# Catalogue of plants growing spontaneously in the state of Illinois, the principal part near Augusta, Hancock County Dr. Samuel B. Mead

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Class I. EXOGENAE.

Clematis virginiana, Virgin's Bower

Clematis pitcheri, Leatherflower

Kibbe indicates that the species is most likely this one, though Mead at one time had it labeled as "C. pitcheri viorne" and in his 1846 list as "C. viorna." Mohlenbrock states that C. viorna is rare in Illinois and excludes Hancock Co.

Anemone quinquefolia

Listed by Mead as A. nemorosa

Anemone virginiana, Tall Thimbleweed

Anemone canadensis, Meadow Anemone

Listed by Mead as A. pennsylvanica

Anemone acutiloba, Sharp-lobed Hepatica

Listed by Mead as A. hepatica

Ranunculus trichophyllus, White Water Crowfoot

Listed by Mead as R. aquatilis

Ranunculus abortivus, Small-flowered Buttercup

Ranunculus flabellaris, Yellow Water Crowfoot

Listed by Mead as R. purshii (R. gmelini), which Kibbe believes is a misidentification.

Mohlenbrock states the latter species is very rare in Illinois and excludes Hancock Co.

Ranunculus repens, Creeping Buttercup

Ranunculus hispidus, Bristly Buttercup

Kibbe treats these two listings by Mead, R. repens and R. hispidus, as forms of R. septentrionalis, Swamp Buttercup. Mohlenbrock separates all three of this difficult complex as distinct species. Regardless R. septentrionalis is also present in Hancock Co.

Ranunculus recurvatus, Recurved Buttercup

Myosurus minimus, Mousetail

Caltha palustris, Marsh Marigold

Enemion biternartum, False Rue Anemone

Listed by Mead as Isopyrum biternatum

Aquilegia canadensis, Wild Columbine

Consolida ajacis, Rocket Larkspur

Listed by Mead as Delphinium consolida

Delphinium tricorne, Dwarf Larkspur

Delphinium carolinianum, Wild Blue Larkspur

Listed by Mead as D. azureum

Actaea pachypoda, White Baneberry

Listed by Mead as A. alba. Mead later discovered A. rubra in Hancock Co., but no specimen exists and that species is now restricted to northern Illinois.

Trautvetteria palmata, False Bugbane

Collected in Cass Co.; Mohlenbrock only lists this "very rare" species for that county in IL. Thalictrum dasycarpum, Purple Meadow Rue

Omitted from Mead's 1846 list, but recorded by him for Hancock Co. in 1843 as T. purpurascens.

Thalictrum dioicum, Early Meadow Rue

Listed by Mead as T. cornuti, Kibbe states the specimen is actually this species.

Thalictrum thalictroides, Rue Anemone

Listed by Mead as T. anemenoides

Hydrastis canadensis, Goldenseal

Asimina triloba, Pawpaw

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Uvaria tuloba" (vs. U. triloba).

Menispermum canadense, Moonseed

Caulophyllum thalictroides, Blue cohosh

Listed by Mead as Leontice thalictroides

Podophyllum peltatum, Mayapple

Brasenia schreberi, Watershield

Listed by Mead as Brasenia peltata

Ceratophyllum echinatum, Coontail

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Coratophyllum espinatum"

Nelumbo lutea, American Lotus

Listed by Mead as Nelumbium luteum

Nymphaea odorata, Water Lily

In Mead's list as "Nymphea odorata"

Nuphar advena, Yellow Pond Lily

Sanguinaria canadensis, Bloodroot

Dicentra cucullaria, Dutchman's Breeches

Misprinted in Mead's list as Diclytra cucularia [vs. D. cucullaria]

Fumaria officinalis, Fumitory

Adventive

Iodanthus pinnatifidus, Purple Rocket

Listed by Mead as Cheiranthes hesperidoides

Rorippa palustris, Marsh Yellow Cress

Listed by Mead as Nasturtium palustre

Neobeckia aquatica, Lake Cress

Listed by Mead as Nasturtium nutans

Turritis glabra, Tower Mustard

Arabis pycnocarpa, Hairy Rock Cress

In Mead's list as Arabis hirsuta, it is unclear which of these species was intended. Kibbe found Mead specimens of both of these plants labeled as "Arabis hirsuta var. glabra," and both species are listed for Hancock Co. today.

Boecheria dentata, Toothed Rock Cress

Listed by Mead as Arabis dentata

Boechera Canadensis, Sicklepod

Listed by Mead as Arabis Canadensis

Cardamine bulbosa, Spring Cress

Listed by Mead as Cardamine rotundifolia

Cardamine pensylvanica, Bitter Cress

Listed by Mead as C. hirsuta

Sibara virginica, Virginia Rock Cress

In Mead's list as Cardamine Ludoviciana and in Kibbe as Arabis ludoviciana, current taxonomy considers this species distinct from both Arabis and Cardamine. The name was derived by spelling Arabis backward (Rollins, Rhodora 43:481 1941).

Cardamine concatenata, Toothwort

Misspelled Dentaria luciniata in Mead's published list (vs. D. laciniata)

Sysimbrium officinale, Hedge Mustard

Adventive

Descurainia pinnata brachycarpa, Tansy-Mustard

In Mead's list as Sysimbrium canescens

Erysimum capitatum, Western Wallflower

Collected by Mead in Mason Co. Kibbe listed another species, Erysimum cheiranthoides (Wormseed Mustard), with an early Mead record but it is not in the 1846 list.

Brassica nigra, Black Mustard

In Mead's list as Sinapis nigra; adventive.

Armoracia rusticana, Horseradish

Misprinted in Mead's list as Cochlaoia armoracia (vs. Cochlearia armoracia).

Lepidium virginicum, Peppergrass.

Capsella bursa-pastoris, Shepherd's Purse

Adventive

Polanisia dodecandra, Clammyweed

*In Mead's list as Polanisia graviolens* 

Polygala sanguinea, Field Milkwort

*In Mead's list as Polygala purpurea.* 

Polygala incarnata, Pink Milkwort

Polygala verticillata, Whorled Milkwort

Polygala ambigua, Alternate Milkwort

Mohlenbrock lists Polygala verticillata var. ambigua as a synonym of Polygala ambigua, but some current authorities (e.g., Flora Novae Angliae) separate these as two species. According to Kibbe, Mead's record of P. ambigua was characterized as questionable, and no Mead specimens with either designation survived. P. verticillata was verified by Kibbe in Hancock Co.

Polygala senega, Seneca Snakeroot

Polygala polygama, Purple Milkwort

Viola pedata, Bird's-foot Violet

Viola pedatifida, Prairie Violet

In Mead's list as Viola delphinifolia

Viola palmata, Cleft Violet

Viola sororia, Woolly Blue Violet

Viola cucullata, Marsh Blue Violet

In Mead's list as Viola cuculata [sic], Kibbe states that certain specimens are the common blue species. However Mead also collected true Viola cucullata which thus is part of the Hancock Co. flora.

Viola fimbriatula, Sand Violet

In Mead's list as Viola sagittata, but Kibbe determined the specimen is this species. No Mead specimen of V. sagittata exists, though the species grows in Hancock Co.

Viola striata, Cream Violet

Viola pubescens, Downy Yellow Violet

Viola tricolor, Wild Pansy.

Adventive, not listed by Kibbe and not present in Hancock Co. as a wild plant today.

Parnassia glauca, Grass of Parnassus

Listed by Mead as Parnassia caroliniana

Helianthemum canadense, Common Rockrose

Lechea mucronata, Hairy Pinweed

Listed by Mead as Lechea major

Lechea minor, Small Pinweed

Hypericum pyramidatum, Great St. John's Wort

Hypericum prolificum, Shrubby St. John's Wort

Hypericum punctatum, Spotted St. John's Wort

Listed by Mead as Hypericum corymbosum

Hypericum sphaerocarpum, Round-fruited St. John's Wort

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Hypericum spherocarpon"

Hypericum mutilum, Dwarf St. John's Wort

Hypericum majus, St. John's Wort

Listed by Mead as Hypericum canadense

Paronychia jamesii, Low Forked Chickweed (?)

Mead listed this Western species from Mason Co., though the listing is marked as questionable.

Mohlenbrock does not recognize this species in IL.

Paronychia canadensis, Slender Forked Chickweed

Mead lists both Anychia dichotoma and Anychia capillacea [misspelled A. capillacea], which are both synonyms for this species.

Mollugo verticillata, Carpetweed

Adventive

Moehringia lateriflora, Grove Sandwort

Listed by Mead as Arenaria lateriflora

Stellaria longifolia, Stitchwort [T, Bts]

Cerastium nutans, Nodding Chickweed [T]

Cerastium brachypodum, Mouse-eared Chickweed

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Cerastrum mutans." Kibbe states that Mead also recorded C. nutans var. brachypodum, now separated as its own species C. brachypodum.

Silene stellata, Starry Campion [T]

Silene nivea, Snowy Campion [Bks]

Silene anthirrina, Sleepy Catchfly [T]

Agrostemma githago, Corn Cockle

Adventive, listed by Mead as Lychnis githago.

Saponaria officinalis, Bouncing Bet

Adventive

Vaccaria hispanica, Cow Herb

Adventive; listed by Mead as Saponaria vaccaria.

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Portula cleracea, Common Purslane

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Portula oloracea;" adventive, though interestingly Mead considered it to be native.

Claytonia virginica, Spring Beauty [T]

Linum sulcatum, Grooved Yellow Flax [P]

Listed by Mead as Linum rigidum, but Kibbe believes this is misidentified from the specimen.

Linum usitatissimum, Common Flax

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Linum usutissimum;" adventive.

