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FOREWORD

This publication is a summary of the records of food plants used by the Indians of the United States and Canada which have appeared in ethnobotanical publications during a period of nearly 80 years. This compilation, for which all accessible literature has been searched, was drawn up as a preliminary to work by the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils on the chemical constituents and food value of native North American plants. In a compilation of this sort, in which it is impossible to authenticate most of the botanical identifications because of the unavailability of the specimens on which they were based, occasional errors are unavoidable. All the botanical names given have been reviewed in the light of our present knowledge of plant distribution, however, and it is believed that obvious errors of identification have been eliminated. The list finds its justification as a convenient summary of the extensive literature and is to be used subject to confirmation and correction. In every instance brief references are made to the original authorities for the information cited.

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INTRODUCTION

About 6 years ago the Carbohydrate Division of the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils undertook a systematic investigation of carbohydrates in plants. At the suggestion of C. A. Browne, attention was first given to plants used for food by the North American Indians (United States and Canada). As the study of these proceeded, the number of plants was found to be so great that it was suggested that

Publication of the list itself might be of interest and real value to investigators in ethnobotany and plant chemistry. The original sources have therefore been gone over carefully to make the list as nearly complete as possible. It contains 1,112 species belonging to 444 genera of plants, distributed among 120 families. Communications pointing out omissions and errors in the compilation will be gratefully received.

Since the author is not a botanist, the preparation of this list would scarcely have been practicable without the cooperation of botanists. The author is especially grateful to Frederick V. Coville for his interest in the work, to S. F. Blake, senior botanist, for revising the scientific nomenclature, and to Oliver M. Freeman, assistant botanist, for providing the common names of the plants.

## PLANTS

### ALGAE

#### RHODOPHYCEAE

*Porphyra laciniata* (Lightf.) Ag.

Baked or chewed raw in California. Chesnut (8, p. 299).<sup>1</sup>

*Porphyra vulgaris* Ag.

Cooked as greens on California coast. Palmer (37, p. 604); Rusby (53, p. 546).

#### PHAEOPHYCEAE

*Alaria esculenta* (L.) Grev.

Eaten by Indians of Alaska. Dall (14, p. 594).

## FUNGI

#### AGARICACEAE

*Agaricus campestris* L.

Eaten in California and by Iroquois Indians, although some Indians are superstitious about it. Chesnut (8, p. 301); Waugh (72, p. 121).

*Agaricus* sp.

Eaten in British Columbia and Alaska. Dall (14, p. 594) (as *A. mutabilis*); Teit (69, p. 483).

*Pleurotus almararius* Bull.

Young and tender fungus used by Dakota Indians. Gilmore (17, p. 61).

#### LYCOPERDACEAE

*Bovista plumbea* Pers.

Young mushrooms used for food by Omaha Indians. Gilmore (17, p. 62).

*Calvatia cyathiformis* (Bosc) Morg.

Used by Omaha Indians. Gilmore (17, p. 62).

*Lycoperdon gemmatum* Batsch

Used fresh or roasted by Omaha Indians. Gilmore (17, p. 62).

*Lycoperdon giganteum* Batsch

Cooked, fried, and made into soup by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 121).

*Lycoperdon* sp.

Eaten fresh or dried for winter use by Zuñi of New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 33).

*Pachyma coccinea* Fries

"Tuckahoe" or "Indian bread", a large fungus growing on the roots of trees; used for food in the Southern States. Palmer (35, p. 423) (as *Lycoperdon solidum*) ; Gore (18, p. 687); Harvard (24, p. 106); Willoughby (74, p. 86); Saunders (56, p. 39); Kephart (31, v. 2, p. 393).

<sup>1</sup> Italic numbers in parentheses refer to Literature Cited, p. 65.

## POLYPORACEAE

***Boletus* sp.**

A yellow and green fungus eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 301).

***Polyporus farlowii* Lloyd**

The fungus is baked or boiled or stored for winter use in New Mexico. Cas-tetter (6, p. 33).

***Polyporus* sp.**

A fungus growing on the base of alder trees and on logs; eaten by Iroquois Indians, and also eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 300); Waugh (72, p. 121).

***Polystictus versicolor* (L.) Fr.**

Bolled for food by Dakota Indians. Gilmore (17, p. 62).

## USTILAGINACEAE

***Ustilago maydis* (DC.) Cda.**

Bolled for food by Omaha and Pawnee Indians. Gilmore (17, p. 62).

## HELVELLACEAE

***Morchella esculenta* (L.) Pers.**

Bolled for food in Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 62).

***Morchella* sp.**

Used for food by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 121).

## LICHENS

## CLADONIACEAE

***Cladonia rangiferina* (L.) Web.**

Bolled for food by Canadian Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 117).

## STICTACEAE

***Sticta glomerulifera* Del.**

Cooked for food by Menominee and Ojibway Indians. Smith (58, p. 60; 60, p. 406).

## PARMELIACEAE

***Cetraria islandica* (L.) Ach.**

Used for food by various Indian tribes. Rusby (53).

***Parmelia physodes* (L.) Ach.**

Cooked for soup in Wisconsin. Smith (61, p. 107).

## USNEACEAE

***Alectoria fremontii* Tuckerm.**

A famine food in Montana, Oregon, and California. Coville (11, p. 87); Chesnut (8, p. 299); Blankinship (3, p. 5).

***Alectoria jubata* (L.) Ach.**

A lichen growing on pine or fir trees in the region of the Columbia River. Bolled to a jellylike mass; also bolled with camas roots; collected in heaps, sprinkled with water, and allowed to ferment, then rolled into large balls and baked in an oven; cooked in pits in the ground between layers of grass. Palmer (35, p. 424); Havard (24, p. 113); Rusby (53); Wilson (75, p. 19); Anderson (1, p. 138); Telt (69, p. 483).

## PTERIDOPHYTA

## POLYPODIACEAE

***Dryopteris dilatata* (Hoffm.) Underw.**

## MOUNTAIN WOODFERN

Rootstocks collected early in the spring and cooked in a stone-lined hole in the ground by Alaska Indians. Gormau (19, p. 78) (as *Aspidium spinulosum dilatatum*).

***Onoclea sensibilis* L.**

## SENSITIVE FERN

Rootstocks used by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 118).

*Polystichum munitum* (Kaulf.) Presl.

Fleshy rhizomes eaten roasted in British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 137) (as *Aspidium munitum*).

*Pteridium aquilinum pubescens* Underw.

Rootstocks roasted over fire after the bark is removed; young sprouts used for soup; California, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, Alaska, and Wisconsn. Brown (4, p. 380) (as *Pteris aquilina*) ; Palmer (35, p. 408) (as *P. aquilina*) ; Coues (9, p. 822) (as *P. aquilina*) ; Havard (24, p. 115) (as *P. aquilina*) ; Chesnut (8, p. 304) ; Blankinship (3, p. 20) (as *P. aquilina*) ; Rusby (53) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 470) (as *P. aquilina*) ; Saunders (56, p. 114) (as *P. aquilina*) ; Anderson (1, p. 137) ; Teit (69, p. 482) ; Smith (60, p. 408) (as *P. aquilina*).

BRACKEN

OSMUNDACEAE

*Osmunda cinnamomea* L.

CINNAMON FERN

Young fronds boiled for soup by Menominee Indians. Smith (58, p. 70).

EQUISETACEAE

*Equisetum laevigatum* A. Br.

Plant dried, ground, and made into mush in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 27).

*Equisetum pratense* Ehrh.

HORSETAIL

Tubers eaten in Minnesota. Reagan (41, p. 248).

LYCOPODIACEAE

*Lycopodium lucidulum* Michx.

SHINING CLUBMOSS

Plant eaten by Chippewa Indians. Reagan (41, p. 246).

*Lycopodium selago* L.

FIR CLUBMOSS

Plant eaten by Chippewa Indians. Reagan (41, p. 246).

CYCADACEAE

*Zamia floridana* A. DC.

COONTIE

Large starchy roots used; starch extracted by primitive methods by Seminole Indians. Rusby (52, p. 458) ; Stout (67, p. 55) ; Saunders (56, p. 28).

*Zamia pumila* L.

ST. JOHNS COONTIE

Used like *Z. floridana*; Florida. Saunders (56, p. 28).

*Zamia* sp.

Large starchy roots used extensively by Seminoe Indians. As *Z. integrifolia*: Palmer (37, p. 600) ; Havard (24, p. 107) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 607).

TAXACEAE

*Taxus brevifolia* Nutt.

PACIFIC YEW

"Berries" eaten, but seeds considered poisonous; California. Chesnut (8, p. 305).

*Tunison californicum* (Torr.) Greene.

CALIFORNIA-NUTMEG

Nuts, rich in oil, used in California. Chesnut (8, p. 305).

PINACEAE

*Abies grandis* Lindl.

GREAT SILVER FIR

Cambium used by Indians of British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 483).

*Abies* sp.

Gum from needles, branches, and cones chewed in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 484).

*Juniperus californica* Carr.

CALIFORNIA JUNIPER

Berries (fruit) eaten fresh, or dried, ground, and made into bread or mush; California. Palmer (37, p. 593) ; Havard (24, p. 118) ; Saunders (56, p. 78).

*Juniperus communis* L.

COMMON JUNIPER

Berries used for food; beverage prepared by boiling stems and leaves; British Columbia. Sturtevant (68, p. 320) ; Teit (69, p. 494).

*Juniperus monosperma* (Engelm.) Sarg.

CHERRYSTONE JUNIPER

Berries eaten and used for seasoning meats; gum chewed; New Mexico. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 40) ; Castetter (6, p. 31).

*Juniperus occidentalis* Hook.

Sweet and nutritious berries eaten fresh or dried and made into bread; Washington, Oregon, California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas. Palmer (35, p. 411; 37, p. 593); Havard (24, p. 118); Barrows (2, p. 61). The records from east of California refer to one of the related species, probably *J. monosperma*.

*Juniperus pachyphloea* Torr.

Berries eaten fresh and stored for winter; Arizona, New Mexico, Texas. Palmer (37, p. 593); Havard (24, p. 118); Sturtevant (68, p. 320); Saunders (56, p. 78); Castetter (6, p. 32).

*Juniperus scopulorum* Sarg.

Fruit eaten fresh or cooked; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 32).

*Juniperus utahensis* (Engelm.) Lemmon

Berries used in Utah and Nevada. As *J. californica*, var. *utahensis*; Palmer (37, p. 593); Chamberlin (7, p. 372); Saunders (56, p. 78).

*Larix laricina* (Du Roi) Koch

Tea made from roots by Ojibway Indians. Reagan (41, p. 244) (as *L. americana*).

*Larix occidentalis* Nutt.

Exudation from trunk and branches used as chewing gum in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 493).

*Picea mariana* (Mill.) B. S. P.

Spruce beer made from new shoots. Sturtevant (68, p. 434) (as *P. nigra*).

*Picea rubens* Sarg.

Infusion of leaves used as a beverage by Chippewa Indians. Densmore (15, p. 317) (as *P. rubra*).

*Pinus albicaulis* Engelm.

Nuts and cambium used for food; Montana, Idaho, Oregon, and British Columbia. Newberry (34, p. 35); Blankinship (3, p. 18); Telt (69, p. 492).

*Pinus brachyptera* Engelm. [*P. scopulorum* (Engelm.) Lemmon]

Inner bark eaten or chewed in time of food shortage; New Mexico, Arizona. Castetter (6, pp. 41-42).

*Pinus contorta* Dougl.

Sap collected in the spring; cambium eaten raw or cooked; Northwestern States, British Columbia, Alaska. Brown (4, p. 382); Palmer (35, p. 411); Rothrock (43, p. 433); Gorman (19, p. 69); Sturtevant (68, p. 436); Anderson (1, p. 136); Telt (69, p. 483).

*Pinus coulteri* D. Don.

Seeds eaten in California. Palmer (35, p. 411); Newberry (34, p. 35); Havard (24, p. 118); Sturtevant (68, p. 437).

*Pinus edulis* Engelm.

Seeds eaten raw or roasted; Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, and Nevada. Palmer (35, p. 411); Newberry (34, p. 35); Havard (24, p. 117); Chamberlin (7, p. 377); Standley (64, p. 459); Stevenson (65, p. 70); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 41); Sturtevant (68, p. 437); Saunders (56, p. 75); Castetter (6, p. 40).

*Pinus flexilis* James

Seeds and cambium used in Northwestern States and Arizona. Brown (4, p. 381); Newberry (34, p. 35); Blankinship (3, p. 18); Standley (64, p. 459); Sturtevant (68, p. 437); Castetter (6, p. 42).

*Pinus lambertiana* Dougl.

Large seeds eaten, also gummy exudation from the tree; California and Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 381); Palmer (35, p. 411); Havard (24, p. 117); Coville (11, p. 88); Barrows (2, p. 63); Chesnut (8, p. 306); Sturtevant (68, p. 437); Saunders (56, p. 75).

*Pinus monophylla* Torr. and Frém.

Seeds eaten raw or roasted; Utah, Nevada, Arizona, and California. Simmonds (57, p. 377); Palmer (35, p. 411; 37, p. 594); Newberry (34, p. 35); Coville (10, p. 352); Havard (24, p. 117); Hough (29, p. 143); Barrows (2, p. 63); Chamberlin (7, p. 377); Sturtevant (68, p. 438); Saunders (56, p. 75).

## WESTERN JUNIPER

## ALLIGATOR JUNIPER

## COLORADO JUNIPER

## AMERICAN LARCH

## BLACK SPRUCE

## RED SPRUCE

## WHITEBARK PINE

## ROCKY MOUNTAIN YELLOW PINE

## COULTER PINE

## NUT PINE

## LIMBER PINE

## SUOAR PINE

## SINGLE-LEAF PINE

- Pinus monticola* Dougl. WESTERN WHITE PINE  
Gummy substance from the trunk and branches used as chewing gum in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 493).
- Pinus murrayana* Oreg. Comm. LODGEPOLE PINE  
Sap collected in the spring; cambium eaten raw or cooked; Oregon, Montana, British Columbia, and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 69); Coville (11, p. 89); Blankinship (3, p. 18); Rusby (46, p. 719); Anderson (1, p. 136); Telt (69, p. 483).
- Pinus ponderosa* Dougl. WESTERN YELLOW PINE  
Seeds eaten raw or crushed and made into bread; mucilaginous inner bark, or gum, collected and chewed; Montana, Idaho, Oregon, California, and British Columbia. Newberry (34, p. 46); Coville (11, p. 89); Chesnut (8, p. 307); Spinden (63, p. 205); Anderson (1, p. 133); Telt (69, pp. 483-484, 491).
- Pinus quadrifolia* Parry PARRY PINE  
Seeds eaten in California. As *P. parryana*; Palmer (35, p. 411); Newberry (34, p. 35) (also as *P. cembroides*); Havard (24, p. 117) (also as *P. cembroides*); Barrows (2, p. 68); Sturtevant (68, p. 436) (as *P. cembroides*); Saunders (56, p. 16) (also as *P. cembroides*).
- Pinus sabiniana* Dougl. DIGGER PINE  
Oily, sweet nuts eaten; gummy exudation from the tree chewed; California: Palmer (35, p. 411); Newberry (34, p. 35); Havard (24, p. 117); Chesnut (8, p. 307); Sturtevant (68, p. 438); Saunders (56, p. 75).
- Pinus strobus* L. WHITE PINE  
Bark used by Iroquois and Ojibway Indians. Waugh (72, p. 119); Smith (60, p. 408).
- Pinus torreyana* Parry TORREY PINE  
Seeds eaten in California. Palmer (37, p. 594); Sturtevant (68, p. 438).
- Pseudotsuga mucronata* (Raf.) Sudworth DOUGLAS FIR  
Young twigs and leaves used as substitute for coffee; cambium used for food; British Columbia and California. Chesnut (8, p. 309); Saunders (56, p. 150) (as *P. taxifolia*); Telt (69, pp. 483, 494).
- Thuja plicata* D. Don. GIANT ARBORVITAE  
Cambium eaten fresh in the spring or dried for future use; Montana and Oregon. Palmer (35, p. 412) (as *T. gigantea*); Blankinship (3, p. 25); Sturtevant (68, p. 570) (as *T. gigantea*).
- Tsuga canadensis* (L.) Carr. CANADA HEMLOCK  
Beverage prepared from the leaves; Maine, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Sturtevant (68, p. 582); Saunders (56, p. 149); Densmore (15, p. 317); Smith (60, p. 408).
- Tsuga heterophylla* (Raf.) Sarg. WESTERN HEMLOCK  
Cambium and sap pressed into cakes and eaten, or made into a coarse bread; Montana and British Columbia. Blankinship (3, p. 25); Anderson (1, p. 135).
- Tsuga mertensiana* (Bong.) Carr. MOUNTAIN HEMLOCK  
Inner bark pressed into cakes, then baked or smoked; Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 68).
- GNETACEAE**
- Ephedra nevadensis* S. Wats. NEVADA JOINTFIR  
Seeds roasted, ground into flour, and made into bread; beverage made by steeping the plant in hot water; California and New Mexico. Coville (10, p. 353); Stevenson (65, p. 67); Saunders (56, p. 158).
- TYPHACEAE**
- Typha angustifolia* L. NARROWLEAF CATTAIL  
Used like *Typha latifolia*. Rusby (46, p. 203); Sturtevant (68, p. 582).
- Typha latifolia* L. COMMON CATTAIL  
Young roots, shoots, bases of stems, flowering ends, and seeds eaten by various tribes; Oregon, California, Nevada, Utah, New Mexico, Montana, and British Columbia. Palmer (37, p. 604); Coville (11, p. 90); Chesnut (8, p. 310); Blankinship (3, p. 25); Rusby (46, p. 203); Chamberlin (7, p. 383); Sturtevant (68, p. 582); Saunders (56, p. 40); Kephart (31, p. 385); Telt (69, p. 482); Castetter (6, p. 53).

## SPARGANIACEAE

*Sparganium erycarrpum* Engelm.

## BURR REED

Sweetish tubers and bulbous expansion at base of stem eaten in Oregon. Coville (11, p. 90); Rusby (52, p. 458).

## JUNCAGINACEAE

*Triglochin maritima* L.

## ARROWGRASS

Seeds parched and ground for food, or roasted and used as substitute for coffee; Utah, Nevada, Montana, Oregon, and California. Coville (11, p. 90); Blankinship (3, p. 25); Rusby (47, p. 222); Chamberlin (7, p. 383).

## ALISMACEAE

*Sagittaria cuneata* Sheldon

## ARROWHEAD

White nutritious tubers, slightly bitter but of pleasant taste after roasting, used for food in Oregon, Montana, and Wisconsin. As *S. arifolia*: Coville (11, p. 90); Blankinship (3, p. 22); Smith (58, p. 61; 60, p. 396).

*Sagittaria latifolia* Willd.

## COMMON ARROWHEAD

Palatable tubers eaten boiled or roasted by almost all Indian tribes; Northwestern States, California, Arizona, Nevada, Utah, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, New York, and Atlantic States. Porcher (39, p. 536); Brown (4, p. 379); Palmer (35, p. 408) (as *S. variabilis*); Palmer (37, p. 600) (as *S. simplex*); Harris (22, p. 112); Coues (9, pp. 693, 824) (as *S. variabilis*); Havard (24, p. 105) (also as *S. variabilis*); Coville (11, p. 90); Chestnut (8, p. 310); Spinden (63, p. 204); Parker (38, p. 105); Chamberlin (8, p. 380) (as *S. variabilis*); Stout (67, p. 54); Gilmore (17, p. 65); Saunders (56, p. 31) (as *S. variabilis*); Kephart (31, p. 374) (also as *S. variabilis*); Anderson (1, p. 134); Densmore (15, p. 319); Smith (59, p. 254; 61, p. 94).

*Sagittaria* sp.

Tubers boiled or roasted in Eastern States. Porcher (39, p. 536); Sturtevant (68, p. 518) (as *S. sagittifolia*).

## POACEAE (GRAMINEAE)

*Agropyron* sp.

## WHEATGRASS

Seeds used by Indians of Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 360) (as *A. repens*).

*Agrostis* sp.

## BENTGRASS

Seeds used by Klamath Indians of Oregon. Coville (11, p. 97) (as *A. perennans*).

*Aira caespitosa* L.

## TUFTED HAIRGRASS

Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 367) (as *Deschampsia caespitosa*).

*Arundinaria macrosperrma* Miehx.

## SOUTHERN CANE

Seeds used in Southern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 70).

*Avena fatua* L.

## WILD OAT

Seeds parched and ground into flour by various California tribes. Palmer (35, p. 419); Chestnut (8, p. 311); Sparkman (62, p. 234); Saunders (56, p. 54).

*Beckmannia erucaeformis* (L.) Host

## SLOUGHGRASS

Seeds used in Montana, Oregon, Utah, and Nevada. Coville (11, p. 91); Blankinship (3, p. 8); Chamberlin (7, p. 364); Sturtevant (68, p. 85).

*Bromus carinatus* Hook. and Arn.

## CALIFORNIA BROME

Seeds eaten in California. Powers (40, p. 425) (as *B. viridis*).

*Bromus marginatus* Nees

## BIG MOUNTAIN BROME

Seeds used for pinole in Utah, Nevada, and California. Chestnut (8, p. 312); Chamberlin (8, p. 364) (as *B. brevirostratus*).

*Bromus rigidus* Roth

## RIGID GRASS

Seeds eaten in California. Sparkman (62, p. 234) (as *B. maximus*).

*Canna latifolia* (Trevir.) Griseb.

## DROOPING WOODREED

Seeds used for food in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 366) (as *C. arundinacea*).

*Echinochloa crusgalli* (L.) Beauvo.

## BARNYARD GRASS

Seeds ground into flour, and made into bread or mush; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 602) (as *Panicum crusgalli*); Kephart (31, p. 376) (as *Panicum crusgalli*); Wissler (76, p. 15).

- Elymus canadensis** L. CANADA WILD-RYE  
Seeds eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 368).
- Elymus condensatus** Presl. GIANT WILD-RYE  
Seeds eaten in Montana and Oregon. Coville (11, p. 91); Blankinship (3, p. 11); Saunders (56, p. 55).
- Elymus glaucus** Buckl. BLUE WILD-RYE  
Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 368) (as *E. sibiricus*).
- Elymus mollis** Trin. AMERICAN DUNEGRASS  
Seeds eaten in California. Sturtevant (68, p. 253) (as *E. arenarius*).
- Elymus triticoides** Buckl. BEARLESS WILD-RYE  
Seeds used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 312); Saunders (59, p. 55).
- Eragrostis caroliniana** (Spreng.) Seribn. Seeds ground to flour in Utah. Palmer (37, p. 602) (as *E. purshii*).
- Festuca octoflora** Walt. SIX-WEEKS FESCUE  
Seeds eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 369) (as *F. tenella*).
- Festuca ovina** L. SHEEP FESCUE  
Seeds eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 369).
- Hordeum jubatum** L. FOXTAIL BARLEY  
Seeds used in Utah, Nevada, and Oregon. Brown (4, p. 382); Chamberlin (8, p. 372).
- Hordeum murinum** L. MOUSE BARLEY  
Seeds used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 313).
- Hordeum vulgare** L. BARLEY  
Seeds ground into flour for bread; parched seeds used as substitute for coffee; California. Chesnut (8, p. 313).
- Koeleria cristata** (L.) Pers. JUNGRASS  
Ground seeds made into bread or mush in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 32).
- Lolium temulentum** L. DARNEL  
Seeds used for pinole in California, although considered poisonous by some. Chesnut (8, p. 314).
- Oryzopsis hymenoides** (Roem. and Schult.) Ricker INDIAN RICEGRASS  
Seeds used in Montana, Utah, Nevada, California, Arizona, and New Mexico. Palmer (35, p. 419) (as *Eriocoma cuspidata*); Coville (10, p. 353) (as *O. membranacea*); Ilough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142) (as *E. membranacea*); Blankinship (3, p. 11) (as *E. cuspidata*); Chamberlin (7, p. 375) (as *O. cuspidata*); Stevenson (65, p. 67) (as *E. cuspidata*); Saunders (56, p. 56) (as *E. cuspidata*); Castetter (6, p. 27) (as *E. cuspidata*, *O. cuspidata*, *O. membranacea*).
- Panicaria borealis** Nash. NORTHERN MANNAGRASS  
Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 370) (as *Glyceria aquatica*).
- Panicaria fuitans** (L.) Knutze MANNAGRASS  
Seeds used in Oregon. Coville (11, p. 91); Kephart (31, p. 376) (also as *Glyceria fuitans*).
- Panicaria nervata** (Willd.) Kuntze MANNAGRASS  
Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 370) (as *Glyceria nervata*).
- Panicum capillare** L. WITCHGRASS  
Seeds ground and mixed with corn meal in Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 17); Castetter (6, p. 28).
- Panicum obtusum** H. B. K. VINE-MESQUITE  
Seeds ground with corn meal by Hopi Indians. Ilough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 38).
- Panicum urvilleanum** Kunth  
Seeds used in southern California. Saunders (56, p. 56).
- Panicum sp.** PANICUM  
Seeds ground, kneaded with water into cakes and dried in the sun; also used for gruel and mush; Arizona. Palmer (35, p. 419); Kephart (31, p. 376).
- Phragmites communis** Trin. COMMON REED  
Stems containing sweet gum used for food; Utah, Nevada, and Oregon. Palmer (35, p. 423) (as *Arundo phragmites*); Palmer (37, p. 605) (as *Arundo*

*phragmites*; Coville (11, p. 91) (as *Phragmites phragmites*) ; Blankinship (3, p. 17) ; Rushy (46, p. 203) (as *Phragmites phragmites*) ; Chamberlin (7, p. 376) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 430).

*Poa fendleriana* (Steud.) Vasey MUTTON GRASS  
Seeds eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 377) (as *P. californica*).

*Poa scabrella* (Thurb.) Benth. PINE BLUEGRASS  
Seeds eaten by Gosiute Indians. Chamberlin (7, p. 370) (as *P. tenuifolia*).

*Puccinellia antillana* (Schult.) Hitchc. NUTTALL ALKALI-GRASS  
Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 370) (as *Glyceria distans*).

*Sorghum vulgare* Pers. ALKALI SACATON  
Used by Pima Indians of Arizona. Russell (54, p. 74).

*Sporobolus atrodes* Torr. ALKALI SACATON  
Seeds parched, ground, and eaten dry or made into mush; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 602).

*Sporobolus asperifolius* Nees and Mey. SPIKE DROPSIDE  
Used like *S. atrodes*; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 603) (as *Vilfa asperifolia*).

*Sporobolus contractus* Hitchc. SPIKE DROPSIDE  
Seeds ground with corn and made into cakes in New Mexico and Arizona.  
As *S. cryptandrus strictus*: Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 28).

*Sporobolus cryptandrus* (Torr.) A. Gray SAND DROPSIDE  
Seeds parched, ground, mixed with water or milk, and made into mush or biscuits; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 602); Kephart (31, p. 376).

*Sporobolus flexuosus* (Thurb.) Rydb. MESA DROPSIDE  
Seeds used in Arizona. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 143) (as *S. cryptandrus flexuosus*).

*Triisetum spicatum* (L.) Richter SPIKE TRISETUM  
Seeds eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 383) (as *T. subspicatum*).

*Triticum aestivum* L. WHEAT  
Grain raised in large quantities by the Indians of Arizona, New Mexico, and Utah. Palmer (35, p. 424) (as *T. vulgare*) ; Russell (54, p. 76) (as *T. sativum*) ; Stevenson (65, p. 71) (as *T. vulgare*).

*Zizania aquatica* L. ANNUAL WILDRICE  
One of the most important cereals among Indians; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, and New York. Porcher (39, p. 580) ; Palmer (35, p. 422) ; Newberry (34, p. 39) ; Stickney (66, p. 115) ; Jenks (30, p. 1019) ; Willoughby (74, p. 85) ; Gilmore (17, p. 67) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 620) ; Saunders (56, p. 45) ; Kephart (31, p. 379) ; Smith (58, p. 67; 59, p. 259) ; Rengan (41, p. 246) ; Hedrick (26, p. 33).

*Zizania palustris* L. COMMON WILDRICE  
Chief cereal food of Chippewa and Ojibway Indians; prepared in a number of ways. Densmore (15, pp. 313, 318) ; Smith (60, p. 403; 61, p. 101).

*Zea mays* L. MAIZE, INDIAN CORN  
Cultivated in America before advent of Columbus; prepared for food in many ways. Palmer (35, p. 419) ; Newberry (34, p. 32) ; Copes (9) ; Havard (24, p. 99; 25, p. 34) ; Willoughby (73, p. 130) ; Russell (54, p. 72) ; Bushnell (5, p. 8) ; Parker (38) ; Stevenson (65, p. 73) ; Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 78) ; Waugh (72) ; Gilmore (17, p. 67) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 608) ; Cushing (13) ; Mead (33, p. 409) ; Wissler (76, p. 15) ; Smith (58, p. 66; 59, p. 257; 60, p. 402; 61, p. 101) ; Densmore (15, p. 319) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).

## CYPERACEAE

*Carex* sp. SEDGE  
Stems stripped of leaves used for food, the tissue being filled with palatable sugary juice; also tuberous base of the stem eaten; Utah, Nevada, and Oregon. Coville (11, p. 92) ; Chamberlin (7, p. 365) (as *C. utriculata*).

*Cyperus esculentus* L. CHUFA  
Small tubers eaten by Indians of Southeastern States. Havard (24, p. 115) ; Saunders (56, p. 25).

*Cyperus inflexus* Muell. Tuberous roots used for food in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 25).

*Cyperus rotundus* L. NUTGRASS  
Similar to *C. esculentus*. Havard (24, p. 115); Saunders (56, p. 25).

*Scleria acutus* Muhl. TULE  
Rootstocks eaten raw or used for making bread; seeds also used for food; young shoots eaten in the spring; Montana, Oregon, Utah, and Nevada. As *S. lacustris occidentalis*: Havard (24, p. 115); Coville (11, p. 92); Blankinship (3, p. 23); Rusby (44, p. 754); Chamberlin (7, p. 381).

