a' Leaf-blades circular, entire; sepals longer than wide. 2. P. rotundifolia

1. Pyrola elliptica Nutt.

Shinleaf, Wintergreen

Indian-pipe, Corpse Plant

REFERENCES: Riddell 1834:154 (open woods); Sullivant 1840:26; Selby & Craig 1890:12. NOTE: No specimens seen from Franklin Co. Not mapped for Franklin Co. by Cooperrider 1995:250 (illus. p. 251).

2. Pyrola rotundifolia L. var. americana (Sweet) Fernald Round-leaved Wintergreen, Wild Lily-of-the-valley Evergreen; leaves basal, margins subentire; blades about equalling length of petioles, mostly orbicular; petals white; sepals oblong-lanceolate, twice as long as wide; styles declining.

REFERENCE: Riddell 1834:154 (open woods).

HERBARIUM RECORD: 1840-Cols., Sullivant.

NOTE: Sullivant 1840:26 and Selby & Craig 1890:12 reported on plants collected in adjacent counties. Not mapped for Franklin Co. by Cooperrider 1995:252 (illus. p. 251).

MONOTROPACEAE, Indian Pipe Family

Plants without chlorophyll; flowers hypogynous, perfect, solitary or in racemes; sepals separate or united at base; petals separate, waxy, corolla regular; anthers opening by slits; pollen grains single; carpels united; style 1, stigma broad, peltate; placentae axile; fruit a capsule.

1. MONOTROPA L.

Without chlorophyll; stem with alternate scales or bracts; sepals 2-5 or none; petals 4-5; stamens 8-10; ovary 4-5loculed.

Plants white; flower solitary. 1. M. uniflora a

Plants yellow or reddish; flowers in racemes. 2. M. hypopithys a'

1. Monotropa uniflora L.

Plants similar to Monotropa hypopithys except white; flower white, solitary and nodding. REFERENCES: Riddell 1834:154 (dense and shady woods); Sullivant 1840:26; Selby & Craig 1890:12; Cooperrider 1995:252 (illus. p. 251). HERBARIUM RECORDS: 5 Aug 1890-W. J. Green's, W. Fifth Ave., Cols., Selby; 7 Aug 1890-Rocky Fork near Gahanna, Selby; 7 Oct 1906-Cols., Hawkins; 26 Oct 1907-Flint, Griggs; 7 May 1909-Franklin Co., J. H. Schaffner; 9 Jul 1982-Scenic Nature Preserve, Highbanks Metro Park (Franklin & Delaware Cos.), Robertson 247; 11 Jul 1982-Scenic Nature Preserve, Highbanks Metro Park (Franklin & Delaware Cos.), G. Moore 248; 9 Jul 1989-Highbanks Metro Park (Delaware Co.), woods SE of ranger station, nature center in Oak Coves picnic area, Watts 486 (OS, OWU); 16 Jul 1989-Highbanks Metro Park (Delaware Co.), Shale Creek woods, Morawetz (OS, OWU); 28 Jun 1990-Hoover Dam Park, woodland area N of entrance off of Cubbage Rd., Blendon Twp., Lowden 4428.

2. Monotropa hypopithys L.

Pinesap Parasitic plants without chlorophyll, brownish-yellow or reddish but darken with age or when dried; leaves in form of scales; flowers in a raceme. Syn.: M. hypopitys L.

REFERENCES: Selby 1891a:111a; Cooperrider 1995:252 (illus. p. 251).

HERBARIUM RECORD: 26 Aug 1982-Scenic Nature Preserve, Highbanks Metro Park (Franklin & Delaware Cos.), Robertson 246.