Geranium maculatum, Wild geranium [T]

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Geranium carolinianum, Carolina Cranesbill [Bks]

Impatiens pallida, Yellow Jewelweed [T]

Impatiens capensis, Spotted Jewelweed [T]

Listed by Mead as Impatiens fulva

Oxalis violacea, Violet Wood Sorrel [P]

Oxalis corniculata, Creeping Wood Sorrel

Adventive

Oxalis stricta, Yellow Wood Sorrel [T, B]

Zanthoxylum americanum, Prickly Ash [B]

Ptelea trifoliata, Wafer Ash [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Ptelia trifoliataa"

Rhus glabra, Smooth Sumac [B]

Rhus copallina, Dwarf Sumac [B]

Toxicodendron radicans, Poison Ivy [T]

Listed by Mead as Rhus toxicodendron

Rhus aromatica, Fragrant Sumac [B]

Malva rotundifolia, Common Mallow

Adventive

Malva sylvestris, High Mallow

Adventive

Malva verticillata, Curly Mallow

Adventive, listed by Mead as Malva crispa

Callirhoe triangulata, Clustered Poppy Mallow [P, B]

Listed by Mead as Malva houghtonii

Abutilon theophrasti, Velvetleaf

Misprinted in Mead's list as Abotilon (vs. Abutilon) avicennae; adventive

Sida spinosa, Prickly Sida

Adventive

Napaea dioica, Glade Mallow [B]

Listed by Mead as Sida dioica; found along the Spoon River, probably in Fulton or Knox Co. Hibiscus militaris, Halberd-leaved Rose Mallow [Bts]

Mead listed Hibiscus militaris as found along the Illinois River, but it is present in Hancock Co. Tilia Americana, Basswood [T]

Ampelopsis arborea, Peppervine [Bks]

Mead listed this as Vitis bipinnata, found near Chester, in Randolph Co.

Ampelopsis cordata, Heartleaf Peppervine [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Vitis indivisa, found along the Illinois River

Vitis aestivalis, Summer Grape [T]

Vitis riparia, Riverbank Grape [T]

Parthenocissus quinquefolia [T]

Listed by Mead as Ampelopsis quinquefolia

Acer nigrum, Black Maple [Bts]

Acer saccharinum, Silver Maple [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Acer dasycarpum

Acer negundo, Box Elder [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Negundo aceroides

Aesculus glabra, Ohio Buckeye [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Desculus glabra, which Kibbe calls a typographical error

Cardiospermum halicacabum, Balloon Vine

Misprinted in Mead's list as Cardiospermum palicacabum; adventive.

Staphylea trifolia, Bladdernut [T]

Celastrus scandens, American Bittersweet [T]

Euonymous atropurpureus, Wahoo [T]

Rhamnus lanceolatus, Lance-leaved Buckthorn [B]

Ceoanthus americanus, New Jersey Tea [P]

Vicia sativa, Common Vetch

Adventive

Lathyrus palustris, Marsh Pea [Bks]

Listed by Mead both under this name and under Lathyrus myrtifolius. The latter is now considered part of L. palustris by most authorities; Mohlenbrock recognizes L. palustris var. myrtifolius.

Strophostyles helvula, Large Fuzzy Bean [P, B]

Listed by Mead as Phaseolis helvolus

Strophostyles leiosperma, Small Fuzzy Bean [P]

Listed by Mead as Phaseolis leiospermus

Apios americana, Ground Nut [B]

Listed by Mead as Apios tuberosa

Amphicarpaea bracteata, Hog Peanut [T]

Listed by Mead as Amphicarpaea monoica pitcheri

Robinea pseudoacacia, Black Locust

Adventive

Tephrosia virginiana, Goat's Rue [P, B, H]

Psoralidium tenuiflorum, Scurf-pea [P]

Listed by Mead as Psoralea floribunda

Orbexilum onobrychis, French Grass [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Psoralea onobrychis

Amorpha fruticosa, False Indigo Bush [Bks]

Amorpha canescens, Lead Plant [P]

Dale candida, White Prairie Clover [P, B]

Listed by Mead as Petalostemum candidum

Dalea purpurea, Purple Prairie Clover [P]

Listed by Mead as Petalostemum violaceum

Trifolium pretense, Red Clover

Adventive

Trifolium stoloniferum, Running Buffalo Clover [Bks, Bts]

Kibbe acknowledges the confusion over Mead's specimens, which Dr. Mead also labeled T. reflexum at some point. Kibbe rules out the latter since they are glabrous but states they have characteristics typical of T. stoloniferum. Mohlenbrock however lists a glabrous variety, T. reflexum glabrum, for Illinois as well as T. stoloniferum (historically). The latter is now considered extirpated from the state.

Trifolium repens, White Clover

Adventive

Trifolium campestre, Low Hop Clover

Listed by Mead as Trifolium procumbens; adventive

Melolitus officinalis, Yellow Sweet Clover

Adventive

Astragalus distortus, Bent Milk Vetch [P, B]

Listed by Mead as "Astragalus pachycarpus(?)" also as "Astragalus caryocarpus;" Mead added a note that this was "Perhaps a new species between A. obcordatus and distortus." A. obcordatus is a southern species, but A. distortus is known from western Illinois, e.g., Adams Co. adjacent to Hancock Co. No Mead specimen survives, but it seems most likely that he observed A. distortus.

Astragalus canadensis, Canada Milk Vetch [T]

Desmodium nudiflorum, Naked-flowered Tick Trefoil [T]

Desmodium glutinosum, Pointed-leaved Tick Trefoil [T]

Listed by Mead as Desmodium acuminatum

Desmodium canadense, Showy Tick Trefoil [B]

Desmodium cuspidatum, Large-bracted Tick Trefoil [T]

Desmodium sessilifolium, Sessile-leaved Tick Trefoil [B, H]

Desmodium paniculatum, Panicled Tick Trefoil [B]

Lespedeza procumbens, Trailing Bush Clover [B]

Lespedeza violacea, Violet Bush Clover [T, H]

Kibbe includes Mead's specimen labeled L. procumbens with L. violacea. L. procumbens is not otherwise known from Hancock Co.

Lespedeza virginica, Slender Bush Clover [B, H]

Listed by Mead as Lespedeza reticulata

Lespedeza capitata, Round-headed Bush Clover [B, P]

Crotalaria sagittalis, Rattlebox

Mead's specimen is from Cass Co., although this species grows in Hancock Co. Mead does not note the habitat, which is typically sandy soil.

Baptisia bracteata, Cream Wild Indigo [P]

Listed by Mead as Baptisia leucophaea

Baptisia alba, White Wild Indigo [B]

Listed by Mead as Baptisia leaucantha

Cercis canadensis, Redbud [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Cerus canadensis

Senna marilandica, Maryland Senna [T, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Cassia marilandica

Chamaecrista fasciculata, Partridge Pea [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Cassia chamacerista (vs. C chamaecrista)

Chamaecrista nictitans, Wild Sensitive Plant [H]

Listed by Mead as Cassia nictitans, found in Mason Co.

Gymnocladus dioicus, Kentucky Coffee Tree [T]

Listed by Mead as Gymnocladus candensis

Mimosa microphylla, Littleleaf Sensitive Brier

Listed by Mead as Schrankia uncinata, found in Clark Co, Missouri. Mohlenbrock states the species is rare in Illinois.

Prunus americana, Wild Plum [B]

Agrimonia parviflora, Swamp Agrimony [P, Bts]

Potentilla norvegica, Rough Cinquefoil [P, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Potentilla Norwegica

Potentilla simplex, Common Cinquefoil [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Potentilla canadensis

Potentilla arguta, Prairie Cinquefoil [P]

Fragaria virginiana, Wild Strawberry [P, T]

Rubus occidentalis, Black Raspberry [T]

Rubus flagellaris, Common Dewberry [T]

Listed by Mead as Rubus villosus

Rubus hispidus, Swamp Dewberry [T, H]

Rubus ideus, European Raspberry

Adventive

Crataegus crus-galli, Cockspur Hawthorn [T]

Crataegus punctata, Dotted Hawthorn[T]

Listed by Mead as C. coccinea, a species of some taxonomic confusion; Mohlenbrock says C. coccinea is "misapplied" and should be C. pedicillata, but the name is accepted in Flora Novae-angliae and elsewhere as the valid older name for that species. However Kibbe identifies Mead's specimens labeled C. coccinea as C. punctata, an entirely different species.

Crataegus mollis, Downy Hawthorn

Mead's list omits the habitat for this common spcies.

Crataegus calpodendron, Sugar Hawthorn [T]

Listed by Mead as C. tomentosa

Malus ioensis, Iowa Crab Apple [T]

Listed by Mead as Pyrus coronaria

Amelanchier arborea, Downy Serviceberry [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Amelanchier botryapium, which would currently be A. laevis; Mohlenbrock however limits this species to scattered northern and eastern counties in Illinois. Kibbe's description of the Mead specimen's pubescent foliage indicates the more common A. arborea is the correct species (she lists it as A. oblongifolium).

Rhexia virginica, Meadow Beauty [W, P]

Today this species is found in sandy soils. Mead's specimen is from Cass Co.

Didiplis diandra, Water Purslane [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Hypobrychia nuttallii; not currently known from Hancock Co.

Ammania coccinea. Scarlet Toothcup [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Ammania latifolia

Rotala ramosior, Toothcup [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Ammania humilis

Lythrum alatum, Winged Loosestrife [W, P]

Cuphea viscosissima, Waxweed [H, T, Bks]

Epilobium coloratum, Cinnamon Willow Herb [Bks, W, P]

Oenothera biennis, Common Evening Primrose [P, T]

Oenothera pilosella, Prairie Sundrops[P]

Listed by Mead as Oenothera fruticosa var. incana, this species was later separated from O. fruticosa.

Oenothera speciosa, Showy Evening Primrose

Listed by Mead as Oenothera hirsuta; adventive from further West.

Oenothera fruticosa var. glauca, Narrowleaf Evening Primrose

Listed by Mead as "Oenothera var. phyllopus," Oenothera fruticosa var. phyllopus was likely the intended name. No habitat is given. Mohlenbrock restricts this ssp. to southern Illinois, and Kibbe does not discuss it.

Oenothera gaura, Biennial Gaura [P]

Listed by Mead as Gaura biennis, a name recently relegated to synonym (Wagner, Hoch, and Raven, 2007).

Ludwigia alternifolia, Seedbox [W, P, T]

Ludwigia polycarpa, False Loosestrife [W, P, Pds]

Ludwigia palustris, Marsh Purslane [W, P, Pds]

Circaea lutetiana, Enchanter's Nightshade [T]

Proserpinaca palustris, Mermaid-weed [W, P, Pds]

Myriophyllum pinnatum, Rough Water Milfoil [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Myriophyllum heterophyllum, Kibbe states the surviving specimen is "unmistakable M. scabratum" (now M. pinnatum).

Mentzelia ogliosperma, Stickleaf

Collected by Mead in Pike Co.

Sicyos angulatus, Bur Cucumber [Bts]

Echinocystis lobata, Wild Cucumber [Bks, T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Ectrinocystos lobata"

Ribes missouriense, Missouri Gooseberry [B]

Listed by Mead as Ribes rotundifolium which is not native to or known in Illinois; Kibbe does not discuss this listing, but notes a later Mead collection (1877) of the common species.

