var. eriocarpa, Nutt, has the pods covered with woolly white pubescence. This is probably the type of the species. May—3. (B.)

---var. scabriuscula, T. & G.

In this the pods are perfectly smooth and the leaves almost so. Some forms of this variety resemble closely the western V. glabella, Nutt. May --3.

247. V. tricolor, L., var. arvensis, Ging. (Wild Pansy.)
Cultivated ground. Billings Bridge. Hintonburgh. Ju.—1.

POLYGALACEÆ—Milk-wort Family.

POLYGALA. Milk-wort.

P. SENEGA, L. (Seneca Snake-root.)
 Rocky banks. Not uncommon. Ju.—1. (B.)

253. P. PAUCIFOLIA, Willd. (Fringed Polygala.)
Dry, open woods. A lovely little flower. Ironsides (J. F.), near
St. Louis Dam (H. M. Ami*). May—3. (B.)

CARYOPHYLLACEÆ-Pink Family.

SILENE, L. Catchfly. Campion.

255. S. inflata, Smith. (Bladder Campion.)
Introduced. Waysides and grain fields. July—2. (B.)

258. S. ANTIRRHINA, L. (Sleepy Catchfly.) Sandy and rocky banks. Ju.—1.

560. S. Armeria, L. (Sweet-William Catchfly.)
A garden escape. Billings Bridge, and occasional in waste places.
July. (B.)

261. S. noctiflora, L. (Night-flowering Cathfly.)
Introduced. An abundant weed in fields and gardens. Ju.—3.
(B.)

LYCHNIS, Tourn. Lychnis, Cockle.

L. Githago, Lam. (Corn-Cockle.)
 Introduced. Grain fields. July—2.

 L. Vespertina, Sibth. Evening Lychnis. Introduced with grass seed. July.