*Scleria nevadensis* S. Wats. NEVADA BULRUSH  
Rootstocks eaten raw by Cheyenne Indians. Grinnell (20, p. 170).

*Scleria paludosa* A. Nees.  
Rootstocks eaten in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 23) (as *S. campestris*.)

*Scleria validus* Vahl GREAT BULRUSH  
Rootstocks eaten raw, or pounded into flour for making bread; pollen of the plant also used to make bread; New York, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Nebraska, Missouri, and California. Brown (4, p. 381) (as *S. lacustris*); Palmer (35, p. 408) (as *S. lacustris*), (37, p. 604); Havard (24, p. 115) (as *S. lacustris*); Rusby (44, p. 754); Parker (38, p. 105); Gilmore (17, p. 69); Sturtevant (68, p. 526) (as *S. lacustris*); Saunders (56, p. 25); Kephart (31, p. 375) (as *S. lacustris*); Densmore (15, p. 320).

#### PHOENICACEAE (PALMÆ)

*Glaucochea armata* (S. Wats.) Cook BLUE PALM

Fruit of the palm consumed fresh or dried for winter use; also bases of young leaves eaten; southern California. As *Bahia armata*: Palmer (37, p. 598); Rusby (53).

*Inodes palmetto* (Walt.) Cook CAROLINA PALMETTO  
The core of the tree boiled like cabbage in Southeastern States. As *Sabal palmetto*: Palmer (35, p. 423); Rusby (53); Sturtevant (68, p. 515); Saunders (56, p. 188).

*Sabal glabra* (Mill.) Sarg. BLUESTEM PALMETTO  
Soft interior of the stem eaten in Southern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 515); (as *S. adansonii*).

*Serenoa serrulata* (Michx.) Hook. f. SAW PALMETTO  
Fruit eaten in Southeastern States. Rusby (50, p. 535).

*Washingtonia filifera* (Linden) Wendl. CALIFORNIA WASHINGTON PALM

Fruit eaten in California, also young bases of leaves and ground seeds. Palmer (37, p. 599) (as *Pritchardia filamentosa*); Rusby (50, p. 535) (as *Pritchardia filamentosa*); Sturtevant (68, pp. 454, 604) (also as *Pritchardia filifera*); Saunders (56, p. 112).

#### ARACEAE

*Acorus calamus* L. SWEETFLAG  
Rootstocks used for food by the Indians of New York State. Hedrick (24, p. 33).

*Arisaema triphyllum* (L.) Schott. JACK-IN-THE-PULPIT

Iroquois breadroot or Indian turnip; the corm eaten. Harris (22, p. 110) (as *Arum triphyllum*); Havard (24, p. 106); Rusby (52, p. 458); Parker (38, p. 105); Sturtevant (68, p. 65) (as *A. atrorubens*); Saunders (56, p. 37); Kephart (31, p. 377) (also as *Arum triphyllum*); Hedrick (26, p. 52); Smith (61, p. 95).

*Calla palustris* L. WILD CALLA  
Rootstock used for food. Havard (24, p. 106); Sturtevant (68, p. 125); Kephart (31, p. 374).

*Colocasia esculenta* (L.) Schott ELEPHANT'S-EAR, TARO, DASHEEN

Corms eaten in Southern States. Havard (24, p. 106) (also as *C. antiquorum*).

*Oroxylum aquaticum* L. GOLDEN CLUB

Rootstocks and seeds used in New York, Pennsylvania, and Virginia; repeated boiling or roasting required to remove the acrid taste. Harris (22, p. 112); Havard (24, p. 102); Rusby (49, p. 450); Sturtevant (68, p. 398); Saunders (56, p. 36); Kephart (31, p. 375); Hedrick (26, p. 52).

*Peltandra sagittifolia* (Michx.) Morong REDFRUIT ARROW-ARUM

Thick heavy roots used for food in Southeastern States. Havard (24, p. 106).

*Peltandra virginica* (L.) Kunth VIRGINIA ARROW-ABUM  
 Breadroot of New York, Virginia, and Pennsylvania Indians. Harris (22, p. 112) (as *Arum* or *Arisaema virginicum*) ; Havard (24, p. 106) ; Stout (67, p. 54) ; Saunders (56, p. 36) ; Kephart (31, p. 374) (also as *P. undulata* and *Arum virginicum*) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).

*Spathyema foetida* (L.) Raf. SKUNKCABBAGE  
 Rootstocks used as emergency food, dried or baked to improve the taste; young leaves and shoots used for greens by Iroquois and Seneca Indians. Harris (22, p. 113) (as *Symplocarpus foetidus*) ; Rushy (52, p. 458) ; Parker (38, p. 109) (as *Symplocarpus foetidus*) ; Waugh (72, p. 118) (as *Symplocarpus foetidus*) ; Kephart (31, p. 391) (also as *Symplocarpus foetidus*).

## COMMELINACEAE

*Tradescantia occidentalis* (Britton) Smyth  
 Tender shoots eaten without preparation. Castetter (6, p. 53).  
*Tradescantia* sp.  
 Greens cooked for food in Arizona. Ilough (29, p. 143) (as *T. virginiana*).

## LILIACEAE

*Alectris farinosa* L. STARGRASS  
 Bitter bulbs eaten by Indians of Louisiana. Sturtevant (68, p. 30).

*Allium acuminatum* Hook.  
 Bulbs eaten in the spring and early summer in Utah, Nevada, and British Columbia. Chamberlin (7, p. 360) ; Anderson (1, p. 126) ; Telt (69, p. 482).

*Allium bisceptrum* S. Wats.  
 Bulbs eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 360).

*Allium bolanderi* S. Wats. BOLANDER ONION  
 Bulbs eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 322).

*Allium canadense* L. MEADOW GARLIC  
 Favorite food of Menominee and Meskwaki Indians; also used by Iroquois; mixed with other foods. Rushy (44, p. 719) ; Parker (38, p. 105) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 31) ; Kephart (31, p. 385) ; Smith (58, p. 69; 59, p. 262; 61, p. 104).

*Allium cepa* L. ONION  
 Bulbs eaten in California. Powers (40, p. 425) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 32).

*Allium cernuum* Roth NODDING ONION  
 Bulbs cooked for food in Northwestern States and British Columbia. Rushy (44, p. 719) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 36) ; Telt (69, p. 481) ; Smith (60, p. 406) ; Castetter (6, p. 14).

*Allium deserticola* (Jones) Woot. and Standl.  
 Bulbs eaten by Navajo Indians. Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Allium geyeri* S. Wats. GETER ONION  
 Onions steamed in pits by Apache and Nez Percé Indians. Spinden (63, p. 204) ; Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Allium mutabile* Michx.  
 Bulbs used in Nebraska. Gilmore (17, p. 71).

*Allium nuttallii* S. Wats.  
 Bulbs boiled with meat by Cheyenne Indians. Grinnell (20, p. 171).

*Allium recurvatum* Rydb.  
 Bulbs eaten raw and used for flavoring other foods by Blackfoot Indians, also by Town of New Mexico, and Hopi of Arizona. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 53) ; McClintock (32, p. 324) ; Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Allium sabulosum* Osterh.  
 Bulbs used for seasoning foods by Pueblos of New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Allium sibiricum* L. SIBERIAN ONION  
 Bulbs used by Cheyenne Indians. Grinnell (20, p. 171).

*Allium stellatum* Ker.  
 Bulbs eaten in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 481).

*Allium textile* Nels. and Macbr.  
 Bulbs eaten raw or cooked in the Northwestern States. As *A. reticulatum*: Brown (4, p. 380) ; Rushy (44, p. 719) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 38).

- Allium tricoccum* Alt. WOOD LEEK  
 Bulbs eaten raw or dried for winter use and for seasoning of other foods by Iroquois Indians and by Indians of Minnesota and Wisconsin. Parker (38, p. 105); Saunders (56, p. 17); Smith (58, p. 69; 59, p. 262; 60, p. 406; 61, p. 104); Hedrick (26, p. 31).
- Allium unifolium* Kell. ONE-LEAF ONION  
 Bulbs and bases of leaves fried for food in California and New Mexico. Chesnut (8, p. 323); Castetter (6, p. 15).
- Allium vineale* L. WILD GARLIC  
 Bulbs used in the Eastern States. Rusby (44, p. 710).
- Androstaphyllum coerulescens* (Scheele) Greene  
 Bulbs eaten in Texas. Rusby (44, p. 220) (as *A. violaceum*).
- Asparagus officinalis* L. GARDEN ASPARAGUS  
 Cooked for greens by Iroquois Indians, also used in New Mexico. Parker (38, p. 93); Castetter (6, p. 17).
- Bloomeria aurea* Kell. GOLDEN STARS  
 Bulbs eaten by the Luisenos of California. Sparkman (62, p. 234).
- Calliprora ixoides* (Alt. f.) Greene  
 Small bulbs eaten in California. Powers (40, p. 425) (as *C. lutea*).
- Calochortus aureus* S. Wats. GOLDEN MARIPOSA  
 Bulbs eaten raw by Hopi and Navajo Indians. Fewkes (16, p. 18); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Castetter (6, p. 19).
- Calochortus elegans* Pursh  
 Roots eaten in Northwestern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 126).
- Calochortus gunnisonii* S. Wats. GUNNISON MARIPOSA  
 Cheyenne Indians boil the bulbs for food or pound the dry bulbs into flour and make mush or porridge; dried bulbs also preserved for winter use. Grinnell (20, p. 172).
- Calochortus luteus* Dougl. YELLOW MARIPOSA  
 Roots eaten in California and New Mexico. Palmer (35, p. 406); Sturtevant (68, p. 126); Castetter (6, p. 19).
- Calochortus macrocarpus* Dougl. SAOEBRUSII MARIPOSA  
 Cooked bulbs, similar to camas, eaten in California, Oregon, and British Columbia. Coville (11, p. 93); Anderson (1, p. 126); Telt (69, p. 481).
- Calochortus maweanus* Leichtl. COAST PUSSY-EARS  
 Corms eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 323).
- Calochortus nuttallii* Torr. and Gray SEGO-LILY  
 Bulbs eaten raw or dried for winter use; Utah, Nevada, and the Pacific States. Havard (25, p. 114); Chamberlin (8, p. 364); Saunders (56, p. 19).
- Calochortus pulchellus* Dougl. CANARY GLOBE-TULIP  
 Corms eaten raw or roasted in ashes; California. Chesnut (8, p. 323).
- Calochortus venustus* Dougl. WHITE MARIPOSA  
 Sweet bulbs eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 323); Saunders (56, p. 20).
- Calochortus* sp.  
 About fifty edible species known in Western States. Havard (24, p. 114); Chesnut (8, p. 322); Rusby (47, p. 220).
- Clistoyucca brevifolia* (Engelm.) Rydb. JOSHUA-TREE  
 Young flower buds roasted on hot coals; seeds ground fine and eaten raw or cooked into mush; California. As *Yucca brevifolia*: Palmer (37, p. 647); Coville (10, p. 355); Rusby (45, p. 546); Saunders (56, p. 106).
- Dasyllirion texanum* Scheele TEXAS SOTOL  
 Central portion of bud filled with sugary pulp used for food and drink in Texas. Newberry (34, p. 41); Havard (25, p. 43); Rusby (53, p. 546); Sturtevant (68, p. 231).
- Dasyllirion wheeleri* S. Wats. WHEELER SOTOL  
 Hearts of the plant roasted in mescal pits; also used for making beverage. Standley (64, p. 455); Castetter (6, p. 14).
- Dichelostemma californicum* (Torr.) Wood  
 Bulbs used for food in California. Powers (40, p. 424) (as *Brodiaea volubilis*).

*Dichelostemma capitatum* (Benth.) Wood

Sweet bulbs eaten in California and Arizona. Palmer (37, p. 601) (as *Milia capitata*) ; Havard (24, p. 114) (as *Brodiaea capitata*) ; Chesnut (8, p. 323) ; Rusby (47, p. 222) (as *Brodiaea capitata*) ; Sparkman (62, p. 234) (as *Brodiaea capitata*) ; Saunders (66, p. 20) (as *Brodiaea capitata*).

*Dichelostemma pulchellum* (Salisb.) Heller

Bulbs eaten in California. As *Brodiaea congesta*: Powers (40, p. 424) ; Havard (24, p. 114).

*Disporum trachycarpum* (S. Wats.) Benth. and Hook.

## FAIRYBELLS

Yellow berries eaten raw by Blackfoot Indians. McClintock (32, p. 324).

*Erythronium albidum* Nutt.

## WHITE TROUTLILY

Bulbs eaten raw by children in Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 71).

*Erythronium grandiflorum* Pursh

## GLACIERLILY

Bulbs eaten in California, Northwestern States, and British Columbia. Brown (4, p. 380) ; Chesnut (8, p. 326) (as *E. giganteum*) ; Blankinship (3, p. 11) ; Wilson (75, p. 19) ; Telt (69, p. 481).

*Erythronium mesochoreum* Knerr

Bulbs eaten raw in Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 71).

*Erythronium parviflorum* (S. Wats.) Goodding

Small bulbs eaten in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 481) (as *E. grandiflorum parviflorum*).

*Fritillaria camschatensis* (L.) Ker

Ricelike bulbs eaten raw or boiled or dried for future use in British Columbia and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 78) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 283) ; Anderson (1, p. 126).

*Fritillaria lanceolata* Pursh

Used like *F. camschatensis* in Northwestern States, British Columbia, and Alaska. Brown (4, p. 380) ; Anderson (1, p. 126) ; Telt (69, p. 481).

*Fritillaria pudica* (Pursh) Spreng.

## YELLOW Fritillary

Used like *F. camschatensis* in British Columbia, Montana, Utah, and Nevada. Blankinship (3, p. 12) ; Chamberlin (7, p. 370) ; Anderson (1, p. 126) ; Telt (69, p. 482).

*Hesperocallis undulata* A. Gray

Large bulbs eaten in Arizona. Havard (24, p. 114) ; Rusby (47, p. 220) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 302).

*Hesperoscorodum hyacinthinum* Lindl.

Bulbs eaten raw or cooked in California. As *H. lacteum*: Powers, (40, p. 425) ; Chesnut (8, p. 326).

*Hesperoyucca whipplei* (Torr.) Baker

## CHAPARRAL YUCCA

Heads used for food; stalks eaten raw or roasted in a fire pit; flowers boiled for food; seeds ground into flour; California. As *Yucca whipplei*: Palmer (37, p. 647) ; Barrows, (2, p. 59) ; Rusby (50, p. 535) ; Sparkman (62, p. 234) ; Saunders (56, p. 137).

*Hookera coronaria* Salisb.

Bulbs eaten raw or roasted in Northwestern States and California. Brown (4, p. 380) (as *Brodiaea grandiflora*) ; Chesnut (8, p. 326) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 120) (as *Brodiaea grandiflora*) ; Saunders (56, p. 21) (as *Brodiaea grandiflora*).

*Laethocarpus parviflora* (S. Wats.) Greene

Small bulbous roots eaten in California. Powers (40, p. 426) (as *Chlorogalum divaricatum*) ; Sparkman (62, p. 234) (as *Chlorogalum parviflorum*).

*Laethocarpus pomeridianus* (DC.) Raf.

Bulbs used for food after roasting; young shoots consumed in the spring; sweet when roasted; California. As *Chlorogalum pomeridianum*: Havard (24, p. 114) ; Chesnut (8, p. 319).

*Leucocrinum montanum* Nutt.

## STARLILY

Roots eaten by Crow Indians. Blankinship (3, p. 14).

*Lilium columbianum* Hanson

## COLUMBIA LILY

Bulbs eaten raw or cooked in Northwestern States and British Columbia. Rusby (47, p. 222) ; Anderson (1, p. 126) ; Telt (69, p. 482).

- Lilium parviflorum* (Hook.) Holzinger PANTHER LILY  
Bulbs eaten in British Columbia. Wilson (75, p. 19); Telt (69, p. 482).
- Lilium philadelphicum* L. ORANGE CUP LILY  
Bulbs eaten like potatoes in Minnesota and Wisconsin. Smith (59, p. 262).
- Lilium superbum* L. AMERICAN TURKSCAP LILY  
Bulbs cooked in soups by Indians of Maine. Sturtevant (68, p. 336); Kephart (31, p. 378).
- Lilium* sp. *L. canadense*  
Bulbs eaten in Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 380) (as *L. canadense*); Kephart (31, p. 378) (as *L. canadense*).
- Maianthemum canadense* Desf. Berries eaten by Potawatami Indians. Smith (61, p. 105).
- Medeola virginiana* L. CUCUMBER ROOT  
Tubers eaten by Indians of Northeastern States. Havard (24, p. 114); Sturtevant (68, p. 357); Kephart (31, p. 386); Hedrick (26, p. 32).
- Nolina microcarpa* S. Wats. *N. stricta*  
Ground seeds made into bread or mush; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 34).
- Polygonatum biflorum* (Walt.) Ell. SMALL SOLOMONSEAL  
Rootstocks used by Iroquois. Parker (38, p. 105); Sturtevant (68, p. 448) (as *P. multiflorum*); Kephart (31, p. 391).
- Polygonatum commutatum* (Roem. and Schult.) Dietr. GREAT SOLOMONSEAL  
Rootstocks used by Iroquois. Parker (38, p. 105).
- Quamashia quamash* (Pursh) Coville [*Camassia esculenta* Lindl.] COMMON CAMAS  
Perhaps the most widely used food roots of the Indians. The "roots" (bulbs) cooked in stone-lined pits in the ground to sweet molasses-like liquid; or dried, ground to flour, and made into bread; also eaten fresh or cooked in many different ways; Utah, Idaho, Montana, California, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia and Alaska. Simmonds (57, p. 376); Brown (4, p. 378); Palmer (35, p. 408; 37, p. 601); Newberry (34, p. 33); Coues (9, pp. 604, 627, 952, 999, 1014); Havard (24, p. 113); Coville (11, p. 93); Blankinship (3, p. 9); Rusby (46, p. 204); Spinden (63, p. 201); Chamberlin (7, p. 364); Stout (67, p. 55); Wilson (75, p. 18); Sturtevant (68, p. 128); Saunders (56, p. 23); McClinton (32, p. 325); Anderson (1, p. 125); Telt (69, p. 481).
- Quamashia leichtlinii* (Baker) Coville LEICHTLIN CAMAS  
Bulbs used like those of *Q. quamash*; California, Oregon, British Columbia. Coues (9, p. 604) (as *Camassia leichtlinii*); Coville (11, p. 93); Chesnut (8, p. 326); Saunders (56, p. 25) (as *Camassia leichtlinii*); Anderson (1, p. 125) (as *Camassia leichtlinii*).
- Smilax beccarii* Kunth Tuberous rootstocks made into soup, bread, and jelly in Southern States. Havard (24, p. 114).
- Smilax bona-nox* L. Used like *S. beccarii*. Havard (24, p. 114); Kephart (31, p. 376).
- Smilax glauca* Walt. Used like *S. beccarii*. Havard (24, p. 114).
- Smilax herbacea* L. CARRION FLOWER  
Fruit eaten in Nebraska, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Gilmore (17, p. 71); Smith (69, p. 262).
- Smilax laurifolia* L. LAUREL GREENBRIER  
Young shoots eaten like asparagus, also starchily roots; Southeastern States. Porcher (39, p. 537); Bushnell (5, p. 8); Sturtevant (68, p. 538).
- Smilax pseudo-china* L. Used like *S. beccarii*; Southeastern States. Porcher (39, p. 537); Havard (24, p. 113); Sturtevant (68, p. 538); Saunders (56, p. 29); Kephart (31, p. 378).
- Smilax rotundifolia* L. BROADLEAF GREENBRIER  
Used like *S. beccarii*; Southeastern States. Havard (24, p. 114); Sturtevant (68, p. 538).
- Smilax tamnoides* L. Starchy rootstocks used by Indians of Eastern States. Porcher (39, p. 537); Sturtevant (68, p. 538).

- Streptopus amplexifolius* (L.) DC. CLASPING TWISTEDSTALK  
Berries eaten in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 486).
- Triteleia grandiflora* Lindl. TRITELEIA  
Bulbs eaten in British Columbia. Telt (69, pp. 481, 482).
- Triteleia laxa* Benth. TASTY BULBS  
Tasty bulbs eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 327).
- Triteleia peduncularis* Lindl. TRITELEIA  
Bulbs used for food in California. Chesnut (8, p. 329).
- Uvularia perfoliata* L. WOOD MERRYBELLS  
Rootstocks and young shoots eaten in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 585); Kephart (31, p. 382).
- Uvularia sessilifolia* L. LITTLE MERRYBELLS  
Young shoots used like asparagus in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 585).
- Vagnera amplexicaulis* (Nutt.) Greene  
Ripe berries eaten in New Mexico. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 70); Castetter (6, pp. 51, 53) (also as *Smilacina amplexicaulis*).
- Vagnera racemosa* (L.) Morong FALSE SOLOMONSEAL  
Berries used in Oregon, British Columbia, and Wisconsin. Coues (9, p. 326) (as *Smilacina racemosa*); Sturtevant (68, p. 537) (as *S. racemosa*); Anderson (1, p. 126) (as *S. racemosa*); Telt (69, p. 486); Smith (60, p. 407) (as *S. racemosa*).
- Vagnera stellata* (L.) Morong STARRY FALSE SOLOMONSEAL  
Berries eaten in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 486).
- Yucca baccata* Torr. BANANA YUCCA  
Fleshy bananallike fruit eaten fresh or cooked; unripe fruit roasted before eating; ground fruit pressed into cakes and dried in the sun preserved for winter use; flower buds roasted for food; fermented beverage made from the fruit; Arizona, California, and New Mexico. Palmer (35, p. 418; 37, p. 646); Havard (24, p. 119; 25, p. 37); Fewkes (16, p. 17); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 143); Rusby (50, p. 535); Russell (54, p. 72); Standley (64, p. 452); Stevenson (65, p. 72); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 49); Sturtevant (68, p. 606); Saunders (56, p. 104); Castetter (6, p. 54).
- Yucca faxoniana* Sarg.  
Fruit used like *Y. baccata*. Havard (24, p. 120; 25, p. 37) (as *Y. macrocarpa*).
- Yucca filamentosa* L. COMMON YUCCA  
Fleshy fruit eaten in Southwestern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 606).
- Yucca glauca* Nutt. SOAPWEED YUCCA  
Stems and flowers eaten raw or cooked; seed pods boiled for food; Utah, New Mexico, and Arizona. Palmer (37, p. 647) (as *Y. angustifolia*); Stevenson (65, p. 73); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 52); Sturtevant (68, p. 607); Castetter (6, p. 56).
- Yucca mohavensis* Sarg. MOHAVE YUCCA  
Green pods roasted on coals, the ripe ones eaten fresh; flowers boiled for food; California. Barrows (2, p. 59); Rusby (50, p. 535); Sparkman (62, p. 234).
- Yucca schottii* Engelm.  
Fruit eaten in Arizona. Havard (24, p. 120).
- Yucca treculeana* Carr. SPANISH-BAYONET  
Fruit eaten or made into fermented beverage in Southwestern States. Havard (24, p. 120; 25, p. 37).
- AMARYLLIDACEAE
- Agave deserti* Engelm.  
Bases of leaves roasted in "mescal pits" lined with stone, producing sweet juicy food, considered antiscorbutic; also a source for fermented and distilled liquor (mescal, pulque); the seeds pounded into flour; California. Palmer (37, p. 648); Havard (24, p. 123); Barrows (2, p. 58).
- Agave palmeri* Engelm.  
Arizona species used like *A. deserti*. Newberry (34, p. 40); Harvard (24, p. 123; 25, p. 34).
- Agave parryi* Engelm.  
The hearts used like those of *A. deserti*; also tender leaves eaten. Newberry (34, p. 40); Harvard (24, p. 123; 25, p. 34); Castetter (6, p. 10).

**Agave shawii** Engelm.

Sweet nectar in the base of flowers used in California. Palmer (37, p. 648).

**Agave utahensis** Engelm.

Utah and Nevada species used like *A. deserti*. Palmer (37, p. 647); Coville (10, p. 356); Sturtevant (68, p. 28).

**Agave wislizeni** Engelm.

Texas species used like *A. deserti*. Havard (24, p. 123); Sturtevant (68, p. 28).

**Agave sp.**

In New Mexico and Arizona. As *A. americana*: Palmer (35, p. 405); Newberry (34, p. 40); Havard (24, p. 122); Rusby (53, p. 540); Russell (64, p. 70); Standley (64, p. 455); Sturtevant (68, p. 27); Saunders (56, p. 133); Castetter (6, p. 13). (also as *A. mescalana*).

**Atamasco atamasco** (L.) Greene

Bulbs eaten by Creek Indians in time of scarcity of food. Sturtevant (68, p. 619) (as *Zephyranthes atamasco*).

**ATAMASCO-LILY****ORCHIDACEAE****Cytherea bulbosa** (L.) House

Small bulbs eaten raw or cooked in Northwestern States and Alaska. Rusby (49, p. 450) (as *Calypso bulbosa*).

**CALYPSO****Habenaria sparsiflora** S. Wats.

Plant used for food in time of food shortage; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 30).

**Perarium decipiens** (Hook.) Piper**WESTERN BATTLESNAKE-PLANTAIN**

Exudation of the plant used as chewing gum in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 492).

**Salicaceae****Populus angustifolia** James**NARROWLEAF COTTONWOOD**

Inner bark considered good antiscorbutic food; Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 19).

**Populus balsamifera** L.**BALSAM POPLAR**

Inner bark used in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 19).

**Populus grandidentata** Michx.**LARGETOOTH ASPEN**

Cambium boiled for food by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 410).

**Populus monilifera** Alt.**NORTHERN COTTONWOOD**

Buds and seeds eaten by Chippewa Indians. Reagan (41, p. 243).

**Populus sargentii** Dode**SARGENT COTTONWOOD**

Young sprouts and inner bark used in Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 72).

**Populus tremuloides** Michx.**QUAKING ASPEN**

Inner bark and the sap of the tree used in British Columbia, Montana, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Blankinship (3, p. 19); Densmore (15, p. 320); Teit (69, p. 483).

**Populus wislizeni** (S. Wats.) Sarg.

Catkins eaten raw by Pueblos of New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 43).

**Populus sp.**

Inner bark used in Arizona and Montana. As *P. deltoides*: Blankinship (3, p. 19); Russell (54, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 43).

**Myricaceae****Comptonia peregrina** (L.) Coul.**SWEETFEW**

Fragrant drink prepared from the plant. Havard (25, p. 46) (as *Myrica asplenifolia*).

**Juglandaceae****Hicoria alba** (L.) Britton [*Hicoria tomentosa* Nutt.]**MOCKERNUT**

Nuts eaten in Southern States. As *Carya alba*: Palmer (35, p. 411); Sturtevant (68, p. 149).

**Hicoria cordiformis** (Wang.) Britton.**BITTERNUT**

Nuts eaten by Iroquois Indians. Parker (38, p. 99) (as *Carya cordiformis*).

- Hicoria glabra* (Mill.) Britton PIGNUT  
Nuts used in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 150) (as *Carya porcina*).  
*Hicoria laciniata* (Michx. f.) Sarg. SHELLBARK HICKORY  
Nuts used in Pennsylvania and Central States. Sturtevant (68, p. 150) (as *Carya sulcata*) ; Hedrick (26, p. 32) (as *Carya laciniata*).  
*Hicoria microcarpa* (Nutt.) Britton LITTLENUT HICKORY  
Nuts eaten in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 149) (as *Carya microcarpa*).  
*Hicoria ovata* (Mill.) Britton SHAGBARK HICKORY  
Nuts eaten in Louisiana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. Bushnell (5, p. 8) (as *Juglans squamosa*) ; Parker (38, p. 99) (as *Carya ovata*) ; Gilmore (17, p. 74) ; Smith (58, p. 68; 59, p. 259; 60, p. 405; 61, p. 103) (as *Carya ovata*) ; Hedrick (26, p. 32) (as *Carya ovata*).  
*Hicoria pecan* (Marah.) Britton PECAN  
Nuts eaten in Southern States. As *Carya olivaeformis*; Palmer (35, p. 411) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 149).  
*Juglans cinerea* L. BUTTERNUT  
Nuts eaten fresh; also stored for winter use; Minnesota, Wisconsin, New York. Parker (38, p. 99) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 319) ; Smith (58, p. 68; 59, p. 259; 60, p. 405; 61, p. 103) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).  
*Juglans major* (Torr.) Heller NOGAL  
Nuts used in New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 459) ; Castetter (6, p. 31).  
*Juglans nigra* L. BLACK WALNUT  
Nuts eaten plain or with honey, or cooked into soup; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. Palmer (35, p. 411) ; Parker (38, p. 99) ; Gilmore (17, p. 74) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 319) ; Smith (59, p. 259) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).  
*Juglans rupestris* Engelm. TEXAS WALNUT  
Nuts used in New Mexico and Texas. Newberry (34, p. 46) ; Standley (64, p. 459) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 320).

## BETULACEAE

- Alnus oregona* Nutt. RED ALDER  
Cambium used in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 483) (as *A. rubra*).  
*Betula alba* L. EUROPEAN WHITE BIRCH  
Infusion of leaves used as a beverage; sap made into vinegar; Maine. Sturtevant (68, p. 95).  
*Betula lutea* Michx. f.  
Sap added to maple sap and used as a beverage by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 397).  
*Corylus americana* Walt. AMERICAN HAZEL  
Nuts used fresh, or cooked with soup; also stored for winter use; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. Palmer (35, p. 411) ; Rusby (51, p. 94) ; Parker (38, p. 99) ; Gilmore (17, p. 74) ; Smith (58, p. 68; 59, p. 256; 60, p. 397) ; Deansmore (15, p. 289) ; Hedrick (26, p. 32).  
*Corylus californica* (A. DC.) Rose CALIFORNIA HAZEL  
Nuts used in Oregon, California, British Columbia. Coues (9, p. 660) (as *C. rostrata*) ; Coville (11, p. 94) ; Chesnut (8, p. 333) ; Rusby (51, p. 94) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 194) (as *C. rostrata*) ; Anderson (1, p. 132) (as *C. rostrata*) ; Telt (69, p. 491).  
*Corylus rostrata* Ait BEAKED HAZELNUT  
Nuts used by Indians of Wisconsin and New York State. Hedrick (26, p. 32) (as *C. cornuta*) ; Smith (61, p. 97).