Ribes americanum, Wild Black Currant

Listed by Mead as Ribes floridanum and noted as adventive, this species is native to adjoining Henderson Co.

Ribes nigrum, European Black Currant

Adventive

Ribes rubrum, Red Currant

Adventive

Ribes aureum, Golden Currant

Although listed by Mead as adventive, this species is native in adjoining Adams and Henderson Cos.

Opuntia humifusa, Prickly Pear [S, B, P]

Listed by Mead as Opuntia vulgaris, which is a different species. Collected in Mason and Pike Cos.

Heuchera richardsonii, Prairie Alumroot [P]

Hydrangea arborescens, Wild Hydrangea

Collected by Mead in Cape Girardeau Co, Missouri, but native to Illinois

Philadelphus inodorus, Scentless Mock Orange

Listed by Mead as Philadelphus grandiflorus; adventive from cultivation but not currently known from Hancock Co.

Philadelphus coronarius, Sweet Mock Orange

Adventive from cultivation, but not currently known from Hancock Co.

Sanicula marilandica, Black Snakeroot [T]

Eryngium yuccifolium, Rattlesnake Master [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Erysyum aquaticum"

Bupleurum rotundifolium, Throughwax

Adventive, not currently known from Hancock Co.

Cicuta maculata, Water Hemlock [W, P]

Sium suave, Water Parsnip [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Sium latifolium

Cryptotaenia canadensis, Honewort [T]

Zizia aurea, Golden Alexanders [P]

Taenidia integerrima, Yellow Pimpernel [B]

Listed by Mead as Zizia integerrima

Thaspium trifolium, Meadow Parsnip [P]

Listed by Mead as Thaspium cordatum

Thaspium barbinode, Hairy Meadow Parsnip [T, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Thaspium aureum

Oxypolis rigidior, Cowbane [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Archimora rigida

Pastinaca sativa, Wild Parsnip

Adventive

Hearcleum maximum, Cow Parsnip [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Heracleum lanatum

Polytaenia nuttallii, Prairie Parsley [B]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Polytaenia nuttalia

Chaerophyllum procumbens, Wild Chervil [Bts]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Cherophyllum procumbens"

Osmorhiza longistylis, Anise Root [T]

Osmorhiza claytonii, Sweet Cicely [T]

Listed by Mead as Osmorhiza brevistylis

Erigenia bulbosa, Harbinger of Spring [Bts]

Aralia racemosa, Spikenard [T, H]

Panax quinquefolius, American Ginseng [T]

In Mead's list as P. quinquefolium

Cornus sericea, Red-Osier Dogwood [T]

Listed by Mead as Cornus stolonifera

Cornus racemosa, Gray Dogwood [T]

Listed by Mead as Cornus paniculata

Cornus drummondi [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Cornus asperifolia

Cornus amomum, Silky Dogwood [Bk]

Listed by Mead as Cornus sericea, which Kibbe states is a misidentification.

Symphoricarpos orbiculatus, Coralberry [T, H]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Symphoricarpus" vulgaris

Lonicera dioica, Red Honeysuckle [B]

Listed by Mead as Lonicera parviflora

Triosteum perfoliatum, Late Horse Gentian [T]

Sambucus nigra canadensis, Elderberry [T, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Sambucus canadensis

Viburnum prunifolium, Black Haw [T]

Viburnum opulus, European Cranberry

Adventive

Galium aparine, Cleavers [T]

Galium tinctorium, Stiff Bedstraw [P, T]

Galium asprellum, Rough Bedstraw [T]

Galium pilosum, Hairy Bedstraw [S, B]

Collected in Cass and Mason Cos.

Galium circaezans, Wild Licorice [B]

Spermacoce glabra, Smooth Buttonweed

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Spermacore glabra." Collected along Illinois River in Mason Co.

Diodea virginiana, Large Buttonweed [ Bks]

Collected along the Illinois River

Diodea teres, Rough Buttonweed [S, Bks]

Collected along the Illinois River

Cephalanthus occidentalis, Buttonbush [Pds]

Vernonia novaeboracens, New York Ironweed [W, P]

This species is not found in or considered native to Illinois; no specimen survives.

Vernonia fasciculata, Smooth Ironweed [W, P]

Vernonia missurica, Missouri Ironweed

Kibbe states that Mead's specimens of V. fasciculata include examples of both of these species though he listed only the first.

Liatris cylindracea, Cylindrical Blazing Star [P]

Liatris pycnostachya, Prairie Blazing Star [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "L. pyenostachia"

Liatris scariosa nieuwlandii, Savanna Blazing Star [B]

Listed by Mead as L. scariosa

Liatris aspera, Rough Blazing Star [P]

Kibbe lists Mead's L. aspera specimen under L. scariosa. L. aspera is however known from Hancock Co.

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Brickellia eupatorioides, False Boneset [P, T, H]

Listed by Mead as Kuhnia eupatorioides

Eutrochium purpureum, Sweet Joe-Pye Weed [T]

Listed by Mead as Eupatorium purpureum

Eupatorium altissimum, Tall Boneset [B]

Eupatorium sessifolium, Upland Boneset [B]

Eupatorium perfoliatum, Common Boneset [W, P, Bts]

Eupatorium serotinum, Late Boneset [Bts, P]

Misprinted as E. seratinum in Mead's list

Ageratina altissima, White Snakeroot [B]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Eupatorium ageritoides" (vs. E. ageratoides)

Conoclinium coelestinum, Mistflower [B]

Found near Sangamon River

Symphyotrichum sericeum, Silky Aster [P]

Listed by Mead as Aster cericeus, likely a misprint for A. sericeus

Symphyotrichum laeve, Smooth Blue Aster [P]

Listed by Mead as Aster laevis

Symphyotrichum turbinellum, Turbinate Aster [T, B]

Listed by Mead as Aster turbinellus

Symphyotrichum oolentangiense, Sky Blue Aster [P]

Listed by Mead as Aster azureus

Symphyotrichum shortii, Short's Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster shortii

Symphyotrichum undulatum, Wavy-leaved Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster undulatus. Kibbe identified the surviving Mead specimens as misidentified Drummond's Aster. Mohlenbrock restricts S. undulatum to extreme southeastern Illinois.

Symphyotrichum cordifolium, Heart-leaved Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster cordifolius

Symphyotrichum drummondii, Drummond's Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster sagittifolius

Symphyotrichum ericoides, Heath Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster ericoides; however, Kibbe identifies other Mead specimens variously labeled (and listed) as Aster fragilis, Aster multiflorus, and Aster dumosus as the same species.

Symphyotrichum lanceolatum interior, Small-flowered White Panicled Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster tradescantii, a species restricted to New England.

Symphyotrichum lanceolatum, White Panicled Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster simplex

Symphyotrichum parviceps, Small White Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster tenuifolius

Symphyotrichum praealtum, Willow Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster corneus

Symphyotrichum oblongifolium, Aromatic Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster oblongifolius

Symphyotrichum novae-angliae, New England Aster

Listed by Mead as Aster novae-angliae

Achillea millefolium, Yarrow

Adventive, though not so designated by Mead

Leucanthemum vulgare, Ox-eye Daisy

Adventive

Tanacetum vulgare, Tansy

Adventive

Artemisia caudata, Sand Wormwood [S, P, H, B]

Cass and Mason Cos.

Artemisia biennis, Biennial Wormwood

Mohlenbrock states this species is naturalized in Illinois from the NW states

Artemisia frigida, Western Sagebrush [S, H, B]

Found in Mason Co.; Mohlenbrock states this species is adventive from further west

Pseudognaphalium obtusifolium, Sweet Everlasting [R]

Listed by Mead as Gnaphalium polycephalum

Antennaria neglecta, Pussy-toes [P]

Listed by Mead as Antennaria dioica, which Kibbe considers a misidentification.

Antenneria plantaginifolia, Pussy-toes

Erichtites hieracifolia, Pilewort [P, T]

Arnoglossum reniforme, Great Indian Plantain [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Cacalia reniformis

Arnoglossun atriplicifolium, Sweet Indian Plantain [T]

Listed by Mead as Cacalia atriplicifolia

Arnoglossum plantagineum, Prairie Indian Plantain [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Cacalia tuberosa

Packera aurea, Golden Ragwort [W, P]

Kibbe states that Mead also collected and identified Packera paupercula, formerly Senecio pauperculus (as S. balsamitae), but it does not appear in the 1846 list.

Plectocephalus americanus, American Basket-flower

Listed by Mead as Centaurea americana. Mohlenbrock states this western species is adventive in two SE Illinois counties. No Mead specimen survives.

Centaurea cyaneus, Bachelors Buttons

Adventive

Cirsium discolor, Pasture Thistle [P]

Cirsium altissimum, Tall Thistle [T]

Kibbe states that Mead's listing of "Cirsium virginianum" is likely based on misidentified specimens of C. altissimum. C. virginianum is a southern species unknown from Illinois.

Cirsium muticum, Swamp Thistle [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Cirsium mutium"

Cirsium pumilum var. hillii, Hill's Thistle [P]

Listed by Mead as Cirsium pumilum

Arctium lappa, Great Burdock

Listed by Mead as Lappa major; adventive. Kibbe states that Mead also collected Arctium minus but it does not appear in the 1846 list.

Krigia biflora, False Dandelion [P]

Listed by Mead as Cynthia virginica, identified by Kibbe as this species. K. virginica grows in Illinois but not in Hancock Co.

Hieracium scabrum, Rough Hawkweed [T]

Hieracium longipilum, Long-bearded Hawkweed [P]

Hieracium gronovii, Hairy Hawkweed [T]

Nabalus trifoliatus, Three-leaved Rattlesnake Root [B]

Listed by Mead as Prenanthes serpentaria, which is excluded from Illinois. No Mead specimen with this label exists. However Mead also collected Nabalus alba, which is common in Illinois but omitted from the 1846 list.

Nabalus racemosus, Rattlesnake Root [P]

Nabalus asper, Rough White Lettuce [P]

Nabalus crepidineus, Great White Lettuce [T]

Nothocalias cuspidata, Prairie Dandelion [P]

Listed by Mead as Troximon cuspidatum

Taraxicum officinale, Dandelion

Listed by Mead as Taraxicum dens-leonis

Lactuca canadensis, Wild Lettuce [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Lactuca elongata

Lactuca ludoviciana, Prairie Lettuce [P]

Lactuca floridana, Woodland Lettuce [B, T]

Mead listed both Mulgedium acuminatum and Mulgedium floridanum, but Kibbe determined both listings refer to this species.

