. SCROPHULARIACEAE  
Lonicera dioica L. glaucescens (Rydb.) Butters  
 CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Lonicera japonica Thunb. var. chinensis (P.W. Wats.) Baker  
 CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Lonicera standishii Jacques CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Lonicera X xylosteoides Tausch. CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Lonicera ruprechtiana Regel CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Lonicera X muendeniensis Rehd. CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Lonicera X minutiflora Zabel CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Lonicera X muscaviensis Rehd. CAPRIFOLIACEAE  
Valeriana sitchensis Bong. ssp. uliginosa (Torr. & Gray)  
 F.G. Mey. VALERIANACEAE  
Valeriana chenopodifolia (Pursh) DC. VALERIANACEAE  
Knautia arvensis (L.) Coult. DIPSACACEAE  
Campanula glomerata L. CAMPANULACEAE  
Senecio jacobaea L. ASTERACEAE  
Solidago boottii Hook. ASTERACEAE  
Solidago neurolepis Fern. ASTERACEAE  
Solidago strigosa Small ASTERACEAE  
Aster undulatus L. ASTERACEAE  
Aster urophyllus Lindl. ASTERACEAE  
Sanvitalia procumbens Lam. ASTERACEAE  
Gaillardia aristata Pursh ASTERACEAE

- Cosmos bipinnatus Cav. ASTERACEAE  
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Helianthus X doronicoides Lam. ASTERACEAE  
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 ASTERACEAE  
Liatrix squarrulosa Michx. ASTERACEAE  
Pluchea odorata L. var. succulenta (Fern.) Cronq.  
 ASTERACEAE  
Artemisia pontica L. ASTERACEAE  
Thelesperma gracile (Torr.) Gray ASTERACEAE  
Crepis tectorum L. ASTERACEAE  
Lactuca hirsuta Muhl. var. sanguinea (Bigel.) Fern.  
 ASTERACEAE

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# New Distribution Data for Illinois Vascular Plants III

Robert H. Mohlenbrock

Continued field and herbarium research from 1984 to the present has resulted in several new vascular flora distributional additions for Illinois. This paper is an update of Mohlenbrock and Ladd (1978) and the first two supplements in this series (Mohlenbrock & Ladd, 1983; Mohlenbrock, 1985).

This paper is divided into two parts: a listing of additional distributional records for mapped taxa in Mohlenbrock & Ladd (1978), and a listing of taxa previously unmapped or unreported in the two preceding articles in this series. Some of the records listed below were previously reported by Hess, Podasky, & Stoyhoff (1986).

Although the nomenclature for more than 300 taxa in the Illinois flora has changed between the publications of Mohlenbrock & Ladd (1978) and Mohlenbrock (1986), the nomenclature in this paper adheres to that in Mohlenbrock & Ladd (1978) to permit ease in updating the distributional records.

All records listed in this paper have been confirmed by the author, who has more complete data, including herbaria where the specimens are deposited, in his files.

## Additional Distribution Records for Mapped Taxa

Acer rubrum var. trilobum: WILLIAMSON. Allium sativum: WILLIAMSON. Alnus glutinosa: HARDIN. Alyssum alyssoides: ROCK ISLAND. Amaranthus ambiguus: DEKALB, DUPAGE, KENDALL, TAZEWELL. Amaranthus cruentus: PEORIA. Amaranthus spinosus: TAZEWELL. Amphicarpa bracteata var. comosa: WILLIAMSON. Andropogon ternarius: SALINE. Arabidopsis thaliana: WILLIAMSON. Aralia spinosa: WILLIAMSON.

Aristolochia serpentaria: KENDALL, WILLIAMSON.  
Arrhenatherum elatius: POPE, WILLIAMSON. Asclepias  
quadrifolia: WOODFORD. Asclepias sullivantii: WASHINGTON.  
Asclepias viridiflora: LAWRENCE. Aster novae-angliae:  
 WILLIAMSON. Aster patens: WILLIAMSON. Aster shortii:  
 WILLIAMSON. Athyrium filix-femina var. asplenioides:  
 WILLIAMSON. Azolla mexicana: TAZEWELL.

Belamcanda chinensis: ROCK ISLAND. Berberis thunbergii:  
 WILLIAMSON. Betula nigra; WHITESIDE. Bidens cernua:  
 WILLIAMSON. Bouteloua curtipendula: CHAMPAIGN.  
Brachyelytrum erectum: WILLIAMSON. Brassica nigra; OGLE.  
Brassica rapa: WILLIAMSON. Bromus arvensis: WILLIAMSON.  
Bromus japonicus: WILLIAMSON.

Cacalia muhlenbergii: WILLIAMSON. Cardamine pensylvanica:  
 FULTON, WHITESIDE. Cardaria draba: PEORIA. Carex  
albursina: WILLIAMSON. Carex caroliniana: MARION. Carex  
comosa: BUREAU. Carex convoluta: WILLIAMSON. Carex  
emoryi: WILLIAMSON. Carex festucacea: WILLIAMSON. Carex  
gravida: MARION. Carex haydenii: MASON. Carex  
hystricina: WILLIAMSON. Carex lupulina: WHITESIDE. Carex  
lurida: BUREAU. Carex meadii: UNION. Carex  
muskingumensis: WOODFORD. Carex normalis: WILLIAMSON.  
Carex pensylvanica: WILLIAMSON. Carex scoparia:  
 WILLIAMSON. Carex tenera: WILLIAMSON. Carex tetanica:  
 MASON. Carex texensis: WILLIAMSON. Carex torta:  
 WILLIAMSON. Carex umbellata: WILLIAMSON. Carya laciniosa:  
 WILLIAMSON. Carya texana: WILLIAMSON. Caulophyllum  
thalictroides: WILLIAMSON. Celtis tenuifolia var.  
georgiana: WILLIAMSON. Cerastium brachypodum: ROCK  
 ISLAND. Cerastium pumilum: WILLIAMSON. Cerastium  
viscosum: COOK, MACOUPIN. Clitoria mariana: WILLIAMSON.  
Conium maculatum: MERCER. Corallorhiza odontorhiza:  
 SHELBY. Corallorhiza wisteriana: WILLIAMSON. Corispermum  
hyssopifolium: CARROLL. Crataegus crus-galli: ROCK  
 ISLAND. Crataegus monogyna: DUPAGE, PEORIA. Crataegus  
pruinosa: WILLIAMSON. Cyperus aristatus: LEE, WILLIAMSON.  
Cyperus filiculmis: PEORIA. Cyperus houghtonii:  
 WHITESIDE.

Descurainia sophia: PEORIA. Desmodium nudiflorum:  
 WILLIAMSON. Desmodium nuttallii: WILLIAMSON. Desmodium  
pauciflorum: WILLIAMSON. Diarrhena americana var. obovata:  
 FAYETTE. Dipsacus sylvestris: UNION, WILLIAMSON. Draba

verna: MACOUPIN. Dyssodia papposa: LIVINGSTON.

Elodea canadensis: JACKSON, WILLIAMSON. Eleocharis elliptica: WILLIAMSON. Eragrostis frankii: TAZEWELL, WILLIAMSON. Euonymus atropurpureus: WILLIAMSON. Euonymus fortunei: MADISON, WILLIAMSON. Euphorbia commutata: WILLIAMSON.

Gerardia fasciculata: WILLIAMSON. Gerardia paupercula: WILLIAMSON. Goodyera pubescens: WILLIAMSON.

Hackelia virginiana: WILLIAMSON. Hosackia americana: DUPAGE. Houstonia longifolia: WILLIAMSON. Houstonia minima: ROCK ISLAND, WILLIAMSON. Hydrophyllum canadense: WILLIAMSON.