## FAGACEAE

- Castanea dentata* (Marsh.) Borkh. AMERICAN CHESTNUT  
Nuts eaten by Iroquois Indians; crushed nuts boiled with meat, the oil skimmed off and used separately. Rusby (51, p. 92) ; Parker (38, p. 99) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 152) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).

- Castanea pumila* (L.) Mill. CHINQUAPIN  
Smaller and sweeter nut than *C. dentata*; Pennsylvania to Texas. Rusby (51, p. 92); Sturtevant (68, p. 153).
- Castanopsis chrysophylla* (Hook.) A. DC. GIANT CHINQUAPIN  
Nuts eaten by Indians of California and Oregon. Newberry (34, p. 46); Coville (11, p. 94); Chesnut (8, p. 343); Rusby (51, p. 92).
- Fagus grandifolia* Ehrh. AMERICAN BEACH  
Nuts eaten fresh or stored for winter use; also swelling buds used for food in Maine and by Iroquois, Menominee, and Ojibway Indians. Rusby (45, p. 75) (as *F. americana*); Parker (38, p. 99); Waugh (72, p. 123); Sturtevant (68, p. 266) (as *F. ferruginea*); Smith (59, p. 66; 60, p. 401; 61, p. 100); Hedrick (26, p. 31).
- Lithocarpus densiflora* (Hook. and Arn.) Rehder TANOAK  
Acorns valued for their oil; nuts have pleasant taste after the deleterious matter is leached out; California. Chesnut (8, p. 342) (as *Quercus densiflora*).
- Quercus agrifolia* Née CALIFORNIA LIVE OAK  
Acorns used in California. Palmer (35, p. 409; 37, p. 596); Newberry (34, p. 38); Havard (24, p. 119); Barrows (2, p. 62); Sparkman (62, p. 233); Saunders (56, p. 73); Castetter (6, p. 47).
- Quercus alba* L. WHITE OAK  
Acorns used by Iroquois Indians, and also used in Minnesota and Wisconsin. Rusby (51, p. 84); Waugh (72, p. 123); Sturtevant (68, p. 480); Smith (58, p. 66; 59, p. 257; 60, p. 402); Hedrick (26, p. 32).
- Quercus bicolor* Willd. SWAMP WHITE OAK  
Acorns used by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 123).
- Quercus borealis maxima* (Marsh.) Ashe COMMON RED OAK  
Acorns used in Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin, and by the Iroquois Indians. As *Q. rubra*: Waugh (72, p. 123); Gilmore (17, p. 75); Smith (60, p. 402; 61, p. 100).
- Quercus chrysolepis* Liebm. CANYON LIVE OAK  
Acorns used in California. Palmer (37, p. 596); Chesnut (8, p. 342); Sparkman (62, p. 233); Saunders (56, p. 73).
- Quercus douglasii* Hook. and Arn. BLUE OAK  
Acorns used in California. Powers (40, p. 421); Chesnut (8, p. 342).
- Quercus dumosa revoluta* Sarg.  
Acorns occasionally used in California. Barrows (2, p. 62); Chesnut (8, p. 343); Sparkman (62, p. 233); Castetter (6, p. 47).
- Quercus ellipsoidalis* E. J. Hill NORTHERN PIN OAK  
Roasted and ground acorns used as a substitute for coffee in Wisconsin. Smith (58, p. 66).
- Quercus emoryi* Torr. EMORY OAK  
Acorns used in Arizona. Palmer (35, p. 409; 37, p. 596); Havard (24, p. 119).
- Quercus engelmanni* Greene MESA OAK  
Acorns used in California. Havard (24, p. 119); Barrows (2, p. 62); Sparkman (62, p. 233); Castetter (6, p. 47).
- Quercus gambelii* Nutt. GAMBEL OAK  
Acorns used in New Mexico and California. Powers (40, p. 421); Castetter (6, p. 47).
- Quercus garryana* Dougl. OREGON OAK  
Acorns used in California and British Columbia. Havard (24, p. 118); Chesnut (8, p. 343); Anderson (1, p. 132).
- Quercus kelloggii* Newberry CALIFORNIA BLACK OAK  
Acorns used in California. Powers (40, p. 421) (as *Q. sonomensis*); Palmer (37, p. 596) (as *Q. sonomensis*); Chesnut (8, p. 342) (as *Q. californica*); Sparkman (62, p. 233) (as *Q. californica*); Saunders (56, p. 73) (as *Q. californica*).
- Quercus lobata* Née CALIFORNIA WHITE OAK  
Acorns used in California. Palmer (35, p. 409) (also as *Q. hindsii*); Powers (40, p. 421); Newberry (34, p. 38); Havard (24, p. 119); Barrows (2, p. 62); Chesnut (8, p. 343); Sturtevant (68, p. 481); Saunders (56, p. 73); Castetter (6, p. 47).

- Quercus macrocarpa* Michx. MOSSYTOP OAK  
Acorns used in Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Gilmore (17, p. 75); Densmore (15, p. 320); Smith (60, p. 402).
- Quercus montana* Willd. [*Q. prinus* Auct.] CHESTNUT OAK  
Acorns used by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 123).
- Quercus nigra* L. WATER OAK  
Acorns used by Choctaw Indians of Louisiana. Bushnell (5, p. 8) (as *Q. aquatica*).
- Quercus oblongifolia* Torr.  
Acorns used in Arizona and California. Palmer (35, p. 409); Havard (24, p. 119); Barrows (2, p. 62); Russel (54, p. 78); Castetter (6, p. 47).
- Quercus prinoides* Willd. DWARF CHINQUAPIN OAK  
Acorns used in Eastern States. Havard (24, p. 119).
- Quercus prinus* L. [*Q. michauxii* Nutt.] SWAMP CHESTNUT OAK  
Acorns used in Eastern States. Havard (24, p. 119); Sturtevant (68, pp. 481, 482); Saunders (56, p. 68).
- Quercus pungens* Liebm.  
Acorns used in Rocky Mountain region. Havard (24, p. 119).
- Quercus undulata* Torr. WAVYLEAF OAK  
Acorns used in Utah and Nevada. Palmer (37, p. 596); Havard (24, p. 119); Chamberlin (7, p. 378); Sturtevant (68, p. 482); Castetter (6, p. 47).
- Quercus utahensis* (A. DC.) Rydb. UTAH OAK  
Acorns used in New Mexico. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 44); Castetter (6, p. 47).
- Quercus velutina* Lam. BLACK OAK  
Acorns used by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 402).
- Quercus virginiana* Mill. LIVE OAK  
Acorns used in Eastern States; oil from the nuts used for cooking. Havard (24, p. 119).
- Quercus wislizeni* A. DC.  
Acorns occasionally used in California. Powers (40, p. 421); Barrows (2, p. 62); Sparkman (62, p. 233); Castetter (6, p. 48).
- Quercus* sp.  
Acorns extensively used for food by the North American Indians. To remove the astringent and bitter principles the acorns were dried and ground, and the meal was percolated with water until it tasted sweet. The sweet meal was prepared for food in many ways. Chestnut (8, p. 333); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

## ULMACEAE

- Ulmus fuiua* Michx. SLIPPERY ELM  
Cambium layer used for food by the Indians of New York State. Hedrick (26, p. 32).

## LORANTHACEAE

- Phoradendron californicum* Nutt.  
Berries used for food in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 71); Castetter (6, p. 39).  
*Phoradendron juniperinum* Engelm. JUNIPER MISTLETOE  
Used as a substitute for coffee; Arizona. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 39).

## URTICACEAE

- Celtis occidentalis* L. HACKBERRY  
Fruit with seeds pounded fine and used as a flavor for meat; or eaten mixed with parched corn and fat; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. Gilmore (17, p. 76); Sturtevant (68, p. 155); Kephart (31, p. 396); Smith (59, p. 265); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

- Celtis reticulata* Torr. PALOBLANCO  
Fruit eaten in New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 458); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 39); Castetter (6, p. 21).

- Celtis* sp.  
Fruit eaten by Pueblos of the Rio Grande Valley. Castetter (6, p. 21) (as *C. douglasii*).

*Humulus lupulus* L. COMMON HOP  
Hops used in Wisconsin, Utah, and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 372); Smith (60, p. 411).

*Morus microphylla* Buckl. LITTLELEAF MULBERRY  
Fruit eaten in Southwestern States. Rusby (49, p. 438) (also as *M. celtidifolia*); Standley (64, p. 458).

*Morus rubra* L. RED MULBERRY  
Fruit used by Iroquois Indians, also in Missouri and Kansas. Palmer (35, p. 417); Rusby (49, p. 438); Parker (38, p. 96); Waugh (72, p. 128); Sturtevant (68, p. 370); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

*Urtica dioica* L. BIG NETTLE  
Nettle tops used by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 118); Saunders (56, p. 127); Kephart (31, p. 388).

## SANTALACEAE

*Comandra pallida* A. DC.

Small nutlike fruits eaten in Utah and Nevada. Palmer (37, p. 600); Chamberlin (7, p. 366).

## ARISTOLOCHIACEAE

*Acorus canadense* L.

Rhizomes and roots used for flavoring and seasoning by the Indians of Minnesota and Wisconsin. Sturtevant (68, p. 71); Densmore (15, p. 318); Smith (59, p. 204; 60, p. 397; 61, p. 96).

## POLYGONACEAE

*Eriogonum corymbosum* Benth.

Boiled leaves mixed with corn meal in Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 21); Rusby (46, p. 203); Castetter (6, p. 29).

*Eriogonum inflatum* Torr. and Frém.

Tender stems eaten raw in Utah. Palmer (37, p. 604); Rusby (50, p. 566); Saunders (56, p. 123).

*Eriogonum latifolium* J. E. Smith

Young stems eaten by children; California. Chesnut (8, p. 345).

*Oxyria digyna* (L.) Hill

Raw or boiled leaves used for salads; Utah, Nevada, Montana, British Columbia, and Alaska. Blankinship (3, p. 17); Rusby (45, p. 67); Chamberlin (7, p. 376); Sturtevant (68, p. 403); Kephart (31, p. 392); Anderson (1, p. 155).

*Polygonum aviculare* L.

Seeds used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 345).

*Polygonum bistortoides* Pursh

Roots used in soups and stews by Cheyenne and Blackfoot Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 449); Grinnell (20, p. 173) (as *Bistorta bistortoides*); McClintock (32, p. 324).

*Polygonum douglasii* Greene

Seeds parched and ground into meal in Montana and Oregon. Coville (11, p. 95); Blankinship (3, p. 18).

*Polygonum muhlenbergii* (Meisn.) S. Watson

Young shoots eaten in spring by Sioux Indians. Blankinship (3, p. 18) (as *P. emersum*).

*Polygonum viviparum* L.

Small starchy rhizomes eaten in Alaska and near Lake Superior. Rothrock (43, p. 437); Rusby (52, p. 458); Sturtevant (68, p. 449).

*Rumex acetosa* L.

Plant eaten in Alaska. Sturtevant (68, p. 512).

*Rumex acetosella* L.

Plant eaten raw by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 118); Kephart (31, p. 392).

*Rumex berlandieri* Meisn.

Plant eaten with fruit of *Opuntia*; Arizona. Russell (54, p. 78); Castetter (6, p. 50).

## KNOTWEED

## AMERICAN BISTORT

Roots used in soups and stews by Cheyenne and Blackfoot Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 449); Grinnell (20, p. 173) (as *Bistorta bistortoides*); McClintock (32, p. 324).

## GARDEN SORREL

## SHEEP SORREL

*Rumex crispus* L.

## CURLY DOCK

Leaves used for greens, seeds for mush by Iroquois Indians, and in Montana, New Mexico, and California. Chesnut (8, p. 345); Blankinship (3, p. 22); Rushy (44, p. 752); Parker (38, p. 98); Waugh (72, p. 117); Saunders (56, p. 121); Kephart (31, p. 384); Castetter (6, p. 50).

*Rumex hymenosepalus* Torr.

## CANAIGRE

Stems, leaves, and roots used in Utah, Arizona, and New Mexico. Palmer (37, p. 653); Russell (54, p. 77); Standley (64, p. 460); Sturtevant (68, p. 513); Saunders (56, p. 121); Castetter (6, p. 50).

*Rumex mexicanus* Melsn.

Leaves and seeds eaten as greens in Montana, Oregon, and New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 50); Coville (11, p. 95) (as *R. salicifolius*); Blankinship (3, p. 22) (as *R. salicifolius*).

*Rumex occidentalis* S. Wats.

## WESTERN DOCK

Young leaves and seeds eaten in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 22).

*Rumex paucifolius* Nutt. [*R. geyeri* (Melsn.) Trel.]

Leaves and stems eaten fresh in Montana and Oregon. Coville (11, p. 95); Blankinship (3, p. 22).

*Rumex venosus* Pursh

Young stems used for food in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 50).

## CHENOPodiaceae

*Allenrolfea occidentalis* (S. Wats.) Kuntze

## PICKLEBUSH

Seeds ground and made into bread or mush; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 603) (as *Halostachys occidentalis*).

*Arthrocnemum subterminale* (Parish) Standl.

Seeds crushed into meal for food in California. Barrows (2, p. 57) (as *Salicornia subterminalis*).

*Atriplex argentea* Nutt.

Leaves used as greens or boiled with fat and meats in Arizona and New Mexico. Fewkes (16, p. 21); Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 18).

*Atriplex bracteosa* S. Wats.

Boiled with other foods for flavor; Arizona. Russell (54, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 19).

*Atriplex californica* Moq.

Dried seeds ground into flour for mush or bread; California. Palmer (37, p. 603).

*Atriplex canescens* (Pursh) James

## FOURWING SALTBUSSH

Seeds eaten in Utah, Nevada, and Arizona. Palmer (37, p. 603); Chamberlin (7, p. 363); Saunders (56, p. 54).

*Atriplex confertifolia* (Torr. and Frém) S. Wats.

## SHADSCALE

Water in which leaves are boiled used for corn pudding; seeds used for bread and mush; Arizona, Utah, and Nevada. Palmer (37, p. 603); Fewkes (16, p. 20); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Chamberlin (7, p. 363); Saunders (56, p. 54); Castetter (6, p. 18).

*Atriplex coronata* S. Wats.

Used like *A. bracteosa* in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 19).

*Atriplex elegans* D. Dietrich

Used like *A. bracteosa* in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 19).

*Atriplex expansa* S. Wats.

Used like *A. californica* in Arizona and California. Palmer (37, p. 603).

*Atriplex lentiformis* S. Wats.

## BIG SALTBUSSH

Seeds used in Utah, Nevada, Arizona, and California. Palmer (37, p. 603); Barrows (2, p. 65); Russell (54, p. 78); Saunders (56, p. 54); Castetter (6, p. 18).

*Atriplex nuttallii* S. Wats.

Stems boiled with wheat in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 77); Castetter (6, p. 18).

*Atriplex powelli* S. Wats.

Seeds and young plants eaten in Utah, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (37, p. 603); Stevenson (65, p. 66); Saunders (56, p. 54); Castetter (6, p. 18); (also as *A. philonitris*).

*Atriplex saccaria* S. Wats.

Young plants boiled alone or with other foods; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 18) (as *A. cornuta*).

*Atriplex trunota* (Torr.) A. Gray

Seeds eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 363).

*Atriplex* sp.

Seeds dried, parched, and ground; used for pinole or eaten dry; Arizona. Russeil (54, p. 73).

*Chenopodium album* L.

Young leaves used for greens or boiled with fat; seeds ground to flour and made into bread or mush; New Mexico, Arizona, California, Utah, Montana, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Palmer (35, p. 419); Fewkes (16, p. 18); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Chesnut (8, p. 346); Blankinship (3, p. 9); Rusby (46, p. 203); Sparkman (62, p. 233); Waugh (72, p. 117); Sturtevant (68, p. 160); Saunders (56, p. 119); Kephart (31, p. 386); Reagan (41, p. 240); Smith (61, p. 98); Castetter (6, p. 21).

*Chenopodium ambrosioides* L.

## MEXICAN-TEA

Seeds used in Virginia. Willoughby (74, p. 83).

*Chenopodium californicum* S. Wats.

Seeds used for food in California. Sparkman (62, p. 233).

*Chenopodium capitatum* (L.) Aschers.

## STRAWBERRY-BLITE

Seeds used in Utah and Nevada; leaves used for greens. Chamberlin (7, p. 366); Sturtevant (68, p. 161); Kephart (31, p. 392) (also as *Bilium capitatum*).

*Chenopodium cornutum* (Torr.) Benth. and Hook.

Flowers eaten in Arizona; seeds mixed with corn meal. Fewkes (16, p. 18); Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 21).

*Chenopodium fremontii* S. Wats.

## DESERT LAMBSQUARTERS

Seeds and leaves used in Arizona, California, and Oregon. Fewkes (16, p. 18); Coville (11, p. 95); Barrows (2, p. 57); Saunders (56, p. 52).

*Chenopodium leptophyllum* Nutt.

NARROWLEAF LAMBSQUARTERS  
Seeds mixed with corn meal and salt; plants eaten raw or cooked; Utah, Nevada, and New Mexico. Fewkes (16, p. 18); Chamberlin (7, p. 366); Stevenson (65, p. 66); Saunders (56, p. 52); Castetter (6, p. 21).

*Chenopodium murale* L.

Parched and ground seeds used in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 73); Castetter (6, p. 24).

*Chenopodium rubrum* L.

Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 366).

*Cycloomba striplicifolium* (Spreng.) Coulter.

Seeds ground and mixed with corn meal by Zufi Indians of New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 67); Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Dondia californica* (S. Wats.) Heller

Seeds used in California. Palmer (37, p. 653) (as *Suaeda californica*).

*Dondia depressa* (S. Wats.) Britton

Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 383) (as *Suaeda depressa*).

*Dondia suffrutescens* (S. Wats.) Heller

Leaves boiled for greens in Arizona and California. As *Suaeda suffrutescens*; Barrows (2, p. 66); Russell (54, p. 78); Castetter (6, p. 53).

*Dondia* sp.

Plant used as flavoring with other greens and cactus fruit; small seeds ground fine and made into mush or biscuits; California, Arizona. Palmer (37, p. 653) (as *Suaeda diffusa*); Russell (54, p. 78) (as *Suaeda arborescens*); Castetter (6, p. 53) (as *Suaeda arborescens*).

*Monolepis nuttalliana* (Seubert) Greene

Washed roots cooked with fat and salt; seeds used for pinole; Arizona. Russell (54, p. 70) (as *M. chenopodioides*); Castetter (6, p. 34) (also as *M. chenopodioides*).

*Salicornia rubra* A. Nels.

## WESTERN GLASSWORT

Seeds ground to meal and cooked in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 300) (as *S. herbacea*).

*Sarcobatus vermiculatus* (Hook.) Torr. GREASewood  
 Twigs used for greens; seeds also eaten; Western States. Palmer (37, p. 603); Blankinship (3, p. 23); Rusby (50, p. 564).

## AMARANTHACEAE

*Acanthoschiton wrightii* Torr.

Cooked as greens with meats by the Hopi Indians of Arizona. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 10).

*Amaranthus blitoides* S. Wats.

Eaten as potherb; seeds used for pinole, also dried for future use; New Mexico, Arizona, California, Oregon, and Montana. Fewkes (16, p. 18); Co-ville (11, p. 96); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Blankinship (3, p. 6); Stevenson (65, p. 65); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 53); Saunders (56, p. 53); Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Amaranthus diacanthus* Raf.

Leaves used like spinach in Louisiana. Sturtevant (68, p. 43).

*Amaranthus graecizans* L.

Young plants used for greens in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Amaranthus hybridus* L.

SLIM AMARANTH

Young plants used for greens in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Amaranthus palmeri* S. Wats.

Young and tender plants used as a vegetable in the Southwestern States. Saunders (56, p. 128); Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Amaranthus powelli* S. Wats.

Bread made from the meal of the seeds; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 603).

*Amaranthus retroflexus* L.

REDBOOT AMARANTH

Seeds boiled or dried by Tewa of New Mexico; used for pinole in California; leaves eaten by Iroquois Indians. Chesnut (8, p. 546); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 53); Waugh (72, p. 117); Sturtevant (68, p. 44); Kephart (31, p. 389); Castetter (6, p. 15).

*Amaranthus torreyi* Benth.

Leaves boiled and eaten with meat; seeds also eaten; Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 18); Rusby (46, p. 203); Castetter (6, p. 16).

*Amaranthus* sp.

Bread made from the meal of the seeds by Utah Indians. Palmer (37, p. 603) (as *A. leucoarpus*).

## NYCTAGINACEAE

*Abronia fragrans* Nutt.

Roots ground and mixed with corn meal; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 10).

*Abronia latifolia* Esch.

Roots eaten by Chinook Indians. As *A. arenaria*: Brown (4, p. 381); Sturtevant (68, p. 17).

YELLOW SANDVERBENA

## PHYTOLACCACEAE

*Phytolacca americana* L.

COMMON POKEBERRY

Leaves and stalks used for food by Iroquois Indians; roots and seeds are poisonous. As *P. decandra*: Rusby (45, p. 66); Parker (38, p. 93); Saunders (56, p. 119); Kephart (31, p. 390).

## AIZOACEAE

*Mesembryanthemum acinaciforme* L.

Fruit, which resembles a strawberry, eaten in Southern California. Palmer (37, p. 593).

*Mesembryanthemum aequilaterale* Haw.

Fruit eaten in California. Sparkman (62, p. 232).

## PORTULACACEAE

*Calandrinia caulescens* H. B. K.

Plant used for greens when tender; seeds also eaten; California. Sparkman (62, p. 232).

*Calandrinia caulescens menziesii* (Hook.) A. Gray

REDMAIDS

Jet black seeds used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 546) (as *C. elegans*): Saunders (56, p. 131).

*Claytonia lanceolata* Pursh

Small tubers eaten raw, boiled, or roasted; British Columbia, Montana, Idaho, Utah, and Nevada. Palmer (37, p. 601); Blankinship (3, p. 10); Rusby (46, p. 204); Spinden (63, p. 204); Chamberlin (7, p. 366) (as *C. caroliniana sessilifolia*); Wilson (75, p. 19); McClintock (32, p. 324); Anderson (1, p. 184); Teit (69, p. 482).

*Claytonia megarrhiza* (A. Gray) Parry

Roots found at the summits of the Rocky Mountains. Havard (24, p. 107); Spinden (63, p. 204).

*Claytonia multiscapa* Rydb.

Roots used like those of *C. lanceolata*. Blankinship (3, p. 10) (as *C. multicaulis*).

*Claytonia perfoliata* Donn.

MINERS-LETTUCE  
The plant eaten raw or cooked with salt and pepper; tuberous roots also eaten; Montana and California. Powers (40, p. 425); Chesnut (8, p. 364); Blankinship (3, p. 16) (as *Montia perfoliata*); Rusby (45, p. 68); Sparkman (62, p. 232) (as *Montia perfoliata*); Sturtevant (68, p. 177); Saunders (56, p. 129) (as *Montia perfoliata*); Kephart (31, p. 386).

*Claytonia virginica* L.

VIRGINIA SPRINGBEAUTY  
Roots used in Eastern States. Simmonds (57, p. 371) (also as *C. acutiflora*); Havard (24, p. 107); Wangh (72, p. 120); Sannders (56, p. 16).

*Claytonia* sp.

Greens used for salads, roots also eaten; California. Rusby (45, p. 68) (as *C. arctica*).

*Lewisia brachycalyx* Engelm.

Similar to *L. rediviva*. Havard (24, p. 111).

*Lewisia columbiana* (Howell) Robinson

Roots eaten in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 480).

*Lewisia pygmaea* (A. Gray) Robinson

Roots eaten in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 479).

*Lewisia rediviva* Pursh

BITTERROOT  
"Spatulum" or "Chitah" of Indians. The bitter but nutritious roots a very important article of Indian diet, the bitterness being eliminated on cooking; the roots also boiled to a pink jelly; Western States from Rocky Mountainns to Pacific Ocean. Brown (4, p. 381); Palmer (35, p. 407); Coues (9, p. 543); Havard (24, p. 111); Blankinship (3, p. 14); Rusby (53); Spinden (63, p. 203); Chamberlin (7, p. 373); Wilson (75, p. 19); Sturtevant (68, p. 335); Saunders (56, p. 14); McClintock (32, p. 324); Anderson (1, p. 133); Teit (69, pp. 478, 479).

*Montia asarifolia* (Bong.) Howell

Eaten raw like lettuce; Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 16).

*Montia exigua* (Torr. and Gray) Jepson

Used as a potherb in California. Sturtevant (68, p. 177) (as *Claytonia exigua*).

*Montia parviflora* (Doug.) Howell

Eaten raw in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 16).

*Montia sibirica* (L.) Howell

Eaten raw or cooked in Alaska. Sturtevant (68, p. 178) (as *Claytonia sibirica*).

*Portulaca grandiflora* Hook.

COMMON PORTULACA  
Seeds ground and made into bread or mush; leaves used for salads; California. Rusby (50, p. 564).

*Portulaca oleracea* L.

COMMON PURSLANE  
Used like *P. grandiflora* by Iroquois Indians, and in California, New Mexico, and Utah. Palmer (37, p. 602); Rusby (50, p. 564); Sparkman (62, p. 232); Standley (64, p. 458); Robbins, Harrington, Freire-Marreco (42, p. 59); Waugh (72, p. 118); Sturtevant (68, p. 450); Saunders (56, p. 129); Kephart (31, p. 391); Castetter (6, p. 43).

*Portulaca retusa* Engelm.

Used like *P. grandiflora*; Arizona and New Mexico. Fewkes (16, p. 15); Hough (28, p. 58; 29, p. 143); Rusby (50, p. 564); Standley (64, p. 458); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 59); Sturtevant (68, p. 451); Castetter (6, p. 43).

*Tallium aurantiacum* Engelm.

Roots cooked for food; Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona. Havard (24, p. 107); Rusby (45, p. 68).

## NYMPHAEACEAE

*Castalia ampla* (DC.) Small

Farinaceous rootstocks eaten. Sturtevant (68, p. 389) (as *Nymphaea ampla*).

*Castalia odorata* (Ait.) Woodville and Wood

## AMERICAN WATERLILY

Buds eaten by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 407).

*Nelumbo lutea* (Willd.) Pers.

## AMERICAN LOTUS

Roasted tubers, which have a pleasant taste, boiled with meat or dried for winter use; seeds shelled and cooked with meat for soup; leaves used as greens; Connecticut, New York, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, and Iowa. Newberry (34, p. 39); Havard (24, p. 102); Gilmore (17, p. 79); Sturtevant (68, p. 382); Saunders (56, p. 34); Kephart (31, p. 378); Smith (59, p. 262; 60, p. 407; 61, p. 105).

*Nymphaea advena* Ait.

## SPATTERDOCK

Thick, fleshy tubers eaten raw, roasted, or boiled with meat; seeds ground into meal and used for thickening soup; Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and Eastern States. Brown (4, p. 382) (as *Nuphar advena*); Palmer (35, p. 407) (as *N. advena*); Havard (24, p. 120); Blankinship (3, p. 17) (as *N. advena*); Parker (38, p. 105); Gilmore (17, p. 79); Sturtevant (68, p. 389) (as *N. advena*); Kephart (31, p. 378) (also as *N. advena*); Smith (58, p. 69).

*Nymphaea polysepala* (Engelm.) Greene

## WOKAS

Tubers used like those of *Nymphaea advena*; seeds eaten raw, or roasted and eaten dry or ground and made into bread and porridge; Cheyenne Indians, Montana, Oregon, and California. Newberry (34, p. 37) (as *Nuphar polysepala*); Havard (24, p. 120); Coville (11, p. 96); Chesnut (8, p. 347); Blankinship (3, p. 17) (as *N. polysepala*); Stout (67, p. 57); Sturtevant (68, p. 389) (as *N. polysepala*); Saunders (56, p. 49) (as *N. polysepala*); Grinnell (20, p. 173).

## RANUNCULACEAE

*Aquilegia* sp.

## COLUMBINE

Roots eaten in Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 380) (as *A. canadensis*).

*Caltha palustris* L.

## MARSHMARIGOLD

Leaves and stems boiled for greens; irritating in raw state; used by Iroquois Indians, and in Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Eastern States. Rusby (44, p. 752); Parker (38, p. 93); Waugh (72, p. 117); Sturtevant (68, p. 127); Kephart (31, p. 387); Smith (58, p. 70; 60, p. 408).

*Paeonia brownii* Dougl.

Roots have taste like licorice; California. Palmer (37, p. 652).

*Ranunculus californicus* Benth.

Seeds ground to a meal and used for baking in California. Powers (40, p. 425); Rusby (45, p. 69).

*Ranunculus eisenii* Kellogg

Seeds parched to remove acrid principle; California. Chesnut (8, p. 347).

*Ranunculus inamoenus* Greene

Roots eaten in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 48).

*Ranunculus* sp.

Entire plant used for food; boiled to remove acrid principle; Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 379) (as *R. aquatilis*).

## BERBERIDACEAE

*Berberis aquifolium* Pursh

## OREGON HOLLYGRAPE

Berries used in natural state and also for making soft drinks; Northwestern States and British Columbia. Palmer (35, p. 413; 37, p. 650); Newberry (34, p. 45); Havard (25, p. 45); Sturtevant (68, p. 86); Saunders (56, p. 97); Anderson (1, p. 132); Telt (69, p. 490).

*Berberis canadensis* Mill.

## ALLEGHENY BARBERRY

Berries used in Eastern States. Havard (25, p. 45); Sturtevant (68, p. 87); Saunders (56, p. 97).

*Berberis fendleri* A Gray

## COLORADO BARBERRY

Small red berries eaten by Indians of New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 19).