Sonchus asper, Spiny Sow Thistle

Adventive

Lobelia cardinalis, Cardinal Flower [Pds]

Lobelia inflata, Indian Tobacco [T]

Lobelia siphilitica, Great Blue Lobelia [T]

Lobelia spicata, Pale Spiked Lobelia [P]

Listed by Mead as Lobelia claytoniana

Lobelia spicata var. leptostachya, Pale Spiked Lobelia [P]

Listed by Mead as Lobelia leptostachya

Triodanis perfoliata, Venus' Looking Glass [T]

Listed by Mead as Campanula amplexicauli

Campanula americana, Tall Bellflower [B]

Campanula aparinoides, Marsh Bellflower [Bts]

Diospyros virginiana, American Persimmon [Bts, Bks]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Diospyrus"

Fraxinus Americana, White Ash [T]

Listed by Mead as Fraxinus acuminata

Fraxinus quadrangulata, Blue Ash [Bts]

Ligustrum vulgare, European Privet

Adventive

Apocynum androsaemifolium, Spreading Dogbane [P]

Apocynum cannabinum, Indian Hemp [T, P]

Amsonia tabernaemontana, Bluestar [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Amsonia latifolia

Asclepias syriaca, Common Milkweed [P, T]

Asclepias exaltata, Poke Milkweed [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Asclepias phytolaeoides" (vs. A. phytolaccoides); Mead indicates a footnote 14 which unfortunately was omitted from the notes on Page 36; it presumably denotes a location other than Hancock Co., where the species has not been observed.

Asclepias purpurascens, Purple Milkweed [P]

Asclepias incarnata, Swamp Milkweed [W, P, T]

Asclepias amplexicaulis, Sand Milkweed [P]

Listed by Mead as A. obtusifolia

Asclepias meadii, Mead's Milkweed [P]

Listed by Mead as Asclepias cordata, before the plant was recognized as a new species and named for him

Asclepias quadrifolia, Fourleaf Milkweed [T]

Asclepias verticillata, Whorled Milkweed [P, T, H]

Asclepias tuberosa, Butterfly Weed [P]

Asclepias viridiflora, Green Milkweed

Listed by Mead as Acerates viridiflora

Asclepias hirtella, Tall Green Milkweed

Listed by Mead as Acerates longifolia, which Mohlenbrock excludes from Illinois.

Ampelamus albidus, Bluevine [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Enslenia albida

Gentiana andrewsii, Bottle Gentian {W, P]

Listed by Mead as Gentiana saponaria, Kibbe states the surviving specimens are this species.

Gentiana alba, Cream Gentian [B]

Listed by Mead as Gentiana ochroleuca

Gentianella quinquefolia occidentalis, Stiff Gentian

Listed by Mead as Gentiana quinquefolia

Gentiana puberulenta, Prairie Gentian [P]

Listed by Mead as Gentiana rubricaulis

Sabatia angularis, Rose Pink [B]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Sabattia angularis"

Spigelia marilandica, Indian Pink [T]

Found in Cape Girardeau Co., Missouri. The species also grows in southern Illinois.

Proboscidea louisianica, Unicorn Plant

*Listed by Mead as Martynia proboscidea; indicated as adventive.* 

Phlox paniculata, Garden Phlox [P, Bts]

Also in Mead's list as "Phlox acuminata (?)," an identification later cancelled according to Kibbe.

Phlox maculata pyramidalis, Wild Sweet William [Bts]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Phlox "pyramadalis", vs. P. pyramidalis

Phlox pilosa, Prairie Phlox [P]

Listed by Mead as Phlox aristata

Phlox divaricata laphamii, Woodland Phlox [T]

Kibbe identified the Mead specimens labeled P. reptans as P. divaricata.

Phlox glaberrima, Smooth Phlox [W, P]

Polemonium reptans, Jacob's Ladder [T]

Calystegia sepium, Hedge Bindweed [W, P, T]

Listed by Mead as Convolvulus sepium

Calystegia spithamaea, Low Bindweed [B, H]

Listed by Mead as Convolvulus spithamaeus (misprinted "spithmeus")

Ipomaea pandurata, Wild Sweet Potato Vine [B]

Listed by Mead as Convolvulus panduratus

Calystegia silvatica fraterniflora, Short-stalk False Bindweed [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Convolvulus macrorhizos; Mohlenbrock (1990) states that "Mead used this binomial erroneously."

Ipomoea purpurea, Common Morning Glory

Listed by Mead as Convolvulus purpureus; adventive

Ipomoea coccinea, Red Morning Glory

Adventive

Ipomoea hederacea, Ivy-leaved Morning Glory

Listed by Mead as Ipomea nil; adventive

Ipomoea lacunosa, Small White Morning Glory

Misprinted in Mead's list as I. lacanosa

Cuscuta gronovii, Dodder

*Listed by Mead as Cuscuta vulgigava (misprinted as C. vulgigave)* 

Cuscuta coryli, Hazel Dodder

Cuscuta glomerata, Rope Dodder

Listed by Mead as Lepidanche compositarum; Kibbe misspelled the early name as Lepidanche compositorum.

Buglossoides arvensis, Corn Gromwell [S, P]

Listed by Mead as Lithospermum arvense; adventive though not so noted

Lithospermum incisum, Fringed Puccoon [S, P]

Listed by Mead as Lithospermum angustifolium; collected in Mason Co.

Lithospermum canescens, Hoary Puccoon [P, B]

Listed by Mead as Batschia canescens

Onosmodium molle, Marbleseed [W, P, T]

Listed by Mead as Onosmodium strigosum, but the taxonomy here is complex. Kibbe believes O. hispidissimum is the species; Hilty states that O. molle hispidissimum has a more eastern distribution and that O. molle occidentale is the species native to Illinois. Mohlenbrock lists both O. molle hispidissimum and O. molle occidentale as native to the state. Other current authorities now call the species O. bejariense, still recognizing the two varieties.

Myosotis verna, Scorpion Grass [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Myosotis inflexa

Mertensia virginica, Virginia Bluebells [T]

Listed by Mead as Pulmonaria virginica

Lappula squarrosa, European Stickseed [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Echinospermum lappula; adventive though not so indicated

Hackelia virginiana, Stickseed [T]

Listed by Mead as Echinospermum virginianum

Hydrophyllum virginianum, Virginia Waterleaf [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Hydrophyllum virginicum

Hydrophyllum appendiculatum, Great Waterleaf [Bts]

Ellisia nyctelea, Aunt Lucy [Bts, T]

Listed by Mead as Ellisia ambigua

Mentha spicata, Spearmint

Listed by Mead as Mentha viridis; adventive

Mentha arvensis, Field Mint [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Mentha borealis

Isanthus brachiatus, false pennyroyal [Bks, P, H]

Listed by Mead as Isanthus ceruleus

Monarda fistulosa, Wild Bergamot [B]

Blephilia ciliata, Downy Wood Mint [T]

Listed by Mead as "Monarda ciliosa," apparently an erroneous spelling of M. ciliata.

Monarda punctata, Ohio Horsemint [S, B, H]

Pycnanthemum tenuifolium, Narrow-leaved Mountain Mint [P]

Listed by Mead as Pycnanthemum linifolium

Pycnanthmum pilosum, Hairy Mountain Mint [T, B]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Pycnanthemum pylosum

Thymus serpillum, Mother-of-Thyme

Adventive

Hedeoma pulegioides, American Pennyroyal [T]

Melissa officinalis, Balm

Adventive

Prunella vulgaris, Heal-all [P]

Scutellaria galericulata, Marsh Skullcap [W, T]

Scutellaria lateriflora, Mad-dog Skullcap [Bts]

Scutellaria parvula, Small Skullcap [P, B]

Scutellaria nervosa, Veiny Skullcap [Bks]

Scutellaria ovata, Heart-leaved Skullcap [T]

Listed by Mead as Scutellaria cordifolia

Nepeta cataria, Catnip

*Adventive* 

Glechoma hederacea, Creeping Charlie

Listed by Mead as Nepeta glechoma; adventive

Physostegia virginiana, Obedient Plant [P, Bts]

Listed by Mead as both Dracocephalum virginianum and as Dracocephalum denticulatum

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Leonurus cardiaca, Motherwort

Adventive

Stachys tenuifolia, Smooth Hedge Nettle [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Stachys sylvatica (?)

Stachys palustris palustris, Hedge Nettle [W, P, Bts]

Various Mead specimens are labeled as Stachys sylvatica (?), Stachys hispida, and Stachys cordata (?)

Marrubium vulgare, Horehound

Adventive

Teucrium canadense, Wood Sage [Bts]

Solanum dulcamara, Bittersweet Nightshade

Adventive

Solanum ptychanthum, Black Nightshade [P]

Listed by Mead as Solanum nigrum

Solanum carolinense, Horse Nettle [R, Bks]

Lycopersicon esculentum, Tomato

Misprinted in Mead's list as Solanum cycopersicum (vs. S. lycopersicum); adventive

Physalis heterophylla, Ground Cherry [P]

Listed by Mead as Physalis viscosa

Physalis angulata, Ground Cherry [P]

Listed by Mead as Physalis obscura; adventive from further south

Physalis subglabrata, Smooth Ground Cherry [P]

Specimens listed by Mead as Physalis pennsylvanica and Physalis lanceolata were identified by Kibbe as P. subglabrata

Nicandra physalodes, Apple of Peru

Misprinted in Mead's list as Nicandra physoleoides, adventive

Nicotiana tabacum, Tobacco

Adventive

Datura stramonium, Jimson Weed [R]

Mead listed both Datura stramonium and Datura tatula, the latter now considered a synonym.

Datura is misprinted as "Datum." Adventive

Lycium barbarium, Matrimony Vine

Adventive

Verbascum thapsis, Mullein [R, T]

Adventive, though not so indicated

Besseya bullii, Kittentails [B, P]

Listed by Mead as Gymnandria houghtoniana (misprinted as G. houghtorniana); found in Mason and Pike Cos.

Conyza canadensis, Horseweed [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Erigeron canadense

Conyza ramosissima, Dwarf Fleabane [P]

Listed by Mead as Erigeron divaricatum

Erigeron pulchellus, Robin's Plantain [T]

Listed by Mead as Erigeron bellidifolius

Erigeron philadelphicus, Marsh Fleabane [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Erigeron philadelphicum (misprinted as E. philadelphinum) and as E. quercifolium (?)