Ipomoea lacunosa: PUTNAM. Iris germanica: WILLIAMSON. Iva annua: WILLIAMSON.

Juncus secundus: WILLIAMSON. Juncus torreyi: WHITE.

Lactuca floridana: WILLIAMSON. Lamium amplexicaule: MACOUPIN. Lathyrus tuberosus: HENDERSON, KANE. Lechea tenuifolia: WILLIAMSON. Leersia virginica: WILLIAMSON. Lemna trisulca: FULTON. Lespedeza hirta: WILLIAMSON. Lespedeza stuevei: WILLIAMSON. Liatris cylindracea: LEE. Ligustrum vulgare: MARION. Lilium lancifolium: WHITE. Lilium superbum: WILLIAMSON. Linaria dalmatica: TAZEWELL. Lindernia anagallidea: LEE. Linum medium var. texanum: UNION. Linum striatum: UNION. Lobelia siphilitica: WILLIAMSON. Lonicera japonica var. chinensis: WILLIAMSON. Lonicera maackii: WILLIAMSON. Lonicera sempervirens: WILLIAMSON. Luzula multiflora: WILLIAMSON. Luzula multiflora var. echinata: WILLIAMSON. Lycopus virginicus: WILLIAMSON. Lysimachia ciliata: WILLIAMSON. Lysimachia lanceolata var. hybrida: DUPAGE, WILL.

Malus coronaria: WILLIAMSON. Malva sylvestris var. mauritanica: DUPAGE. Matricaria matricarioides: WILLIAMSON. Melica mutica: TAZEWELL. Monotropa hypopithys: PEORIA. Muhlenbergia bushii: LASALLE, WILLIAMSON. Muhlenbergia frondosa: WILLIAMSON. Muhlenbergia racemosa: TAZEWELL. Myosotis stricta: ROCK ISLAND.

Osmunda claytoniana: JACKSON. Oxypolis rigidior: ROCK ISLAND.

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Quercus coccinea: WILLIAMSON.

Ranunculus recurvatus: WILLIAMSON. Rhus aromatica: WILLIAMSON. Rhus aromatica var. arenaria: WILLIAMSON. Rorippa sylvestris: ALEXANDER, PUTNAM. Rubus allegheniensis: WILLIAMSON. Rubus alumnus: WILLIAMSON. Rubus enslenii: JOHNSON, WILLIAMSON. Rubus occidentalis: WILLIAMSON. Rubus occidentalis: WILLIAMSON. Rudbeckia laciniata: WILLIAMSON. Rumex obtusifolius: WILLIAMSON.

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americana: WILLIAMSON. Tragopogon dubius: TAZEWELL.  
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WILLIAMSON. Viola pratincola: WILLIAMSON. Vulpia myuros:  
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Betula pumila L. var. glandulifera Regel. LAKE, WINNEBAGO.

Botrychium oneidense (Gilb.) House. OGLE.

Carex willdenowii Schkuhr. GALLATIN.

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Chenopodium pumilio R. Br. MCDONOUGH.

Corydalis curvisiliqua Engelm. var. grandibracteata Fedde.  
CASS.

Cystopteris X illinoensis Moran. WINNEBAGO.



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Erythronium mesochoreum Knerr. MACOUPIN.

Fragaria vesca L. LAKE.

Gentiana clausa Raf. POPE.

Lespedeza bicolor Turcz. PERRY, WILLIAMSON.

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Liatris squarrulosa Michx. ALEXANDER.

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POPE, WILLIAMSON.

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Minuartia groenlandica (Retz.) Ostenf. COOK.

Opuntia fragilis (Nutt.) Haw. JODAVIESS.

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Penstemon gracilis Nutt. var. wisconsinensis (Pennell)  
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Solanum heterodoxum Dunal var. novomexicanum Bartl.  
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# Narrow-leaved Virginia Snakeroot, Aristolochia serpentaria var. hastata An Endangered Plant in Illinois

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The narrow-leaved virginia snakeroot, Aristolochia serpentaria L. var. hastata (Nutt.) Duchartre, a plant of floodplain forests and cypress swamps, has been designated as endangered in Illinois (Natural Land Institute, 1981). Because of the taxonomic confusion that surrounds this taxon, it is necessary to discuss typical var. serpentaria, the virginia snakeroot, in any discussion of var. hastata.

Virginia snakeroot, Aristolochia serpentaria L. var. serpentaria, is a rather obscure herb that occurs in rich woods throughout most of Illinois except for the northwestern counties. The slender, usually zigzag stems, rarely exceeding 30 cm in height, grow from deep leaf litter on the forest floor. Because of its relative obscurity, it probably is more common than the distribution map indicates (Fig. 1).

The virginia snakeroot is also overlooked because its flowers and fruits are usually hidden by the leaf litter. The flowers, typically S-shaped and vaguely resembling a dutchman's pipe, are usually purple-brown, 3-lobed, and about 1.5 cm long. The capsule, which follows fertilization, at first is ellipsoid to nearly spherical, but splits open into a symmetrical 6-lobed, star-shaped structure, releasing the seeds which are 4-5 mm long. Underground is a small knotty rhizome from which grow yellowish roots that have a strong odor of turpentine. It is the substance in these roots that has long been known as a possible cure for a number of ailments, including snakebite, and from which the specific epithet and the common name are derived.

It is the leaves of the virginia snakeroot that permit easy identification, even in the absence of flowers and fruits. The leaves are broadly lanceolate to ovate-oblong, at least 2 cm broad at their widest point, and possess a pair of rounded lobes at the base (Figure 2). The range of this typical variety is from Connecticut southwest to southern Missouri, south to Texas, and east to Florida.

In a few rich bottomland forests and cypress swamps of extreme southern Illinois is the intriguing narrow-leaved virginia snakeroot, known here as Aristolochia serpentaria L. var. hastata (Nutt.) Duchartre. Although considered endangered in the state of Illinois and known only from Alexander, Johnson, Massac, Pulaski, and Union counties (Figure 1), this taxon is frequently observed along the Cache River between the villages of Karnak and Perks.

When seen in its most extreme narrow-leaved form, var. hastata has linear-lanceolate leaves sometimes no more than 5 mm broad at their widest point (Figure 3). Other specimens, however, may have leaves approaching or even slightly exceeding a width of 2 cm. As in the typical variety, this taxon has slender, zigzag stems and yellowish turpentine-scented roots. The flowers, fruits, and seeds are indistinguishable from those of var. serpentaria.

The narrow-leaved virginia snakeroot is a plant of the southeastern United States, occurring from Florida to Texas and up the Mississippi Embayment to southern Illinois and southern Missouri. In some of the southern areas, it is the more common of the two varieties of Aristolochia serpentaria.

When Thomas Nuttall first found the narrow-leaved plant, he described it as a distinct species, calling it Aristolochia hastata. Later, Thomas Kearney described the same entity as Aristolochia nashii. Botanists are generally in agreement that Nuttall's A. hastata and Kearney's A. nashii are one and the same. Duchartre was the first to suggest that since the only difference he could observe between the broad- and the narrow-leaved virginia snakeroots was the width of the leaves, they did not merit the status of two separate species. He accordingly named the narrow-leaved plants as a variety of Aristolochia serpentaria.

I must admit that when I first encountered the narrow-leaved plants in a southern Illinois cypress swamp, I had little doubt that they represented a good species since they looked so unlike the broader leaved plants. In addition, the swampy habitat was completely different from the rich hardwood forests that Aristolochia serpentaria grew in. Nonetheless, the flowers and fruits, usually considered by taxonomists to be the reliable structures on which to base distinct species, were virtually identical.

