

The bryophytes and lichens collected during the 16th A. L. Andrews Foray in Northwestern Connecticut

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The 16th A. L. Andrews Foray was organized by Drs. Antoni Damman and Loretta Johnson of the University of Connecticut and held from September 20 to 22, 1992, at Canaan and Norfolk areas of Litchfield County at the northwestern corner of Connecticut. Dr. Nancy Slack assisted in the site selection. The localities visited were Point of Rocks, Robbins Swamp, Holleran Swamp, Beckley Bog, Twin Lakes, Mohawk Mountain Black Spruce Bog, Tobey Bog, Crissey Pond, and Housatonic Great Falls, which include a variety of habitats, such as limestone ledge, wet schistose marble cliff, Quercus scrub vegetation, Larch swamp, fen and bog.

For the bryophyte flora of Connecticut, the last comprehensive account seems to be the work of Evans and Nichols published in 1908, although additional information can be found in the two volumes of Crum and Anderson (1981). The lichen flora is similarly little studied. The two important reports are Evans and Meyrowitz (1926) and Hale (1950) on the lichen flora of Connecticut. In addition, Evans (1930, 1944, 1950) collected *Cladonia* extensively in the state.

Since the bryophyte and lichen floras of Connecticut are relatively little known in the New England region, a species list is compiled here. The bryophyte list is based primarily on the collections made and determined by Richard Andrus, Michael Corey, Lorinda Leonardi, Norton Miller, Nancy Slack, Benito Tan, Norman Trigoboff and William Town. The lichens list is based on the collections made and determined by Elisabeth Lay, Sherry Pittam, Elizabeth Kneiper and Ron Robare. Names of *Sphagnum* specimens were verified by R. Andrus and the *Cladonia* collections were determined by S. Hammer at the Farlow Herbarium. The nomenclature of mosses follows that of Anderson, Crum and Buck (1990), except for *Sphagnum* which follows Anderson (1990). For hepatics, the nomenclature follows Stotler and Crandall-Stotler (1977), and for lichens, Egan (1987, 1991).

As is, 6 species of mosses are confirmed as new to the state of Connecticut, namely *Homalia gracilis*, *Limprichtia cossonii*, *Rhizomnium appalachianum*, *Sphagnum bartlettianum*, *S. henryense* and *S. isoviitae*. *Hypocenomyce scalaris* is a new lichen record for the state. Surprisingly, a few reportedly widespread northern species such as *Scorpidium scorpioides* and *Anomodon rugelii*, in spite of our search for literature, do not seem to have a definitive, published Connecticut record.

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One noteworthy collection is *Calliergon trifarium*, an uncommon species of highly calcareous fen. It was collected on this foray from Twin Lakes by Bruce Gilman. The species has one previous herbarium record collected by G. E. Nichols from the same place 60 years ago (MO!, FH!). As far as we know, Twin Lakes remains the only known locality for this species in Connecticut. It has not been found in New York in spite of intensive search.

The exceedingly slender and freely branching *Homalia gracilis*, a calciphile, is another interesting find. It grows abundantly on the shaded side of limestone outcrops. The species has been placed in *Neckera* or as a variety/form of *Homalia trichomanoides*. Considering its habitat preference and distinct morphology, we think that it perhaps deserves full species recognition apart from *H. trichomanoides*.