Erigeron annuus, Annual Fleabane [T]

Listed by Mead as Erigeron annuum

Erigeron strigosus, Daisy Fleabane [P]

Listed by Mead as Erigeron strigosum

Ionactis linarifolius, Flax-leaved Aster [P]

Listed by Mead as Diplopappus linarifolius

Doellingeria umbellata, Flat-topped Aster

Listed by Mead as Diplopappus umbellatus

Boltonia asteroides, False Aster [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Boltonia glostifolia

Solidago flexicaulis, Zigzag Goldenrod [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Solidago latifolia

Solidago speciosa, Showy Goldenrod [P, T]

Oligoneuron rigidum, Stiff Goldenrod [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Solidago rigida

Solidago uliginosa, Bog Goldenrod [T]

Listed by Mead as Solidago neglecta

Solidago arguta, Sharp-toothed Goldenrod [B]

Also listed by Brendel in Flora Peoriana, this species is now quite rare in Illinois, and extirpated from Hancock Co.

Solidago ulmifolia, Elm-leaved Goldenrod [B]

Solidago nemoralis, Field Goldenrod [P]

Solidago glaberrima, Missouri Goldenrod [P]

Listed by Mead as Solidago missouriensis, which Mohlenbrock states is misapplied.

Solidago canadensis, Canada Goldenrod [P, B]

Listed by Mead as S. canadense

Solidago gigantea, Giant Goldenrod [W, P, T]

Euthamia graminifolia, Grass-leaved Goldenrod [P]

Listed by Mead as Solidago lanceolata

Euthamia caroliniana, Carolina Grass-leaved Goldenrod [P]

Listed by Mead as Solidago tenuifolia; some authorities now consider this to be a synonym of E. graminifolia, though Mohlenbrock still separates it.

Chrysopsis camporum, Prairie Golden Aster [S, P]

Listed by Mead as Chrysopsis mariana, which Mohlenbrock (2015) states is a misidentification; found in Mason Co.

Chrysopsis villosa, Hairy Prairie Golden Aster [S, P, H]

Found in Cass and Mason Cos.

Inula helenium, Elecampane [R]

Adventive

Polymnia canadensis, Leafcup [Bts]

Silphium laciniatum, Compass Plant [P]

Silphium terebinthinaceum, Prairie Dock [B, P]

Silphium integrifolium, Rosinweed [B]

Silphium perfoliatum, Cup Plant [Bts]

Parthenium integrifolium, Wild Quinine [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Parthenium integrium

Ambrosia trifida, Giant Ragweed [P,T]

Mead also lists A. integrifolia, now considered a synonym

Ambrosia artemisiifolia, Common Ragweed [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as A. artemesiafolia

Ambrosia psilostachya, Western Ragweed [P, S, B]

Listed by Mead as Ambrosia coronopifolia

Ambrosia bidentata, Toothed Ragweed

Found in Cass Co.

Xanthium strumarium, Common Cocklebur

Heliopsis helianthoides, Oxeye Sunflower [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Heliopsis laevis (misprinted as H. levis)

Echinacea purpurea, Purple Coneflower [T]

Echinacea angustifolia, Narrow-leaved Purple Coneflower [P]

Rudbeckia hirta, Black-eyed Susan [P]

Rudbeckia triloba, Brown-eyed Susan [T, Bts]

Rudbeckia subtomentosa, Sweet Black-eyed Susan [P]

Rudbeckia laciniata, Cutleaf Coneflower [Bts]

Verbesina alternifolia, Wingstem [B]

Listed by Mead as Actinomeris squarrosa

Verbesina helianthoides, Yellow Crownbeard [B]

*Listed by Mead as Actinomeris helianthoides (misprinted as A. pelianthoides)* 

Bidens aristosa, Swamp Marigold [W, P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Coreopsis eristosa (vs. C. aristosa)

Coreopsis tripteris, Tall Coreopsis [P, B]

Coreopsis palmata, Prairie Coreopsis [P, B]

Coreopsis lanceolata, Sand Coreopsis [S, P]

Found in Mason Co.

Coreopsis tinctoria, Plains Coreopsis

Adventive

Bidens frondosa, Common Beggar's Ticks [P]

Bidens connata, Purple-Stemmed Beggar's Ticks [W, P]

Bidens cernua, Nodding Beggar's Ticks [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Bidens chrysanthemoides, which is now a synonym of B. laevis; Kibbe identified the specimen as B. cernua with some resemblance to B. laevis. Mohlenbrock restricts B. laevis to Union Co. in Illinois.

Verbesina encelioides, Golden Crownbeard

Listed by Mead as Ximensia encelioides; adventive, and Mead noted the station was later destroyed (1872).

Dyssodia papposa, Fetid Marigold

Misprinted in Mead's list as Dysodia chrysanthemoides; adventive

Hymenopappus scabiosaeus, Old Plainsman [H]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Hymenopappus scabiosacus. Mohelnbrock notes the habitat as sand prairies and open sandy woodlands. This species is not currently found in Hancock Co.

Helenium autumnale, Common Sneezeweed [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Helonium canalicedatum" (vs. Helenium canaliculatum)

Anthemis cotula, Dog Fennel [R]

Listed by Mead as Maruta cotula; adventive, though not so noted by Mead

Veronica angallis-aquatica, Water Speedwell [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Veronica anagallis

Veronica peregrina, Purslane Speedwell [P]

Veronicastrum virginicum, Culver's Root [P]

Listed by Mead as Veronica virginica

Scrophularia marilandica, Late Figwort [T]

Scrophularia lanceolata, Early Figwort [T]

Kibbe excludes this species from Hancock Co.; no Mead specimen survives

Mimulus ringens, Monkey Flower [W, P]

Mimulus alatus, Winged Monkeyflower [W, P, Pds]

Gratiola virginiana, Round-fruited Hedge Hyssop [W, P, Pds]

Listed by Mead as Grateola virginica, an apparent misprint; another Mead specimen labeled

Grateola caroliniensis (?) was also identified by Kibbe as G. virginiana

Gratiola neglecta, Clammy Hedge Hyssop [W, P, Pds]

Listed by Mead as Grateola missouriana

Lindernia anagallidea, Slender False Pimpernel [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Grateola anagalloidea

Lindernia dubia, False Pimpernel [W, P, Pds]

Listed by Mead as Lindernia dilatata

Chelone glabra, White Turtlehead [W, P, Pds]

Chelone obliqua speciosa, Pink Turtlehead [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Chelone purpurea

Penstemon pallidus, Pale Penstemon [P]

Listed by Mead as Penstemon pubescens, Kibbe states it is probably this species (no specimen survives)

Penstemon Digitalis, Foxglove Penstemon [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Penstemon levigatum (vs. P. laevigatus)

Penstemon gracilis wisconsinensis, Slender Penstemon

Listed by Mead as Penstemon gracile; found near Chicago. The only modern record is from Kane Co., where it is adventive.

Collinsia verna, Blue-eyed Mary [Bts]

Leucospora multifida, Obe-Wan-Conobea [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Capraria multafida, likely a misprint

Bacopa rotundifolia, Water Hyssop [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Herpestis rotundifolia

Agalinis purpurea, Purple False Foxglove [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Gerardia purpurea

Agalinis tenuifolia, Slender False Foxglove [T, P]

Listed by Mead as Gerardia tenuifolia

Tomanthera auriculata, Eared False Foxglove [P]

Listed by Mead as Gerardia auriculata

Aureolaria flava macrantha, Smooth False Foxglove [T]

Listed by Mead as Gerardia quercifolia

Aureolaria grandiflora pulchra, Large False Foxglove [B]

Listed by Mead as Gerardia pedicularis (misprinted as G. pedicularia), an identification Mead later changed to reflect this species.

Pedicularis canadensis, Wood Betony [P]

Pedicularis lanceolata, Swamp Lousewort [Bts, W, P]

Listed by Mead as Pedicularis pallida

Castilleja coccinea, Indian Paintbrush [W, P]

Mead also listed Castilleja lutea, but Kibbe says the specimens are slightly atypical C. coccinea Orobanche uniflora, One-flowered Broomrape [T]

Verbena X deamii, Deam's Vervain [P, R]

Hybrid between V. bracteata and V. stricta, listed by Mead as Verbena spuria (?)

Verbena hastata, Blue Vervain [P, R]

Verbena urticifolia, White Vervain [P, R]

Misprinted in Mead's list as V. articifolia

Verbena simplex, Narrow-leaved Vervain [P, H, R]

Listed by Mead as Verbena angustifolia

Verbena bracteata, Creeping Vervain [P, R]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Verbena bracteosa

Verbena stricta, Hoary Vervain [P, R]

Phyla lanceolata, Fogfruit [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Zapania nodiflora, a misidentification – Phyla nodiflora does not occur in Illinois. Found near Illinois River, though Mead later collected Zapania lanceolata (correctly named) in Hancock Co.

Phryma leptostachya, Lopseed [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Phryma lepto staetrya

Justicia americana, Water Willow [Pds]

Ruellia humilis, Hairy Wild Petunia [P]

Listed by Mead as Ruellia strepens. Kibbe notes that Mead reversed the names and the habitats for these two Ruellia species.

Ruellia strepens, Smooth Wild Petunia [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Ruellia ciliosa, see above.

Utricularia vulgaris, Common Bladderwort [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Utricularia steracea (?), presumed to indicate this species which was confirmed by Kibbe in Hancock Co.

Dodecatheon meadia, Shooting Star [P, B]

Lysimachia ciliata, Fringed Loosestrife [B]

Lysimachia lanceolata, Lance-leaved Loosestrife [P]

Listed by Mead as both Lysimachia hybrida and Lanceolata heterophylla

Lysimachia quadriflora, Prairie Loosestrife [W, P]

Listed by Mead under both this name and the synonym Lysimachia revoluta

Centunculus minimus, False Pimpernel [W, P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Centurculus" lanceolatus, now rare in Illinois

Samolus parviflorus, Brookweed [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Samolus valerandi, which was intended to be S. valerandi americanus according to Kibbe.

Plantago cordata, Heart-leaved Plantain [Pds]

Plantago rugelii, Black-seeded Plantain [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Plantago major, which Kibbe states is a misidentification

Plantago virginica, Virginia Plantain [H, Bks]

Plantago lanceolata, English Plantain

Adventive

Plantago aristata, Largebracted Plantain [P, R]

Misprinted in Mead's list as P. ariotata

Plantago pusilla, Small Plantain [P]

Amaranthus hybridus, Green Pigweed

*Adventive* 

Amaranthus blitoides, Prostrate Pigweed

This may be what was intended by Mead's listing of Amaranthus blitum (?); adventive. Kibbe notes that many of Mead's Amaranthus specimens are odd forms cultivated in his garden that may have hybridized with wild plants.