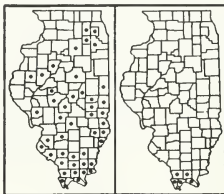
During the summer of 1986, David Ketzner, an Illinois Native Plant Society member and a graduate student in botany at Southern Illinois University, studied the vegetation along the Cache River between Karnak and Limekiln Slough just west of Perks. He was able to demonstrate a complete intergradation of leaf shape in var. hastata from leaves 5 mm broad to leaves at least 30 mm broad from plants growing in the bottomland forests adjacent to the river. No line could be drawn which would reliably separate the plants on the basis of leaf width.

It is obvious that unless additional characters come to light, the narrow-leaved virginia snakeroot should not be considered a separate species from Aristolochia serpentaria. There is some doubt that the narrow-leaved plants should have any nomenclatural designation, although the very distinct habitat lends some credence to its recognition as var. hastata.

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serpentaria



Aristolochia  
serpentaria var.  
hastata

# An Overview of the Selective Advantage of Cleistogamy in the Poaceae

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## Abstract

The production of cleistogamous florets, i. e., those that remain closed at anthesis, is common in many grasses. This evolutionarily derived condition is expressed as a result of selective pressures working on a plastic genome. The degree of cleistogamy in grasses increases as a result of drought, heavy grazing, mowing, or burning. In addition, cleistogamy imparts a competitive advantage which allows these plants to be early colonizers of disturbed sites. Potentially detrimental effects due to selfing and the associated lack of population variability are neutralized by maintaining outcrossing through the production of both chasmogamous and cleistogamous inflorescences on the same plant.

## Introduction

Numerous plant taxa have acquired a reproductive system which allows at least partial self-fertilization through the evolution of floral dimorphism. Of the two types of flowers, one, the chasmogamous flower, is adapted for cross-fertilization, while the other, the cleistogamous flower, is adapted for self-fertilization in that pollination and fertilization occur within closed florets (Clay 1982). This type of system reportedly exists in 287 species from 56 plant families and is especially prevalent in the grasses (Lord 1981; Clay 1982). Examples of grasses with dimorphic flowers include species of

Amphicarpum Kunth, Andropogon L., Avena L., Bromus L., Chloris Swartz, Danthonia Lam. & DC., Festuca L., Leersia Swartz, Panicum L., Sorghum Moench, Sporobolus R. Br., Stipa L., Tridens Roem. & Schult., and Triplasis Beauv. (Lord 1981).

Although cleistogamous flowers appear to be distributed worldwide, cleistogamy is more frequent in grasses with a temperate climatic origin and are quite prevalent in America. Overall, the most evolutionarily advanced cleistogamous condition, in which specialized subterranean cleistogamous florets and aerial chasmogamous florets are produced as opposed to the simple intermixing of aerial chasmogamous and cleistogamous florets, occurs in members of the subfamily Pooideae (Rosenguit 1984).

Observations of natural populations and controlled experimentation indicate that cleistogamy is an adaptation to adverse environmental conditions. It is a genetically plastic trait susceptible to modification by factors such as soil moisture, humidity, photoperiod, light intensity, plant density, and grazing, mowing or burning (Lord 1981, Clay 1982). Hence, through a genetic response to selective pressures, cleistogamous grasses are able to propagate under conditions which are unfavorable for the fertilization of chasmogamous flowers, ensuring their existence in addition to allowing cleistogamous species to be early colonizers of disturbed sites.

### Morphology

In 1918, Chase described the axillary cleistogamous florets of some grasses as being so different from the chasmogamous ones, that if classification were based on the cleistogamous inflorescences, the plant would be placed in a totally different tribe from that indicated by the chasmogamous florets. In general, there is a reduction in floral structures as compared with chasmogamous flowers. The number of anthers, pollen sacs, and stamens is reduced as well as the length of the anthers and stigmas and the diameter of the pollen grains (Uphof 1938). In addition, the lodicules are reduced to such an extent that they are rendered nonfunctional. This condition, plus the fact that the cleistogamous florets are confined within vegetative sheaths



or by the soil in subterranean cleistogenes, accounts for the unopening of the flowers at anthesis (Chase 1918, Weatherwax 1928).

Disarticulation is usually at the nodes, so the caryopsis is permanently enclosed in the sheath together with the internode and culm when dispersed (Chase 1918). Precocious germination ensues, often only after a period of dormancy which may be as long as one year (Dyksterhuis 1945). During this time, the basal portion of the ensheathing tissue begins to disintegrate allowing the entrance of water and silt, thus creating a suitable medium for germination. The primary root of the seedling extends through the partially disintegrated basal portion of the ensheathing tissue to anchor the young plant (Dyksterhuis 1945).

The positions of cleistogamous inflorescences are variable. Gould and Shaw (1985) cite some cases as in Sporobolus cryptandrous (Torr.) A. Gray and Andropogon barbinodis Lag., where, under unfavorable climatic conditions, the normal spikelets of the terminal inflorescences are cleistogamous, remaining at least partially entrapped in the uppermost leaf sheaths. Many annuals, such as Sporobolus vaginiflorus (Torr.) Wood, develop lateral inflorescences late in the season, while the perennial Leptochloa dubia (H. B. K.) Nees produces short axillary inflorescences. In Stipa leuchttricha Trin. & Rupr., cleistogamous and chasmogamous spikelets are produced together in the terminal inflorescence and also at the base of the plant. Finally, in grasses such as Chloris chloridea (Presl.) Hitchc., Amphicarpum purshii Kunth., and A. muhlenbergianum (Schult.) Hitchc., the highly specialized cleistogamous spikelets terminate subterranean branches.

This variety of inflorescence positioning is reflected nicely in the classification scheme contrived by Lord (1981) for all cleistogamous plants. His groupings are a modification of Hackel's 1906 scheme. According to Lord (1981), preanthesis cleistogamy encompasses all cases in which bud pollination occurs followed by anthesis. This is common in cultivated legumes, grasses and other crop plants. In pseudocleistogamy, no morphological differences occur between cleistogamous and chasmogamous flowers other than their closed state at anthesis. This phenomenon is often induced by an environmental factor such

as drought. Complete cleistogamy occurs in species which produce only cleistogamous flowers. This is seen in some orchids and grasses. Finally, in "true" cleistogamy, floral dimorphisms result from divergent developmental pathways in a species or individual. The cleistogamous flowers are modified forms of the chasmogamous flowers differing primarily in the reduction of sexual parts. These dimorphic flowers typically occur on specific parts of the inflorescence in two different combinations. The chasmogamous florets may be on the aerial part of the spike, while the cleistogamous flowers are lateral or near the base of the plant and enclosed by leaf sheaths as in Panicum clandestinum L., or cleistogenes may terminate subterranean rhizomes as in Amphicarpum purshii.

The concomitant production of both cleistogamous and chasmogamous florets allows the species to retain the ability to outcross because the reproductive output of any individual consists of a mixture of self-fertilizing and cross-fertilizing progeny. This is an important factor since self-fertilization represents an extreme form of inbreeding. Theoretically, under this condition, the gene for cleistogamy could become fixed in a population (Bell & Quinn 1985). This increases homozygosity, decreases gene flow and decreases variability within a population, which, under changing environmental conditions, could become deleterious by hindering the evolutionary potential of the population (Clay 1982).

#### Responses to Selective Pressures

The involvement of cleistogamy in the reproductive system of grasses is obviously an effective response to selective environmental pressures. According to Schoen (1984), cleistogamy is favored because it increases the success of fertilization and results in the retrieval of the resource costs of producing male gametes and reproductive structures. The degree of cleistogamy, that is, the percentage of cleistogamous versus chasmogamous flowers produced by the plant, is a genetically variable trait which is capable of responding to natural selection for increasing or decreasing levels of cleistogamy (Clay 1983a). Clay (1983a) determined heritability estimates for Danthonia spicata (L.) Beauv. through genetic breeding studies both in the field and in the greenhouse, and deduced that cleistogamy is a multigenic trait. The

heretability estimates of 0.53 for the natural population and 0.71 for the greenhouse population indicate that Danthonia possesses a degree of cleistogamy adequate to remit the potential for response to natural selection.