- Berberis haematocarpa** Wooton RED HOLLYGRAPE  
Berries eaten in New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 457); Castetter (6, p. 19).
- Berberis nervosa** Pursh LONGLEAF HOLLYGRAPE  
Berries eaten in Oregon and British Columbia. Sturtevant (68, p. 87); Anderson (1, p. 132); Teit (69, p. 490).
- Berberis pinnata** Lag. CLUSTER HOLLYGRAPE  
Berries eaten in California and New Mexico. Newberry (34, p. 45); Sturtevant (68, p. 88).

- Berberis repens** Lindl. CREEPING HOLLYGRAPE  
Berries used in British Columbia, Montana, Utah, Nevada, New Mexico. Havard (25, p. 45); Blankinship (3, p. 8); Chamberlin (7, p. 364); Standley (64, p. 457); Anderson (1, p. 132).

- Berberis trifoliolata** Moric. AGARITA  
Berries used in Texas. Havard (25, p. 45); Sturtevant (68, p. 88).

- Podophyllum peltatum** L. COMMON MAYAPPLE  
Fresh fruit eaten raw or cooked; used by Iroquois Indians and the Indians of Minnesota and Wisconsin. Parker (38, p. 95); Waugh (72, p. 129); Sturtevant (68, p. 447); Saunders (56, p. 99); Kephart (31, p. 396); Smith (58, p. 62; 59, p. 256).

#### CALYCANTHACEAE

- Calycanthus floridus** L. COMMON SWEETSHRUB  
Aromatic bark used as substitute for cinnamon. Sturtevant (68, p. 127).

#### ANNONACEAE

- Astima triloba** Dunal PAPAW  
Fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians and in Southeastern and Central States. Rusby (50, p. 535); Waugh (72, p. 129); Sturtevant (68, p. 71); Saunders (56, p. 100); Kephart (31, p. 396).

#### LAURACEAE

- Benzoin aestivale** (L.) Nees SPICEBUSH  
Leaves used as substitute for tea. As *Lindera benzoin*: Havard (25, p. 46); Sturtevant (68, p. 337); Saunders (56, p. 145); Hedrick (26, p. 33).

- Sassafras variifolium** (Salish.) Kuntze COMMON SASSAFRAS  
Leaves used for soups and as substitute for tea; Eastern and Southern States. Bushnell (5, p. 8) (as *Laurus sassafras*); Sturtevant (68, p. 523) (as *S. officinale*); Hedrick (26, p. 33).

- Umbellularia californica** (Hook. and Arn.) Nutt. CALIFORNIA-LAUREL  
Both the flesh and the kernel of ripe fruit used for food, the acrid taste being removed by parching; the bark of the root used sometimes as coffee substitute; California. Chesnut (8, p. 349); Saunders (56, p. 189).

#### PAPAVERACEAE

- Eschscholzia californica** Cham. COMMON CALIFORNIA-POPPY  
Leaves used for greens either boiled or roasted on hot stones; California. Powers (40, p. 425); Chesnut (8, p. 351) (as *E. douglasii*); Rusby (45, p. 68); Sparkman (62, p. 232).

- Platystemon californicus** Benth. CREAMCUPS  
Leaves eaten for greens in California. Chesnut (8, p. 351).

#### FUMARIACEAE

- Dicentra canadensis** (Goldie) Walp. SQUIRREL-CORN  
Tubers used for food by the Indians of New York State. Hedrick (26, p. 33).

#### BRASSICACEAE (CRUCIFERAE)

- Brassica campestris** L. BLACK MUSTARD  
Young leaves used for greens in California. Chesnut (8, p. 352); Sturtevant (68, p. 100).

- Brassica nigra** (L.) Koch  
Used for greens by the Luisenos of California. Sparkman (62, p. 232).

- Bursa bursa-pastoris** (L.) Britton SHEPHERD'S-PURSE  
Seeds used for pinole in California; plant used as salad. Chesnut (8, p. 352); Kephart (31, p. 391).

- Cakile edentula** (Bigel.) Hook. SEA-ROCKET  
 Powdered root mixed with flour in time of scarcity of bread; Canada.  
 Sturtevant (68, p. 125) (as *C. maritima*).  
**Campe barbarea** (L.) W. F. Wight. BITTER WINTERCRESS  
 Plant used for salad. Saunders (56, p. 124) (as *Barbarea vulgaris*) ; Kephart (31, p. 383) (as *Barbarea barbarea* and *B. vulgaris*).  
**Campe verna** (Mill.) Heller EARLY WINTERCRESS  
 Plant used for salad. As *Barbarea praecox*: Saunders (56, p. 125) ; Kephart (31, p. 384).  
**Cardamine rotundifolia** Michx.  
 Leaves used for greens. Sturtevant (68, p. 141).  
**Caulanthus crassicaulis** (Torr.) S. Wats.  
 Young plants when repeatedly cooked in water taste like cabbage; seeds pounded into flour and made into mush; Utah, Nevada, and California. Palmer (37, p. 604); Coville (10, p. 354); Rusby (45, p. 68); Sturtevant (68, p. 154); Saunders (56, p. 126).  
**Dentaria diphylla** Michx. CRINKLEROOT  
 Roots eaten by Iroquois Indians either raw with salt, or boiled. Waugh (72, p. 120); Sturtevant (68, p. 141) (as *Cardamine diphylla*).  
**Dentaria laciniata** Muhl. CUT TOOTHWORT  
 Used like *D. diphylla* by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 120).  
**Dentaria maxima** Nutt. BIG CRINKLEROOT  
 Pungent and acrid roots allowed to ferment for several days, then boiled with corn; Wisconsin. Smith (68, p. 65; 60, p. 399).  
**Lepidium fremontii** S. Wats.  
 Seeds ground and made into bread or mush, or used for flavoring other foods. Palmer (37, p. 603).  
**Lepidium intermedium** A. Gray  
 Seeds used like those of *L. fremontii*. Palmer (37, p. 603).  
**Lepidium nitidum** Nutt.  
 Seeds used for food; leaves eaten as greens; California. Sparkman (62, p. 232).  
**Lepidium sp.**  
 Leaves eaten for greens in Louisiana. Sturtevant (68, p. 331) (as *L. diffusum*).  
**Radicula palustris** (L.) Moench MARSHCRESS  
 Plant used for food in Utah, Nevada, and Alaska. As *Nasturtium palustre*: Chamberlin (7, p. 375); Sturtevant (68, p. 381).  
**Sisymbrium nasturtium-aquaticum** L. WATERCRESS  
 Plant eaten raw with salt by Iroquois Indians, and in California. Chesnut (8, p. 352) (as *Roripa nasturtium*); Sparkman (62, p. 232) (as *Nasturtium officinale*); Waugh (72, p. 118) (as *Radicula nasturtium-aquaticum*); Sturtevant (68, p. 381) (as *N. officinale*); Saunders (56, p. 124) (as *N. officinale*); Kephart (31, p. 383) (as *Roripa nasturtium* and *N. officinale*).  
**Sisymbrium officinale leiocarpum** DC.  
 Seeds parched, ground, and made into soup or stew; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 50).  
**Sophia halictorum** Cockerell  
 Tender plants cooked for food by Pueblos of New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 52).  
**Sophia incisa** (Engelm.) Greene TANSY MUSTARD  
 Seeds parched and ground for food in Montana and Oregon. As *Sisymbrium incisum*: Coville (11, p. 96); Blankinship (3, p. 24).  
**Sophia parviflora** (Lam.) Standl.  
 Seeds used in bread making and for mush; Western States. Palmer (37, p. 603) (as *Sisymbrium sophia*); Castetter (6, p. 52) (as *Sophia sophia*).  
**Sophia pinnata** (Walt.) Howell  
 Seeds cooked with water to mush and eaten with salt; leaves boiled, or roasted between hot stones; Utah, Nevada, Arizona, California, and Oregon. Palmer (37, p. 603) (as *Sisymbrium canescens*); Fewkes (16, p. 15) (as *S. canescens*); Barrows (2, p. 65) (as *S. canescens*); Rusby (47, p. 222) (as *S. incanum*); Russell (54, p. 77); Chamberlin (8, p. 382) (as *S. canescens*); Sturtevant (68, p. 536) (as *S. canescens*); Castetter (6, p. 53).

*Stanleya albescens* Jones

Leaves boiled and eaten in the spring in Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 15); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 143); Castetter (6, p. 53).

## INDIAN CABBAGE

*Stanleya elata* Jones

Leaves and young stems washed with cold and boiling water several times before being eaten; California. Coville (10, p. 354); Rusby (45, p. 68).

*Stanleya pinnata* (Pursh) Britton

Used like *S. elata*; also seeds ground and made into mush; Arizona, California, and Utah. Palmer (37, p. 604) (as *S. pinnatifida*) ; Coville (10, p. 354); Hough (29, p. 143) (as *S. integrifolia*) ; Rusby (45, p. 68) (as *S. pinnatifida*) ; Saunders (56, p. 126) (as *S. pinnatifida*) ; Castetter (6, p. 53).

*Stanleya wrightii* (A. Gray) Rydb.

Tender plants cooked for food by Pueblos of New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 53).

*Thysanocarpus elegans* Fisch. and Mey.

## LACEPOD

Seeds used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 352).

## CAPPARIDACEAE

*Cleome serrulata* Pursh

Boiled leaves and flowers used in New Mexico and Arizona. Castetter (6, p. 24). As *C. integrifolia*; Fewkes (16, p. 16); Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Rusby (46, p. 203). As *Peritoma serrulatum*: Standley (64, p. 458); Stevenson (65, p. 69); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 58).

*Isomeria arborea* Nutt.

Little pods cooked with hot stones in a small hole in the ground; California. Barrows (2, p. 66).

*Polanisia trachysperma* Torr. and Gray

Tender plants cooked for food in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 42).

## CRASSULACEAE

*Cotyledon edulis* (Nutt.) Brewer

Young leaves eaten in California. Sturtevant (68, p. 195).

*Cotyledon lanceolata* (Nutt.) Brewer and Wats.

Tender leaves eaten raw in the spring; California. Powers (40, p. 425) (as *Echeveria lanceolata*) ; Palmer (37, p. 604); Rusby (45, p. 68) (as *Dudleya lanceolata*).

*Cotyledon pulvinaria* (Nutt.) Brewer and Wats.

Tender leaves eaten in California. Palmer (37, p. 604).

## HYDRANGEACEAE

*Philadelphus microphyllus* A. Gray

## LITTLELEAF MOCKORANGE

Fruit eaten in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 39).

## GROSSULARIACEAE

*Grossularia californica* (Hook. and Arn.) Coville and Britton

## HILLSIDE GOOSEBERRY

Berries eaten fresh in California. Chestnut (8, p. 353) (as *Ribes californicum*).

*Grossularia cynosbati* (L.) Mill.

## PASTURE GOOSEBERRY

Berries eaten fresh, cooked, or preserved; Minnesota and Wisconsin. Sturtevant (68, p. 495) (as *Ribes gracile*) ; Kephart (31, p. 395) (as *Ribes cynosbati* and *R. gracile*) ; Smith (58, p. 71; 59, p. 264; 60, p. 410; 61, p. 109) (as *Ribes cynosbati*).

*Grossularia divaricata* (Dougl.) Coville and Britton

## COAST GOOSEBERRY

Berries eaten in California and Northwestern States. As *Ribes divaricatum*; Brown (4, p. 384); Chestnut (8, p. 353); Sturtevant (68, p. 495).

*Grossularia hirtella* (Michx.) Spreng.

## WEDGELEAF GOOSEBERRY

Berries eaten fresh or dried; New York, Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Oregon. Palmer (35, p. 414) (as *Ribes hirtellum*) . As *Ribes oxyacanthoides saxosum*: Coville (11, p. 97); Spinden (63, p. 204); Sturtevant (68, p. 497); Reagan (41, p. 236); Smith (60, p. 410); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

- Grossularia inermis** (Rydb.) Coville and Britton WHITESTEM GOOSEBERRY  
Berries eaten in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 49) (also as *Ribes inerme*).
- Grossularia irrigua** (Dougl.) Coville and Britton ROCK GOOSEBERRY  
Berries eaten fresh in British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 131) (as *Ribes irriguum*) ; Teit (69, p. 489).
- Grossularia leptantha** (A. Gray) Coville and Britton BUCKSHOT GOOSEBERRY  
Berries eaten in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 49) (also as *Ribes leptanthum*).
- Grossularia lobbilli** (A. Gray) Coville and Britton PIONEER GOOSEBERRY  
Berries eaten in British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 131) (as *Ribes lobbilli*).
- Grossularia menziesii** (Pursh) Coville and Britton FOG GOOSEBERRY  
Fruit scalded before being eaten; California. As *Ribes menziesii*; Palmer (37, p. 599) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 496).
- Grossularia missouriensis** (Nutt.) Coville and Britton MISSOURI GOOSEBERRY  
Berries eaten fresh in Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 84).
- Grossularia nivea** (Lindl.) Spach SNOW GOOSEBERRY  
Berries eaten in Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 384) (as *Ribes niveum*).
- Grossularia pinetorum** (Greene) Coville and Britton ORANGE GOOSEBERRY  
Fruit agreeable to taste, but densely covered with spines; New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 457).
- Grossularia setosa** (Lindl.) Coville and Britton REDSHOOT GOOSEBERRY  
Berries eaten fresh or cooked by Cheyenne Indians. Blankinship (3, p. 21) (as *Ribes setosum*) ; Grinnell (20, p. 175) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 502) (as *R. setosum*).
- Ribes americanum** Mill. AMERICAN BLACK CURRENT  
Berries eaten by Iroquois Indians, and in Montana, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. As *Ribes floridum*; Blankinship (3, p. 21) ; Waugh (72, p. 128) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 494) ; Kephart (31, p. 395) ; Reagan (41, p. 236) ; Smith (59, p. 264) ; Goff (60, p. 410) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).
- Ribes aureum** Pursh GOLDEN CURRENT  
Berries eaten fresh or pounded into cakes and dried; Montana, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Wyoming, Arizona, California, Oregon, and British Columbia. Palmer (35, p. 414) ; Coville (11, p. 97) ; Blankinship (3, p. 21) ; Spinden (63, p. 204) ; Chamberlin (7, p. 379) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 495) ; Kephart (31, p. 395) ; Grinnell (20, p. 175) ; Anderson (1, p. 131).
- Ribes bracteosum** Dougl. STINK CURRENT  
Berries eaten fresh, or mixed and boiled with other berries; British Columbia and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 71) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 495) ; Anderson (1, p. 131).
- Ribes cereum** Dougl. WAX CURRENT  
Berries used in Arizona, Montana, Oregon, and British Columbia. Fewkes (16, p. 16) ; Coville (11, p. 97) ; Hough (28, p. 38) ; 29, p. 143) ; Blankinship (3, p. 21) ; Anderson (1, p. 131) ; Teit (69, p. 487) ; Castetter (6, p. 49).
- Ribes glandulosum** Grauer SKUNK CURRENT  
Black fruit eaten in Alaska. Sturtevant (68, p. 497) (as *R. prostratum*).
- Ribes hudsonianum** Richards. HUDSON BAY CURRENT  
Berries eaten in Minnesota, British Columbia, and Alaska. Sturtevant (68, p. 496) ; Kephart (31, p. 395) ; Reagan (41, p. 236) ; Teit (69, p. 489).
- Ribes inebrians** Lindl. SQUAW CURRENT  
Berries eaten fresh or dried or crushed and pressed into cakes and dried; used for making intoxicating beverages; leaves eaten with mutton or deer fat; New Mexico and Cheyenne Indians. Standley (64, p. 457) ; Stevenson (65, p. 70) ; Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 48) ; Grinnell (20, p. 175) ; Castetter (6, p. 49).
- Ribes lacustre** (Pers.) Poir. PRICKLY CURRENT  
Berries eaten fresh or dried; Utah, Wyoming, Montana, and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 72) ; Blankinship (3, p. 21) ; Chamberlin (7, p. 379) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 496) ; Kephart (31, p. 396) ; Grinnell (20, p. 175).
- Ribes petiolare** Dougl. WESTERN BLACK CURRENT  
Berries used in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 21).
- Ribes sanguineum** Pursh WINTER CURRENT  
Berries used in British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 131) ; Teit (69, p. 487).

*Ribes sativum* (Reichenb.) Syme

Berries eaten by Chippewa Indians. As *R. rubrum*: Kephart (31, p. 395); Reagan (41, p. 236).

## GARDEN CURRENT

*Ribes triste* Pall.

Berries used by Iroquois, Ojibway, and Chippewa Indians. Waugh (72, p. 128); Densmore (15, p. 321); Smith (60, p. 410).

## DROOPING CURRENT

*Ribes viscosissimum* Pursh

Berries used in Montana and British Columbia. Blankinship (3, p. 21); Telt (69, p. 489).

## STICKY CURRENT

## HAMAMELIDACEAE

*Hamamelis virginiana* L.

## COMMON WITCH-HAZEL

Seeds used in Northeastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 297).

## ROSACEAE

*Amelanchier alnifolia* Nutt.

## SASKATOON

Sweet and pleasant-tasting "berries" (fruit) used fresh and dried, and for pemmican; tea made from dry leaves; Alaska, British Columbia, Oregon, Montana, Nevada, California, Utah, Wyoming, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Nebraska. Palmer (37, p. 599); Coues (9, p. 828); Gorman (19, p. 71); Coville (11, p. 97); Chesnut (8, p. 355); Blankinship (3, p. 6); Rusby (49, p. 437); Chamberlin (7, p. 361); Gilmore (17, p. 87); Sturtevant (68, p. 44); Kephart (31, p. 397); Grinnell (20, p. 176); Anderson (1, p. 128); Telt (69, pp. 485-490).

*Amelanchier bartramiana* (Tausch) Roem.

## BARTRAM SHADBLOW

Fruit used by Blackfoot Indians. Rusby (49, p. 437) (as *A. oligocarpa*).

*Amelanchier canadensis* (L.) Medic.

## DOWNY SHADBLOW

Used like *A. alnifolia*; also boiled and eaten with meat; made into paste and dried for winter use; Iroquois Indians, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 384); Palmer (35, p. 413); Newberry (34, p. 43); Rusby (49, p. 437); Waugh (72, p. 128); Sturtevant (68, p. 44); Kephart (31, p. 397); Densmore (15, p. 307); Reagan (41, p. 236); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

*Amelanchier cusickii* Fernald.

Fruit used in British Columbia. Rusby (49, p. 437); Wilson (75, p. 17).

*Amelanchier floridana* Lindl.

Fruit eaten in British Columbia. Wilson (75, p. 17).

*Amelanchier huronensis* Wiegand

Fruit used in Wisconsin. Smith (58, p. 70).

*Amelanchier laevis* Wiegand

## ALLEGHENY SHADBLOW

Fresh or dried fruit eaten by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 408).

*Amelanchier oblongifolia* (Torr. and Gray) Roem.

## THICKET SHADBLOW

Fruit used by Blackfoot Indians. McClintock (32, p. 323).

*Amelanchier pallida* Greene

Fruit eaten in Arizona. Hough (29, p. 143); Castetter (6, p. 16).

*Amelanchier prunifolia* Greene

Fruit eaten in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 16).

*Amelanchier spicata* (Lam.) C. Koch

## GARDEN SHADBLOW

Fruit used in Wisconsin and New York State. Rusby (49, p. 437); Kephart (31, p. 397); Smith (61, p. 107).

*Amygdalus persica* L.

## PEACH

Eaten by Iroquois Indians. As *Prunus persica*: Parker (38, p. 95); Waugh (72, p. 129); Sturtevant (68, p. 462).

*Aronia arbutifolia* (L.) Ell.

## RED CHOKEBERRY

Fruit used in preparation of pemmican; Northeastern States. As *Pyrus arbutifolia*: Rusby (49, p. 437); Sturtevant (68, p. 472).

*Crataegus aestivalis* Torr. and Gray

Fruit eaten. Sturtevant (68, p. 197).

*Crataegus chrysocarpa* Ashe

Fruit eaten in time of shortage of food; Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 87).

*Crataegus coccinea* L.

## THICKET HAWTHORN

Fruit eaten fresh, or pressed into cakes with other berries for winter use; Minnesota and Eastern States. Palmer (35, p. 413); Sturtevant (68, p. 197); Kephart (31, p. 397); Reagan (41, p. 236).

*Crataegus columbiana* Howell

Fruit used like *C. coccinea*; Montana and British Columbia. Blankinship (3, p. 11); Anderson (1, p. 129); Telt (69, p. 487).

*Crataegus douglasii* Lindl.

Ripe fruit dried for winter use by Cheyenne Indians, and in British Columbia. Blankinship (3, p. 11); Sturtevant (68, p. 197); Saunders (56, p. 92); Grinnell (20, p. 176); Anderson (1, p. 129) (as *C. brevispina*); Telt (69, p. 486).

*Crataegus flava* Alt

Fruit eaten in Southern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 197); Saunders (56, p. 92).

*Crataegus mollis* (Torr. and Gray) Scheele

## DOWNY HAWTHORN

Fruit eaten in Eastern and Central States. Saunders (56, p. 92); Kephart (31, p. 396).

*Crataegus pruinosa* (Wendl.) C. Koch

## FROSTED HAWTHORN

Fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 128).

*Crataegus rivularis* Nutt.

## RIVER HAWTHORN

Fruit eaten in Utah, Nevada, and California. Chesnut (8, p. 355); Chamberlin (7, p. 367).

*Crataegus submollis* Sarg.

## QUEBEC HAWTHORN

Fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 128).

*Crataegus uniflora* Moench.

## ONE-FLOWER HAWTHORN

Fruit eaten. Sturtevant (68, p. 198) (as *C. parviflora*).

*Crataegus* sp.

## HAWTHORN

Fruit squeezed by hand, made into cakes and stored for winter; New York, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Rusby (50, p. 534); Sturtevant (68, p. 198) (as *C. tomentosa*); Kephart (31, p. 397) (as *C. tomentosa*); Densmore (15, p. 321); Smith (59, p. 263) (as *C. tomentosa*), (60, p. 409); Hedrick (26, p. 32) (as *C. tomentosa*).

*Cydonia oblonga* Mill.

## COMMON QUINCE

Fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians. Parker (38, p. 95) (as *C. vulgaris*).

*Fragaria bracteata* Heller

Fruit eaten in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 29).

*Fragaria californica* Cham. and Schlecht.

## CALIFORNIA STRAWBERRY

Berries eaten fresh in California and British Columbia. Chesnut (8, p. 354); Telt (69, p. 488).

*Fragaria canadensis* Michx.

Berries eaten in Northern States. Rusby (46, p. 202); Kephart (31, p. 397).

*Fragaria chiloensis* (L.) Duchesne

## CHILOE STRAWBERRY

Fresh berries eaten in Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 384); Sturtevant (68, p. 281).

*Fragaria glauca* (S. Wats.) Rydb.

Berries eaten by Cheyenne Indians. Grinnell (20, p. 176).

*Fragaria vesca* L.

## ALPINE STRAWBERRY

Fresh berries used by Iroquois Indians, and in Wisconsin, Utah, Nevada, and Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 384); Rusby (46, p. 202); Chamberlin (7, p. 370); Waugh (72, p. 127); Smith (61, p. 107).

*Fragaria vesca americana* Porter.

## AMERICAN STRAWBERRY

Berries eaten fresh; beverage made from the leaves; New York, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota, and British Columbia. Rusby (46, p. 202) (as *F. americana*); Gilmore (17, p. 84) (as *F. americana*); Kephart (31, p. 397) (as *F. americana*); Telt (69, p. 487); Hedrick (26, p. 33) (as *F. americana*).

*Fragaria virginiana* Duchesne

## VIRGINIA STRAWBERRY

Berries eaten fresh, or boiled to jam for winter use; tea-like drink made from the leaves; Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, New York, and Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 384); Palmer (35, p. 413); Coville (11, p. 98); Rusby (46, p. 202); Waugh (72, p. 127); Gilmore (17, p. 84); Sturtevant (68, p. 282); Kephart (31, p. 397); Smith (58, p. 71; 59, p. 263; 60, p. 409); Densmore (15, p. 321); Hedrick (26, p. 33).

*Fragaria virginiana illinoensis* Prince

Berries eaten in Minnesota. Reagan (41, p. 235).

*Geum rivale* L.

Decoction of fragrant rootstock used as beverage; Northern States and Canada. Saunders (56, p. 161).

*Geum triflorum* Pursh

Roots boiled to make a beverage; British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 493).

*Malus coronaria* (L.) Mill.

Fruit eaten in Northern and Eastern States. As *Pyrus coronaria*. Palmer (35, p. 414); Parker (38, p. 94); Waugh (72, p. 129); Sturtevant (68, p. 474); Reagan (41, p. 236).

*Malus fusca* (Raf.) Schneider

Fruit eaten raw or boiled, or put away in oil for winter use; Northwestern States, British Columbia, and Alaska. Brown (4, p. 383) (as *Pyrus rivularis*); Rothrock (43, p. 435) (as *P. rivularis*); Coues (9, p. 826) (as *Pyrus rivularis*); Gorman (19, p. 70) (as *M. rivularis*); Rusby (50, p. 534) (as *M. rivularis*); Sturtevant (68, p. 478) (as *P. rivularis*); Anderson (1, p. 129) (as *M. rivularis* and *P. rivularis*); Teit (69, p. 487).

*Malus* sp.

Fruit used in Western States. Sturtevant (68, p. 472) (as *Pyrus angustifolia*).

*Osmaronia cerasiformis* (Torr. and Gray) Greene

Fruit occasionally eaten in British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 129) (as *Nuttallia cerasiformis*).

*Photinia salicifolia* Presl.

Sour fruit eaten fresh, also dried, ground, and made into mush; California. Powers (40, p. 423) (as *P. arbutifolia*); Palmer (37, p. 599) (as *P. arbutifolia*); Rusby (50, p. 534) (as *Heteromeles arbutifolia*); Sparkman (62, p. 232) (as *H. arbutifolia*).

*Potentilla anserina* L.

Roots taste like sweetpotatoes; Montana and British Columbia. Blankinship (3, p. 19); Rusby (52, p. 458); Sturtevant (68, p. 451); Kephart (31, p. 380); Teit (69, p. 480).

*Potentilla glandulosa* Lindl.

A beverage made by boiling leaves or the whole plant in water; British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 494).

*Prunus americana* Marsh.

Fruit used fresh, cooked, or dried; New York, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Montana, and Wyoming. Havard (24, p. 103); Blankinship (3, p. 19); Rusby (49, p. 436); Waugh (72, p. 128); Gilmore (17, p. 87); Sturtevant (68, p. 456); Kephart (31, p. 396); Grinnell (20, p. 177); Denmore (15, p. 321); Rengun (41, p. 235); Smith (59, p. 263); Hurdick (26, p. 32); Castetter (6, p. 46).

*Prunus andersonii* A. Gray

Fruit eaten in California. Barrows (2, p. 61).

*Prunus angustifolia* Marsh.

Fruit eaten in Southern States. Havard (26, p. 103); Rusby (49, p. 436); Sturtevant (68, p. 459) (as *P. chickasaw*); Kephart (31, p. 396).

*Prunus besseyi* Bailey

Fruit eaten fresh or dried; Nebraska, Wyoming, and Montana. Gilmore (17, p. 88); Kephart (31, p. 395); Grinnell (20, p. 177).

*Prunus capuli* Cav.

Fruit used in New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 458) (as *Padus capuli*).

*Prunus demissa* (Nutt.) D. Dietr.

Fruit eaten fresh or dried, also used for pemmican; Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, California, and British Columbia. Palmer (35, p. 414) (as *Cerasus virginiana*); Palmer (37, p. 598) (as *C. demissa*); Coville (11, p. 98); Barrows (2, p. 61); Chestnut (8, p. 356) (as *C. demissa*); Blankinship (3, p. 19); Rusby (49, p. 437) (as *Padus demissa*); Sparkman (62, p. 232); Spinden (63, p. 204); Chamberlin (7, p. 378); Wilson (75, p. 18); Kephart (31, p. 395); McClintock (32, p. 324); Anderson (1, p. 130); Teit (69, p. 490).

*Prunus emarginata* (Dougl.) Walp.

Bitter fruit eaten occasionally in Northwestern States and British Columbia. Brown (4, p. 383) (as *Cerasus mollis*); Coville (11, p. 99); Rusby (49, p. 437); Anderson (1, p. 130); Teit (69, p. 488).

*Prunus hortulana* Bailey

Fruit used in Mississippi region. Havard (24, p. 103); Rusby (49, p. 436); Kephart (31, p. 396).

## OREGON CRAB

## WILD SWEET CRAB

## OSOBERRY

## CHRISTMASBERRY

## SILVERWEED

## AMERICAN PLUM

## CHICKASAW PLUM

## BESSET CHERRY

## BITTER CHERRY

## HORTULAN PLUM

***Prunus ilicifolia* (Nutt.) Walp.**

HOLLYLEAF CHERRY  
Reddish yellow fruit eaten fresh or dried in the sun; kernels crushed or ground into flour and made into bread or "atole"; California. Palmer (37, p. 598) (as *Cerasus ilicifolia*); Barrows (2, p. 60); Rusby (49, p. 437) (as *Padus ilicifolia*); Sparkman (62, p. 232) (as *C. ilicifolia*); Sturtevant (68, p. 460); Saunders (56, p. 57).

***Prunus maritima* Wang.**

BEACH PLUM  
Fruit eaten in Eastern States. Rusby (49, p. 436); Sturtevant (68, p. 461); Kephart (31, p. 396).

***Prunus melanocarpa* (A. Nels.) Rydb.**

BLACK WESTERN CHOKECHERRY  
Fruit used fresh and dried and used for pemmican; New Mexico, Nebraska, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Standley (64, p. 458) (as *Padus melanocarpa*); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 47) (as *Padus melanocarpa*); Gilmore (17, p. 89) (as *Padus melanocarpa*); Grinnell (20, p. 177); Castetter (6, p. 46) (also as *Padus melanocarpa*).

***Prunus nigra* Ait.**

CANADA PLUM  
Fruit eaten and used for making plum butter by Iroquois Indians, and in Minnesota and Wisconsin. Havard (24, p. 103); Rusby (49, p. 436); Waugh (72, p. 128); Kephart (31, p. 396); Smith (59, p. 263; 60, p. 409); Hedrick (26, p. 27).