Froelichia floridana, Cottonweed [S, B, Bks]

Listed by Mead as Oplotheca floridana, found in Cass and Mason Cos.

Chenopodium album, Lamb's Quarters

Adventive

Chenopodium urbicum, City Goosefoot [T, P]

Listed by Mead as Chenopodium rhombifolium

Chenopodium ambrosioides, Mexican Tea [R]

Listed by Mead both under this name and as Chenopodium anthelminticum

Chenopodium botrys, Jerusalem Oak [S, P, Bks]

Found in Cass Co.

Amaranthus tuberculatus, Water Hemp [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Acnida cannabina, found near Illinois River

Chenopodium capitatum, Strawberry Blite

Listed by Mead as Blitum capitatum, adventive

Phytolacca americana, Pokeweed [R]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Phytolacea" decandra

Polygonum aviculare, Prostrate Knotweed [P]

Adventive, though not so noted by Mead

Polygonum erectum, Erect Knotweed [P]

Polygonum tenue, Slender Knotweed [S, P, B]

Polygonella articulata, Jointweed [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum gracile (?), a misidentification; found in Mason Co.

Persicaria punctata, Dotted Smartweed [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum punctatum

Persicaria hydropiperoides, Mild Water Pepper [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum persoonii. Kibbe believes Mead's specimen labeled Polygonum hydropiper is also this species.

Persicaria virginiana, Jumpseed [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Polygonum "virginionum." Mohlenbrock calls this species

Antenoron virginianum, but other authorities do not accept this name.

Persicaria maculosa, Lady's Thumb [P]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum persicaria; adventive though not so noted by Mead Persicaria lapathifolia, Pale Smartweed [P]

Listed by Mead as both Polygonum lapathifolium and as Polygonum barbatum (?)

Persicaria pensylvanica, Pinkweed [P]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum pennsylvanicum

Persicaria amphibia, Water Smartweed [S, P' Pds]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum amphibium

Persicaria coccinea, Scarlet Smartweed [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum coccineum

Persicaria sagittata, Arrow-leaved Tearthumb [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum sagittatum; Mohlenbrock calls this species Tracaulon sagittatum, but other authorities do not accept this name

Fallopia convovulus, Black Bindweed [T, B]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum convovulus (?)

Fallopia scandens, Climbing Buckwheat [T, B]

Listed by Mead as Polygonum scandens

Persicaria orientalis, Prince's Feather

Listed by Mead as Polygonum orientale; adventive

Fagopyrum esculentum, Buckwheat

Listed by Mead as Polygonum fagopyrum, adventive

Rumex crispus, Curly Dock

Adventive

Rumex obtusifolius, Bitter Dock

Adventive

Rumex verticillatus, Swamp Dock [Bts, Pds]

Rumex acetosella, Sour Dock

Adventive, though not so noted by Mead

Mirabilis nyctaginea, Wild Four O'Clock [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Allionia nyctaginea. Adventive, though not so noted by Mead; found along the Mississippi River.

Sassafras albidum, Sassafras [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Laurus sassafras

Lindera benzoin, Spicebush [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Laurus benzoin; found along the Illinois River

Comandra umbellata, Bastard Toadflax [P]

Asarum canadense, Wild Ginger [T, H]

Acalypha virginica, Virginia Mercury [P, T, Bts]

Listed by Mead as both Acalypha virginiana (a misprint) and as Acalypha caroliniana

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Euphorbia maculata, Milk Purslane [T, H, P]

Listed by Mead as Euphorbia hypericifolia and Euphorbia depressa. Mohlenbrock calls this plant Chamaesyce maculata, which is viewed as a synonym by other authorities.

Euphorbia prostrata, Green Creeping Spurge [P]

Mohlenbrock calls this plant Chamaesyce prostrata, which is viewed as a synonym by other authorities.

Euphorbia corollata, Flowering Spurge [P, T]

Euphorbia dentata, Wild Poinsettia [Bks]

Found along the Illinois River, Cass Co.

Euphorbia spathulata, Warty Spurge [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Euphorbia obtusata; found along the Mississippi River. Mohlenbrock only notes this from Monroe Co. in Illinois.

Euphorbia pubentissima, False Flowering Spurge [S, B]

Found in Mason Co.

Croton capitatus, Woolly Croton [S, P]

Listed by Mead as Croton capitata; found in Cass Co.

Croton monanthogynus, Prairie Tea

Listed by Mead as Croton ellipticum; found in Pike Co.

Croton glandulosus septentrionalis, Sand Croton [S, B]

Listed by Mead as Croton glandulosium; found in Cass and Mason Cos. Adventive from further south, though not so noted by Mead.

Ricinus communis, Castor Oil Plant

Adventive, rarely observed in Illinois

Pilea pumila, Clearweed [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Urtica pumila

Laportea canadensis, Wood Nettle [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Urtica divaricata

Boehmeria cylindrica, False Nettle [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Boehmeria cylindraca

Cannabis sativa, Hemp

Adventive

Humulus lupulus, American Hops [B]

Morus rubra, Red Mulberry [T]

Morus alba, White Mulberry

Adventive

Saururus cernuus, Lizard's Tail [Pds]

Carpinus caroliniana, Musclewood (American Hornbeam) [T]

Listed by Mead as Carpinus americana

Ostrya virginiana, Hop Hornbeam [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Ostrya virginica

Corylus americana, American Hazelnut [B]

Quercus imbricaria, Shingle Oak [B]

Quercus marilandica, Blackjack Oak [B, H]

Listed by Mead as Quercus nigra

Quercus x leana, hybrid of Q. velutina and Q. imbricaria [T]

Listed by Mead as Quercus tinctoria; Mead later noted that the tree was cut down.

Quercus velutina, Black Oak [B, H]

Listed by Mead as Quercus coccinea, which Kibbe states is a misidentification

Quercus falcata, Southern Red Oak [B, H]

This species is restricted to southern Illinois; no Mead specimens survive.

Quercus rubra, Northern Red Oak [T]

Quercus palustris, Pin Oak [Bts]

Quercus stellata, Post Oak [H]

Listed by Mead as Quercus obtusiloba

Quercus macrocarpa, Bur Oak [Bts]

Quercus alba, White Oak [H]

Quercus muhlenbergii, Chinquapin Oak [H]

Listed by Mead as Quercus castanea, "yellow oak;" Kibbe also lists the species for Hancock Co. as Q. prinus, Chestnut Oak (now Q. montana), which Mohlenbrock restricted to a handful of counties in southern Illinois. However Kibbe also lists Q. muhlenbergii, which does occur in Hancock Co. It seems likely that Q. castanea/Q. prinus was a misidentification by both Mead and Kibbe. Q. muhlenbergii was historically called Yellow Oak.

Quercus bicolor, Swamp White Oak [Bts, W, P]

*Kibbe states that the given habitat of "B" (barrens) is likely a misprint for timbered bottoms.* 

Betula nigra, River Birch [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Betula rubra

Salix humilis, Prairie Willow [P]

Listed by Mead as Salix tristis

Salix discolor, Pussy Willow [B]

Salix interior, Sandbar Willow [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Salix longifolia

Salix babylonica, Weeping Willow

Also listed by Mead as Salix annularis; adventive

Salix nigra, Black Willow [Bks]

Salix rigida, Heart-leaved Willow [B]

Salix alba vitellina, Golden Willow

Listed by Mead as Salix vitellina

Salix forbiana, Basket Osier

Adventive

Populus balsmifera, Balsam Poplar

Listed by Mead as Populus candicans; not listed by Kibbe, but still extant in Hancock Co. per Mohlenbrock. Mead's list characterized this species as introduced, but it is native.

Populus deltoides, Eastern Cottonwood [Bks, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Populus angulata

Populus tremuloides, Quaking Aspen [B]

Populus nigra italica, Lombardy Poplar

Adventive

Platanus occidentalis, Sycamore [Bks]

Ulmus americana, American Elm [T, Bts]

Ulmus rubra, Slippery Elm [T, Bks]

Listed by Mead as Ulmus fulva

Celtis occidentalis, Hackberry [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Celtis crassifolia

Juglans nigra, Black Walnut [Bts]

Juglans cinerea, Butternut [Bts]

Carya laciniosa, Shellbark Hickory [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Carya sulcata

Carya ovata, Shagbark Hickory [T]

Listed by Mead as Carya alba

Carya tomentosa, Mockernut Hickory [T]

Carya cordiformis, Bitternut Hickory [B]

Listed by Mead as Carya amara

Carya glabra, Pignut Hickory [B]

Listed by Mead as Carya porcina

Carya illinoinensis, Pecan [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Carya olivaeformis

#### Class II. GYMNOSPERMAE.

Pinus palustris, Longleaf Pine

Adventive; not currently known in Illinois

Thuja occidentalis, Northern White Cedar

Adventive; this species currently grows only in northeastern Illinois

Juniperus virginiana, Red Cedar [H, Bks]

### Class III. ENDOGENAE.

Hypoxis hirsuta, Yellow Star Grass [P]

Listed by Mead as Hypoxis erecta

Sisyrinchium mucronatum, Needletip Blue-eyed Grass [P]

Sisyrinchium angustifolium, Blue-eyed Grass [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Sysirinchium" bermudianum

Iris virginica shrevei, Blue Flag [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Iris versicolor

Iris aphylla, Stool Iris [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Iris n. sp. (?), this is adventive from Europe. It since faded out in Hancock Co but is still known from Missouri. Mead apparently speculated that it was not a European import, but a new native species.

Elodea canadensis, Waterweed [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Udora canadensis

Vallisneria americana, Eelgrass

Misprinted in Mead's list as Valisneria americana; found near Illinois River

Galearis spectabilis, Showy Orchis [T]

Listed by Mead as Orchis spectabilis

Platanthera leucophaea, Prairie White-fringed Orchid [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Mead as Orchis "leucophoea"

Malaxis unifolia, Adder's-mouth Orchid [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Microstylis ophioglossoides

Liparis liliifolia, Purple Twayblade [B, H]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Liparis "lillifolia"

Aplectrum hyemale, Putty-root Orchid [T]

Calopogon tuberosus, Grass Pink Orchid [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Calopogon pulchellus; found along the Mississippi River

Spiranthes cernua, Nodding Ladies' Tresses [P]

Spiranthes gracilis, Slender Ladies' Tresses [T, P]

Spiranthes lucida, Shining Ladies' Tresses [Bks]

Listed by Mead as Spiranthes aestivalis

Cypripedium candidum, White Lady's Slipper [P]

Cypripedium parviflorum pubescens, Yellow Lady's Slipper [T]

Listed by Mead as Cypripedium pubescens, a name still accepted by some authorities

Cypripedium reginae, Showy Lady's Slipper [B]

Listed by Mead as Cypripedium spectabile

Pontederia cordata, Pickerel Weed [Pds]

Heteranthera limosa, Blue Mud Plantain (Duck Salad) [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Schollera graminifolia, an evident misidentification; at the time Schollera limosa would have been correct. Found in Mason Co.