The primary limiting factor in the grassland ecosystem, available soil moisture, has been found to be influential in the production of cleistogamous inflorescences. Under controlled conditions, Brown (1952) compared the effects of available soil moisture on Stipa leucotricha grown under four different conditions of available water. An inverse relationship between the production of cleistogamous florets and available soil moisture was recorded; the less available soil moisture, the higher the percentage of cleistogamy. Brown (1952) concluded that the floral form that is actually produced by the plant is determined by a disruption in the usual equilibrium between the two conditions by crossing a determined threshold value in the amount of soil moisture during floral initiation.

Along with soil moisture, day length and light intensity have also been shown to be contributing factors to the cleistogamous condition. Langer and Wilson (1965) tested the effect of day length and temperature and the role of soil moisture in cleistogamous and chasmogamous flowers. Temperature was found to have almost no effect, but photoperiod and water availability apparently work together to strongly influence the flowering type. Under a long day (16 h light) regime, the flowers were almost exclusively cleistogamous, while the chasmogamous flowers were predominant under shorter photoperiods provided soil moisture was high. Langer and Wilson (1965) also reported that high atmospheric humidity appears to play a role in influencing the degree of chasmogamy, although this parameter was not measured experimentally. Similarly, Schoen (1984) demonstrated that a distinct threshold of low light intensity exists below which mostly cleistogamous flowers are produced.

The selective advantage or disadvantage of reproduction by chasmogamy and cleistogamy depends ultimately on the success of each type of progeny, thus conforming to the old darwinian idea of fitness. Success could be at the level of fertilization, seed set, seedling establishment, or adult survival and fecundity (Clay 1983b). According to Clay (1983b), seed set appears to be relatively equal for both types of systems,

therefore, both types appear to be fertilized successfully. However, the probability of flower maturation and seed set is lower for chasmogamous than cleistogamous flowers in many situations depending on environmental conditions. A chasmogamous flower has the benefit of contributing to offspring either through the transfer of its pollen to another plant or through the maturation of its own seeds. However, cleistogamous flowers possess the advantage of efficient and successful pollination and the seeds are energetically cheaper because large numbers are produced on reduced panicles (Bell & Quinn 1985).

The probability of flower maturation and seed set is lower for chasmogamous than cleistogamous flowers in situations in which the developing inflorescences are removed as in the case of grazing, mowing, or burning. Since chasmogamous flowers are predominantly situated higher on the inflorescence than cleistogamous flowers, they are most likely to be destroyed under these conditions. In contrast, the cleistogamous flowers are usually lower on the plant, and in some cases, even subterranean. Hence, these cleistogamous florets are unharmed. Therefore, cleistogamy is an advantageous selective response to these otherwise detrimental pressures.

Supportive evidence for this selection scheme is abundant particularly for grazing pressures. Clay (1983b) noted that the most frequently grazed Danthonia taxa in North Carolina also produce the highest percentage of cleistogamous flowers. Similarly, Conner (1979) noted that in areas with the greatest diversity of Danthonia and related genera in New Zealand and Australia, regions in which large grazing mammals were unknown before the advent of European settlers, no species produced cleistogamous flowers. In contrast, Danthonia species in North and South America, where grazing pressures have existed for a longer period of time, produce both chasmogamous and cleistogamous flowers.

In a comparative study of adjacent ungrazed and heavily grazed plots in East Texas, Dyksterhuis (1945) found that caryopses produced by cleistogamous spiklets in the basal sheaths of Stipa leucotricha, an important perennial forage grass, were responsible for propagating the species in its natural environment when subjected to heavy grazing. He showed that

under heavy grazing, Stipa may behave as an annual without producing flowering culms. This is accomplished by fall seedlings of cleistogamous origin producing new cleistogenes in spring and then succumbing to summer drought.

Dyksterhuis (1945) supplemented his natural observations with clipping experiments. Stipa plants that were clipped twice a week to a height of 1 1/2" produced very few tillers, and none produced flowering culms, while unclipped plants tillered into large clumps and 40% produced mature panicles. In addition, the clipped plants produced cleistogenes even though panicle development was prevented, but, the number of cleistogenes produced per plant was less than that of the unclipped plants. The cumulative results of Dyksterhuis' (1945) studies imply that cleistogamous production may largely account for the increasing percent coverage by Stipa under severe grazing on yearlong pastures and ranges. Maintaining such a cleistogamous phenotype which has distinct advantages for seeding winter pastures in cases where suitable cool season rhizomatous and stoloniferous species are not available should be considered in management techniques. Many cleistogamous strains could be kept pure in a limited space by removing flowering culms when they appear (Dyksterhuis 1945).

Another selective pressure to be reckoned with is competition. According to Bell and Quinn (1985), who studied three populations of Dichanthelium clandestinum (L.) Gould in a greenhouse experiment, no differences in fitness as measured by shoot biomass and spikelet number exist between chasmogamous and cleistogamous progeny produced by chasmogamous and cleistogamous seeds grown separately or intermixed at three different densities. Similar experiments with seedlings indicated no differences in fitness between the two types of progeny at any density when grown separately. However, chasmogamous plants were significantly heavier and possessed greater numbers of spikelets than cleistogamous plants at the lowest density of the mixtures. Bell and Quinn (1985) hypothesized that the increased competitive ability of the chasmogamous offspring in the low density mixture may have resulted from reduced sibling competition among the chasmogamous seedlings. In a competitive situation, the cleistogamous progeny, which have more similar genotypes, compete for similar resources. In contrast, the chasmogamous progeny may differ genetically from the cleistogamous progeny and among themselves so that competition

for resources is not as intense, especially at the lowest densities.

### Dispersal and Colonization

The reduced sib competition noted by Bell and Quinn (1985) under experimental conditions parallels the competitive conditions afforded to seedlings by dispersal patterns. Seed types dispersed over greater distances experience less sib competition than do closely dispersed seed types (Schoen 1984). Since chasmogamous seeds are relatively small in size and weight, they are better adapted for long distance dispersal by wind. The larger cleistogamous seeds often remain attached to the culm and fall near the parental site, and thus are more successful at establishing sites located within their limited dispersal range.

Observed and expected ratios of chasmogamous and cleistogamous seedlings in the field imply that cleistogamous progeny are more successful than chasmogamous progeny (Campbell 1982; Clay 1983b; Schoen 1984). A comparison of cleistogamous and chasmogamous progeny reveals that production of cleistogamous progeny begins earlier in the season than chasmogamous production, but cleistogamous seeds are dispersed later than chasmogamous fruits. The germination of cleistogamous seeds is delayed longer than that of chasmogamous seeds since the former are dispersed within the spikelet and the latter are not. Also, the two types of progeny may face different growing conditions. These characteristics, plus the increased homozygosity which accompanies cleistogamy provides for greater adaptation to the local environment (Stebbins 1957; Allard 1975), and the greater fruit productivity of cleistogamous systems provide them with a distinct advantage for colonization of early successional and disturbed habitats.

### Summary

The cleistogamous reproductive strategy in grasses is a response to environmental pressures working on the genome. The production of cleistogamous florets is under the control of multiple genes, and expression of the trait, as well as the degree of expression, is triggered by stressful conditions.

Hence, low available soil moisture, intense grazing, mowing, and burning increase the degree of cleistogamy, thus insuring adequate reproductive potential. In addition, the increased survival capabilities allow these plants to be early colonizers of disturbed sites.