List of bryophytes collected -

- Abietinella abietina* (Hedw.) Fleisch.
- Amblystegium serpens* (Hedw.) Schimp.
var. *juratzenkianum* (Schimp.) Rau & Herv.
var. *varium* (Hedw.) Lindb.
- Amphidium mougeotii* (BSG) Schimp.
- Aneura pinguis* (L.) Dum.
- Anomodon attenuatus* (Hedw.) Hueb.
rostratus (Hedw.) Schimp.
rugelii (C. Muell.) Keissl.
viticulosus (Hedw.) Hook. & Tayl.
- Aulacomnium heterostichum* (Hedw.) BSG
palustre (Hedw.) Schwaegr.
- Barbula unguiculata* Hedw.
- Bazzania trilobata* (L.) S. Gray
- Brachythecium acuminatum* (Hedw.) Aust.
digastrum C. Muell. & Kindb.
oedipodium (Mitt.) Jaeg.
oxycladon (Brid.) Jaeg.
rivulare Schimp. in BSG
- Brotherella recurvans* (Michx.) Fleisch.
- Bryhnia graminicolor* (Brid.) Grout
novae-angliae (Sull. & Lesq.) Grout
- Bryoandersonia illecebria* (Hedw.) Robins.
- Calliergon giganteum* (Schimp.) Kindb.
trifarium (Web. & Mohr) Kindb.
- Calliergonella cuspidata* (Hedw.) Loeske
- Calypogeia ? muelleriana* (Schiffn.) K. Muell.
sphagnicola (Arn. & Pers.) Warnst.
& Loeske
- Campylium chrysophyllum* (Brid.) J. Lange
polygamum (Schimp.) C. Jens.
stellatum (Hedw.) C. Jens.
- Cephalozia connivens* (Dicks.) Lindb.
pleniceps (Aust.) Lindb.
macrostachya Kaal.
- Cephaloziella elachista* (Jack) Schiffn.
- Cladopodiella fluitans* (Nees) Joerg.
- Ctenidium molluscum* (Hedw.) Mitt.
- Cyrtosphaerium minutulum* (Hedw.) Buck & Crum
- Dicranum flagellare* Hedw.
fulvum Hook.
fuscescens Turn.
montanum Hedw.
polystetum Sw.
scoparium Hedw.
- Diphyscium foliosum* (Hedw.) Mohr
- Drepanocladus aduncus*
var. *polycarpus* (Voit) Roth
- Encalypta procera* Bruch
- Entodon cladorrhizans* (Hedw.) C. Muell.
- Eurhynchium pulchellum* (Hedw.) Jenn.
- Fissidens adianthoides* Hedw.
bushii (Card. & Ther.) Card. & Ther.
dubius P. Beauv.
- Forsstroemia trichomitria* (Hedw.) Lindb.
- Funaria hygrometrica* Hedw.
- Frullania asagrayana* Mont.
brittoniae Evans
eboracensis Gott.
riparia Hampe ex Lindb.
- Gymnostomum aeruginosum* Sm.
- Haplophyllum triste* (Ces. in De Not.) Kindb.
- Hedwigia ciliata* (Hedw.) P. Beauv.
- Herzogiella turfacea* (Lindb.) Iwats.
- Homalia gracilis* James ex Peck
(= *Homalia trichomanoides* fo. *gracilis*
(James ex Peck) Crum)
- Hygroamblystegium tenax* (Hedw.) Jenn.
- Hypnum lindbergii* Mitt.
pallescens (Hedw.) P. Beauv.
- Kurzia setacea* (Web.) Grolle
sylvatica (Evans) Grolle
- Leptodictyum riparium* (Hdwe.) Warnst.
- Leskea polycarpa* Hedw.
- Limprichtia cossoni* (Schimp.) Anderson,
Crum & Buck
revolvens (Sw.) Loeske
- Lophocolea heterophylla* (Schrad.) Dum.
- Marsupella emarginata* (Ehrh.) Dum.
- Mnium thomsonii* Schimp.
- Mylia anomala* (Hook.) S. Gray
- Nowellia curvifolia* (Dicks.) Mitt.
- Odontoschisma denudatum* (Nees ex Mart.) Dum.
- Orthotrichum anomalum* Hedw.
- Plagiommium ciliare* (C. Muell.) T. Kop.
cuspidatum (Hedw.) T. Kop.
- Plagiopus oederiana* (Sw.) Crum & Anderson
- Platydictya confervoides* (Brid.) Crum
jungermannoides (Brid.) Crum
- Platygyrium repens* (Brid.) Schimp. in BSG
- Platynnidium ripariooides* (Hedw.) Dix.
- Pogonatum pensylvanicum* (Hedw.) P. Beauv.
- Porella platyphylla* (L.) Lindb.
- Preissia quadrata* (Scop.) Nees
- Pseudobryum cinctidioides* (Hueb.) T. Kop.
- Pylaisiella selwynii* (Kindb.) Crum, Steere
& Anderson
- Radula complanata* (L.) Dum.
- Rhizomnium appalachianum* T. Kop.
punctatum (Hedw.) T. Kop.