Melanthium virginicum, Virginia Bunchflower [P]

Stenanthium gramineum, Grass-leaved Lily [B]

Listed by Mead as Veratrum angustifolium; found in Pike Co.

Veratrum woodii, False Hellebore [B, H]

This is presumably the species listed by Mead as Veratrum floccosum Chapn., a name which could only be found in Chapman's 1845 "List of Florida Plants." Mead later listed V. woodii, an uncommon species still known from Hancock Co. and a handful of other counties in Illinois. Trillium recurvatum, Prairie Trillium[T]

Trillum flexipes, Declined Trillium [T]

Listed by Mead as Trillium erectum; Kibbe states that this is based on Asa Gray identifying a Mead specimen as T. erectum album. Kibbe identified the surviving Mead specimens as T. flexipes. This is consistent with an observation by Case and Burrows (1962) that reports of T. erectum album west of its normal range may represent forms of T. flexipes. Mohlenbrock recognizes T. erectum var. alba, but restricts it to northeastern Illinois.

Trillium grandiflorum, Large-flowered Trillium [H, T]

Lilium philadelphicum andinum, Prairie Lily

Listed by Mead as Lilium catesbaei (?), a southeastern species; a later Mead specimen is labeled L. philadelphicum.

Lilium michiganense, Michigan Lily (Turk's Cap Lily)

Listed by both Mead and Kibbe as Lilium canadense, which does not grow in Illinois. Pepoon (1927) illustrates the difference between L. canadense and the Illinois species. Pepoon called it L. superbum, but we now recognize it as L. michiganense (true L. superbum is restricted to southern Illinois).

Erythronium albidum, Trout Lily [Bts]

Allium canadense, Wild Garlic [P, Bks]

Allium tricoccum, Wild Leek [B]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Allium tricooecum

Polygonatum commutatum, Solomon's Seal [T]

Listed by Mead as Convallaria multiflora

Maianthemum stellatum, Starry False Solomon's Seal

Listed by Mead as Convallaria stellata; no habitat given

Maianthemum racemosum, False Solomon's Seal [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Convallaria racemosa

Uvularia grandiflora, Large-flowered Bellwort [T]

Asparagus officinalis, Asparagus

Adventive

Commelina erecta, Dayflower [S, H, B]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Cammellina" angustifolia; found in Cass and Mason Cos.

Tradescantia ohiensis, Spiderwort [P, B]

Listed by Mead as Tradescantia virginica, which Kibbe states is a misidentification

Echinodorus cordifolius, Creeping Burhead [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Sagittaria sagittifolia

Sagittaria latifolia, Arrowhead (Duck-Potato) [Pds]

Sagittaria rigida, Stiff Arrowhead [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Sagittaria heterophylla

Sagittaria acutifolia, Narrow-leaved Arrowhead [Pds]

Alisma subcordatum, Small-flowered Water Plantain [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Alisma plantago

Juncus acuminatus, Pointed Rush [Pds, W]

Also listed by Mead as Juncus polycephalus; according to Kibbe, Mead labeled several specimens with these two names before settling on J. acuminatus. J. polycephalus is a southern species.

Juncus tenuis, Path Rush [W, P]

Smilax Hispida, Greenbrier [T]

Listed by Mead as Smilax rotundifolia, which is restricted to southern Illinois. There are no Mead specimens, and it is likely that this refers to the common Greenbrier species.

Smilax lasioneura, Common Carrion Flower [T]

Listed by Mead as Smilax herbacea, which is very rare in Illinois. Hilty believes that many Illinois records of S. herbacea are actually this common species.

Dioscorea villosa, Wild Yam [B]

Arisaema triphyllum, Jack-in-the-Pulpit [T, H]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Arum "tryphyllum"

Arisaema dracontium, Green Dragon [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Arum "draconitium"

Peltandra virginica, Arrow Arum [Pds]

Kibbe speculates that Mead only found a wide-leaved form of Sagittaria latifolia in Hancock Co. since it is not known there recently. However Peterson (1876) cites Mead as the source for the species being recorded in Cass Co., where it grows today, and does not credit it to Hancock Co. Perhaps the location code was omitted from Mead's list.

Acorus calamus, Sweet Flag [Pds, Bts]

Typha latifolia, Cattail [Pds]

[Pds]

Sparganium androcladum, Bur Reed [Pds]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Sparganium "ramosum" vs. S. racemosus

Potamogeton natans, Floating-leaved Pondweed [Pds]

Potamogeton epihydrus, Ribbon-leaved Pondweed [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Potamogeton fluitans(?); rare in Illinois, it still grows in Hancock Co.

Potamogeton diversifolius, Water-thread Pondweed [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Potamogeton diversifolium

Spirodela polyrhiza, Greater Duckweed [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Lemna polyrhiza

Lemna minor, Duckweed [Pds]

Dulichium arundinaceum, Three-way Sedge [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Dulichium spathaceum

Cyperus flavescens, Yellow Flatsedge [W, P]

Cyperus diandrus, Umbrella Flatsedge

Cyperus strigosus, Straw-colored Flatsedge [W, P]

Cyperus esculentus, Yellow Nutsedge

Listed by Mead as Cyperus repens

Cyperus lupulinus, Great Plains Flatsedge [S, P, H]

Listed by Mead as Cyperus mariscoides(?) and as Cyperus kyllingioides (misprinted as C. kyllingaloides), both synonyms for C. filiculmis. Mohlenbrock states that C. filiculmis was misapplied to this species. Mead listed this from Cass and Mason Cos.

Cyperus squarrosus, Flatsedge [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Cyperus inflexus

Cyperus acuminatus, Pointed Flatsedge

Cyperus schweinitzii, Schweinitz's Flatsedge

Eleocharis palustris, Common Spikerush [W, P]

Eleocharis obtusa, Blunt Spike Rush [W, P]

Eleocharis acicularis, Needle Spikerush [Pds]

Eleocharis compressa, Flat-stemmed Spikerush [W, P]

Schoenoplectus pungens, Common Three-Square [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Scirpus americanus. Recent findings are that this name was long misapplied since the type specimen for S. americanus was actually the species S. olneyi

Schoenoplectus purshianus, Weak-stalked Bulrush [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Scirpus debilis

Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani, Great Bulrush [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Scirpus lacustris

Scirpus atrovirens, Dark Green Bulrush [W, P]

Scirpus cyperinus, Wool Grass [Bks, W, P]

Listed by Mead as Scirpus eriophorum

Scirpus pendulus, Drooping Bulrush [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Scirpus lineatus, a name long misapplied to this species

Eriophorum angustifolium, Cotton Grass [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Eriophorum polystachyon

Fimbristylis spadicea, Chestnut Sedge [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Fimbrystylis spadicea

Hemicarpha micrantha, Dwarf Bulrush [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Isolepis subsquarrosus; found in Mason Co. but extant in Hancock Co.

Bulbostylis capillaris, Tufted Hairsedge [S, P]

Listed by Mead as Isolepis capillaris

Fimbristylis autumnalis, Slender Fimbry [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Trychelostylis mucronulata

Scleria triglomerata, Whip Nutrush [P]

Carex scoparia, Pointed Broom Sedge [Pds, Bks]

Carex tribuloides, Blunt Broom Sedge [Pds, Bks]

Listed by Mead as Carex lagopodioides

Carex muskingumensis, Palm Sedge [Pds, Bks]

Carex bicknellii, Bicknell's Sedge [P]

Listed by Mead as Carex straminea

Carex tenera, Remote Sedge [P, T]

Carex brevior [W, P, Bks]

Listed by Mead as Carex festucacea

Carex tincta, Tinted Sedge [T]

Listed by Mead as Carex mirabilis

Carex cristatella, Crested Sedge [Pds, Bks]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Carex "cristatata" vs. C. cristata

Carex stipata, Spongy Sedge [Pds]

Carex crus-corvi, Raven's Foot Sedge [Pds, T]

Listed by Mead as Carex hystrix

Carex cephalophora, Capitate Sedge [T]

Carex muhlenbergii, Sand Sedge [W, T, Bts]

Carex rosea, Curly-styled Wood Sedge [T]

Carex sparganioides, Bur Reed sedge [Bts, P, T]

Carex vulpinoidea, Brown Fox Sedge [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Carex multiflora

Carex buxbaumii, Buxbaum's Sedge [Bts, W, P]

Carex torta, Twisted Sedge [Bts, W, P]

Listed by Mead as Carex caespitosa, an evident misidentification. Kibbe identified the specimen.

Later Mead collections are correctly identified as C. torta.

Carex stricta, Tussock Sedge [W, P, Pds]

Carex crinita, Fringed Sedge [Bts]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Carex crinia

Carex sprengelii, Sprengel's Sedge

Listed by Mead as Carex longiostris

Carex intumescens, Greater Bladder Sedge [Pds]

Carex lupulina, Hop Sedge [Bts, Pds]

Carex squarrosa, Squarrose Sedge [T, Pds]

Carex lurida, Sallow Sedge [W, P]

*Listed by Mead as Carex tentaculata (misprited as "tentactulata")* 

Carex bullata, Button Sedge [W, P, Pds]

Carex rostrata, Beaked Sedge [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Carex ampullacea

Carex lacustris, Yellow Lake Sedge [Bts, Pds]

Carex pellita, Woolly Sedge [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Carex lanuginosa

Carex pensylvanica, Penn Sedge [T]

Listed by Mead as Carex pennsylvanica

Carex albicans, White-tinged Sedge [P]

Listed by Mead as Carex varia; not listed by Kibbe, and Mohlenbrock does not list it for Hancock Co.