The loss of variability within the genome due to self-fertilization remains in check by the production of both cleistogamous and out-crossing chasmogamous florets on the same individual. This advantageous reproductive strategy has evolved through natural selection to insure the survival of many grass species under common, but adverse environmental conditions.

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# Major Nomenclatural Changes in Guide to the Vascular Flora of Illinois Revised and Enlarged Edition

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With the publication during the summer of 1986 of the Guide to the Vascular Flora of Illinois Revised and Enlarged edition, major nomenclatural changes have been made. This has been necessitated by recent published research whose findings the author concurs with, although sometimes reluctantly.

In order to learn the changes more quickly, and to find the whereabouts of some binomials, the following list gives the major nomenclatural changes. The first entry of each couplet is the binomial used in the 1975 edition of Guide to the Vascular Flora of Illinois. The second entry of each couplet is the binomial for the same taxon as it appears in the 1986 revised and enlarged edition. For simplicity, the first entries of the couplets are arranged alphabetically.

Acorus calamus L.

Acorus americanus (Raf.) Raf.

Aesculus octandra Marsh.

Aesculus flava Soland.

Agropyron subsecundum (Link) Hitchc.

Agropyron trachycaulum (Link) Malte var. unilaterale  
(Vasey) Malte

Agrostis tenuis Sibth.

Agrostis capillaris L.

Alisma subcordatum Raf.

Alisma plantago-aquatica L. var. parviflorum (Pursh)  
Torr.

Allium mutabile Michx.

Allium canadense L. var. mobile (Regel) Ownbey

Allium tricoccum Ait. var. burdickii Hanes

Allium burdickii (Hanes) A.G. Jones

Alnus rugosa (DuRoi) Spreng. var. americana (Regel) Fern.

Alnus incana (L.) Muench. ssp. rugosa (DuRoi) Clausen

Althaea rosea (L.) Cav.

Alcea rosea L.

Amaranthus torreyi (Gray) Benth.

Amaranthus arenicola I.M. Johnston

Amaranthus tamarascinus Nutt.

Amaranthus rudis Sauer

Andromeda glaucophylla Link

Andromeda polifolia L. var. glaucophylla (Link) DC.

Anemone patens L.

Pulsatilla patens (L.) P. Mill. ssp. multifida (Pritz.)

Zamels

Anemonella thalictroides (L.) Spach.

Thalictrum thalictroides (L.) Eaves & Boivin

Anthemis nobilis L.

Chamaemelum nobilis (L.) All.

Arenaria lateriflora L.

Moehringia lateriflora (L.) All.

Arenaria patula Michx.

Minuartia patula (Michx.) Mattf.

Arenaria stricta Michx.

Minuartia stricta (Michx.) Hiern.

Aristida necopina Shinnery

Aristida glauca (Nees) Walp.

Armoracia lapathifolia Gilib.

Armoracia rusticana (Lam.) Gaertn., Meyer, & Scherb.

- Asclepias lanuginosa Nutt.  
Asclepias otarioides Fourn.
- Ascyrum hypericoides L.  
Hypericum hypericoides (L.) Crantz
- Ascyrum hypericoides L. var. multicaule (Michx.) Fern.  
Hypericum stragulum P. Adams & Robson
- Aster junciformis Rydb.  
Aster borealis (T. & G.) Prov.
- Aster pioosus Willd. var. pringlei (Gray) Blake  
Aster pringlei (Gray) Britt.
- Aster puniceus L. var. lucidulus Gray  
Aster firmus Nees
- Aster ptarmicoides (Nees) Torr. & Gray  
Solidago ptarmicoides (Nees) Boivin
- Aster sagittifolius Wedem. var. drummondii (Lindl.)  
Shinners  
Aster drummondii Lindl.
- Astragalus goniatus Nutt.  
Astragalus agrestis Doug.
- Astragalus trichocalyx Nutt.  
Astragalus crassicus Nutt. var. trichocalyx (Nutt.)  
Barneby
- Athyrium filix-femina (L.) Roth var. asplenioides (Michx.)  
Farw.  
Athyrium asplenioides Michx.
- Athyrium filix-femina (L.) Roth var. michauxii Spreng.  
Athyrium angustum (Willd.) Presl
- Bacopa acuminata (Walt.) Small  
Mecardonia acuminata (Walt.) Small
- Baptisia minor Lehm.  
Baptisia australis (L.) R. Br. var. minor (Lehm.)  
Fern.

Berula pusilla (Nutt.) Fern.

Berula erecta (Huds.) Coville

Betula lutea Michx. f.

Betula alleghaniensis Britt.

Bidens beckii Torr.

Megalodonta beckii (Torr.) Greene

Bidens comosa (Gray) Wieg.

Bidens tripartita L.

Bromus mollis L.

Bromus hordeaceus L.

Bromus willdenowii Kunth

Bromus catharticus Vahl

Cacalia tuberosa Nutt.

Cacalia plantaginea (Raf.) Shinnars

Callitriche palustris L.

Callitriche verna L.

Calystegia sepium (L.) R. Br. var. fraterniflora (Mack. & Bush) Mohlenbr.

Calystegia silvatica (Kit.) Griseb. ssp. fraterniflorus (Mack. & Bush) Brummitt

Cassia tora L.

Cassia obtusifolia L.

Ceanothus ovatus Desf.

Ceanothus herbaceus Raf.

Centunculus minimus L.

Anagallis minima (L.) Krause

Cerastium brachypodum (Engelm.) B.L. Robins.

Cerastium nutans Raf. var. brachypodum Engelm.

Cerastium tetrandrum Curtis

Cerastium diffusum Pursh

Cerastium velutinum Raf.

Cerastium arvense L.

Cerastium viscosum L.

Cerastium glomeratum Thuill

Ceratophyllum echinatum Gray

Ceratophyllum muricatum Cham.

Chrysanthemum balsamita L.

Balsamita major Desf.

Chrysanthemum leucanthemum L.

Leucanthemum vulgare Lam.

Chrysanthemum parthenium (L.) Bernh.

Tanacetum parthenium (L.) Sch. Bip.

Circaea quadrisulcata (Maxim.) Franch. & Sav. var.

canadensis (L.) Hara

Circaea lutetiana Aschers. & Magnus ssp. canadensis  
(L.) Aschers. & Magnus

Citrullus vulgaris Schrad.

Citrullus lanatus (Thunb.) Matsumura & Nakai

Cladrastis lutea (Michx. f.) K. Koch

Cladrastis kentuckea (Dum.-Cours.) Rudd

Clematis dioscoreifolia Lev. & Vaniot

Clematis terniflora DC.

Corydalis halei (Small) Fern. & Schub.

Corydalis micrantha (Engelm.) Gray ssp. australis  
(Chapm.) G.B. Ownbey

Corydalis montana (Engelm.) Gray

Corydalis aurea Willd. ssp. occidentalis (Engelm.)  
G.B. Ownbey

Cuphea petiolata (L.) Koehne

Cuphea viscosissima Jacq.

Cypripedium calceolus L. var. parviflorum (Salisb.) Fern.  
Cypripedium parviflorum Salisb.

Cypripedium calceolus L. var. pubescens (Willd.) Correll  
Cypripedium pubescens Willd.

Dalea alopecuroides Willd.  
Dalea leporina (Ait.) Bullock

Delphinium ajacis L.  
Consolida ambigua (L.) Ball & Heywood

Dioclea multiflora (Torr. & Gray) C. Mohr  
Galactia mohlenbrockii Maxwell

Draba reptans (Lam.) Fern. var. micrantha (Nutt.) Fern.  
Draba reptans (Lam.) Fern. ssp. stellifera (O.E.  
Schulz) Abrams

Draba verna L.  
Eriophila verna (L.) Chev.