- Rhodobryum roseum* (Hedw.) Limpr.
Rhytidiaadelphus squarrosus (Hedw.) Warnst.
triqueatus (Hedw.) Warnst.
Riccardia latifrons Lindb.
multifida (L.) S. Gray
Riccia fluitans L.
Ricciocarpus natans (L.) Corda
Schistidium apocarpum (Hedw.) Bruch & Schimp.
Scorpidium scorpioides (Hedw.) Limpr.
Sphagnum affine Ren. & Card.
andersonianum Andrus
angustifolium (C. Jens.) C. Jens.
bartlettianum Warnst.
capillifolium (Ehrh.) Hedw.
centrale C. Jens. in Arnell & C. Jens.
cuspidatum Ehrh. ex Hoffm.
fimbriatum Wils.
flexuosum Dozy & Molk.
fuscum (Schimp.) Klinggr.
girgensohnii Russ.
henryense Warnst.
isoviitiae Flatb.
lescurii Sull. in Gray
magellanicum Brid.
palustre L.
papillosum Lindb.
riparium Aongstr.
rubellum Wils.
russowii Warnst.
squarrosum Crome
subsecundum Nees in Sturm
subtile (Russ.) Warnst.
teres (Schimp.) Aongstr. in Hartm.
warnstorffii Russ.
wulfianum Girg.
Steerecleus serrulatus (Hedw.) Robins.
Taxiphyllum deplanatum (BSG) Fleisch.
Tetraphis pellucida Hedw.
Thamnobryum alleghaniense (C. Muell.) Nieuwl.
Thuidium delicatulum (Hedw.) Schimp.
Tortella humilis (Hedw.) Jenn.
tortuosa (Hedw.) Limpr.
Trichocolea tomentella (Ehrh.) Dum.
- List of lichens collected -**
- Acaropsora fuscata* (Nyl.) Arnold
Anaptychia palmulata (Michaux) Vainio
Aspicilia cinerea (L.) Koerber
elevata (Lynge) Thomson
Bacidia inundata (Fr.) Koerber
schweinitzii (Tuck.) A. Schneider
Biatora vernalis (L.) Fr.
Bryoria furcellata (Fr.) Brodo & D. Hawksw.
Buellia aethalea (Ach.) Th. Fr.
Caloplaca citrina (Hoffm.) Th. Fr.
flavovirescens (Wulfsen) Dalla Torre & Sarnth.
Candelaria concolor (Dickson) B. Stein
Candelariella efflorescens R.C. Harris & Buck
Cetrelia olivetorum (Nyl.) Culb. & C. Culb.
Cladina arbuscula (Wallr.) Hale & Culb.
rangiferina (L.) Nyl.
stellaris (Opiz) Brodo
submittis (A. Evans) Hale & Culb.
Cladonia bacillaris Nyl.
cenotea (Ach.) Schaefer
chlorophaeae (Floerke ex Sommerf.) Sprengel
crispata (Ach.) Flotow
cristatella Tuck.
cylindrica (A. Evans) A. Evans
floerkeana (Fr.) Floerke
furcata (Huds.) Schrader
grayi G. K. Merr. ex Sandst.
incrassata Floerke
macilenta Hoffm.
ochrochlora (Floerke)
pleurota (Floerke) Schaefer
squamosa (Scop.) Hoffm.
var. *subsquamosa* (Leighton) Vainio
uncialis (L.) Weber ex Wigg.
Collema fuscovirens (With.) Laundon
ryssoleum (Tuck.) A. Schneider
undulatum Laurer ex Flotow
Dermatocarpon miniatum (L.) Mann
Diploschistes scruposus (Schreber) Norman
Evernia mesomorpha Nyl.
Flavoparmelia caperata (L.) Hale
Flavopunctelia soredica (Nyl.) Hale
Graphis scripta (L.) Ach.
Hypocenomyce scalaris (Ach. ex Liljeblad) M. Choisy
Hypogymnia physodes (L.) Nyl.
Hypostrachyna pustulifera (Hale) Skorepa
Imshaugia aleurites (Ach.) S.F. Meyer
Lasallia papulosa (Ach.) Llano
Lecanora caesiorubella Ach.
dispersa (Pers.) Sommerf.
symmicta (Ach.) Ach.
Lepraria finkii (B. de Lesd. in Hue) R.C. Harris
Leptogium cyanescens (Rabenh.) Koerber
lichenoides (L.) Zahlbr.
Lobaria pulmonaria (L.) Hoffm.
quercizans Michaux
Melanelia halei (Ahti) Essl.
subaurifera (Nyl.) Essl.
Parmelia fraudans (Nyl.) Nyl.
saxatilis (L.) Ach.
scutata Taylor
Parmeliopsis ambigua (Wulfsen in Jacq.) Nyl.
Peltigera canina (L.) Willd.
polydactyla (Necker) Hoffm.
praetextata (Floerke ex Sommerf.) Zopf
Pertusaria hypothymnolica Dibben
pustulata (Ach.) Duby
trachythallina Erichsen
Phaeophyscia adiastola (Essl.) Essl.
orbicularis (Necker) Moberg
pusilloides (Zahlbr.) Essl.
rubropulchra (Degel.) Moberg
sciastra (Ach.) Moberg
Physcia aipolia (Ehrh. ex Humb.) Fuernr.
dubia (Hoffm.) Lettau
millergrana Degel.
stellaris (L.) Nyl.
Porpidia albocaerulescens (Wulfsen) Hertel & Knoph
Protoblastenia rupestris (Scop.) Steiner
Pseudevernia consocians (Vainio) Hale & Culb.
Punctelia ruderata (Ach.) Krog
subrudecta (Nyl.) Krog
Rhizocarpon grande (Florke ex Flotow) Arnold
hochstetteri (Koerber) Vainio
obscuratum (Ach.) Massal.
Rhizoplaca chrysoleuca (Sm.) Zopf
Rinodina subminuta Magnusson
Stereocaulon intermedium (Savicz) Magnusson
paschale (L.) Hoffm.
subcoralloides (Nyl.) Nyl.
Trapelia involuta (Taylor) Hertel
Tuckermannopsis ciliaris (Ach.) Gyelnik
oakesiana (Tuck.) Hale
orbata (Nyl.) Lai
pinastri (Scop.) Hale
sepincula (Erhr.) Hale
Umbilicaria muehlenbergii (Ach.) Tuck.
Usnea hirta (L.) Weber ex Wigg.
Usnea strigosa (Ach.) A. Eaton
Xanthoparmelia conspera (Erhr. ex Ach.) Hale
Xanthoria fallax (Hepp in Arnold)

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