Carex richardsonii, Richardson's Sedge [P]

Carex hirtifolia, Hairy Sedge [T]

Listed by Mead as Carex pubescens

Carex shortii, Short's Sedge [Bts]

Carex virescens, Hairy-fruited Sedge [T, H]

Carex davisii, Davis's Sedge [P, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Carex torreyana

Carex laxiflora, Broad Loose-flowered Sedge [T, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Carex tetanica and separately as Carex anceps; Kibbe says these specimens "are all true C. laxiflora." Now extirpated from Hancock Co.

Carex blanda, Common Wood Sedge [T]

Carex granularis, Meadow Sedge [W, T, Bts]

Carex pallescens, Pale Sedge [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Carex undulata

Carex meadii, Mead's Sedge [P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as C. medii

#### **GRAMINAE**

Agrostis capillaris, Common Bent Grass

Listed by Mead as Agrostis vulgaris; adventive

Agrostis hyemalis, Tickle Grass [P]

Listed by Mead as Agrostis michauxii

Muhlenbergia mexicana, Wirestem Muhly [T]

Listed by Mead as Agrostis Mexicana

Muhlenbergia sobolifera, Rock Muhly [P]

Listed by Mead as Agrostis sobolifera

Muhlenbergia tenuiflora, Slender Satin Grass [T]

Listed by Mead as Agrostis tenuiflora

Muhhlenbergia sylvatica, Woodland Muhly [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Agrostis sylvatica

Brachyelytrum erectum, Long-awned Wood Grass [T]

Listed by Mead as Muhlenbergia erecta

Sporobulus vaginiflorus, Poverty Grass [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Vilfa vaginaeflora

Sporobulus heterolepis, Northern Dropseed [P]

Listed by Mead as Vilfa heterolepis

Cinna arundinacea, Wood Reed {W, P, T]

Alopecurus geniculatus, Floating Foxtail

Adventive

Phleum pretense, Timothy

Adventive

Phalaris arundinacea, Reed Canary Grass

Interestingly Mead considered this native in Bts and Pds

Tripsacum dactyloides, Gama Grass [T, Bts]

Heterostipa spartea, Porcupine Grass [P]

Listed by Mead as Stipa juncea

Echinochloa crus-galli, Barnyard Grass [P, Bts]

Listed by Mead as Panicum crusgalli

Echinochloa walterii, Southern Wild Millet [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Panicum hispidum

Dichanthelium clandestinum, Deer-tongue Grass [T]

Listed by Mead as Panicum clandestinum

Dichanthelium latifolium, Broad-leaved Panic Grass [T]

Listed by Mead as Panicum latifolium

Dichanthelium scoparium, Panic Grass [S, P]

Listed by Mead as Panicum scoparium; found in Cass Co.

Dichanthelium acuminatum, Woolly Panic Grass [T]

Listed by Mead as Panicum pubescens and as Panicum nitidum

Dichanthelium depauperatum, Starved Panic Grass [P]

Listed by Mead as Panicum "pauperatum" (vs. depauperatum)

Dichanthelium dichotomum, Forked Panic Grass [T, H, B]

Listed by Mead as Panicum dichotomum

Coleataenia rigidula, Munro Grass [W, P, Bks]

Listed by Mead as Panicum agrostoides

Panicum virgatum, Switchgrass [W, P]

Panicum dichotomiflorum, Fall Panicum [P]

Listed by Mead as Panicum proliferum

Panicum capillare, Witch Grass [P]

Dichanthelium dichotomum barbulatum, Forked Panic Grass [S, H, P]

Listed by Mead as Panicum barbulatum(?); collected in Mason Co.

Setaria pumila, Yellow Foxtail [P]

Listed by Mead as Setaria glauca; adventive, though Mead thought it was native.

Setaria italic, Foxtail Millet

Adventive

Digitaria sanguinalis, Common Crabgrass

Adventive

Digitaria ischaemum, Smooth Crabgrass [P]

Listed by Mead as Digitaria glabra; though he charatenized it as a weed, Mead did not recognize this as adventive.

Digitaria filiformis, Slender Crabgrass [P]

Cenchrus spinifex, Common Sand Bur [S, P, B]

*Listed by Mead as Cenchrus tribuloides; collected in Cass and Mason Cos.* 

Aristida dichotoma, Three-awn [P]

Aristada oligantha, Prairie Three-awn [S, P]

Listed by Mead as Aristida pallens(?); Mohlenbrock states this is an error, and Kibbe cites another early record of Mead finding A. oligantha. The 1846 listing is noted as Mason Co. Aristida tuberculosa, Needle Grass [P]

Kibbe found Mead's listing doubtful, but there are herbarium records from the Illinois River area.

Calamagrostis canadensis, Bluejoint Grass [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Calamagrostis coarctata, which Mohlenbrock states is an error.

Phragmites australis, Giant Reed [W, R, Pds]

Listed by Mead as Arudo phragmites, a misidentification. Kibbe found Phragmites rare in Hancock Co., with only three stations as of 1937.

Danthonia spicata, Poverty Oat Grass [T, H]

Vulpia octoflora, Six-weeks Fescue [R, T, H]

Listed by Mead as Festuca tenella

Festuca pratensis, Meadow Fescue [T, W, P]

Adventive, though not noted by Mead

Festuca subverticillata, Nodding Fescue [T]

Listed by Mead as Festuca nutans

Diarrhena obovata, Beak Grass [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Diarrhena americana, this was recently determined to be a separate species Glyceria borealis, Northern Manna Grass [Pds]

Listed by Mead as Glyceria fluitans, Kibbe determined the specimen was this species

Poa pratensis, Kentucky Bluegrass

Adventive

Poa palustris, Fowl Meadow Grass [W, P]

*Listed by Mead as Poa parviflora(?)* 

Poa compressa, Canada Bluegrass

Adventive

Poa sylvestris, Woodland Bluegrass [T]

Listed by Mead as Poa serotina, a misidentification

Poa nemoralis, Woodland Blue Grass [T]

Adventive, though not so noted by Mead

Eragrostis capillaris, Lace Grass [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Poa capillaris

Eragrostis spectabilis, Purple Love Grass [P]

Listed by Mead as Poa hirsuta; Mohlenbrock determined this was the intended species.

Eragrostis pectinacea, Tufted Love Grass [P]

Listed by Mead as Poa pectinacea

Eragrostis hypnoides, Creeping Love Grass [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Poa reptans, a misidentification of a similar species

Eragrostis ciliensis, Stinking Love Grass [P]

Listed by Mead as Poa eragrostis (?); adventive, though Mead considered it native

Chasmanthum latifolium, Inland Oats [T, Bks]

Listed by Mead as Uniola latifolia

Melica mutica, Two-flowered Melic Grass [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Melica speciosa

Tridens flavus, Purple-top [S, Bts, T]

Listed by Mead as Tricuspis seslerioides

Sphenopholis obtusata, Wedge Grass

Listed by Mead as both Koeleria obtusata and Koeleria truncata

Koeleria macrantha, June Grass

Listed by Mead as both Koeleria nitida and Koeleria cristata

Bromus secalinus, Common Chess [T]

Adventive, though Mead considered it native; also listed as Bromus hybridus

Bromus ciliatus, Canada Brome Grass [T, P, Bks]

Listed by Mead as Bromus purgans and as Bromus ciliatus (?)

Bromus pubescens, Hairy Woodland Brome [T]

Bouteloua curtipendula, Side Oats Grama [S, H, P]

Listed by Mead as Atheropogon apludoides; found in Cass and Mason Cos.

Bouteloua hirsuta, Hairy Grama [S, H]

Listed by Mead as Atheropogon papillosus; found in Cass and Mason Cos.

Eleusine indica, Goose Grass

Adventive

Hordeum jubatum, Squirrel-tail Grass [P]

Hordeum pusillum, Little Barley [R]

Secale cereale, Rye

Adventive

Elymus virginicus, Virginia Wild Rye [Bks]

Elymus canadensis, Canada Rye [P, Bks]

Elymus villosus, Silky Rye [T]

Elymus hystrix, Bottlebrush Grass [P, T]

Triticum aestivum, Wheat

Adventive

Spartina pectinata, Cordgrass [W, P]

Listed by Mead as Spartina cynosuroides

Schizachyrium scoparum, Little Bluestem [P]

Listed by Mead as Andropogon scoparius

Andropogon gerardii, Big Bluestem [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Andropogon furcatus

Sorghastrum nutans, Indian Grass [P, T]

Listed by Mead as Andropogon nutans

Schedonnarus paniculatus, Tumble Grass [Salt licks]

Listed by Mead as Lepturus paniculatus

Leersia virginica, White Grass [W, P, T]

Leersia oryzoides, Rice Cut Grass [Bks, Pds]

Zizania aquatica, Wild Rice [Pds]

#### CLASS IV. ACROGENAE

Equisetum arvense, Horsetail [Bks]

Equisetum laevigatum, Smooth Horsetail [Bks]

Equisetum hyemale, Scouring Rush [S, P, B]

Polystichum acrostichoides, Shield Fern [T, H]

Listed by Mead as Aspidium acrostichoides

Cystopteris fragilis, Fragile Fern [H, T]

Listed by Mead as Aspidium fragile

Athyrium filix-foemina, Lady Fern [Bks]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Aspidium asplenoides (vs. A. aspenicides)

Dennstaedtia punctilobula, Hay-Scented Fern [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Dickinsonia pilosciuscula

Cheilanthes lenosa, Hairy Lipfern

Listed by Mead as Cheilanthes vestita; found in Pike Co.

Asplenium rhizophyllum, Walking Fern [H, T]

Deparia acrostichoides, Silvery Glade Fern [Bts, Pds]

Listed by Mead as Asplenium thelypteroides

Pteridium aquilinum, Bracken Fern [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Pteris aguileria (vs. P. aguilina)

Adiantum pedatum, Maidenhair Fern [T]

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# Matteuccia struthiopteris, Ostrich Fern [Bts]

Listed by Mead as Struthiopteris germanica (?); Kibbe stated the species was formerly found in profusion, but was nearly extirpated in the wild at the time of her treatise.

Onoclea sensibilis, Sensitive Fern [Bts]

Osmunda claytoniana, Interrupted Fern [T]

Misprinted in Mead's list as "Asmunda" interrupta

Osmunda regalis spectabilis, Royal Fern [W, P]

Misprinted in Mead's list as Asmunda spectabilis; found in Cass Co.

Botrychium virginianum, Rattlesnake Fern

Misprinted in Mead's list as Bortrychium virginicum

## **Omissions**

Myriophyllum verticullatum
Taraxicam - new species? Lobe of the leaves pinnatified
Koeleria pennsylvanica
Chara polyphylla