***Prunus pensylvanica* L. f.**

PIN CHERRY  
Fruit eaten in Northern and Eastern States. Rusby (49, p. 437); Waugh (72, p. 128); Sturtevant (68, p. 462); Kephart (31, p. 395); Reagan (41, p. 235); Smith (60, p. 409; 61, p. 108); Hedrick (26, p. 31).

***Prunus pumila* L.**

SAND CHERRY  
Fruit eaten fresh or preserved; Northern States. Rusby (49, p. 437); Sturtevant (68, p. 465); Kephart (31, p. 395); Smith (58, p. 71; 60, p. 409).

***Prunus rivularis* Schneid.**

Fruit eaten in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 465).

***Prunus serotina* Ehrh.**

BLACK CHERRY  
Fruit eaten fresh or dried; infusion of twigs used as beverage; used by Iroquois Indians, and in Minnesota and Wisconsin. Waugh (72, p. 128); Kephart (31, p. 395); Densmore (15, pp. 317, 321); Reagan (41, p. 235); Smith (58, p. 71; 60, p. 409; 61, p. 108).

***Prunus subcordata* Benth.**

PACIFIC PLUM  
Fruit eaten fresh or dried in Oregon and California. Coville (11, p. 99); Chesnut (9, p. 356); Sturtevant (68, p. 466).

***Prunus umbellata* Ell.**

Fruit eaten fresh or preserved; Georgia and Florida. Rusby (49, p. 436); Sturtevant (68, p. 466).

***Prunus virginiana* L.**

COMMON CHOKECHERRY  
Fruit eaten fresh and dried, and used for pemmican; bark and twigs used as substitute for tea; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Iroquois Indians. Rusby (49, p. 437) (as *Padus virginiana*); Waugh (72, p. 128); Gilmore (17, p. 88) (as *Padus nana*); Sturtevant (68, p. 466); Kephart (31, p. 395); Smith (58, p. 71; 59, p. 263; 60, p. 409; 61, p. 108); Densmore (15, pp. 317, 321); Reagan (41, p. 235); Hedrick (26, p. 31).

***Pyrus loensis* (Wood) Bailey**

PRAIRIE CRAB  
Fruit eaten raw or made into jelly by Meskwaki Indians. Smith (59, p. 263).

***Rosa acicularis* Lindl.**

PRICKLY ROSE  
Fruit used in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 21); Sturtevant (68, p. 503).

***Rosa acicularis bourgeana* Crém.**

BOURGEOU ROSE  
Fruit used in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 21) (as *R. sayi*).

***Rosa californica* Cham. and Schlecht.**

CALIFORNIA WILD ROSE  
Fruit used in California. Chesnut (8, p. 354).

***Rosa cinnamomea* L.**

CINNAMON ROSE  
Tender shoots eaten in the spring, also fruit; Northwestern States and Alaska. Brown (4, p. 385) (as *R. fraxinifolia*); Palmer (35, pp. 414-415) (also as *R. fraxinifolia*); Sturtevant (68, p. 504) (also as *R. fraxinifolia*).

***Rosa gymnocarpa* Nutt.**

BALD-HIP ROSE  
Fruit eaten; beverage made by boiling young leaves and stalks; British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 493).

- Rosa nutkana** Presl NUTKA ROSE  
 Fruit considered harmful by some and very healthful by others; Montana and Alaska. Havard (24, p. 122); Blankinship (3, p. 21); Rusby (44, p. 718).
- Rosa pratincola** Greene VIRGINIA ROSE  
 Fruit eaten in time of food scarcity; Nebraska. Gilmore (17, p. 85).  
**Rosa virginiana** Mill. Woods ROSE  
 Buds eaten by Chippewa Indians. Reagan (41, p. 236) (as *R. lucida*).
- Rosa woodsii** Lindl. FENDLER ROSE  
 Fruit eaten in Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 21).
- Rosa woodsii fendleri** (Crép.) Rydb. ALLEGHENY BLACKBERRY  
 Fruit eaten in Oregon, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, and New Mexico. Coville (11, p. 99); Chamberlin (7, p. 379); Standley (64, p. 458); Grinnell (20, p. 177); Castetter (6, p. 49).
- Rubus allegheniensis** Porter THORNLESS BLACKBERRY  
 Fruit eaten fresh and dried; New York, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Kephart (31, p. 394); Smith (58, p. 71; 59, p. 264; 60, p. 409; 61, p. 108); Hedrick (26, p. 31).
- Rubus arcticus** L. SAND BLACKBERRY  
 Fruit eaten in Alaska. Sturtevant (68, p. 505).
- Rubus arizonicus** (Greene) Rydb. BOULDER RASPBERRY  
 Fruit eaten by Navajo Indians. Castetter (6, p. 49).
- Rubus canadensis** L. SWAMP DewBERRY  
 Fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians, and in Kansas. Palmer (35, p. 415); Waugh (72, p. 127); Sturtevant (68, p. 506); Kephart (31, p. 394).
- Rubus chamaemorus** L. WESTERN RED RASPBERRY  
 Fruit eaten in Canada and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 74); Sturtevant (68, p. 506); Kephart (31, p. 396).
- Rubus cuneifolius** Pursh COMMON BLACKCAP  
 Fruit used in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 506); Kephart (31, p. 394).
- Rubus deliciosus** Torr. FLOWERING RASPBERRY  
 Fruit eaten in Colorado. Sturtevant (68, p. 506).
- Rubus flagellaris** Willd. WHITEFLOWERING RASPBERRY  
 Fruit eaten by Indians of New York State. Hedrick (26, p. 31).
- Rubus frondosus** Bigel. WHITE RASPBERRY  
 Fruit used by Chippewa Indians. Densmore (15, p. 321).
- Rubus hispida** L. WHITERIBB RASPBERRY  
 Fruit sometimes eaten. Sturtevant (68, p. 507); Kephart (31, p. 394).
- Rubus leucodermis** Dougl. BLACK RASPBERRY  
 Fruit, fresh or dried and boiled, eaten with meat; also young shoots eaten; California, Nevada, Utah, Montana, Oregon, and British Columbia. Brown (4, p. 384); Coville (11, p. 99); Chesnut (8, p. 355); Blankinship (3, p. 22); Chamberlin (7, p. 380); Wilson (75, p. 18); Sturtevant (68, p. 508); Teit (69, pp. 483, 487).
- Rubus melanostachys** Focke BLACK RASPBERRY  
 Fruit eaten by Cheyenne Indians. Grinnell (20, p. 177).
- Rubus occidentalis** L. BLACK RASPBERRY  
 Fruit eaten fresh and dried; young shoots and sprouts eaten like rhubarb; leaves and bark of the root used for making tea-like beverage; Nebraska, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. Waugh (72, p. 127); Gilmore (17, p. 84); Sturtevant (68, p. 509); Kephart (31, p. 396); Grinnell (20, p. 177); Smith (58, p. 71; 59, p. 264); Hedrick (26, p. 33).
- Rubus odoratus** L. BLACK RASPBERRY  
 Fruit used by Iroquois Indians. Parker (38, p. 96); Waugh (72, p. 127); Sturtevant (68, p. 509); Kephart (31, p. 397); Hedrick (26, p. 33).
- Rubus parviflorus** Nutt. WHITE RASPBERRY  
 Fruit eaten fresh, or pressed into cakes and dried; tender shoots of the plant eaten in spring; Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, New Mexico, Northwestern States, and British Columbia. Brown (4, p. 384) (as *R. nutkanus*); Palmer (35, p. 415) (as *R. nutkanus*); Blankinship (3, p. 21) (as *R. nutkanus*); Sparkman (62, p. 232); Chamberlin (7, p. 380) (as *R. nutkanus*); Standley (64, p.

456); Sturtevant 68, p. 509) (as *R. nutkanus*) ; Kephart (31, p. 397) ; Anderson (1, p. 129) (as *R. nutkanus*) ; Telt (69, p. 488) ; Castetter (6, p. 19) (as *Bossechia parviflora*).

**Rubus parviflorus velutinus** (Brewer) Greene

Fruit eaten fresh in California. Chesnut (8, p. 354).

**Rubus pedatus** J. E. Smith

Small fruits eaten in Alaska. Sturtevant (68, p. 510).

**Rubus pubescens** Raf.

Fruit used by Iroquois Indians. As *R. triflorus*: Waugh (72, p. 127) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 511).

**Rubus spectabilis** Pursh

Fruit used; also young shoots of the plant peeled and eaten in spring; Northwestern States, British Columbia, and Alaska. Brown (4, p. 384) ; Palmer (35, p. 415) ; Newberry (34, p. 45) ; Gorman (19, p. 74) ; Spinden (63, p. 204) ; Wilson (75, p. 18) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 510) ; Anderson (1, p. 129) ; Telt (69, pp. 482, 486).

**Rubus strigosus** Michx.

Fruit eaten fresh and dried; fresh shoots peeled and eaten; leaves and twigs used for making tea-like beverage; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, pp. 119, 127) (as *R. idaeus aculeatissimus*) ; Gilmore (17, p. 84) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 511) ; Kephart (31, p. 397) ; Smith (58, p. 71) (as *R. idaeus aculeatissimus*) ; Densmore (15, pp. 317, 321) ; Reagan (41, p. 235) ; Smith (60, p. 410; 61, p. 109) (as *R. idaeus aculeatissimus*) ; Hedrick (26, p. 33) (as *R. idaeus*).

**Rubus trivialis** Michx.

Fruit used in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 511) ; Kephart (31, p. 394).

**Rubus villosus** Alt.

Fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians, and in Missouri, Texas, California, and Minnesota. Palmer (35, p. 415) ; Parker (38, p. 96) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 511) ; Kephart (31, p. 394).

**Rubus vitifolius** Cham. and Schlecht.

Fruit eaten fresh and dried; British Columbia, Idaho, Oregon, and California. Coues (9, p. 837) (as *R. ursinus*) ; Coville (11, p. 99) ; Chesnut (8, p. 355) ; Sparkman (62, p. 232) ; Spinden (63, p. 204) (as *R. macropetalus*) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 511) (as *R. ursinus*) ; Telt (69, p. 487) (as *R. macropetalus*).

**Sericotheca discolor** (Pursh) Rydb.

Small dry fruit eaten in California. Barrows (2, p. 61) (as *Holodiscus discolor*).

**Sericotheca dumosa** (Nutt.) Rydb.

Small dry fruit eaten in New Mexico. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 49) ; Castetter (6, p. 50) (also as *Holodiscus dumosus*).

**Sorbus sambucifolia** (Cham. and Schlecht.) Roem.

Fruit eaten by Chippewa Indians. Reagan (41, p. 236) (as *Pyrus sambucifolia*).

**Sorbus sitchensis** Roem.

Fruit eaten in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 488) (as *Pyrus sitchensis*).

**Spiraea pyramidata** Greene

Beverage made by boiling stems, leaves, and flowers; British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 494).

#### MIMOSACEAE

**Acacia greggii** A. Gray

Pods pounded into coarse meal and made into porridge or cakes; eaten by the Indians of Arizona and California; Barrows (2, p. 60) ; Rusby (50, p. 564) ; Russell (54, p. 76) ; Castetter (6, p. 46).

**Pithecellobium flexicaule** (Benth.) Coulter. [*Acacia flexicaulis* Benth.]

Seeds boiled for food in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 19).

**Prosopis chilensis** (Molina) Stuntz

Pods contain pulpy sweet nutritious material; whole pods ground and made into bread and cakes, or mush and porridge; used also for making sweet drink (atole) or fermented to beer; Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona. As *P. juliflora*: Palmer (37, p. 595) ; Coville (10, p. 355) ; Havard (24, p. 120; 25, p. 37) ; Rusby (50, p. 535) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 455) ; Saunders (56, p. 62).

*Prosopis glandulosa* Torr.

**MESQUITE**  
Used like *P. chilensis*; Utah, Nevada, California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas. Palmer (35, p. 410) (as *Algarobla glandulosa*) ; Palmer (37, p. 595) (as *A. glandulosa*) ; Havard (23, p. 451) ; Newberry (34, p. 58) ; Barrows (2, p. 56) (as *P. juliflora*) ; Sparkman (62, p. 231) (as *P. juliflora*) ; Stout (67, p. 58) ; Castetter (6, p. 43).

*Prosopis velutina* Wooton

Used like *P. chilensis*; Arizona. Russell (54, p. 74) ; Castetter (6, p. 44).

*Strombocarpa odorata* (Torr. and Frém.) Torr.

**SCREWBEAN**  
Screwbean or "tornillo"; used like *Prosopis chilensis*; Utah, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (35, p. 412) (as *Strombocarpus pubescens*) ; Havard (24, p. 121; 25, p. 37) (as *Prosopis pubescens*) ; Barrows (2, p. 56) (as *P. pubescens*) ; Rusby (50, p. 564) (as *P. pubescens*) ; Russell (54, p. 75) (as *P. pubescens*) ; Sparkman (62, p. 231) (as *P. pubescens*) ; Standley (64, p. 458) (as *Strombocarpa pubescens*) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 455) (as *P. pubescens*) ; Saunders (56, p. 66) (as *P. pubescens*) ; Castetter (6, p. 45) (as *P. pubescens* and *S. pubescens*).

**CAESALPINIACEAE***Cercidium torreyanum* (S. Wats.) Sarg.

Beans ground into meal and made into cakes; also used for making beverages; Arizona and California. As *Parkinsonia torreyana*; Barrows (2, p. 60) ; Rusby (50, p. 564) ; Russell (54, p. 75) ; Castetter (6, p. 58).

*Cercis occidentalis* Torr.**CALIFORNIA REDBUD**

Pods roasted and seed eaten by Navajo Indians. Castetter (6, p. 21).

*Gleditsia triacanthos* L.**COMMON HONEYLOCUST**

Pulpy pods contain sugar; beer made by fermenting sweet pods; Mississippi region. Sturtevant (68, p. 291).

*Gymnocladus dioica* (L.) C. Koch**KENTUCKY COFFEETREE**

Roasted seeds eaten like nuts; or ground and used as substitute for coffee; Kentucky, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. Sturtevant (68, p. 296) (as *G. canadensis*) ; Saunders (56, p. 148) (as *G. canadensis*) ; Smith (59, p. 260) ; Hedrick (26, p. 27) (as *G. canadensis*).

*Hoffmannseggia densiflora* Benth.

Tubers cooked like ordinary potatoes in Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas. Rusby (52, p. 458) (as *H. stricta*) ; Standley (64, p. 460) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 306) (as *H. stricta*) ; Castetter (6, p. 30).

*Hoffmannseggia falcaria* Cav.

Tubers roasted for food in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 78) ; Castetter (6, p. 30).

*Parkinsonia microphylla* Torr.

Beans eaten fresh or ground and mixed with mesquite meal in Southwestern States. Russell (54, p. 75) ; Castetter (6, p. 38).

**FABACEAE (LEGUMINOSAE)***Amorpha canescens* Pursh**LEADPLANT**

Infusion of leaves used as beverage; Nebraska. Gilmore (17, p. 93).

*Astragalus aboriginum* Richards.

Roots eaten by Cree and Stone Indians. Brown (4, p. 381) (as *Phaca aboriginum*).

*Astragalus carolinianus* L.

Roots gathered in spring or fall and eaten raw or boiled by Blackfoot Indians. McClintock (32, p. 324).

*Astragalus caryocarpus* Ker.

Pinnulate pods eaten raw or boiled; Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 7) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 74).

*Astragalus diphyllus* A. Gray

Peas hulled and boiled for food; pods eaten fresh or boiled, or dried for winter use; New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 66) ; Castetter (6, p. 17).

*Astragalus pictus filifolius* A. Gray

Roots, dug after a rain, eaten as sweets by Hopi Indians of Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 16) ; Hough (28, p. 38; 29, pp. 142, 143) ; Castetter (6, p. 17).

*Baptisia tinctoria* (L.) R. Br.**YELLOW WILD-INDIGO**

Shoots of the plant used like asparagus; Northeastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 82).

*Cicer arietinum* L.

Peas used in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 73).

## CHICKPEA

*Falcata comosa* (L.) Kuntze

Underground fruits eaten raw or boiled; Eastern States, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Harvard (24, p. 121); Rusby (50, p. 564); Gilmore (17, p. 95); Sturtevant (68, p. 48) (as *Amphicarpa monoica*) ; Saunders (56, p. 61) (as *A. monoica*) ; Kephart (31, p. 379) (also as *Glycine comosa*) ; Densmore (15, p. 320); Smith (59, p. 259) (as *A. monoica*).

*Falcata pitcheri* (Torr. and Gray) Kuntze

Used like *F. comosa*. Rusby (50, p. 564); Smith (60, p. 405) (as *Amphicarpa pitcheri*).

*Glycine apios* L.

Tubers eaten raw or boiled (sometimes with maple sugar) or roasted; Nebraska, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Eastern States. Simmonds (57, p. 371) (also as *Apios tuberosa*) ; Palmer (35, p. 405) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Palmer (37, p. 600) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Newberry (34, p. 34) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Harris (22, p. 108) ; Havard (24, p. 101) (as *A. apios*) ; Rusby (52, p. 458) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Willoughby (74, p. 85) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Parker (38, p. 105) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Stout (67, p. 53) (as *A. apios*) ; Waugh (72, p. 120) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Gilmore (17, p. 94) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 54) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Saunders (56, p. 2) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Kephart (31, p. 377) (as *A. tuberosa* and *A. apios*) ; Grinnell (20, p. 179) ; Smith (58, p. 68; 59, p. 260; 61, p. 103) (as *A. tuberosa*) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31) (as *A. tuberosa*).

*Glycyrrhiza lepidota* Pursh

## LICORICE

Rootstocks eaten or chewed raw, or added to some other food; New Mexico, Wyoming, Northwestern States, and Alaska. Palmer (35, p. 407) ; Coues (9, pp. 711, 739, 824) ; Havard (24, p. 108) ; Blankinship (3, p. 12) ; Rusby (53) ; Standley (64, p. 460) ; Grinnell (20, p. 178).

*Lathyrus decaphyllus* Pursh

The whole pod utilized for food; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 32).

*Lathyrus maritimus* (L.) Bigel.

Fresh stalks and sprouts eaten raw or cooked by Iroquois Indians. Parker (38, p. 93).

*Lathyrus ochroleucus* Hook.

Peas used by Chippewa and Ojibway Indians. Reagan (41, p. 235) ; Smith (60, p. 406).

*Lathyrus ornatus* Nutt.

Pods roasted for food in Nebraska. Gilmore (17, p. 98).

*Lathyrus palustris* L.

Peas used in Minnesota. Reagan (41, p. 235).

*Lathyrus watsonii* White

Plant used for greens in California. Chesnut (8, p. 357).

*Lotus strigosus* (Nutt.) Greene

Used for greens in California. Sparkman (62, p. 231).

*Lupinus carnosulus* Greene

Roasted leaves used for greens in California. Chesnut (8, p. 357).

*Lupinus littoralis* Dougl.

Long tapering roots roasted for food in Washington and Oregon. Brown (4, p. 380) ; Havard (24, p. 108) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 342).

*Lupinus luteolus* Kellogg

Tops eaten for greens in California. Chesnut (8, p. 358).

*Medicago lupulina* L.

## BLACK MEDICK

Seeds eaten in California. Palmer (35, p. 419).

*Medicago sativa* L.

## ALFALFA

Seeds ground and cooked into mush or gruel; tender branches cooked for greens; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 604).

*Oineya teatota* A. Gray

## TESOTA

The seeds eaten raw or roasted in Arizona. Palmer (35, p. 411) ; Rusby (50, p. 564) ; Russell (54, p. 70) ; Castetter (6, p. 34).

- Oxytropis lambertii Pursh** CRAZYWEED  
 Roots eaten in Arizona. As *Spiesia lambertii*: Hough (29, p. 143); Castetter (6, p. 52).
- Parosela lanata** (Spreng.) Britton  
 Roots scraped and eaten as sweets by Hopi Indians. As *Dalea lanata*: Fewkes (16, p. 16); Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 58) (also as *P. lanata*).
- Parosela lasianthera** (Gray) Heller  
 Roots chewed by children of Zuñi Indians. Stevenson (65, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 38).
- Petalostemum candidum** Michx. WHITE PRAIRIECLOVER  
 Roots chewed or eaten raw; tealike drink made from leaves; Nebraska. Gilmore (17, p. 94).
- Petalostemum oligophyllum** Torr.  
 Sweet roots eaten or chewed in New Mexico. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 58); Castetter (6, p. 38).
- Petalostemum purpureum** (Vent.) Rydb.  
 Roots chewed; tealike beverage made from leaves; Missouri River region. Gilmore (17, p. 94).
- Peteria scoparia** A. Gray  
 Small tuberous rootstocks eaten in New Mexico. Sturtevant (68, p. 415).
- Phaseolus acutifolius latifolius** G. F. Freeman TEPANY  
 A staple crop of Papago Indians, who cultivate many varieties of these beans. Freeman (16-a, pp. 573-619).
- Phaseolus diversifolius** Pers.  
 Boiled and mashed roots used for food in Louisiana. Bushnell (5, p. 8).
- Phaseolus lunatus** L. CIVET BEAN  
 One of many varieties of beans cultivated by the Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 418); Smith (59, p. 260; 60, p. 406).
- Phaseolus metacalfei** Woot. and Standl. METCALFE BEAN  
 Beans eaten in Southwestern States. Rusby (49, p. 452) (as *P. retusus*).
- Phaseolus nanus** L.  
 Beans grown in Virginia. Willoughby (74, p. 83).
- Phaseolus vulgaris** L. COMMON BEAN, KIDNEY BEAN, HARICOT BEAN  
 Cultivated by the Indians before discovery of America; grown everywhere. Newberry (34, p. 32); Havard (24, p. 99); Willoughby (73, p. 130; 74, p. 83); Russell (54, p. 76); Freeman (16-a, p. 576); Stevenson (65, p. 69); Sturtevant (68, p. 422); Wissler (76, p. 15); Smith (59, p. 260; 60, p. 406; 61, p. 104); Hedrick (26, p. 31).
- Phaseolus** sp.  
 Beans, either green or dried, were eaten by Apaches. Kephart (31, p. 381) (as *P. polystachys*).
- Psoralea argophylla** Pursh.  
 Roots used like those of *P. esculenta*. Simmonds (57, p. 373).
- Psoralea californica** S. Wats.  
 Roots used for food. Havard (24, p. 108).
- Psoralea canescens** Michx.  
 Roots used in Southern States. Havard (24, p. 108).
- Psoralea castorea** S. Wats.  
 Large roots used raw or cooked; also ground and made into bread or mush; Arizona and Nevada. Palmer (37, p. 601); Havard (24, p. 108).
- Psoralea cuspidata** Pursh  
 Roots used like those of *P. esculenta*. Simmonds (57, p. 373).
- Psoralea esculenta** Pursh INDIAN BREADROOT  
 White, farinaceous, and wholesome roots, eaten fresh and cooked; also dried, ground to flour, and made into cakes; Eastern States, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Montana. Simmonds (57, p. 373); Porcher (39, p. 177); Palmer (35, p. 408); Newberry (34, p. 33); Harris (22, p. 114); Havard (24, p. 107); Rusby (52, p. 458); Blankinship (3, p. 20); Gilmore (17, p. 92); Sturtevant (68, p. 469); Saunders (56, p. 7); Kephart (31, p. 379).

*Psoralea hypogaea* Nutt.

Roots eaten fresh or dried; west of Mississippi. Havard (24, p. 108); Rusby (52, p. 458); Saunders (56, p. 7); Grinnell (20, p. 178).

*Psoralea lanceolata* Pursh

Roots used by Cheyenne Indians. Simmonds (57, p. 373); Grinnell (20, p. 178).

*Psoralea mephitica* S. Wats.

Roots used raw or cooked, or ground to flour and made into bread or mush; Utah. Palmer (37, p. 601); Havard (24, p. 108).

*Psoralea orbicularia* Lindl.

Plant used for greens in California. Sparkman (62, p. 231).

*Psoralea subacaulis* Torr. and Gray

Roots used in Tennessee. Havard (24, p. 108).

*Robinia neomexicana* A. Gray

Pink flowers eaten without preparation; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 49).

*Robinia pseudoacacia* L.

Oily seeds boiled for food; Pennsylvania. Sturtevant (68, p. 509).

*Sophora secundiflora* (Orteg.) Lag.

Infusion of red beanlike seeds used alone, or added to other drinks, for irritant and narcotic action; Texas. Havard (25, p. 39).

*Sophora sericea* Nutt.

Sweet root chewed as delicacy by Pueblos of New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 52).

*Trifolium bifidum decipiens* Greene

Plant and seeds used in California. Chesnut (8, p. 360).

*Trifolium ciliatum* Nutt.

Plant eaten raw or cooked; seeds eaten also; California. Chesnut (8, p. 360); Sparkman (62, p. 231).

*Trifolium cyathiferum* Lindl.

Plant eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 361).

*Trifolium dichotomum* Hook. and Arn.

Young leaves eaten; seeds used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 361).

*Trifolium fucatum* Lindl.

Plant eaten in California. Sturtevant (68, p. 575).

*Trifolium gracilentum* Torr. and Gray

Eaten raw and cooked in California. Sparkman (62, p. 231).

*Trifolium involucratum* Orteg.

Flowers and leaves eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 362) (as *T. wormskjoldii*); Sturtevant (68, p. 575).

*Trifolium microcephalum* Pursh

Plant cooked for food in California. Sparkman (62, p. 231).

*Trifolium obtusifolium* Hook.

Plant washed and cooked before being eaten; California. Chesnut (8, p. 361); Sparkman (62, p. 231); Saunders (56, p. 140).

*Trifolium tridentatum* Lindl.

Plant eaten raw or cooked; seeds also used; California. Sparkman (62, p. 231).

*Trifolium variegatum* Nutt.

Used for green food in California. Chesnut (8, p. 361).

*Trifolium virescens* Greene

Herbage, flowers, and seed pods eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 361); Saunders (56, p. 139).

*Trifolium* sp.

Roots eaten dried or smoked; plant cooked between layers of hot stones; seeds also used; Arizona, California, and British Columbia. Palmer (35, p. 423); Chesnut (8, p. 359); Kephart (31, p. 383); Anderson (1, p. 127).

*Vicia americana* Muhl.

Young stems baked or cooked for greens in California and New Mexico. Chesnut (8, p. 362); Castetter (6, p. 53).

## NEW MEXICAN LOCUST

## COMMON LOCUST

## MESCALBEAN

## CUP CLOVER

## PUFF CLOVER

## PINPOINT CLOVER

## TOMCAT CLOVER

## CLOVER

## AMERICAN VETCH

*Viola gigantea* Hook.

Seeds eaten in Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 382).

## GIANT VETCH

## GERANIACEAE

*Erodium cicutarium* (L.) L'Hér.

Young plants, either raw or cooked, eaten in Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 385); Palmer (35, p. 422); Rusby (45, p. 68); Sturtevant (68, p. 256); Kephart (31, p. 392).

## ALFILERIA

*Erodium moschatum* (L.) L'Hér.Used like *E. cicutarium*. Rusby (45, p. 68).

## COMMON HERONBILL

## OXALIDACEAE

*Oxalis acetosella* L.

Cooked with sugar for dessert; Wisconsin. Smith (61, p. 106).

## COMMON WOODSORREL

*Oxalis corniculata* L.

Leaves eaten by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 118).

## CREEPING OXALIS

*Oxalis stricta* L.Leaves, flowers, and bulbs used in Nebraska. Gilmore (17, p. 98) (as *Xanthoxalis stricta*).

## COMMON YELLOW OXALIS

*Oxalis violacea* L.Leaves, flowers, and bulbs eaten by children; Nebraska. Gilmore (17, p. 98) (as *Ionoxyalis violacea*); Sturtevant (68, p. 402).

## VIOLET WOODSORREL

## LINACEAE

*Linum lewisii* Pursh

Seeds used for food and for flavoring other foods; Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 98).

## PRAIRIE FLAX

## RUTACEAE

*Ptelea tomentosa* Raf.

Young fruit eaten by children; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 47).

## EUPHORBIACEAE

*Croton corymbulosus* Engelm.

Infusion of flowering tops used as beverage in Texas. Havard (25, p. 46); Saunders (56, p. 159).

*Euphorbia serpyllifolia* Pers.

Roots chewed by women, and then mixed with corn meal; leaves used for chewing; Zuñi Indians of New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 67); Castetter (6, p. 29).

*Beveronica arenaria* A. Gray

Sweet berries eaten in Arizona. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 143); Castetter (6, p. 48).

## BUXACEAE

*Slimmondsia chinensis* (Link) SchnelderOlly nuts used in California. As *S. californica*: Palmer (37, p. 599); Russell (54, p. 78); Sturtevant (68, p. 535); Saunders (56, pp. 78, 160); Castetter (6, p. 50).

## EMBETRACEAE

*Empetrum nigrum* L.

Berries eaten fresh or dried for winter in Northwestern States and Alaska. Palmer (35, p. 413); Gorman (19, p. 79); Sturtevant (68, p. 253); Kephart (31, p. 395); Reagan (41, p. 243).

## CROWBERRY

## ANACARDIACEAE

*Rhus copallina* L.

Crushed fruit made into cooling drink; Eastern States. Havard (25, p. 44); Sturtevant (68, p. 493); Saunders (56, p. 154).

## SHINING SUMAC

*Rhus glabra* L.

Fruit eaten, also used for making cooling drinks; fresh roots peeled and eaten raw; Utah, Nevada, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Eastern States. Havard (25, p. 44); Parker (38, p. 96); Chamberlin (7, p. 379); Waugh (72, p. 119); Sturtevant (68, p. 493); Saunders (56, p. 154); Smith (59, p. 255; 60, p. 397); Hedrick (26, p. 33).

## SMOOTH SUMAC

*Rhus hirta* (L.) Sudw.