Draba verna L. var. boerhaavii Van Hall  
Eriophila verna (L.) Chev. ssp. praecox (Stevens) S.M.  
Walters

Echinochloa frumentacea (Roxb.) Link  
Echinochloa crus-galli (L.) Beauv. var. frumentacea  
(Roxb.) W. Wight

Echinochloa pungens (Poir.) Rydb.  
Echinochloa muricata (Beauv.) Fern.

Echinochloa pungens (Poir.) Rydb. var. wiegandii Fassett  
Echinochloa muricata (Beauv.) Fern. var. wiegandii  
Fassett

Eclipta alba (L.) Hassk.  
Eclipta prostrata (L.) L.

Eleocharis caribaea (Rottb.) Blake  
Eleocharis geniculata (L.) Roem. & Schultes

Eleocharis tenuis Schult. var. verrucosa (Svenson) Svenson  
Eleocharis verrucosa (Svenson) Fern.

Elodea densa (Planch.) Caspary  
Egeria densa Planch.

Eragrostis poaeoides Beauv.  
Eragrostis minor Host.

Erigeron canadensis L.  
Conyza canadensis (L.) Cronq.

Erigeron divaricatus Michx.  
Conyza ramosissima Cronq.

Eriochloa gracilis (Fourn.) Hitchcock  
Eriochloa lemmonii Vasey & Scribn. var. gracilis  
 (Fourn.) Gould

Eruca sativa Mill.  
Eruca vesicaria (L.) Cav.

Falcaria soides (Wibel) Aschers.  
Falcaria vulgaris Bernh.

Festuca ovina L. var. duriuscula (L.) Koch  
Festuca duriuscula L.

Fimbristylis baldwiniana (Schult.) Torr.  
Fimbristylis annua (All.) Roem. & Schultes

Galactia volubilis (L.) Britt. var. mississippiensis Vail  
Galactia regularis (L.) BSP.

Galinsoga ciliata (Raf.) Blake  
Galinsoga quadriradiata R. & P.

Gentiana crinita Froel.  
Gentianopsis crinita (Froel.) Ma

Gentiana procera Holm  
Gentianopsis procera (Holm) Ma

Gentiana quinquefolia L. var. occidentalis (Gray) Hitchc.  
Gentianella quinquefolia (L.) Small ssp. occidentalis  
 (Gray) I. Gillett



- Gerardia aspera Dougl.  
Agalinis aspera (Dougl.) Britt.
- Gerardia auriculata Michx.  
Tomanthera auriculata (Michx.) Raf.
- Gerardia fasciculata Ell.  
Agalinis fasciculata Ell.
- Gerardia flava L.  
Aureolaria flava (L.) Farw.
- Gerardia gattingeri Small  
Agalinis gattingeri (Small) Small
- Gerardia grandiflora Benth. var. pulchra (Pennell) Fern.  
Aureolaria grandiflora (Benth.) Pennell var. pulchra  
Pennell
- Gerardia paupercula Gray  
Agalinis paupercula (Gray) Britt.
- Gerardia pedicularia L. var. ambigens Fern.  
Aureolaria pedicularia L. var. ambigens (Fern.) Farw.
- Gerardia purpurea L.  
Agalinis purpurea (L.) Pennell
- Gerardia skinneriana Wood  
Agalinis skinneriana (Wood) Britt.
- Gerardia tenuifolia Vahl  
Agalinis tenuifolia (Vahl) Raf.
- Gerardia tenuifolia Vahl var. macrophylla Benth.  
Agalinis besseyana Benth.
- Geum strictum Ait.  
Geum aleppicum Jacq.
- Gillenia stipulata (Muhl.) Baill.  
Porteranthus stipulatus (Muhl.) Britt.
- Gnaphalium macounii Greene  
Gnaphalium viscosum HBK.

- Habenaria blephariglottis (Willd.) Hook.  
Platanthera blephariglottis (Willd.) Lindl.
- Habenaria ciliaris (L.) R. Br.  
Platanthera ciliaris (L.) Lindl.
- Habenaria clavellata (Michx.) Spreng.  
Platanthera clavellata (Michx.) Luer
- Habenaria dilatata (Pursh) Hook.  
Platanthera dilatata (Pursh) Lindl.
- Habenaria flava (L.) R. Br.  
Platanthera flava (L.) Lindl.
- Habenaria flava (L.) R. Br. var. herbiola (R. Br.) Ames & Correll  
Platanthera flava (L.) Lindl. var. herbiola (R. Br.) Luer
- Habenaria hookeri Torr.  
Platanthera hookeri (Torr.) Lindl.
- Habenaria hyperborea (L.) R. Br. var. huronensis (Nutt.) Farw.  
Platanthera hyperborea (L.) Lindl. var. huronensis (Nutt.) Luer
- Habenaria lacera (Michx.) Lodd.  
Platanthera lacera (Michx.) G. Don
- Habenaria leucophaea (Nutt.) Gray  
Platanthera leucophaea (Nutt.) Lindl.
- Habenaria orbiculata (Pursh) Torr.  
Platanthera orbiculata (Pursh) Lindl.
- Habenaria peramoena Gray  
Platanthera peramoena (Gray) Gray
- Habenaria psycodes (L.) Spreng.  
Platanthera psycodes (L.) Lindl.
- Habenaria viridis (L.) R. Br. var. bracteata (Muhl.) Gray  
Coeloglossum viride (L.) Hartm.

Hackelia americana (Gray) Fern.

Hackelia deflexa (Wahlenb.) Opiz var. americana (Gray)  
Fern. & I.M. Johnston

Haplopappus ciliatus (Nutt.) DC.

Prionopsis ciliatus Nutt.

Heracleum maximum Bartr.

Heracleum lanatum Michx.

Heuchera hirsuticaulis (Wheelock) Rydb.

Heuchera americana L. var. hirsuticaulis (Wheelock)  
Rosend., Butt. & Lak.

Heterotheca villosa (Pursh) Shinnery

Heterotheca camporum (Greene) Shinnery

Hibiscus esculentus L.

Abelmoschus esculentus (L.) Moench.

Hibiscus militaris Cav.

Hibiscus laevis All.

Hibiscus palustris L.

Hibiscus moschuetos L.

Hieracium pratense Tausch

Hieracium caespitosum Dumort.

Hordeum X montanense Scribn.

Elyhordeum X montanense (Scribn.) Bowden

Houstonia caerulea L.

Hedyotis caerulea (L.) Hook.

Houstonia longifolia Gaertn.

Hedyotis longifolia (Gaertn.) Hook.

Houstonia longifolia Gaertn. var. ciliolata (Torr.) Torr.

Hedyotis longifolia (Gaertn.) Hook. var. ciliolata  
(Torr.) Mohlenbr.

Houstonia longifolia Gaertn. var. tenuifolia (Nutt.) Wood

Hedyotis nuttalliana Fosberg

Houstonia minima Beck

Hedyotis crassifolia Raf.

Houstonia nigricans (Lam.) Fern.

Hedyotis nigricans (Lam.) Fosberg

Houstonia purpurea L.

Hedyotis purpurea (L.) Torr. & Gray

Houstonia purpurea L. var. calycosa Gray

Hedyotis purpurea (L.) Torr. & Gray var. calycosa  
(Gray) Fosberg

Houstonia pusilla Schoepf.

Hedyotis pusilla (Schoepf.) Mohlenbr.

Hypericum punctatum Lam. var. pseudomaculatum (Bush) Fern.

Hypericum pseudomaculatum Bush

Hypericum spathulatum (Spach) Steud.

Hypericum prolificum L.

Impatiens biflora Walt.

Impatiens capensis Meerb.