EBENACEAE, Ebony Family

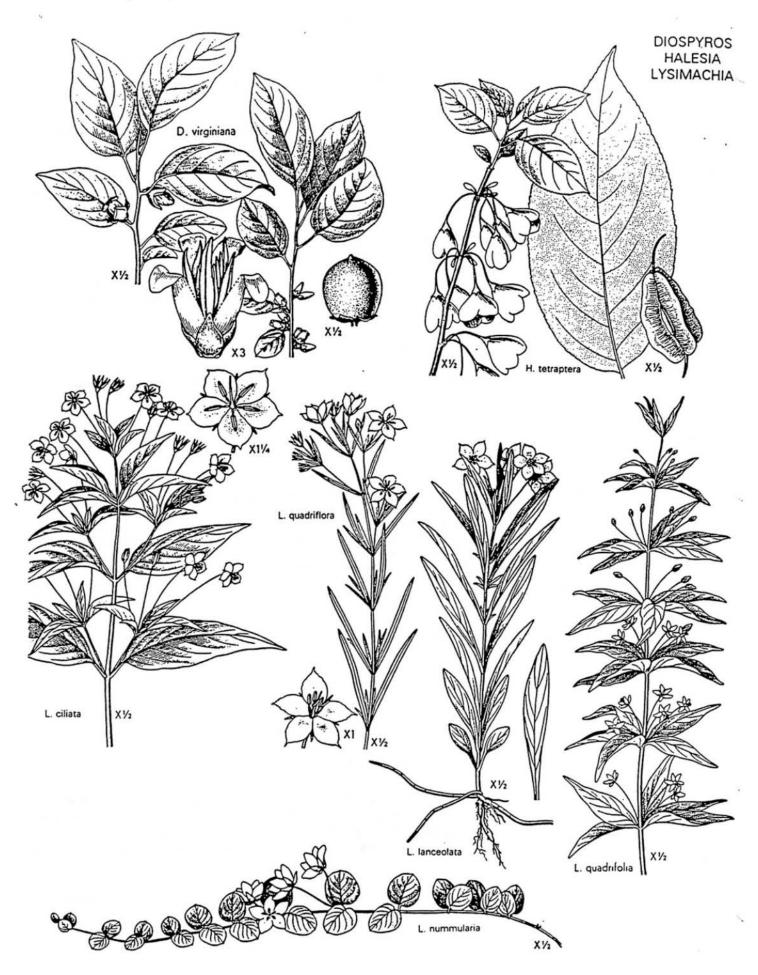
1. DIOSPYROS L. Persimmon

Tree; leaves alternate, simple, blades entire; flowers monosporangiate or bisporangiate, hypogynous; generally imperfectly dioecious; carpellate flowers axillary, solitary; staminate flowers usually smaller, sometimes in small clusters; sepals 4, united at base; corolla urceolate to campanulate, 4-lobed, pale yellow; stamens usually 16 in staminate flowers, 8 staminodes in carpellate flowers; carpels united, locules 8; styles 4, each 2-lobed; ovules 1-2 in each locule; fruit a berry.

1. Diospyros virginiana L.

Persimmon

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Native (or persisting from cultivation)

Tree; functionally dioecious; flowers minute, greenish-yellow; leaves alternate, simple; blades lacking teeth, usually widest at or below the middle; fruit a berry, dull-yellowish-orange.

REFERENCES: Sullivant 1840:27; Selby & Craig 1890:12; Braun 1961:304 (illus. p. 304); Cooperrider 1995:281 (illus. p. 283).

HERBARIUM RECORDS: Oct 1891-near Big Darby, Cols., Selby; [date?]-Westerville, Hicks; 6 Oct 1928-cult., OSU campus, Hicks.

STYRACACEAE, Storax Family

Shrubs or small trees; pubescence often stellate; leaves alternate, simple; flowers epigynous, bisporangiate; calyx entire or lobed; corolla regular; stamens twice corolla lobes or more, their bases united; carpels united, locules as many or ovary with septa at base only; style 1.

1. HALESIA J.Ellis Silverbell

Flowers in lateral umbel-like clusters, appearing with or before the leaves; pedicels drooping; calyx small, 4toothed; corolla bell-shaped, 4-lobed, white, 2-2.5 cm long; stamens 8-16, inserted near base of corolla-tube; fruit 4loculed, 4-winged, dry, indehiscent.

1. * *Halesia tetraptera* J.Ellis

Cultivated (native to S Ohio)

Tree; leaves alternate, simple; flowers appear before the leaves; sepals and petals 4; corolla 4-lobed, white, bellshaped; ovary inferior; fruit dry, indehiscent, 4-winged. Syn.: *H. carolina* L., perhaps misapplied

HERBARIUM RECORDS: 9 May 1940—OSU Garden, C. Jones; [date?]—NE of Oxley Hall, OSU, Cols., Cooke & Stuckey; 3 May 1988—OSU campus, S side of SW door into McPhearson Hall, cult., M. Hoffman 55.

NOTE: Not mapped for Franklin Co. by Braun 1961:305 (illus. p. 304) or Cooperrider 1995:282 (illus. p. 283).

PRIMULACEAE, Primrose Family

Herbs; leaves opposite, whorled, alternate, or all basal, simple or rarely pinnately dissected; flowers hypogynous or rarely epigynous; calyx usually 5-lobed (4-7); corolla regular; petals usually 5 (4-7), more or less united at base; stamens as many as petals and opposite them; staminodes sometimes present; carpels 5, united; locule 1; placenta central, free, style 1; fruit a capsule.

- a Ovary partly inferior; flowers in terminal racemes or panicles. 3. SAMOLUS
- a' Ovary superior.
 - b Petals reflexed; flowers in an umbel on a scape; leaves basal. 4. DODECATHEON
 - b' Petals spreading or erect; flowers not in an umbel; stem leafy.
 - c Corolla yellow. 1. LYSIMACHIA
 - c' Corolla scarlet, blue, pink, or white. 2. ANAGALLIS

1. LYSIMACHIA L. Loosestrife

Leaves whorled, opposite, or alternate, sometimes punctate; flower parts in 5's or 6's; petals yellow, sometimes dotted or lined with black or red; corolla campanulate to rotate.

Lysimachia clethroides Duby (native of E Asia) is found in gardens and persists after cultivation in Slate Run ravine (25 Jul 1992—Slate Run Wood Ct. off Henderson Rd., 1¹/₂ mi. E of Sawmill Rd., Perry Twp., Lowden 5010; 25 Jul 1993—6170 Middlebury Dr. W, James Lane's garden, cult., Worthington, Lane). It differs from other species by having leaves alternate; flowers are white in a slender terminal spike, the bracts longer than the pedicels.

- a Staminodes alternating with the stamens; stamens separate; leaf-blades, petals, and sepals not dotted or lined.
 - b Blades ovate to lance-ovate, base rounded or subcordate; petioles ciliate. 1. L. ciliata
 - b' Blades linear to lanceolate, tapering to base, sessile or subsessile.

Silverbell