Fruit used for making cooling beverage, also dried for winter use; New York, Wisconsin, and Minnesota. Havard (25, p. 44); Sturtevant (68, p. 494) (as *R. typhina*); Saunders (56, p. 154) (as *R. typhina*); Smith (58, p. 62; 60, p. 397; 61, p. 95) (as *R. typhina*); Hedrick (26, p. 53) (as *R. typhina*).

*Rhus integrifolia* (Nutt.) Benth. and Hook.

Fruit used for making cooling beverage; California. Havard (25, p. 44); Sturtevant (68, p. 494); Saunders (56, p. 154).

*Rhus microphylla* Engelm.

Fruit eaten in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 48).

*Rhus ovata* S. Wats.

Fruit used in California. Havard (25, p. 44); Saunders (56, p. 154).

*Rhus trilobata* Nutt.

Fruit used fresh or dried; also for making cooling beverage; Montana, Utah, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (37, p. 597) (as *R. aromatic*); Fewkes (16, p. 16); Hough (29, p. 143); Barrows (2, p. 64); Blankinship (3, p. 21); Sparkman (62, p. 231); Standley (64, p. 458) (as *Schmaltzia trilobata*); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 49) (as *S. bakeri*); Sturtevant (68, p. 493) (as *R. aromatic*); Saunders (56, p. 154); Castetter (6, p. 48).

## AQUIFOLIACEAE

*Ilex cassine* L.

Leaves roasted and used as substitute for tea by Creek Indians. Porcher (39, p. 393); Hale (21); Sturtevant (68, p. 312); Hedrick (26, p. 33).

*Ilex glabra* (L.) A. Gray

Leaves used as tea substitute; Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 312); Saunders (56, p. 164).

*Ilex opaca* Ait.

Leaves used as tea substitute; Southeastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 312) (as *I. quercifolia*).

*Ilex verticillata* (L.) A. Gray

Leaves used as tea substitute. Sturtevant (68, p. 312); Saunders (56, p. 164).

*Ilex vomitoria* Ait.

Infusion of leaves used as stimulating and intoxicating drink. Porcher (39, p. 393); Havard (25, p. 40); Safford (55, p. 416); Saunders (56, p. 162).

*Nemopanthus mucronata* (L.) Treit.

Berries eaten by Potawatami Indians. Smith (61, p. 95).

## DAHOON

## INKBERRY

## AMERICAN HOLLY

## COMMON WINTERBERRY

## YAUPON

## MOUNTAIN-HOLLY

## CELASTRACEAE

*Celastrus scandens* L.

## AMERICAN BITTERSWEET

The inner bark and twigs sweet and palatable after boiling, although considered poisonous by some Indians; Minnesota and Wisconsin. Palmer (35, p. 422); Rusby (44, p. 752); Gilmore (17, p. 102); Smith (58, p. 63; 60, p. 398; 61, p. 97).

## STAPHYLEACEAE

*Staphylea trifolia* L.

## AMERICAN BLADDERNUT

Oily seeds eaten in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 557).

## ACERACEAE

*Acer interius* Britton

Sugar made from the sap of the tree; Montana, Utah, and Nevada. As *Negundo aceroides*; Blankinship (3, p. 16); Chamberlin (7, p. 375); Sturtevant (68, p. 381).

*Acer negundo* L.

## BOXELDER

Used for sugar making and food seasoning in Northern and Western States. Brown (4, p. 386) (as *Negundo fraxinifolium*); Havard (25, p. 43); Gilmore (17, p. 101); Smith (60, p. 394).

*Acer rubrum* L.

## RED MAPLE

Sap used for making sugar; bark dried, pounded, and made into bread; Eastern and Northern States and Canada. Havard (25, p. 42); Waugh (72, p. 119); Sturtevant (68, p. 21).

*Acer saccharinum* L.

Sap used for making sugar and for flavoring foods; bark used for making bread; Northern States. Palmer (35, p. 412); Henshaw (27, p. 341); Havard (25, p. 42); Waugh (72, p. 119); Gilmore (17, p. 100); Sturtevant (68, p. 21) (also as *A. dasycarpum*); Reagan (41, p. 234).

## SILVER MAPLE

*Acer saccharum* Marsh.

Sap used for making sugar and for seasoning foods; pounded bark made into bread; Northern and Eastern States. Havard (25, p. 42); Waugh (72, p. 119); Gilmore (17, p. 100); Smith (58, p. 61; 59, p. 255; 60, p. 394; 61, p. 92); Densmore (15, p. 286); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

## SUGAR MAPLE

## AESCALUCEAE

*Aesculus californica* (Spach) Nutt.

## CALIFORNIA BUCKEY

Nuts consumed in large quantities in California. To remove the disagreeable taste the nuts are boiled with large amount of water, the water being changed several times; the resulting gruel valued as good food; nuts sometimes roasted before leaching. Brown (4, p. 382); Palmer (35, p. 405); Chesnut (8, p. 366); Rusby (51, p. 86) (as *A. glabra*); Sturtevant (68, p. 26); Saunders (56, p. 81).

## RHAMNACEAE

*Ceanothus americanus* L.

## JERSEY-TEA

Dried leaves used as substitute for tea; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and New York. Porcher (39, p. 109); Havard (25, p. 45); Gilmore (17, p. 102); Sturtevant (68, p. 154); Saunders (56, p. 142); Smith (58, p. 70; 59, p. 240); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

*Ceanothus fendleri* Gray

## FENDLER CEANOOTHUS

Berries used for food in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 21).

*Ceanothus integerrimus* Hook. and Arn.

Seeds used for pinhole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 368).

*Condalia obovata* Hook.

Fruit used in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 188).

*Condalia parryi* (Torr.) Webber.

## PARRY JUJUBE

Fruit pounded into meal for making atole; California. Barrows (2, p. 60) (as *Zizyphus parryi*).

*Condalia spathulata* A. Gray

Fruit used in Texas and New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 457); Sturtevant (68, p. 188).

*Rhamnus crocea* Nutt.

Fruit eaten with meat by Apaches. Palmer (35, p. 414; 37, p. 247); Saunders (56, p. 91).

*Rhamnus purshiana* DC.

## CASCARA BUCKTHORN

Purple fruit eaten by Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 489).

*Zizyphus jujoldes* A. Gray.

## SOUTHWESTERN JUJUBE

Fruit used in Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona. Russell (54, p. 76); Standley (64, p. 457); Sturtevant (68, p. 622); Castetter (6, p. 56).

## VITACEAE

*Parthenocissus quinquefolia* (L.) Planch.

## VIRGINIA CREEPER

Fruit eaten raw; stalks peeled and boiled for food; Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 6) (as *Ampelopsis quinquefolia*); Densmore (15, p. 320); Smith (60, p. 411) (as *Pseudera quinquefolia*).

*Vitis arizonica* Engelm.

## CANYON GRAPE

Berries eaten fresh or dried; Utah, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (35, p. 416; 37, p. 599); Havard (24, p. 104); Standley (64, p. 458); Sturtevant (68, p. 599); Castetter (6, p. 106).

*Vitis berlandieri* Planch.

## WINTER GRAPE

Berries eaten in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 599).

*Vitis californica* Benth.

## CALIFORNIA GRAPE

Berries eaten fresh or dried, or made into jelly; California. Palmer (35, p. 415; 37, p. 599); Chesnut (8, p. 369).

*Vitis cordicarpa* Engelm.

## MUSTANG GRAPE

Berries eaten in Southwestern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 599).

*Vitis cinerea* Engelm.

Fresh or dried fruit eaten in Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota; sap of the tree used for beverage. Gilmore (17, p. 102); Kephart (31, p. 396).

*Vitis cordifolia* Michx.

Fruit eaten fresh or dried, or made into jellies and preserves; tealike beverage prepared from the twigs; Minnesota and Wisconsin. Sturtevant (68, p. 600); Kephart (31, p. 396); Smith (58, p. 72; 59, pp. 252, 265); Densmore (15, p. 321).

*Vitis girdiana* Munson

Cooked fruit eaten in California. Sparkman (62, p. 231).

## VALLEY GRAPE

*Vitis labrusca* L.

Fruit eaten by Indians of New York State. Hedrick (26, p. 32).

## FOX GRAPE

*Vitis leontopoda* House

Berries eaten in Eastern States. As *V. bicolor*: Sturtevant (68, p. 599); Kephart (31, p. 396).

## BLUELEAF GRAPE

*Vitis vulpina* L.

Berries eaten fresh or dried; sap of the tree used as beverage; Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and Montana. Gilmore (17, p. 102); Kephart (31, p. 396); Grinnell (20, p. 180); Smith (60, p. 411).

## RIVERBANK GRAPE

## TILIACEAE

*Tilia americana* L.

## AMERICAN LINDEN

Sweetish sap next to the bark used by Chippewa Indians. Densmore (15, p. 321).

## MALVACEAE

*Callirhoe digitata* Nutt.

Pleasant-tasting root eaten in Southern States. Havard (24, p. 111).

*Callirhoe involucrata* A. Gray

Roots eaten in Northwestern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 126).

## LOW POPPY-MALLOW

*Callirhoe pedata* A. Gray

Parsnip-shaped roots eaten in Texas. Palmer (35, p. 406); Havard (24, p. 111); Rusby (45, p. 69); Sturtevant (68, p. 126).

## TALL POPPY-MALLOW

*Gossypium* sp.

Seeds used in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 77).

## COTTON

*Malva* sp.

Plant boiled in water and the liquid used in making pinole in time of famine; Arizona. Russell (54, p. 76).

## MALLOW

*Sidalcea* sp.

Plant used as greens in Utah, Nevada, and California. As *S. malvaeflora*: Sparkman (62, p. 231); Chamberlin (7, p. 381).

## PRAIRIEMALLOW

*Sphaeralcea angustifolia* (Cav.) Don.

Stems used for chewing gum by Hopi Indians. Castetter (6, p. 52).

## COCHLOSPERMACEAE

*Amoreuxia palmatifida* DC. (*Amoreuxia schiedeana* Planch.)

Roots eaten by Indians of Arizona; when roasted taste like carrots and parsnips. Palmer (37, p. 601); Havard (24, p. 111); Rusby (45, p. 68).

## VIOLACEAE

*Viola pedunculata* Torr. and Gray

Leaves used for greens in California. Sparkman (62, p. 230).

## YELLOW PANSY VIOLET

## PASSIFLORACEAE

*Passiflora incarnata* L.

Fruit eaten in Southern States. Havard (24, p. 104); Willoughby (74, p. 83); Saunders (56, p. 101); Kephart (31, p. 396).

## MAYPOP

## LOASACEAE

*Mentzella alboaulis* Dougl.

Seeds parched and ground into meal; Montana, Oregon, and Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 20); Coville (11, p. 100); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Blankinship (3, p. 15); Sturtevant (68, p. 361); Castetter (6, p. 34).

## CACTACEAE

***Ariocarpus fissuratus*** (Engelm.) K. Schum.

LIVING-ROCK

Used for chewing; produces a delirious intoxication ("dry whiskey"); Texas and Mexico. Havard (24, p. 117; 25, p. 38) (as *Anhalonium fissuratum*); Sturtevant (68, p. 352) (as *Mamilaria fissurata*).

***Carnegiea gigantea*** (Engelm.) Britton and Rose

GIANT CACTUS

Figlike fruit valued as food in Arizona and California; rind, pulp, and seeds eaten; expressed juice, both fresh and fermented, used as beverage; perhaps the main use is in preparation of sweet syrup and preserves by Papago Indians. As *Cereus giganteus*: Palmer (35, p. 416); Newberry (34, p. 37); Havard (24, p. 116; 25, p. 36); Rusby (48, p. 348); Russell (54, p. 71); Sturtevant (68, p. 158); Saunders (56, p. 110); Thackery and Leding (70-a, p. 412); Castetter (6, p. 19) (also as *C. gigantea*).

***Coryphantha vivipara*** (Nutt.) Britton and Rose

Red fruit eaten in Missouri. Havard (24, p. 116) (as *Cactus viviparus*).

***Echinocactus polycephalus*** Engelm. and Bigel.

COTTONTOP CACTUS

Seeds of fruit used by Panamint Indians of California. Coville (10, p. 353).

***Echinocactus*** sp.

The pulp of the stem contains watery juice used for quenching thirst. Havard (25, p. 43) (as *E. visnaga*).

***Echinocereus coccineus*** Engelm.

Fruit eaten fresh or preserved; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 26).

***Echinocereus dasycanthus*** Engelm.

Greenish-purple fruit, of fine flavor, used in Texas and New Mexico. As *Cereus dasycanthus*: Newberry (34, p. 37); Rusby (48, p. 348); Sturtevant (68, p. 157).

***Echinocereus dubius*** (Engelm.) Rümpler

Fruit eaten in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 157) (as *Cereus dubius*).

***Echinocereus engelmanni*** (Parry) Rümpler

Fruit eaten in Southwestern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 157) (as *Cereus engelmanni*).

***Echinocereus enneacanthus*** Engelm.

Fruit eaten in Southwestern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 158) (as *Cereus enneacanthus*).

***Echinocereus fendleri*** (Engelm.) Rümpler

Fruit eaten in New Mexico; roasted stems used for food. Sturtevant (68, p. 158) (as *Cereus fendleri*); Castetter (6, p. 26).

***Echinocereus genaoanthus*** (Engelm.) Rümpler

Roasted stems used for food in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 26).

***Echinocereus stramineus*** (Engelm.) Rümpler

Fruit, which has strawberry flavor, eaten in Texas and New Mexico. As *Cereus stramineus*: Newberry (34, p. 37); Havard (24, p. 116); Rusby (48, p. 348).

***Echinocereus triglochidiatus*** Engelm.

Fruit eaten fresh or preserved; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 26).

***Echinocereus*** sp.

Fruit and fleshy part of the stem eaten in Texas and New Mexico. Sturtevant (68, pp. 157-158) (as *Cereus caespitosus* and *C. polyacanthus*).

***Ferocactus acanthodes*** (Lemalre) Britton and Rose.

Small fruit eaten; succulent interior of the plant relieves thirst of desert travelers; California. As *Echinocactus cylindraceus*: Barrows (2, p. 68); Saunders (56, p. 157).

***Ferocactus hamatacanthus*** (Mühlenpfordt) Britton and Rose

Fruit eaten in Texas. As *Echinocactus longehamatus*: Newberry (34, p. 37); Rusby (48, p. 348).

***Ferocactus viridescens*** (Torr. and Gray) Britton and Rose

Fruit eaten in California. Sturtevant (68, p. 249) (as *Echinocactus viridescens*).

*Ferocactus wislizeni* (Engelm.) Britton and Rose

The pulp of the stem is used for its watery, thirst-relieving juice; the seeds ground and made into bread or gruel; Southwestern States. As *Echinocactus wislizeni*: Havard (25, p. 43); Coville (12, p. 503) (also as *E. emoryi*); Russell (54, p. 77) (as *E. wislizeni*); Sturtevant (68, p. 249); Saunders (56, p. 157) (also as *E. emoryi*); Thackery and Leding (70-a, p. 408); Castetter (6, p. 26).

*Lemaireocereus thurberi* (Engelm.) Britton and Rose

Large fruit eaten in great quantities along the Mexican border of Arizona and California; also used for making wines and sirups; seeds dried and powdered. As *Cereus thurberi*: Palmer (35, p. 416); Havard (24, p. 116); Rusby (48, p. 348); Sturtevant (68, p. 158); Saunders (56, p. 111); Thackery and Leding (70-a, p. 407).

*Lophophora williamsii* (Lemaire) Coulter.

PEYOTE

Plant possesses intoxicating properties when chewed or added to beverages; Texas and Mexico. Havard (24, p. 117; 25, p. 38) (as *Anhalonium lewinii*); Safford (55, p. 399).

*Neobesseyea missouriensis* (Sweet) Britton and Rose

Ripe fruit eaten by Crow Indians. Blankinship (3, p. 15) (as *Mamillaria missouriensis*).

*Neomamillaria meiacantha* (Engelm.) Britton and Rose

Fruit eaten in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 352) (as *Mamillaria meiacantha*).

*Neomamillaria* sp.

Red fruit eaten, also the entire plant after burning off the spines; California and New Mexico. Havard (24, p. 116) (as *Cactus heyderi*); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 62) (as *Mamillaria* sp.); Castetter (6, p. 33) (as *Mamillaria* sp.).

*Opuntia basilaris* Engelm. and Bigel.

In the spring, joints, buds, and blossoms broken off and prepared for food by steaming in a pit in the ground; California and New Mexico. Coville (10, p. 354); Barrows (2, p. 67); Saunders (56, p. 132).

*Opuntia camanchica* Engelm.

Fruit eaten in New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (35, p. 417); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 62); Sturtevant (68, p. 395); Castetter (6, p. 37).

*Opuntia elatior* Engelm.

Stems and fruit roasted for food in time of food shortage; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 37).

*Opuntia engelmannii* Salm-Dyck

Fruit eaten raw or cooked; leaves sometimes fried; New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (35, p. 417); Havard (24, p. 115; 25, p. 48); Russell (54, p. 75); Sturtevant (68, p. 395); Saunders (56, p. 107); Castetter (6, p. 37).

*Opuntia ficus-indica* (L.) Mill.

Fruit eaten raw, stewed, and preserved. Havard (25, p. 43); Rusby (48, p. 348); Saunders (56, p. 108).

*Opuntia fragilis* (Nutt.) Haw.

Plant roasted in ashes; British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 135).

*Opuntia humifusa* Raf.

Fruit eaten fresh or stewed, also dried for winter use; Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 104).

*Opuntia imbricata* (Haw.) DC.

WALKINGSTICK CACTUS

Fruit eaten raw or cooked in New Mexico and Arizona. As *O. arboreascens*: Russell (54, p. 71); Standley (64, p. 449); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 62); Castetter (6, p. 35).

*Opuntia laevis* Coulter.

Fruit eaten. Saunders (56, p. 107).

*Opuntia lindheimeri* Engelm.

Fruit abundant in southern California. Saunders (56, p. 108).

*Opuntia occidentalis* Engelm. and Bigel.

Fruit eaten in California. Palmer (35, p. 417).

**Opuntia polyacantha** Haw.

Fruit eaten raw or cooked; Wyoming, Montana, and British Columbia. Blankinship (3, p. 17); Grinnell (20, p. 180); Telt (69, p. 480); Castetter (6, p. 37).

**Opuntia versicolor** Engelm.

Fruit eaten raw or cooked in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 78); Castetter (6, p. 37).

**Opuntia whipplei** Engelm. and Bigel.

Fruit eaten raw or stewed, also dried for later use; New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 37).

**Opuntia sp. [O. rafinesquii, O. tuna, O. vulgaris]****PRICKLYPEAR**

Fruit eaten fresh, cooked, or dried; seeds ground into meal; stems eaten boiled in time of scarcity of food; Utah, Nevada, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (35, p. 417); Havard (24, p. 115; 25, p. 43); Fewkes (16, p. 17); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 143); Rusby (48, p. 346); Sparkman (62, p. 290); Chamberlin (7, p. 375) (as *O. rufila*); Sturtevant (68, p. 395); Saunders (56, pp. 107, 108); Kephart (31, p. 390); Telt (69, p. 484).

**Peniocereus greggii** (Engelm.) Britton and Rose**DEERHORN CACTUS**

Fruit eaten in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 158) (as *Cereus greggii*).

**ELAEAGNACEAE****Elaeagnus commutata** Bernh.**SILVERBERRY**

Fruit eaten raw or used for soup by Blackfoot Indians. As *E. argentea*: Newberry (34, p. 45); Blankinship (3, p. 11); Sturtevant (68, p. 250); Saunders (56, p. 85); McClintock (32, p. 324).

**Leparyrea argentea** (Pursh) Greene**SILVER BUFFALOBERRY**

Fruit, with large seeds, used fresh and dried for winter use; British Columbia, Oregon, Montana, Nebraska, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, and New Mexico. Palmer (35, p. 415) (as *Shepherdia argentea*), (37, p. 599) (as *S. argentea*); Newberry (34, p. 45) (as *S. argentea*); Coues (9, p. 176) (as *S. argentea*); Havard (24, p. 121; 25, p. 45) (as *S. argentea*); Blankinship (3, p. 23) (as *S. argentea*); Chamberlin (7, p. 381) (as *S. argentea*); Standley (64, p. 457); Gilmore (17, p. 106); Sturtevant (68, p. 533) (as *S. argentea*); Saunders (56, p. 84); (as *S. argentea*); Kephart (31, p. 397); Anderson (1, p. 132) (as *S. argentea*); Telt (69, p. 489).

**Leparyrea canadensis** (L.) Greene**RUSSET BUFFALO BERRY**

Fruit eaten fresh, made into preserves, or dried for winter use, also used for making foaming drinks; Wyoming, Montana, British Columbia, and Alaska. Havard (24, p. 122; 25, p. 45) (as *Shepherdia canadensis*); Gorman (19, p. 79); Blankinship (3, p. 24) (as *S. canadensis*); Chamberlin (7, p. 381) (as *S. canadensis*); Sturtevant (68, p. 533) (as *S. canadensis*); Grinnell (20, p. 181); Anderson (1, p. 131) (as *S. canadensis*).

**MYRTACEAE****Eugenia dichotoma** DC.

Small fruit eaten. Sturtevant (68, p. 260).

**Eugenia longipes** Berg

Small red fruit eaten in Florida. Sturtevant (68, p. 261).

**ONAGRACEAE****Bolsduvalia densiflora** (Lindl.) S. Wats.

Seeds used for pinole and bread in California. Chesnut (8, p. 370).

**Epilobium angustifolium** L.**BLOOMING SALLY**

Gelatinous contents of the stalks eaten in Northwestern States and Canada. Rusby (45, p. 67) (as *E. spicatum*); Sturtevant (68, p. 255); Anderson (1, p. 134); Telt (69, p. 483).

**Epilobium** sp.

Used for making bread; Arizona, Utah, and Nevada. As *E. coloratum*: Hough (28, p. 37); Chamberlin (7, p. 368); Castetter (6, p. 27).

**Godetia albovittata** Lindl.

Seeds used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 370).

**Oenothera albicaulis** Pursh

Fruit eaten by Apache Indians. Castetter (6, p. 17) (as *Anogra albicaulis*).

**Oenothera brevipes** A. Gray**GOLDEN EVENING-PRIMROSE**

Seeds eaten in California. Coville (10, p. 353).

*Oenothera* sp.

Seeds eaten in Utah and Nevada. As *O. biennis*: Chamberlin (7, p. 375); Sturtevant (68, p. 392); Kephart (31, p. 390).

## ARALIACEAE

*Aralia nudicaulis* L.

Fruit used in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 489).

## WILD SARSAPARILLA

*Aralia racemosa* L.

Roots eaten with wild onions, gooseberries, and maple sugar by Menominee Indians; young tips cooked for soup (Potawatami). Smith (58, p. 62; 61, p. 96).

*Echinopanax horridum* (J. E. Smith) Decaisne and Planck.

Roots and young succulent stems eaten in Alaska. Palmer (35, p. 407) (as *Panax horridum*) ; Gorman (19, p. 72) (as *Fatsia horrida*).

## APIACEAE (UMBELLIFERAE)

*Angelica* sp.

Fresh young sprouts eaten raw in California; roots boiled for food by Chinook Indians. Powers (40, p. 425); Chesnut (8, p. 371); Rusby (45, p. 69).

## ANGELICA

*Aulospermum longipes* (S. Wats.) Coulter and Rose

Leaves boiled for food in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 367) (as *Cymopterus longipes*).

*Aulospermum purpureum* (S. Wats.) Coulter and Rose

Used by Navajo Indians as potherb to season soup or mush. Havard (24, p. 110) (as *Cymopterus purpureus*).

*Carum gairdneri* (Hook. and Arn.) A. Gray

## YAMPA

One of the favorite farinaceous foods; eaten raw, the roots have a pleasant nutty flavor; when cooked, they resemble carrots; also preserved for winter use; found in practically all States west of Rocky Mountains, particularly along the Snake River (Yampah River). Simmonds (57, p. 376) (as *Anethum graveolens*); Brown (4, p. 380) (as *Edosmia gairdneri*); Palmer (35, pp. 405, 407) (as *A. graveolens* and *E. montana*); Palmer (37, p. 600); Coues (9, pp. 552, 1014); Havard (24, p. 108); Coville (11, p. 101); Blankinship (3, p. 9); Rusby (45, p. 69; 49, p. 450); Spinden (63, p. 204); Chamberlin (7, p. 365); Sturtevant (68, pp. 145, 415) (also as *Peucedanum graveolens*); Saunders (56, p. 13); Anderson (1, p. 128).

*Carum kelloggii* A. Gray

Roots similar to those of *C. gairdneri*; eaten raw or cooked; used for pinole in California. Havard (24, p. 109); Chesnut (8, p. 372); Rusby (49, p. 450); Sturtevant (68, p. 146); Saunders (56, p. 13).

*Carum oregonum* S. Wats.

## EPPAW

Oregon species eaten fresh or dried for later use. Havard (24, p. 109); Coville (11, p. 101); Rusby (49, p. 450).

*Celeri graveolens* (L.) Britton

## CELERI

Used for greens in California. As *Aptium graveolens*: Sparkman (62, p. 230); Sturtevant (68, p. 55).

*Cogswellia ambigua* (Nutt.) Jones

Roots ground to flour and made into cakes; Northwestern States. Brown (4, p. 381) (as *Eulophus ambigua*); Havard (24, p. 110) (as *Peucedanum ambiguum*); Blankinship (3, p. 15) (as *Lomatium ambiguum*); Rusby (45, p. 69) (as *P. ambiguum*); Saunders (56, p. 11) (as *P. ambiguum*).

*Cogswellia canbyi* (Coulter, and Rose) Jones

Roots similar to those of *C. ambigua*. As *Peucedanum canbyi*: Havard (24, p. 109); Coville (11, p. 102); Rusby (45, p. 69); Saunders (56, p. 10).

*Cogswellia couesi* (S. Wats.) Jones

Roots eaten; when dug in the spring, roots taste like parsnip; also dried and made into flour; Western States. Coues (9, pp. 1000, 1014, 1022) (as *Peucedanum couesi*); Havard (24, p. 110) (as *Peucedanum couesi*); Blankinship (3, p. 15) (as *Lomatium couesi*); Spinden (63, p. 202) (as *L. couesi*); Saunders (56, p. 11) (as *P. couesi*).

*Cogswellia farinosa* (Hook.) Jones

Roots used like those of *C. ambigua*. As *Peucedanum farinosum*: Havard (24, p. 109); Rusby (45, p. 69).

*Cogswellia foeniculacea* (Nutt.) Coulter and Rose

Roots used like those of *C. ambigua*. Brown (4, p. 380) (as *Peucedanum foeniculaceum*).

*Cogswellia geyeri* (S. Watson) Jones

Roots used like those of *C. ambigua*. As *Peucedanum geyeri*: Havard (24, p. 110); Saunders (56, p. 11).

*Cogswellia macrocarpa* (Nutt.) Jones

Roots used like those of *C. ambigua*. Havard (24, p. 109) (as *Peucedanum eurycarpum*); Rusby (45, p. 69) (as *P. eurycarpum*); Saunders (56, p. 10) (as *P. eurycarpum*); Telt (69, p. 479) (as *P. macrocarpum*).

*Cogswellia montana* (Coulter and Rose) Jones

Roots used like those of *C. ambigua*. Blankinship (3, p. 15) (as *Lomatium montanum*).

*Cogswellia nudicaulis* (Pursh) Jones

Green stems eaten in the spring; infusion of leaves, stems, and flowers used as beverage; roots also eaten; Northwestern States and British Columbia. Brown (4, p. 385) (as *Peucedanum leucocarpum*); Sturtevant (68, p. 416) (as *P. nudicaule*); Telt (69, pp. 479-494) (as *P. letocarpum*).

*Cogswellia platycarpa* (Torr.) Jones

Roots used like those of *C. ambigua*. Blankinship (3, p. 15) (as *Lomatium platycarpum*).

*Cogswellia triternata* (Pursh) Jones

Roots used like those of *C. ambigua*. Blankinship (3, p. 15) (as *Lomatium triternatum*); Sturtevant (68, p. 417) (as *Peucedanum triternatum*).

*Cogswellia utriculata* (Nutt.) Jones

Young leaves and sprouts eaten as greens; California and British Columbia. As *Lomatium utriculatum*: Chesnut (8, p. 373); Anderson (1, p. 128).

*Cogswellia* sp.

About 50 closely related species, many of which are edible, west of Rocky Mountains. Roots roasted or baked, ground into flour, and made into bread or cakes. As *Peucedanum* sp.: Havard (24, p. 109); Rusby (45, p. 68); Telt (69, pp. 479, 482).

*Coriandrum sativum* L.

CORIANDER

Leaves used as salad and condiment; roots powdered and used as condiment with meat; Arizona and New Mexico. Fewkes (16, p. 20); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Stevenson (65, p. 66).

*Cymopterus acaulis* (Pursh) Rydb.

Pleasant-tasting roots used for food by Indians of Rocky Mountain region; plant eaten as greens in New Mexico. As *C. glomeratus*: Havard (24, p. 110); Sturtevant (68, p. 226); Castetter (6, p. 25).

*Cymopterus fendleri* A. Gray

Aromatic roots used in New Mexico for flavoring meat; plant eaten as greens. Havard (24, p. 110); Rusby (45, p. 69); Sturtevant (68, p. 225); Castetter (6, p. 25).

*Cymopterus globosus* S. Watson

Roots used like those of *C. acaulis*. Havard (24, p. 110).

*Daucus pusillus* Michx.

Roots eaten raw or boiled by Nez Perce and Navajo Indians. Spinden (63, p. 204); Castetter (6, p. 26).

*Heracleum lanatum* Michx.

COMMON COW-PARSNIP

Young flower and leaf stems eaten; cooked roots taste like rutabaga: Wisconsin, Minnesota, Montana, California, Oregon, British Columbia, and Alaska. Brown (4, p. 381); Coues (9, p. 982); Gornian (19, p. 76); Coville (11, p. 102); Chesnut (8, p. 373); Blankinship (3, p. 13); Rusby (45, p. 69); Chamberlin (7, p. 371); McClintock (32, p. 324); Anderson (1, p. 127); Reagan (41, p. 237); Smith (59, p. 265); Telt (69, p. 482).

