

ICOSANDRIA POLYGYNIA. *Potentilla.*

In bog meadows and on the borders of lakes : Canada and on the mountains of New York and New Jersey. $\frac{1}{2}$. July, Aug. v. v. This is a low-growing shrub, not above eighteen inches high. Though it appears to be no more than a variety of the preceding, the difference of habit is so great, that I was persuaded to propose it as a distinct species : both cultivated near one another, will decide whether it shall be adopted as such or not.

- Anserina.* 15. *P. repens*; foliis interrupte-pinnatis numerosis inciso-serratis sericeis subtus niveo-tomentosis, pedunculis solitariis unifloris.—*Willd. sp. pl. 2. p. 1095.*

Icon. *Engl. bot. 861.*

On the banks of rivers and lakes : Pennsylvania, New York, and Canada. $\frac{1}{2}$. May—Sept. v. v. Flowers yellow, large. Specimens from Labrador in the Herbarium of A. B. Lambert, Esq. seem to differ in the form of its petals from the European plant ; they are obovate, and longer than the calyx.

- pensylvanica.* 16. *P. erecta*, mollissime subcandicanti-villosa ; foliis pinnatis, foliolis oblongis obtusis subsemi-pinnatifidis tomentosis, panicula stricta multiflora, calycis tomentosi lacinii semiovalibus. *Mich. fl. amer. 1 p. 304. Willd. sp. pl. 2. p. 1099.*

Icon. *Jacq. hort. t. 189.*

β . *P. cano-pubescent* ; foliis pectinato-dentatis margine revolutis, floribus corymbosis.

P. strigosa. Pallas in Herb. Lambert.

Icon. *Gmel. sib. 3. t. 34. f. 1.*

In Canada and New England. β . on the Missouri. $\frac{1}{2}$. June, July. v. v. β . v. s. in *Herb. Lewis.* Flowers yellow. The variety β . appears to be a distinct species.

- supina.* 17. *P. procumbens*, dichotoma ; foliis pinnatis, foliolis oblongis profunde dentatis, pedunculis lateralibus solitariis unifloris patulis.—*Willd. sp. pl. 2. p. 1099.*

Icon. *Gmel. it. 1. t. 27. f. 2. Pluk. alm. t. 106. f. 7.*

In overflowed places, on the banks of rivers : Canada to Pennsylvania, principally in the western parts thereof. \odot . June—Aug. v. v. Flowers small, yellow.

420. COMARUM. *Gen. pl. 869.*

- palustre.* 1. *Comarum. Willd. sp. pl. 2. p. 1119.*
Icon. *Fl. dan. 636. Engl. bot. 172.*