Isanthus brachiatus (L.) BSP.

Trichostema brachiatum L.

Jussiaea decurrens (Walt.) DC.

Ludwigia decurrens Walt.

Jussiaea leptocarpa Nutt.

Ludwigia leptocarpa (Nutt.) Hara

Jussiaea repens L. var. glabrescens Ktze.

Ludwigia peploides (HBK.) Raven ssp. glabrescens  
(Ktze.) Raven

Kallstroemia intermedia Rydb.

Kallstroemia parviflora J.B.S. Nelson

Krigia oppositifolia Raf.

Krigia caespitosa (Raf.) Chambers

Lathyrus myrtifolius Muhl.

Lathyrus palustris L. var. myrtifolius (Muhl.) Gray

Lemna minima Phil.

Lemna minuta HBK.

Lespedeza stipulacea Maxim.

Kummerowia stipulacea (Maxim.) Makino

Lespedeza striata (Thunb.) Hook. & Arn.

Kummerowia striata (Thunb.) Schindl.

Linaria canadensis (L.) Dum.-Cours. var. texana (Scheele)

Pennell

Linaria texana Scheele

Linaria dalmatica (L.) Mill.

Linaria genistifolia (L.) Mill. ssp. dalmatica (L.)

Maire & Petitmengin

Lindernia anagallidea (Michx.) Pennell

Lindernia dubia (L.) Pennell var. anagallidea (Michx.)

Cooperrider

Linnaea americana Forbes

Linnaea borealis L. ssp. americana (Forbes) Hulten

Lippia cuneifolia (Torr.) Steud.

Phyla cuneifolia (Torr.) Greene

Lippia lanceolata Michx.

Phyla lanceolata (Michx.) Greene

Lithospermum arvense L.

Buglossoides arvense (L.) I.M. Johnston

Lycium halimifolium Mill.

Lycium barbarum L.

Lycopodium flabelliforme (Fern.) Blanch.

Lycopodium digitatum A. Br.

Lysimachia lanceolata Walt. var. hybrida (Michx.) Gray

Lysimachia hybrida Michx.

Malaxis monophylla (L.) Sw. var. brachypoda (Gray) F. Morris  
Malaxis brachypoda (Gray) Fern.

Malus coronaria (L.) var. lancifolia Rehd.  
Malus coronaria (L.) Mill. var. dasycalyx Rehd.

Matricaria maritima L.  
Matricaria perforata L.

Mazus japonicus (Thunb.) Kuntze  
Mazus pumilus (Burm. f.) Steenis

Mentha X alopecuroides Hull  
Mentha X villosa Huds.

Microseris cuspidata (Pursh) D. Dietr.  
Nothocalais cuspidata (Pursh) Sch. Bip.

Myosotis virginica (L.) BSP.  
Myosotis verna Nutt.

Myosotis virginica (L.) BSP. var. macrosperma (Engelm.)  
Fern.  
Myosotis macrosperma Engelm.

Oenothera cruciata Nutt.  
Oenothera parviflora L.

Oenothera missouriensis Sims  
Oenothera macrocarpa Nutt.

Oenothera serrulata Nutt.  
Calylophus serrulatus (Nutt.) Raven

Oenothera tetragona Roth  
Oenothera fruticosa L. ssp. glauca (Michx.) Straley

Onosmodium occidentale Mack.  
Onosmodium molle Michx. ssp. occidentale (Mack.)  
Cochrane

Panicum boreale Nash  
Dichanthelium boreale (Nash) Freckm.

Panicum boscii Poir.

Dichantheium boscii (Poir.) Gould & Clark

Panicum boscii Poir. var. molle (Vasey) Hitchc. & Chase

Dichantheium boscii (Poir.) Gould & Clark var. molle  
(Vasey) Mohlenbr.

Panicum clandestinum L.

Dichantheium clandestinum (L.) Gould

Panicum columbianum Scribn.

Dichantheium columbianum (Scribn.) Freckm.

Panicum commutatum Schult.

Dichantheium commutatum (Schult.) Gould

Panicum commutatum Schult. var. ashei Fern.

Dichantheium commutatum (Schult.) Gould var. ashei  
(Fern.) Mohlenbr.

Panicum depauperatum Muhl.

Dichantheium depauperatum (Muhl.) Gould

Panicum dichotomum L.

Dichantheium dichotomum (L.) Gould

Panicum joori Vasey

Dichantheium joori (Vasey) Mohlenbr.

Panicum lanuginosum Ell.

Dichantheium acuminatum (Sw.) Gould & Clark var.  
fasciculatum (Torr.) Freckm.

Panicum lanuginosum Ell. var. inmplicatum (Scribn.) Fern.

Dichantheium acuminatum (Sw.) Gould & Clark var.  
fasciculatum (Torr.) Freckm.

Panicum lanuginosum Ell. var. lindheimeri (Nash) Fern.

Dichantheium acuminatum (Sw.) Gould & Clark var.  
lindheimeri (Nash) Gould & Clark

Panicum lanuginosum Ell. var. septentrionale (Fern.) Fern.

Dichantheium acuminatum (Sw.) Gould & Clark var.  
lindheimeri (Nash) Gould & Clark

Panicum latifolium L.

Dichanthelium latifolium (L.) Gould & Clark

Panicum laxiflorum Lam.

Dichanthelium laxiflorum (Lam.) Gould

Panicum leibergii (Vasey) Scribn.

Dichanthelium leibergii (Vasey) Freckm.

Panicum linearifolium Scribn.

Dichanthelium linearifolium (Scribn.) Gould

Panicum linearifolium Scribn. var. wernerii (Scribn.) Fern.

Dichanthelium linearifolium (Scribn.) Gould var. wernerii  
(Scribn.) Mohlenbr.

Panicum malacophyllum Nash

Dichanthelium malacophyllum (Nash) Gould

Panicum mattamuskeetense Ashe

Dichanthelium mattamuskeetense (Ashe) Mohlenbr.

Panicum meridionale Ashe

Dichanthelium meridionale (Ashe) Freckm.

Panicum microcarpon Muhl.

Dichanthelium microcarpon (Muhl.) Mohlenbr.

Panicum nitidum Lam.

Dichanthelium nitidum (Lam.) Mohlenbr.

Panicum oligosanthos Schult.

Dichanthelium oligosanthos (Schult.) Gould

Panicum oligosanthos Schult. var. helleri (Nash) Fern.

Dichanthelium oligosanthos (Schult.) Gould var. helleri  
(Nash) Mohlenbr.

Panicum oligosanthos Schult. var. scribnerianum (Nash) Fern.

Dichanthelium oligosanthos (Schult.) Gould. var.  
scribnerianum (Nash) Gould

Panicum perlongum Nash

Dichanthelium perlongum (Nash) Freckm.



- Panicum polyanthes Schult.  
Dichantheium polyanthes (Schult.) Mohlenbr.
- Panicum praecocius Hitchc. & Chase  
Dichantheium praecocius (Hitchc. & Chase) Freckm.
- Panicum ravenelii Scribn. & Merr.  
Dichantheium ravenelii (Scribn. & Merr.) Gould
- Panicum scoparioides Ashe  
Dichantheium X scoparioides (Ashe) Mohlenbr.
- Panicum scoparium Lam.  
Dichantheium scoparium (Lam.) Gould
- Panicum sphaerocarpon Ell.  
Dichantheium sphaerocarpon (Ell.) Gould
- Panicum subvillosum Ashe  
Dichantheium acuminatum (Sw.) Gould & Clark var.  
fasciculatum (Torr.) Freckm.
- Panicum villosissimum Nash  
Dichantheium villosissimum (Nash) Freckm.
- Panicum villosissimum Nash var. pseudopubescens (Nash) Fern.  
Dichantheium villosissimum (Nash) Freckm. var.  
pseudopubescens (Nash) Mohlenbr.
- Panicum wilcoxianum Vasey  
Dichantheium wilcoxianum (Vasey) Freckm.
- Panicum yadkinense Ashe  
Dichantheium yadkinense (Ashe) Mohlenbr.
- Parthenocissus vitacea (Knerr) Hitchc.  
Parthenocissus inserta (Kerner) K. Fritsch
- Peplis diandra Nutt.  
Didiplis diandra (DC.) Wood
- Petalostemum candidum (Willd.) Michx.  
Dalea candida (Michx.) Willd.