*Leptotaenia dissecta* Nutt.

Roots dried and cooked; British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 480).

*Leptotaenia multifida* Nutt.

INDIAN-BALSAM

Seeds and young sprouts eaten in Montana, Utah, and Nevada, although considered poisonous by some people. Blankinship (3, p. 14); Chamberlin (7, p. 369) (as *Ferula multifida*).

*Ligusticum* sp.

Green stems and roots eaten, the latter either raw or cooked are sweet and nutritious; Northwestern States and British Columbia. As *L. scoticum*: Brown (4, p. 385); Sturtevant (68, p. 335); Anderson (1, p. 127).

*Musineon divaricatum* (Pursh) Coulter and Rose

Roots eaten raw by Blackfoot Indians. McClintock (32, p. 325).

*Musineon hookeri* (Torr. and Gray) Nutt.

Roots eaten by Crow Indians. Blankinship (3, p. 16).

*Oenanthe sarmentosa* Presl

Black tubers contain white farinaceous substance havng sweet creamlike taste when boiled; Oregon. Palmer (35, p. 407) (as *Helosciadium californicum*); Spinden (63, p. 204).

*Osmorhiza claytoni* (Michx.) Clarke.

Roots and branches eaten to gain weight; Wisconsin. Smith (58, p. 72).

*Osmorhiza* sp.

Roots eaten in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 480) (as *O. nuda*).

*Pastinaca sativa* L.

Parsnips cultivated in Massachusetts, western New York, and Virginia. Sturtevant (68, p. 416) (as *Picecedanum sativum*).

*Phelopterus bulbosus* (A. Nels.) Coulter and Rose

Plant eaten as greens in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 39).

*Phelopterus montanus* Nutt.

Roots peeled, baked, and ground to meal; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 39).

*Phelopterus* sp.

Roots, seeds, and leaves used in Utah, Nevada, and New Mexico. As *Cymopterus montanus*: Havard (24, p. 110); Rusby (45, p. 69); Chamberlin (7, p. 367); Sturtevant (68, p. 226); Castetter (6, p. 39).

*Pimpinella anisum* L.

## ANISE

Used for flavoring pinole; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 40).

*Pseudocymopterus aletifolius* Rydb.

Leaves eaten fresh or cooked for greens; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 47).

*Sanicula tuberosa* Torr.

Small roots eaten raw in California. Powers (40, p. 424); Chesnut (8, p. 374); Rusby (45, p. 69).

*Sium laeve* Walt.

Herbage eaten in Montana and Oregon; also rootstocks in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 482). As *S. cicutaeifolium*: Coville (11, p. 102); Blankinship (3, p. 24); Rusby (50, p. 566); Chamberlin (7, p. 382).

## CORNACEAE

*Cornus amomum* Mill.

## SILKY DOGWOOD

Fruit eaten in Louisiana. Sturtevant (68, p. 192).

*Cornus canadensis* L.

## BUNCHBERRY

Red fruit eaten fresh in New York, Wisconsin, Minnesota, British Columbia, and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 76); Sturtevant (68, pp. 192-193) (also as *C. suecica*); Anderson (1, p. 132); Densmore (15, p. 321); Smith (61, p. 98).

*Cornus pubescens* Nutt.

White fruit, bitter and acid, eaten raw in British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 132); Telt (69, p. 490).

*Cornus stolonifera* Michx.

## RED-OSIER DOGWOOD

Bitter fruit eaten in the region of Missouri River and in British Columbia. Sturtevant (68, p. 193); Telt (69, p. 490).

## LENOACEAE

*Ammobroma sonorae* Torr.

## SANDROOT

Fleshy roots and stems eaten raw, boiled, or roasted; when boiled they have the taste of sweetpotato; also ground together with mesquite beans for pinole; a good source of water in the desert; Arizona and Southern California. Torrey (71, p. 51); Palmer (35, p. 424); Havard (24, p. 123; 25, p. 44); Rusby (53, p. 546); Sturtevant (68, p. 45); Saunders (56, p. 39).

*Phollisma arenarium* Nutt.

Stems eaten in southern California. Private communication from F. A. Thackery, United States Department of Agriculture, Indio, Calif.

## ERICACEAE

- Andromeda glaucophylla* Link BOG-ROSEMARY  
Tender leaves and tips of plant boiled for beverage by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 400).
- Arbutus menziesii* Pursh PACIFIC MADRONE  
Fruit eaten in California. Palmer (35, p. 413); Chesnut (8, p. 374); Rusby (50, p. 535); Sturtevant (68, p. 61).
- Arbutus xalapensis* H. B. K. MEXICAN MADRONE  
Fruit eaten in Texas. Rusby (50, p. 535).
- Arotostaphylos glauca* Lindl. GREAT MANZANITA  
Fruit eaten fresh, or dried and ground into flour; California. Brown (4, p. 385); Barrows (2, p. 64); Rusby (50, p. 534); Sturtevant (68, p. 63).
- Arctostaphylos manzanita* Parry  
Fruit eaten raw or cooked, or dried, ground, and made into bread or mush; juice used for making cooling drinks and cider; California. Havard (24, p. 120; 25, p. 45); Chesnut (8, p. 375); Saunders (56, p. 94).
- Arctostaphylos nevadensis* A. Gray PINEMAT  
Fruit used in Oregon. Coville (11, p. 102).
- Arctostaphylos parryana* Lemmon.  
Fruit used in California. Sparkman (62, p. 230).
- Arctostaphylos patula* Greene GREENLEAF MANZANITA  
Fruit used in Oregon. Coville (11, p. 102).
- Arctostaphylos tomentosa* (Pursh) Lindl. WOOLLY MANZANITA  
Fruit used in Northwestern States and California. Brown (4, p. 385); Palmer (35, p. 413; 37, p. 599); Havard (24, p. 120; 25, p. 45); Chesnut (8, p. 377).
- Arctostaphylos uva-ursi* (L.) Spreng. BEARBERRY  
Fruit (kinnikinnick) used like that of *A. manzanita*; also used for seasoning meats; Wyoming, Minnesota, Montana, Oregon, and British Columbia. Palmer (35, p. 413); Coues (9, pp. 674, 729, 827); Coville (11, p. 103); Blankinship (3, p. 7); Rusby (50, p. 534); Sturtevant (68, p. 63); Anderson (1, p. 130); Densmore (15, p. 318); Teit (69, pp. 486, 493).
- Chamaedaphne calyculata* (L.) Moench. LEATHERLEAF  
Fresh or dried leaves used by Ojibway Indians for preparation of tealike beverage. Smith (60, p. 400).
- Chimaphila umbellata occidentalis* (Rydb.) Blake COMMON PIPSISSEWA  
Stems and roots boiled to prepare a tealike beverage; British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 494).
- Chiogenes hispidula* (L.) Torr. and Gray BIRCHBERRY  
Infusion of leaves sweetened with maple sugar used as beverage in Maine, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Sturtevant (68, p. 162) (as *C. serpyllifolia*); Densmore (15, p. 317).
- Gaultheria humifusa* (Graham) Rydb. WESTERN WINTERGREEN  
Small dark-red fruit eaten in Oregon and British Columbia. As *G. myrsinifolia*: Newberry (34, p. 44); Sturtevant (68, p. 288); Anderson (1, p. 131).
- Gaultheria procumbens* L. WINTERGREEN  
Spicy fruit eaten in Michigan, Wisconsin, and Eastern States; infusion of leaves used as beverage. Palmer (35, p. 414); Newberry (34, p. 44); Havard (25, p. 46); Waugh (72, p. 128); Sturtevant (68, p. 288); Saunders (56, pp. 102, 147); Densmore (15, p. 317); Reagan (41, p. 239); Smith (60, p. 400); Hedrick (26, pp. 31, 33).
- Gaultheria shallon* Pursh SALAL  
Fruit eaten fresh or cooked with grease, also pressed into cakes and dried for winter use; Northwestern States, Canada, and Alaska. Brown (4, p. 384); Newberry (34, p. 44); Coues (9, pp. 731, 739, 791, 825); Gorman (19, p. 78); Rusby (50, p. 535); Wilson (75, p. 18); Sturtevant (68, p. 288); Saunders (56, p. 102); Anderson (1, p. 131); Teit (69, p. 490).
- Gaylussacia baccata* (Wang.) C. Koch BLACK HUCKLEBERRY  
Sweet fruit eaten in Eastern States. Newberry (34, p. 44) (as *G. resinosa*); Rusby (48, p. 344) (as *G. resinosa*); Parker (38, p. 96); Waugh (72, p. 128); Sturtevant (68, p. 288); Kephart (31, p. 394) (as *G. resinosa*); Reagan (41, p. 238) (as *G. resinosa*); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

*Gaylussacia dumosa* (Andr.) Torr. and Gray

Fruit less palatable than that of *G. baccata*. Rusby (48, p. 344); Kephart (31, p. 395).

*Gaylussacia frondosa* (L.) Torr. and Gray

Fruit eaten in Southern States. Rusby (48, p. 344); Sturtevant (68, p. 288); Kephart (31, p. 395).

*Ledum groenlandicum* Oeder

Infusion of leaves used as beverage in Northern States and Canada. Havard (25, p. 46) (also as *L. palustre*); Sturtevant (68, p. 331) (as *L. palustre*); Saunders (56, p. 144); Densmore (15, p. 317); Smith (60, p. 401; 61, p. 99); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

*Moneses uniflora* (L.) A. Gray

Fruit used for food in Montana and Alaska. Palmer (35, p. 414); Blankinship (3, p. 16).

*Oxycoccus macrocarpus* (Ait.) Pers.

Berries cooked by Iroquois and Chippewa Indians. Palmer (35, p. 415) (as *Vaccinium macrocarpon*); Coues (9, p. 826) (as *V. macrocarpon*); Waugh (72, p. 128) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Sturtevant (68, p. 402); Smith (58, p. 65) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Anderson (1, p. 130) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Smith (60, p. 401; 61, p. 99) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Hedrick (26, p. 31) (as *V. macrocarpon*).

*Oxycoccus palustris* Pers.

Berries eaten raw or cooked by Iroquois Indians, and in Wisconsin and British Columbia. Newberry (34, p. 44) (as *Vaccinium oxycoccus*); Waugh (72, p. 128) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Sturtevant (68, p. 402); Smith (58, p. 65) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Anderson (1, p. 130) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Smith (60, p. 401; 61, p. 99) (as *V. oxyacoccus*); Hedrick (26, p. 31) (as *V. oxyacoccus*).

*Oxydendrum arboreum* (L.) DC.

Young leaves used for salads in Southeastern States. Rusby (45, p. 67).

*Polycodium melanocarpum* (C. Mohr) Small

Berries eaten in Southern States. Rusby (48, p. 346).

*Polycodium stamineum* (L.) Greene

Berries eaten in Michigan and Wisconsin. Palmer (35, p. 415) (as *Vaccinium stamineum*); Rusby (48, p. 346); Sturtevant (68, p. 587) (as *V. stamineum*).

*Vaccinium angustifolium* Ait.

Berries eaten fresh, or dried and smoked for winter use; used by Iroquois Indians, and in Wisconsin and Minnesota. Palmer (35, p. 415) (as *V. pensylvanicum*); Newberry (34, p. 44) (as *V. pensylvanicum*); Waugh (72, p. 128) (as *V. pensylvanicum*); Sturtevant (68, p. 587) (as *V. pensylvanicum*); Kephart (31, p. 394) (as *V. pensylvanicum*); Smith (58, p. 66) (as *V. pensylvanicum*); Densmore (15, 231); Reagan (41, p. 238) (as *V. pensylvanicum*); Smith (60, p. 401) (as *V. pensylvanicum*).

*Vaccinium caespitosum* Michx.

Berries eaten in Northeastern States and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 73) (as *V. arbuscula*); Sturtevant (68, p. 585); Kephart (31, p. 394).

*Vaccinium canadense* Kalm

Berries eaten in Wisconsin and Minnesota. Kephart (31, p. 394); Reagan (41, p. 238); Smith (61, p. 99).

*Vaccinium corymbosum* L.

Berries eaten in Northeastern States. Newberry (34, p. 44); Waugh (72, p. 128); Sturtevant (68, p. 585); Kephart (31, p. 394); Hedrick (26, p. 31).

*Vaccinium erythrocarpum* Michx.

Berries eaten in Georgia. Sturtevant (68, p. 586).

*Vaccinium membranaceum* Dougl.

Berries eaten fresh or dried for winter use; British Columbia, Montana, and Oregon. Coville (11, p. 103); Blankinship (3, p. 25); Spinden (68, p. 204); Kephart (31, p. 394); Teit (69, p. 490).

*Vaccinium occidentale* A. Gray

Berries eaten in Oregon. Newberry (34, p. 44).

*Vaccinium oreophilum* Rydb.

Berries eaten in New Mexico and Rocky Mountain region. Palmer (35, p. 415) (as *V. myrtillus*); Newberry (34, p. 44) (as *V. myrtillus*); Standley (64, p. 456); Teit (69, p. 496).

DANGLEBERRY

TRUE LABRADOR-TEA

WOODNYMPH

CRANBERRY

SMALL CRANBERRY

SOURCEWOOD

DEERBERRY

LOWBUSH BLUEBERRY

DWARF WHORTLEBERRY

CANADA BLUEBERRY

HIGHBUSH BLUEBERRY

DINGLEBERRY

WESTERN BOG BLUEBERRY

ROCKY MOUNTAIN WHORTLEBERRY

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| <i>Vaccinium ovalifolium</i> J. E. Smith  | BLUE WHORTLEBERRY   |
| Berries eaten fresh or dried in Northwestern States and Alaska; Brown<br>(4, p. 384); Gorman (19, p. 73); Kephart (31, p. 394).                                       |                     |
| <i>Vaccinium ovatum</i> Pursh   | BOX BLUEBERRY       |
| Berries eaten in Northwestern States, California, and British Columbia.<br>Coues (9, p. 836); Chesnut (8, p. 377); Telt (69, p. 487).                                 |                     |
| <i>Vaccinium parvifolium</i> J. E. Smith  | RED WHORTLEBERRY    |
| Berries eaten fresh or dried for winter use; British Columbia and Alaska.<br>Gorman (19, p. 73); Sturtevant (68, p. 587); Anderson (1, p. 130); Telt (69,<br>p. 490). |                     |
| <i>Vaccinium scoparium</i> Leiberg  | GROUSE WHORTLEBERRY |
| Berries eaten fresh or dried in Oregon. Coville (11, p. 103).   |                     |
| <i>Vaccinium uliginosum</i> L.  |                     |
| Dried berries eaten in Alaska. Sturtevant (68, p. 587) (as <i>V. salicinum</i> ).   |                     |
| <i>Vaccinium vacillans</i> Kalm   | DRYLAND BLUEBERRY   |
| Berries eaten in Northeastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 588); Kephart<br>(31, 394).  |                     |
| <i>Vaccinium vitis-idaea</i> L.   | MOUNTAIN CRANBERRY  |
| Berries eaten in Maine and Canada. Sturtevant (68, p. 588); Kephart<br>(31, p. 394).  |                     |

## PRIMULACEAE

- Dodecatheon hendersonii** A. Gray HENDERSON SHOOTINGSTAR  
Roots and leaves roasted in ashes for food; California. Chesnut (8, p. 378).

## **SAPOTACEAE**

- Bumelia lanuginosa** (Michx.) Pers.  
Fruit eaten in Southern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 122); Kephart (31, p. 394).  
**Bumelia reclinata** Vent.  
Fruit eaten in Southwestern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 122).

## EBENACEAE

- Diospyros virginiana* L. COMMON PERSIMMON  
Ripe fruit eaten in Arkansas. Palmer (35, p. 417); Sturtevant (68, p. 244); Kephart (31, p. 396).

## **OLEACEAE**

- Fraxinus pennsylvanica* Marsh. RED ASH  
Cambium cooked for food by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 407).

## GENTIANACEAE

- Frasera speciosa* Dougl.  
Roots prepared for food by Apache Indians. Castetter (6, p. 29).

## ASCLEPIADACEAE

- Asclepias eriocarpa* Benth.** WOOLLYPOD MILKWEED  
Chewing gum made from the sap of the stems; California. Sparkman (62,  
p. 230).

### **Asplenium galloides** H. B. K.

- Young buds eaten by boys of Zuñi Indians of New Mexico; roots and pods eaten raw by Pueblos. Stevenson (65, p. 65); Castetter (6, p. 17).

***Asclepias incarnata* L.**

- Buds made into soup with deer broth; added to corn-meal mush; also dried and stored for winter use by Menominee Indians. Smith (58, p. 62).

**Asclepias involucrata** Engelm.

- Plant used for food in New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 65).

**Asclepias mexicana** Cav.

- Young blossoms eaten, although considered poisonous by some tribes; California. Chesnut (8, p. 380).

**Asclepias speciosa Torr.**

- Leaves and young shoots boiled with meat by Hopi Indians of Arizona; flowers eaten raw or boiled in Montana and California; buds boiled for soup or with meat; seeds eaten raw, also inner part of fruit; Wisconsin, Minnesota, Montana, and Wyoming. Fewkes (16, p. 18); Blankinship (3, p. 7); Saunders (66, p. 119); Grinnell (20, p. 184).

***Asclepias syriaca* L.**

## COMMON MILKWEED

Flowers stewed by Chippewa Indians; young sprouts, buds, and young green fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians, and in Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Parker (38, p. 93); Gilmore (17, p. 109); Sturtevant (68, p. 71); Saunders (56, p. 119); Kephart (31, p. 387) (also as *A. cornuta*); Smith (58, p. 62; 59, p. 256; 60, p. 397; 61, p. 96); Densmore (15, p. 320).

***Asclepias tuberosa* L.**

## BUTTERFLYWEED

Roots boiled by Sioux Indians; seed pods boiled with buffalo meat; tender shoots used as greens, boiled like asparagus by Delaware Indians; buds dried for winter use. Palmer (35, p. 405); Rushy (45, p. 67; 50, p. 566); Sturtevant (68, p. 71); Kephart (31, p. 390).

***Asclepiodora decumbens* (Nutt.) A. Gray**

Chewing gum made from the sap of the plant; Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 363).

***Phllobertia heterophylla* (A. Gray) Jepson**

Plant eaten raw with salt; California. Sparkman (62, p. 230).

## APOCYNACEAE

***Apocynum angustifolium* Wooton**

Gummy latex mixed with clay for chewing purposes; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 17).

## CONVOLVULACEAE

***Ipomoea leptophylla* Torr.**

Big roots roasted in time of famine by Indians of Montana and Wyoming. Palmer (35, p. 407); Blankinship (3, p. 13).

***Ipomoea pandurata* (L.) G. F. W. Mey.**

Roots used like those of *I. leptophylla*. Rusby (52, p. 458); Saunders (56, p. 10).

## CUSCUTACEAE

***Cuscuta curta* Engelm.**

Seeds parched, ground, and made into soup or stew; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 25).

***Cuscuta umbellata* H. B. K.**

Used like *C. curta*; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 25).

## POLEMONIACEAE

***Gilia staminea* Greene**

Seeds used for food in California. Sparkman (62, p. 230).

## HYDROPHYLACEAE

***Hydrophyllum appendiculatum* Michx.**

Young shoots eaten as salad; Kentucky. Sturtevant (68, p. 309).

***Hydrophyllum canadense* L.**

Roots eaten in time of scarcity of other food. Sturtevant (68, p. 310).

***Hydrophyllum occidentale* A. Gray**

Roots cooked for food in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 480).

***Hydrophyllum virginianum* L.**

Leaves and young plants eaten as greens; Iroquois Indians, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Waugh (72, p. 117); Sturtevant (68, p. 310); Kephart (31, p. 593); Smith (58, p. 68).

***Phacelia ramosissima* Dougl.**

Plant used for greens in California. Sparkman (62, p. 230).

## BORAGINACEAE

***Amsinckia lycopersoides* Lehm.**

Fresh juicy shoots eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 382).

***Amsinckia tesselata* A. Gray**

Seeds eaten in Utah. Chamberlin (7, p. 361).

***Cynoglossum grande* Dougl.**

Cooked roots eaten in California. Chesnut (8, p. 382).

*Ehretia elliptica* A.DC.

Fruit eaten in Texas. Sturtevant (68, p. 249).

*Lithospermum angustifolium* Michx.

Roots cooked for food in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 480).

*Lithospermum linearifolium* Goldie

Roots boiled or roasted by Blackfoot Indians. McClintock (32, p. 324).

*Lithospermum* sp.

GROWELL

Leaves eaten in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 77); Castetter (6, p. 33).

*Plagiobryta campestris* Greene

Crisp tender shoots eaten; seeds used for pinole; California. Chesnut (8, p. 382).

## VERBENACEAE

*Verbena hastata* L.

BLUE VERNIA

Seeds used for pinole in California; infusion of leaves used as beverage by Omaha Indians. Chesnut (8, p. 383); Gilmore (17, p. 111).

## MENTHACEAE [LABIATAE]

*Agastache anethiodora* (Nutt.) Brltton

Infusion of leaves used as beverage in Nebraska, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Gilmore (17, p. 113); Grinnell (20, p. 186).

*Agastache neomexicana* (Bridg.) Standl.

Leaves used for flavoring foods; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 10).

*Agastache urticifolia* (Benth.) Kuntze

Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 374) (as *Lophanthus urticifolius*).

*Hedemora drummondii* Benth.

Infusion of flowering tops used as beverage in Texas. Havard (25, p. 46).

*Hedemora nana* (Torr.) Greene

Leaves chewed in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 30).

*Koellia virginiana* (L.) MacM.

Flowers and buds used for seasoning meat or broth by Chippewa Indians. Densmore (15, p. 318).

*Lycopus asper* Greene

Rootstocks dried and boiled; Minnesota and Wisconsin. Densmore (15, p. 320).

*Lycopus uniformis* Michx.

Rootstocks cooked for food in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 480).

*Mentha canadensis* L.

AMERICAN WILD MINT  
Infusion of leaves used as beverage; leaves eaten as relish; Wisconsin, Oregon, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, and Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 19); Coville (11, p. 104); Chamberlin (7, p. 375); Sturtevant (68, p. 360); Grinnell (20, p. 186); McClintock (32, p. 324); Smith (60, p. 405) (as *M. arvensis canadensis*); Castetter (6, p. 33).

*Micromeria chamissonis* (Benth.) Greene

Dried leafy vines used as substitute for tea; California. Chesnut (8, p. 383); Sparkman (62, p. 229) (as *M. douglasii*); Saunders (56, p. 150) (as *M. douglasii*).

*Monarda citriodora* Cerv.

Plant boiled and eaten with hares by the Hopi Indians of Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 19); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Rusby (50, p. 566); Castetter (6, p. 34).

*Monarda didyma* L.

OSSWEGO BEEDALM

Leaves used as substitute for tea by Oswego Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 366).

*Monarda menthaefolia* Graham

WILDBERGAMOT

Plant cooked with meat in New Mexico; leaves used for chewing. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 57); Castetter (6, p. 34).

*Monarda pectinata* Nutt.

Leaves used for seasoning foods; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 34).

*Monardella lanceolata* A. Gray

Plant used as tea substitute in California. Sparkman (62, p. 229).

***Monardella sheltonii* Torr.**

Leaves used as substitute for tea in California. Chesnut (8, p. 384).

***Nepeta cataria* L.**

Leaves used as tea substitute by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 405). **CATNIP**

***Pogogyne parviflora* Benth.**

Seeds used as aromatic ingredient of pinole; leaves used as substitute for tea; California. Chesnut (8, p. 384).

***Poliomintha incana* A. Gray**

Leaves boiled or dipped in salt and eaten; flowers used for flavoring; Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 19); Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 143); Castetter (6, p. 42).

***Prunella vulgaris* L.**

Cold-water infusion of plant used as beverage in British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 494). **SELFHEAL**

***Ramona incana* (Benth.) Dougl.**

Seeds ground to meal in Southwestern States. Rusby (47, p. 224) (as *Audibertia incana*).

***Ramona polystachya* (Benth.) Greene****WHITE BEE-SAGE**

Tops of stems eaten; seeds also used for food; California. Sparkman (62, p. 229) (also as *Audibertia polystachya*); Saunders (56, p. 54) (as *A. polystachya*).

***Ramona stachyoides* (Benth.) Briq.**

Seeds used in California. Sparkman (62, p. 229).

***Salvia ballotaeiflora* Benth.**

Infusion of flowering tops used as beverage in Texas. Havard (25, p. 46).

***Salvia carduacea* Benth.****THISTLE SAGE**

Seeds roasted and ground into meal, also used for making cooling beverage; California. Havard (25, p. 44); Sparkman (62, p. 229); Saunders (56, p. 43).

***Salvia columbariae* Benth.**

Seeds used for making soups and beverages; California and Arizona. Palmer (37, p. 604); Havard (25, p. 44); Chesnut (8, p. 384); Russell (54, p. 77); Sparkman (62, p. 229); Sturtevant (68, p. 520); Saunders (56, p. 43).

***Salvia* sp.**

Seeds used for making beverage. Havard (25, p. 44) (as *S. polystachya* and *S. tiliaceifolia*).

***Stachys scopulorum* Greene**

Seeds used for food in Utah and Nevada. As *S. palustris*: Chamberlin (7, p. 383); Sturtevant (68, p. 556).

**SOLANACRAE*****Chamaesaracha coronopus* (Dunal) A. Gray**

Berries eaten by the Hopi Indians of Arizona. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 21).

***Datura meteloides* DC.****SACRED DATURA**

Stupefying beverage made from leaves and roots; fruit ground with clay and eaten; Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, and California. Palmer (37, p. 650); Havard (25, p. 39); Sparkman (62, p. 229); Safford (55, p. 405); Castetter (6, p. 26).

***Datura quercifolia* H. B. K.**

Used like *D. meteloides*; Texas. Havard (25, p. 39).

***Lycium andersonii* A. Gray**

Red berries eaten fresh, or dried and made into soup or mush in Arizona and California. Palmer (37, p. 598); Coville (10, p. 354); Saunders (56, p. 86).

***Lycium berlandieri* Dunal**

Red berries eaten in Arizona. Palmer (37, p. 598).

***Lycium fremontii* A. Gray**

Red berries boiled for food in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 75); Castetter (6, p. 33).

***Lycium pallidum* Miers****PALM WOLFBERRY**

Berries eaten fresh or boiled, or dried for future use; Arizona and New Mexico. Palmer (37, p. 598); Fewkes (16, p. 19); Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Standley (64, p. 458); Stevenson (65, p. 68); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 47); Saunders (56, p. 86); Castetter (6, p. 33).

*Lycium torreyi* A. Gray

Berries eaten in New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 458).

*Physalis fendleri* A. Gray

Fruit boiled and crushed and used as condiment by Zuñi Indians. Stevenson (65, p. 70); Castetter (6, p. 59).

*Physalis heterophylla* Nees

Fruit eaten raw or made into sauce: Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Rusby (49, p. 448); Gilmore (17, p. 113); Smith (59, p. 264).

*Physalis lanceolata* Michx.

Fruit used in Eastern and Southeastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 432).

*Physalis longifolia* Nutt.

Fruit eaten fresh or boiled and ground with raw onions, chile, and coriander seeds by Indians of Arizona and New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 70); Hough (29, p. 143); Saunders (56, p. 87); Castetter (6, p. 59).

*Physalis neomexicana* Rydb.

Berries eaten raw or cooked in New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 457); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 59); Castetter (6, p. 59).

*Physalis obscura* Michx.

Fruit eaten in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 432).

*Physalis philadelphica* Lam.

Fruit used in Pennsylvania, and in Central States. Sturtevant (68, p. 432).

*Physalis pubescens* L.

Fruit eaten in Eastern and Central States. Sturtevant (68, p. 433). COMMON GROUNDCHERRY

*Physalis virginiana* Mill.

Ripe fruit eaten by Meskwaki Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 433); Smith (59, p. 264).

*Physalis viscosa* L.

Berries eaten in Eastern States. Sturtevant (68, p. 433); Saunders (56, p. 87).

*Solanum boreale* (A. Gray) Bitter

Tubers used in Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona. As *S. tuberosum boreale*: Havard (24, p. 112); Saunders (56, p. 9).

*Solanum douglasii* Dunal

Leaves used for greens in California. Sparkman (62, p. 229).

*Solanum elaeagnifolium* Cav.

Berries used by Pima and Zuñi Indians for curdling goat's milk. Russell (54, p. 78); Stevenson (65, p. 70); Castetter (6, p. 51).

*Solanum fendleri* A. Gray

Tubers eaten raw with clay in New Mexico. Palmer (35, p. 409); Rusby (52, 458); Standley (64, p. 460); Stevenson (65, p. 71); Castetter (6, p. 51).

*Solanum jamesii* Torr.

Tubers eaten raw or boiled (with clay) in Arizona and New Mexico. Fewkes (16, p. 19); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 143); Rusby (52, p. 457); Standley (64, p. 460); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 73); Saunders (56, p. 10); Castetter (6, p. 51).

*Solanum nigrum* L.

## BLACK NIGHTSHADE

Ripe berries used for food; green fruit considered poisonous; California. Chesnut (8, p. 387); Sturtevant (68, p. 544); Kephart (31, p. 389).

*Solanum triflorum* Nutt.

Ripe fruit eaten raw in New Mexico, or boiled, ground, mixed with chile and salt, and eaten with mush or bread by Zuñi Indians. Stevenson (65, p. 71); Castetter (6, p. 52).

*Solanum tuberosum* L.

## POTATO

Tubers cultivated by many Indian tribes. Chamberlin (7, p. 382); Waugh (72, p. 120); Sturtevant (68, p. 545); Smith (58, p. 72; 59, p. 264; 60, p. 410).

## SCROPHULARIACEAE

*Mimulus geyeri* Torr.

Tender shoots eaten as salad; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 54).

*Mimulus guttatus* DC.

Leaves used like lettuce in California. Chesnut (8, p. 387).

