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Evonymus yedoensis. The fruit of few other plants in the Arboretum is now more beautiful than that of this *Evonymus*. It is a large, vigorous, hardy, tree-like shrub or small tree with a short trunk and wide-spreading branches which form a symmetrical round-topped head. The leaves are unusually large for a plant of this genus and, having turned yellow, have now nearly all disappeared, leaving in full sight the fruit which covers the branches from end to end. It is rose color, about half of an inch in diameter, that is unusually large for that of an *Evonymus*, and as it opens shows the bright scarlet shining seeds. This was one of the plants sent direct to the United States from Japan between 1860 and 1870, and has been growing in the Arboretum for fully thirty years. It is still, however, little known and rare in American and European gardens. There are several specimens, large and small, in the *Evonymus* Group on the right-hand side of the Meadow Road which is better worth a visit late in the autumn than at any other time of the year.

Evonymus europaeus. This, the Burning Bush as the English call it, is a widely distributed and variable European shrub or small tree. The fact that the leaves usually remain green or nearly green on the branches until after the fruit has colored and opened adds to its beauty. The fruit is about two-thirds the size of that of *E. yedoensis* and deep dull red with lustrous bright orange-colored seeds. There are several forms of this small tree in the collection. One of the handsomest of these has been raised here from seeds sent to the Arboretum from Hungary. On this form the leaves are now dark purple on the upper

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