- Petalostemum foliosum Gray  
Dalea foliosa (Gray) Barneby
- Petalostemum purpureum (Vent.) Rydb.  
Dalea purpurea Vent.
- Phoradendron flavescens (Pursh) Nutt.  
Phoradendron serotinum (Raf.) M.C. Johnst.
- Plantago indica L.  
Plantago arenaria Waldst. & Kit.
- Plantago purshii Roem. & Schultes  
Plantago patagonica Jacq. var. brevicarpa (Shinners)  
 Shinners
- Polianthes virginica (L.) Shinners  
Manfreda virginica (L.) Rose
- Polygonum aviculare L.  
Polygonum arenastrum Boreau
- Polygonum coccineum Muhl.  
Polygonum amphibium L.
- Polypodium vulgare L. var. virginianum (L.) Eaton  
Polypodium virginianum L.
- Prunella vulgaris L. var. lanceolata (Bart.) Fern.  
Prunella vulgaris L. var. elongata Benth.
- Puccinellia pallida (Torr.) Clausen  
Torreyochloa pallida (Torr.) Church
- Pyrola secunda L.  
Orthilia secunda (L.) House
- Quercus pagodaefolia (Ell.) Ashe  
Quercus pagoda Raf.
- Ribes sativum (Reichenb.) Syme  
Ribes rubrum L.
- Rosa lunellii Greene  
Rosa arkansana Porter

- Rosa pimpinellifolia L.  
Rosa spinosissima L.
- Rubus occidualis Bailey  
Rubus roribaccus (Bailey) Rydb.
- Rudbeckia amplexicaulis Vahl  
Dracopsis amplexicaulis (Vahl) Chase
- Rudbeckia fulgida Ait. var. missouriensis (Engelm.) Cronq.  
Rudbeckia missouriensis Engelm.
- Salix interior Rowlee  
Salix exigua Nutt.
- Salsola kali L. var. tenuifolia Tausch  
Salsola iberica Sennen & Pav.
- Salvia sylvestris L.  
Salvia nemorosa L.
- Sambucus pubens Michx.  
Sambucus racemosa L. ssp. pubens (Michx.) House
- Saponaria vaccaria L.  
Vaccaria pyramidata Medic.
- Scutellaria epilobiifolia Muhl.  
Scutellaria galericulata L.
- Scutellaria parvula Michx. var. australis Fassett  
Scutellaria australis (Fassett) Epling
- Scutellaria parvula Michx. var. leonardii (Epling) Fern.  
Scutellaria leonardii Epling
- Sesbania exaltata (Raf.) Cory  
Sesbania macrocarpa Muhl.
- Setaria lutescens (Weigel) Hubb.  
Setaria glauca (L.) Beauv.
- Seymeria macrophylla Nutt.  
Dasistoma macrophylla (Nutt.) Raf.

- Solanum americanum Mill  
Solanum ptycanthum Dunal
- Solanum rostratum Dunal  
Solanum cornutum Lam.
- Solanum torreyi Gray  
Solanum dimidiatum Sendt.
- Solidago bicolor L. var. concolor Torr. & Gray  
Solidago hispida Muhl.
- Solidago graminifolia (L.) Salisb.  
Euthamia graminifolia (L.) Salisb.
- Solidago graminifolia (L.) Salisb. var. remota (Greene)  
Harris  
Euthamia tenuifolia (Pursh) Greene
- Solidago gymnospermoides (Greene) Fern.  
Euthamia gymnospermoides Greene
- Specularia biflora (R. & P.) Fisch. & Mey.  
Triodanis perfoliata (L.) Nieuwl. var. biflora (R. & P.) Bradley
- Specularia leptocarpa (Nutt.) Gray  
Triodanis leptocarpa (Nutt.) Nieuwl.
- Specularia perfoliata (L.) A. DC.  
Triodanis perfoliata (L.) Nieuwl.
- Sphaeralcea angusta (Gray) Fern.  
Sidopsis hispida (Pursh) Rydb.
- Spirodela oligorhiza (Kurtz) Hegelm.  
Spirodela punctata (Mey.) C.H. Thompson
- Stachys hyssopifolia Michx. var. ambigua Gray  
Stachys aspera Michx.
- Stachys riddellii House  
Stachys nuttallii Shuttlw.

- Swertia caroliniensis (Walt.) Kuntze  
Frasera caroliniensis Walt.
- Teucrium canadense L. var. occidentale (Gray) McClintock & Epling  
Teucrium canadense L. var. boreale (Bickn.) Shinners
- Thelypteris hexagonoptera (Michx.) Watt.  
Phegopteris hexagonoptera (Michx.) Fee
- Thelypteris phegopteris (L.) Slosson  
Phegopteris connectilis (Michx.) Watt.
- Tunica saxifraga (L.) Scop.  
Petrorhagia saxifraga (L.) Link
- Vaccinium vacillans Torr.  
Vaccinium pallidum Ait.
- Valeriana ciliata Torr. & Gray  
Valeriana edulis Nutt. ssp. ciliata (Torr. & Gray) F.G. Mey.
- Valeriana uliginosa (Torr. & Gray) Rydb.  
Valeriana sitchensis Bong. ssp. uliginosa (Torr. & Gray) F.G. Mey.
- Valerianella olitoria (L.) Poll.  
Valerianella locusta (L.) Betcke
- Verbena canadensis (L.) Britt.  
Glandularia canadensis (L.) Nutt.
- Verbena peruviana (L.) Britt.  
Glandularia peruviana (L.) Small
- Vicia angustifolia Reich.  
Vicia sativa L. ssp. nigra (L.) Ehrh.
- Vigna sinensis (L.) Endl.  
Vigna unguiculata (L.) Walp.
- Viola canadensis L. var. rugulosa (Greene) C.L. Hitchc.  
Viola canadensis L. var. corymbosum Nutt.

- Viola cucullata Marsh.  
Viola obliqua Hill
- Viola papilionacea Pursh  
Viola pratincola Greene
- Viola pratincola Greene f. albiflora (Glover) Mohlenbr.  
Viola priceana Pollard
- Wisteria floribunda (Willd.) DC.  
Rehsonia floribunda (Willd.) Stritch
- Wisteria sinensis (Sims) Sweet  
Rehsonia sinensis (Sims) Stritch
- Wolffia papulifera C.H. Thompson  
Wolffia braziliensis Weddell
- Wolffiella floridana (J.D. Sm.) C.H. Thompson  
Wolffiella gladiata (Hegelm.) Hegelm.
- Wulfenia bullii (Eat.) Barnh.  
Besseyia bullii (Eat.) Rydb.
- Xanthocephalum dracunculoides (DC.) Shinnery  
Amphiachyris dracunculoides (DC.) Nutt.
- Xanthocephalum texanum (DC.) Shinnery  
Gutierrezia texana (DC.) Torr. & Gray
- Yucca filamentosa L. var. smalliana (Fern.) Ahles  
Yucca flaccida Haw.
- Zigadenus glaucus Nutt.  
Zigadenus venenosus S. Wats. var. gramineus (Rydb.)  
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