- Mimulus luteus* Donn. GOLDEN MONKEYFLOWER  
 Leaves used as greens in California and the Southwestern States. As *M. luteus*: Powers (40, p. 425); Rusby (45, p. 67).
- Moldavica parviflora* (Nutt.) Britton DRAGONHEAD  
 Seeds used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 367) (as *Draecephalum parviflorum*).
- Pedicularis canadensis* L. EARLY WOODBETONY  
 Greens cooked like spinach by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 118).
- Pedicularis lanceolata* Michx. SWAMP WOODBETONY  
 Greens cooked like spinach by Iroquois Indians. Waugh (72, p. 118).
- Pentstemon confertus* Dougl.  
 Tealike beverage made by boiling dried stems and leaves; British Columbia. Telt (69, p. 493).
- Pentstemon confertus caeruleo-purpureus* A. Gray  
 Used like *P. confertus*. Telt (69, p. 493).

## MARTYNIACEAE

- Martynia fragrans* Lindl. SWEET UNICORNPLANT  
 Half-grown succulent pods cooked by Apache Indians. Palmer (35, p. 422) (as *M. violacea*).
- Martynia louisiana* Mill. COMMON UNICORNPLANT  
 Used like *M. fragrans* by Apache Indians. Rusby (50, p. 566) (as *M. proboscidea*); Kephart (31, p. 393) (also as *M. proboscidea*).

## OROBANCHACEAE

- Orobanche californica* Cham. and Schlecht.  
 Succulent underground stems used for food and to quench thirst; Nevada and California. As *Aphyllon californicum*: Palmer (37, p. 605); Rusby (53).
- Orobanche fasciculata* Nutt.  
 Entire plant eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 361) (as *Aphyllon fasciculatum*).
- Orobanche ludoviciana* Nutt.  
 Yellow or white, tender rootstocks roasted in the coals; Utah, Nevada, and California. As *Aphyllon ludovicianum*: Palmer (37, p. 605); Barrows (2, p. 66); Rusby (53); Kephart (31, p. 375) (also as *A. ludovicianum*).
- Orobanche tuberosa* (A. Gray) Heller  
 Roots used for food in California. Sparkman (62, p. 229).

## PLANTAGINACEAE

- Plantago major* L.  
 Young leaves used for food in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 42).

## RUBIACEAE

- Mitchella repens* L. PARTRIDGEBEAN  
 Red berries eaten in Texas, and in the Eastern States. Rusby (44, p. 719); Waugh (72, p. 128); Sturtevant (68, p. 366); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

## CAPRIFOLIACEAE

- Lonicera ciliosa* (Pursh) Poir.  
 Berries eaten in Oregon and Alaska. Palmer (35, p. 414) (as *L. ciliata*).
- Lonicera involucrata* Banks BEARBERRY HONEYSUCKLE  
 Pleasant-tasting fruit eaten fresh, or dried and stored for winter use; Northwestern States, British Columbia, and Alaska. Palmer (35, p. 414); Blankinship (3, p. 15); Chamberlin (7, p. 373); Telt (69, p. 489).
- Sambucus caerulea* Raf. BLUEBERRY ELDER  
 Berries eaten fresh, dried, or cooked; California, Nevada, Utah, Montana, Oregon, and British Columbia. Palmer (37, p. 598) (as *S. glauca*); Newberry (34, p. 45) (as *S. glauca*); Coville (11, p. 104) (as *S. glauca*); Chesnut (8, p. 338) (as *S. glauca*); Blankinship (3, p. 23) (as *S. glauca*); Rusby (49, p. 448) (as *S. glauca*); Sparkman (62, p. 229) (as *S. glauca*); Chamberlin (7, p. 380) (as *S. glauca*); Sturtevant (68, p. 521); Telt (69, p. 490).

*Sambucus canadensis* L.

Berries eaten fresh or cooked; beverage made by steeping blossoms in hot water; Iroquois Indians, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Newberry (34, p. 45); Rusby (49, p. 438); Waugh (72, p. 128); Gilmore (17, p. 115); Sturtevant (68, p. 521); Kephart (31, p. 395); Smith (59, p. 256); Hedrick (26, p. 32).

*Sambucus melanocarpa* A. Gray

## AMERICAN ELDER

## BLACKBEAD ELDER

Boiled fruit eaten in British Columbia. Anderson (1, p. 132).

*Sambucus mexicana* Presl

## MEXICAN ELDER

Berries eaten in New Mexico. Rusby (49, p. 448); Standley (64, p. 457); Sturtevant (68, p. 521).

*Sambucus microbotrys* Rydb.

## BUNCHBERRY ELDER

Berries eaten in New Mexico. Standley (64, p. 457); Castetter (6, p. 50).

*Sambucus pubens* Michx.

## SCARLET ELDER

Berries eaten raw or boiled, tea-like drink made from the roots of the plant; California, British Columbia, Alaska, and Eastern States. As *S. racemosa*: Palmer (37, p. 498); Newberry (34, p. 45); Gorman (19, p. 71); Rusby (49, p. 448); Reagan (41, p. 237); Telt (69, p. 489).

*Symporicarpus albus* (L.) Blake

## COMMON SNOWBERRY

Berries eaten in Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia. Palmer (35, p. 415) (as *S. racemosus*); Telt (69, p. 489).

*Symporicarpus occidentalis* Hook.

## WESTERN SNOWBERRY

Fruit eaten by Sioux Indians. Blankinship (3, p. 24).

*Viburnum lentago* L.

## NANNYBERRY

Fresh fruit eaten by Iroquois Indians, and in Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Parker (38, p. 96); Waugh (72, p. 128); Gilmore (17, p. 115); Sturtevant (68, p. 592); Smith (58, p. 63; 60, p. 398).

*Viburnum pauciflorum* Raf.

## RAYLESS CRANBERRYBUSH

Fruit eaten fresh, dried, or preserved in oil; Minnesota, Wisconsin, British Columbia, and Alaska. Gorman (19, p. 71); Anderson (1, p. 132); Densmore (15, p. 294); Telt (69, p. 487).

*Viburnum prunifolium* L.

## BLACKHAW

Fruit eaten raw or cooked by Meskwaki Indians. Sturtevant (68, p. 592); Kephart (31, p. 396); Smith (59, p. 256).

*Viburnum trilobum* Marsh.

## AMERICAN CRANBERRYBUSH

Fruit eaten fresh or cooked by Iroquois Indians, and in Minnesota, Wisconsin, and British Columbia. Parker (38, p. 96) (as *V. opulus americanum*); Waugh (72, p. 128) (as *V. opulus americanum*); Sturtevant (68, p. 592) (as *V. opulus*); Kephart (31, p. 395) (as *V. opulus*); Smith (58, p. 63) (as *V. opulus americanum*); Anderson (1, p. 132) (as *V. opulus americanum*); Reagan (41, p. 237) (as *V. opulus*); Telt (69, p. 487).

## VALERIANACEAE

*Valeriana edulis* Nutt.

## TOMATO-ROOT

Roots cooked in stone-lined pits in the ground, or made into soup or bread; have exceedingly unpleasant taste and odor and considered poisonous when raw; seeds also used for food; Northwestern States and Canada. Simmonds (57, p. 376); Palmer (35, p. 409); Coville (11, p. 105); Blankinship (3, p. 26); Rushy (53); Spinden (63, p. 204); Chamberlin (7, p. 584); Sturtevant (68, p. 589); Kephart (31, p. 381).

## CUCURBITACEAE

*Citrullus vulgaris* Schrad.

## WATERMELON

Cultivated in Arizona, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Russell (54, p. 75); as *C. citrullus*; Gilmore (17, p. 120); Smith (59, p. 257).

*Cucumis melo* L.

## MELON

Melons raised in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 77).

*Cucumis sativus* L.

## CUCUMBERS

Cultivated by various Indian tribes. Sturtevant (68, p. 208); Smith (60, p. 399).

*Cucurbita foetidissima* H. B. K.

The fruit cooked in various ways or dried for winter use; seeds made into mush; Arizona, California, and New Mexico. Palmer (37, p. 651) (as *O. perennis*) ; Russell (54, p. 70) ; Sparkman (62, p. 229) ; Standley (64, p. 458) ; Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 100).

*Cucurbita maxima* Duchesne

Used in Virginia and Central States. Willoughby (73, p. 130; 74, p. 83) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 211) ; Densmore (15, p. 289) ; Smith (60, p. 399) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).

*Cucurbita moschata* Duchesne

Used by Pima and Chippewa Indians. Russell (54, p. 71) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 211) ; Densmore (15, p. 289) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).

*Cucurbita pepo* L.

Pumpkins boiled, baked in ashes, used in bread making, dried, etc. Havard (24, p. 110) ; Willoughby (73, p. 130; 74, p. 83) (as *C. polymorpha*) ; Russell (54, p. 71) ; Parker (38, p. 90) ; Stevenson (65, p. 66) ; Waugh (72, p. 111) ; Gilmore (17, p. 116) ; Sturtevant (68, p. 212) ; Wissler (76, p. 15) ; Smith (58, p. 65; 59, p. 257; 60, p. 400; 61, p. 98) ; Densmore (15, p. 289) ; Hedrick (26, p. 31).

*Lagenaria vulgaris* Ser.

Young gourds eaten by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 400).

## ASTERACEAE [COMPOSITAE]

*Achyranthes mollis* Schauer

"Seeds" (achenes) gathered in May or June and roasted; California. Chestnut (8, p. 392).

*Actinea odorata* (DC.) Kuntze [*Actinella odorata* A. Gray]

Infusion of flowering tops used as beverage in Texas. Havard (25, p. 46.)

*Actinea richardsoni* (Hook.) Kuntze

Skin of roots made into chewing gum in New Mexico. As *Hymenoxys floribunda*: Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 56) ; Castetter (6, p. 31).

*Agoseris aurantiaca* (Hook.) Greene

Leaves used for food in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 383) (as *Troximon aurantiacum*).

*Agoseris villosa* Rydb.

The solidified juice of the stem used as chewing gum in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 493).

*Antennaria* sp.

Gum of stalks used for chewing in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 492).

*Alopappus parishii* (Greene) Blake

"Seeds" used for food in California. Sparkman (62, p. 228) (as *Chrysoma parishii*).

*Arctium lappa* L.

Eaten as greens by Iroquois Indians; roots cooked for soup, also dried and stored for winter use. Parker (38, p. 93) ; Waugh (72, pp. 118, 120) ; Kephart (31, p. 382).

*Artemesia biennis* Willd.

"Seeds" used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 362).

*Artemesia discolor* Dougl.

"Seeds" eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 362).

*Artemesia dracunculoides* Pursh

Oily "seeds" eaten in Utah and Nevada; leaves baked between hot stones and eaten with salt water; Arizona and California. Palmer (37, p. 652) ; Fewkes (16, p. 19) ; Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144) ; Rusby (52, p. 456) ; Sparkman (62, p. 228) ; Chamberlin (7, p. 363) ; Castetter (6, p. 17).

*Artemesia ludoviciana* Nutt.

"Seeds" eaten in Utah. Palmer (37, p. 652).

*Artemesia tridentata* Nutt.

Wormwood "seeds" pounded for pinole in California. Barrows (2, p. 65) ; Chamberlin (7, p. 363).

## BUFFALO GOURD

## SQUASH

## CUSHAW

## PUMPKIN

## BIG BURDOCK

## FALSE TARRAGON

## LOUISIANA WORMWOOD

## BIG SAGEBRUSH

- Artemisia tripartita** Rydb. **THREETIP SAGEBRUSH**  
 "Seeds" eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 362) (as *A. trifida*).  
**Artemisia wrightii** A. Gray **WRIGHT SAGEBRUSH**  
 "Seeds" ground with water, made into balls, and steamed; New Mexico.  
 Stevenson (65, p. 65); Castetter (6, p. 17).  
**Aster macrophyllus** L. **BIGLEAF ASTER**  
 Young and tender leaves eaten by Ojibway Indians. Smith (60, p. 398).  
**Aster sp.** **ASTER**  
 Leaves boiled and eaten with fish by Chippewa Indians. Densmore (15, p. 320).  
**Balsamorhiza deltoidea** Nutt.  
 "Seeds" pounded and made into bread; young sprouts eaten raw; roots sweet after cooking; Oregon and British Columbia. Coville (11, p. 106); Anderson (1, p. 134).  
**Balsamorhiza hookeri** Nutt.  
 "Seeds" used in Utah, Nevada, and Idaho. Spinden (63, p. 204); Chamberlin (7, p. 363).  
**Balsamorhiza incana** Nutt.  
 Roots eaten by Nez Perce Indians. Palmer (35, p. 406); Blankinship (3, p. 7).  
**Balsamorhiza sagittata** (Pursh) Nutt. **ARROWLEAF BALSAMROOT**  
 In the spring stems and leaves boiled or eaten as salad; "seeds" roasted and ground into flour; roots eaten raw or cooked; British Columbia, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Utah, and Nevada. Palmer (35, p. 406) (as *B. heteranthoides*); Coville (11, p. 106); Blankinship (3, p. 8); Spinden (63, p. 204); Chamberlin (7, p. 363); Sturtevant (68, p. 81); Anderson (1, p. 134); Teit (69, pp. 480, 484, 491, 492).  
**Balsamorhiza sp.**  
 "Seeds", young stalks, and roots after bark is peeled, used by Indians of Northwestern States. Havard (24, p. 110).  
**Berlandiera lyrata** Benth.  
 Flowers used for seasoning foods. Castetter (6, p. 19).  
**Bidens bigelovii** A. Gray  
 Infusion of flowering tops used as beverage in Texas. Havard (25, p. 46).  
**Blennosperma nanum** (Hook.) Blake  
 Parched "seeds" made into flour in California. Powers (40, p. 425) (as *B. californicum*).  
**Carthamus tinctorius** L. **SAFFLOWER**  
 Flowers used for coloring bread; Arizona. Castetter (6, p. 21).  
**Chrysothamnus conidis** Greene **DOUGLAS RABBITBRUSH**  
 Flower buds eaten with salt in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 24).  
**Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus** (Hook.) Nutt. [*Bigelowia douglasii* A. Gray]  
 Chewing gum made from roots; Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 364).  
**Cirsium drummondii** Torr. and Gray  
 Stalks and roots eaten in Wyoming, Montana, Utah, and Nevada. As *Cnicus drummondii*: Havard (24, p. 110); Chamberlin (7, p. 366).  
**Cirsium eatonii** (A. Gray) Robinson  
 Stems eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 366) (as *Cnicus eatoni*).  
**Cirsium edule** Nutt.  
 Soft and sweet peeled stem greatly relished by Cheyenne Indians; roots eaten in Northwestern States and British Columbia. Coues (9, pp. 733, 739, 740, 821) (as *Cnicus edulis*) ; Havard (24, p. 110) (as *C. edulis*) ; Rusby (45, p. 67) (as *C. edulis*) ; Grinnell (20, p. 191) ; Teit (69, p. 479).  
**Cirsium hookerianum** Nutt.  
 Roots cooked for food in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 480).  
**Cirsium occidentale** (Nutt.) Jepson  
 Roots have pleasant taste and flavor after prolonged boiling; Northwestern States. As *Cnicus occidentalis*: Palmer (37, p. 600) ; Rusby (45, p. 67).  
**Cirsium scopulorum** (Greene) Cockerell  
 Roots eaten raw or cooked with meat; stalks also used; Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 10) (as *Cnicus eriocephalus*).

*Cirsium undulatum* Nutt.

Stems eaten in Utah and Nevada; roots cooked for food in British Columbia. Chamberlin (7, p. 366) (as *Cnicus undulatus*); Teit (69, p. 480).

*Cirsium virginianum* (L.) Michx.

Roots eaten in Eastern States. Simmonds (57, p. 376) (also as *Carduus virginianus*); Sturtevant (68, p. 180) (as *Cnicus virginianus*).

*Coleosanthus californicus* (A. Gray) Kuntze CALIFORNIA BRICKELLBUSH  
Leaves used as substitute for tea in California. Chesnut (8, p. 393).

*Coreopsis cardaminefolia* (DC.) Torr. and Gray

Plant used for making beverage by Zuñi Indians. Stevenson (65, p. 66).

*Crepis glauca* (Nutt.) Torr. and Gray

Leaves eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 367).

*Dicoria brandegei* A. Gray

Flowers and "seeds" ground for food in Arizona. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Castetter (6, p. 26).

*Encelia farinosa* A. Gray

## WHITE BRITTLEBUSH

Gum used for chewing in Arizona. Russell (54, p. 78); Castetter (6, p. 27).

*Grindelia* sp.

Leaves used for chewing and as substitute for tea; California. Chesnut (8, p. 394).

*Helianthus annuus* L.

## COMMON SUNFLOWER

"Seeds" eaten raw, also dried, roasted, ground, made into cakes, and cooked with grease; Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, New Mexico, Nevada, Idaho, Montana, California, and Virginia. Newberry (34, p. 34); Coues (9, p. 552); Blankinship (3, p. 12); Willoughby (74, p. 84); Sparkman (62, p. 228); Chamberlin (7, p. 371); Sturtevant (68, p. 298); Saunders (56, p. 49); Hedrick (26, p. 28); Castetter (6, p. 30).

*Helianthus doronicoides* Lam.

Tubers eaten in Central States. Havard (24, p. 100); Sturtevant (68, p. 299).

*Helianthus giganteus* L.

## GIANT SUNFLOWER

"Seeds" ground to flour and mixed with corn flour for making bread; Choctaw Indians. Havard (24, p. 100); Sturtevant (68, p. 299).

*Helianthus lenticularis* Dougl.

Oily "seeds" eaten in Utah, also parched, ground, and made into cakes. Palmer (37, p. 602).

*Helianthus maximiliani* Schrad.

## MAXIMILIAN SUNFLOWER

Tubers eaten by Sioux Indians and other tribes. Blankinship (3, p. 13).

*Helianthus petiolaris* Nutt.

Used like *H. lenticularis*. Palmer (37, p. 602).

*Helianthus tuberosus* L.

## JERUSALEM-ARTICHOKE

Tubers eaten raw or boiled; New England, New York, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Oklahoma, and Nebraska. Palmer (35, p. 407); Newberry (34, p. 34); Coues (9, p. 544); Havard (24, p. 100); Willoughby (73, p. 131); Rusby (52, p. 456); Parker (38, p. 105); Waugh (72, p. 120); Sturtevant (68, p. 299); Saunders (56, p. 4); Kephart (31, p. 386); Wissler (76, p. 16); Grinnell (20, p. 189); Densmore (15, p. 319); Smith (59, p. 256; 61, p. 98); Hedrick (26, p. 31).

*Hemizonia fasciculata* (DC.) Torr. and Gray

Plant boiled to thick tarry liquid and eaten in time of famine; California. Palmer (37, p. 605).

*Hemizonia luzulaefolia* DC.

"Seeds", slightly bitter but of good taste after roasting, used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 394).

*Hieracium* sp.

## HAWKWEED

Green plant or the coagulated milky juice from it used for chewing in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 492).

*Hymenopappus filifolius* Hook.

Roots used as chewing gum in New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 68); Castetter (6, p. 30).

*Lacinaria punctata* (Hook.) Kuntze

Roots eaten by Tewa Indians of New Mexico. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 57); Castetter (6, p. 32) (also as *Liatis punctata*).

*Lactuca pulchella* (Pursh) DC.

## LARKSPUR LETTUCE

Gum of roots used for chewing in New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 68); Castetter (6, p. 32).

*Lactuca scariola integrata* Gren. and Godr.

Young plants eaten as greens; New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 32) (as *L. integrata*).

*Lactuca* sp.

Leaves eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 373) (as *L. ludoviciana*).

*Lasthenia glabrata* Lindl.

Dark elongated seeds powdered to flour and eaten dry in California. Barrows (2, p. 65).

*Layia glandulosa* (Hook.) Hook. and Arn.

"Seeds" used in California. Sparkman (62, p. 228) (also as *Blepharipappus glandulosus*).

*Layia platyglossa* (F. and M.) A. Gray

"Seeds" used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 393) (as *Blepharipappus platyglossus*).

*Leontodon taraxacum* L.

## DANDELION

Leaves used as greens, cooked with water, vinegar, or with meat; roots also used for salads; Eastern States, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Utah, Nevada, Arizona, and California. Palmer (35, p. 425) (as *Taraxacum dens-leonis*); Parker (38, p. 93) (as *T. officinale*); Chamberlin (7, p. 383) (as *T. officinale*); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 61) (as *T. taraxacum*); Waugh (72, p. 118) (as *T. officinale*); Sturtevant (68, p. 563) (as *T. officinale*); Kephart (31, p. 384) (as *T. taraxacum* and *T. officinale*); Smith (58, p. 65; 59, p. 257; 60, p. 399; 61, p. 98) (as *T. officinale*); Castetter (6, p. 53) (as *T. officinale*).

*Lygodesmia grandiflora* (Nutt.) Torr. and Gray

Leaves boiled with meats by Hopi Indians of Arizona. Fewkes (16, p. 19); Hough (28, p. 38; 29, p. 144); Rusby (50, p. 566); Castetter (6, p. 33).

*Madia densifolia* Greene

"Seeds" used for food in California. Chesnut (8, p. 395).

*Madia dissitiflora* (Nutt.) Torr. and Gray

Rich oily "seeds" used for pinole in California. Chesnut (8, p. 395).

*Madia elegans* D. Don

"Seeds" ground into flour and made into cakes; California. Palmer (37, p. 605).

*Madia glomerata* Hook.

"Seeds" eaten in Oregon. Coville (11, p. 106).

*Madia sativa* Molina

Oil extracted from "seeds"; California. Chesnut (8, p. 395); Sturtevant (68, p. 548); Saunders (56, p. 56).

*Malacothrix californica* DC.

"Seeds" eaten in California. Sparkman (62, p. 228).

*Microrseris nutans* (Geyer) A. Gray

Small roots eaten raw in Northwestern States. Palmer (35, p. 409) (as *Scorzonella ptilophora*); Havard (24, p. 111); Blankinship (3, p. 16); Rusby (53); Spinden (63, p. 204) (as *Scorzonella nutans*).

*Microrseris procera* A. Gray

Roots eaten; milky juice, which gums on exposure, used as chewing gum; California. Chesnut (8, p. 391) (as *Scorzonella maritima*).

*Pectis angustifolia* Torr.

Leaves and young shoots eaten in Arizona and New Mexico, and used for seasoning food. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Standley (64, p. 458); Castetter (6, p. 38).

*Pectis papposa* Harv. and Gray

Flowers used for seasoning meat in New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 69); Castetter (6, p. 38).

*Petasites palmatus* (Alt.) A. Gray

Ash of the plant used as salt by western Indians. Chesnut (8, p. 395); Saunders (56, p. 232); Kephart (31, p. 401).

*Ratibida columnaris* (Sims) D. Don.

Leaves and cylindrical heads used as substitute for tea; Dakota Indians. Glimore (17, p. 131).

*Budbeckia laciniata* L.

Young stems used for food in New Mexico. Castetter (6, p. 50).

*Solidago canadensis* L.

"Seeds" eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 382).

*Solidago missouriensis* Nutt.

Leaves eaten as salad in Arizona. Hough (28, p. 37; 29, p. 142); Rusby (50, p. 566); Castetter (6, p. 52).

*Solidago nana* Nutt.

"Seeds" eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 382) (as *S. nemoralis*).

*Solidago spectabilis* A. Gray

"Seeds" eaten in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 382).

*Solidago suaveolens* Schoepf.

Leaves used as substitute for tea. As *S. odora*: Havard (25, p. 46); Sturtevant (68, p. 551); Saunders (56, p. 147).

*Sonchus asper* (L.) Alt.

Used as greens in California. Sparkman (62, p. 228).

*Thelesperma gracile* (Torr.) A. Gray

Infusion of leaves used as beverage in Arizona and New Mexico. Fewkes (16, p. 15); Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 61).

*Thelesperma tridatum* (Poir.) Britton

Used like *T. gracile*; New Mexico. Robbins, Harrington, and Freire-Marreco (42, p. 61).

*Tragopogon porrifolius* L.

Coagulated milky juice of plant used as chewing gum in British Columbia. Teit (69, p. 484).

*Tragopogon* sp.

Coagulated juice used as chewing gum. Teit (69, p. 493).

*Viguiera multiflora* (Nutt.) Blake

"Seeds" used in Utah and Nevada. Chamberlin (7, p. 371) (as *Gymnolomia multiflora*).

*Wyethia amplexicaulis* Nutt.

Roots eaten after being heated and allowed to ferment; seeds also used; Montana, Utah, and Nevada. Blankinship (3, p. 26); Chamberlin (7, p. 384).

*Wyethia helianthoides* Nutt.

Roots used like those of *W. amplexicaulis*; Montana. Blankinship (3, p. 26).

*Wyethia longicaulis* A. Gray

Fresh leaves and stems eaten; "seeds" used for pinole; California. Chesnut (8, p. 396).

*Wyethia robusta* Nutt.

"Seeds" eaten in Oregon and California. Newberry (34, p. 34).

*Wyethia* sp.

Roots eaten raw or cooked; also young stalks and seeds; Rocky Mountains to Pacific Ocean. Havard (24, p. 110).

*Xanthium commune* Britton

"Seeds" ground, mixed with corn meal, made into cakes or balls, and steamed; New Mexico. Stevenson (65, p. 71); Castetter (6, p. 54).

## CUTLEAF CONEFLOWER

## CANADA GOLDENROD

## NEVADA GOLDENROD

## FRAGRANT GOLDENROD

## PRICKLY BOWTHISTLE

## VEGETABLE-OYSTER

TABLE 1.—Summary of families, with number of genera and species of each

Family	Genera	Species	Family	Genera	Species
Cryptogams:			Phanerogams—Continued.		
Algae:			Crassulaceae.....	1	3
Rhodophyceae.....	1	2	Hydrolycaceae.....	1	1
Phaeophyceae.....	1	1	Grossulariaceae.....	2	26
Fungi:			Hamamelidaceae.....	1	1
Agaricaceae.....	2	3	Rosaceae.....	18	102
Lycoperdaceae.....	4	6	Mimosaceae.....	4	6
Polyporaceae.....	2	4	Caesalpiniaceae.....	6	7
Ustilaginaceae.....	1	1	Fabaceae (Leguminosae).....	22	60
Helvellaceae.....	1	2	Geraniaceae.....	1	2
Lichens:			Oxalidaceae.....	1	4
Cladoniaceae.....	1	1	Linaceae.....	1	1
Stictaceae.....	1	1	Rutaceae.....	1	1
Parmeliaceae.....	2	2	Euphorbiaceae.....	3	2
Umbellaceae.....	1	2	Buxaceae.....	1	1
Pteridophyta:			Empetraceae.....	1	1
Polypodiaceae.....	4	4	Anacardiaceae.....	1	7
Osmundaceae.....	1	1	Aquifoliaceae.....	2	6
Equisetaceae.....	1	2	Celastraceae.....	1	1
Lycopodiaceae.....	1	2	Staphyleaceae.....	1	1
Phanerogams:			Aceraceae.....	1	8
Cycadaceae.....	1	3	Aesculaceae.....	1	1
Taxaceae.....	2	2	Rhamnaceae.....	4	9
Pinaceae.....	8	33	Vitaceae.....	2	11
Gnetaceae.....	1	1	Tiliaceae.....	1	1
Typhaceae.....	1	2	Malvaceae.....	5	7
Sparganiaceae.....	1	1	Cochlospermaceae.....	1	1
Juncaginaceae.....	1	1	Violaceae.....	1	1
Alliaceae.....	1	3	Pasquieraceae.....	1	1
Poaceae (Gramineae).....	27	47	Loasaceae.....	1	1
Cyperaceae.....	3	8	Cactaceae.....	12	40
Phoenixaceae (Palmae).....	5	5	Elaeagnaceae.....	2	2
Araceae.....	7	8	Myrtaceae.....	1	1
Commelinaceae.....	1	2	Onagraceae.....	4	7
Liliaceae.....	31	90	Araliaceae.....	2	3
Amaryllidaceae.....	2	8	Apiaceae (Umbelliferae).....	20	42
Oreblidaeae.....	3	3	Cornaceae.....	1	4
Salicaceae.....	1	8	Lennoaceae.....	2	2
Myricaceae.....	1	1	Ericaceae.....	14	41
Juglandaceae.....	2	11	Primulaceae.....	1	1
Betulaceae.....	3	6	Sapotaceae.....	1	2
Fagaceae.....	5	32	Ebenaceae.....	1	1
Ulmaceae.....	1	1	Oleaceae.....	1	1
Loranthaceae.....	1	2	Gentianaceae.....	1	1
Urticaceae.....	4	7	Asclepiadaceae.....	3	10
Santalaceae.....	1	1	Apocynaceae.....	1	1
Aristolochiaceae.....	1	1	Convolvulaceae.....	1	2
Polygonaceae.....	4	18	Cuscutaceae.....	1	2
Chenopodiaceae.....	9	33	Polemoniaceae.....	1	1
Amaranthaceae.....	2	10	Hydrophyllaceae.....	2	5
Nyctaginaceae.....	1	2	Boraginaceae.....	5	8
Phytolaccaceae.....	1	1	Verbenaceae.....	1	1
Aizooeae.....	1	2	Menthaceae.....	15	28
Portuinaeaceae.....	6	20	Solanaceae.....	5	28
Nymphaeaceae.....	3	5	Scrophulariaceae.....	4	8
Ranunculaceae.....	4	7	Martyniaceae.....	1	2
Berberidaceae.....	2	9	Orobanchaceae.....	1	4
Calycanthaceae.....	1	1	Plantaginaceae.....	1	1
Annonaceae.....	1	1	Rubiaceae.....	1	1
Lauraceae.....	3	3	Caprifoliaceae.....	4	14
Papaveraceae.....	2	2	Valerianaceae.....	1	1
Fumariaceae.....	1	1	Cucurbitaceae.....	4	8
Brassicaceae (Cruciferæ).....	13	27	Asteraceae (Compositæ).....	45	92
Capparidaceae.....	3	3	Total (120 families).....	444	1,112

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