

## THE OTTAWA SPECIES OF ERIOPHORUM.

Mr. M. L. Fernald's revision of the genus *Eriophorum*\* has made some changes necessary in the names of the species growing in the vicinity of Ottawa. It is probable that one or two additional species or varieties may be found here and that collectors may know what species have been already recorded the following notes are published. The localities mentioned are those known to the writer. The numbers and collector names are those on the sheets in the herbarium of the Geological Survey.

## ERIOPHORUM CHAMISSONIS, C. A. Meyer.

*E. russeolum*, Fries.

Very abundant at the Mer Bleue, near Eastman's Springs, Ont., No. 11,496. (*John Macoun*.)

## ERIOPHORUM CALLITRIX, Chamisso.

*E. vaginatum* of local botanists.

Casselton, Ont., No. 10,302. (*John Macoun*.) Blackburn Station, Ont., near the Mer Bleue, No. 61,191. (*John Macoun*.) Also noted by Prof. Macoun in a bog near East Templeton, Que., and in a bog by Strachan's Lake, east of Cascade, Que.

## ERIOPHORUM GRACILE, Koch.

In meadows and peat bogs by McKay's Lake, at Dow's Swamp and Mer Bleue. Dow's Swamp, Nos. 32,240 and 61,193; Mer Bleue near Eastman's Springs, Ont., No. 11,495. (*John Macoun*.)

## ERIOPHORUM VIRIDI-CARINATUM, (Engelm.) Fernald.

This species or *E. polystachion* is to be found in many bogs and boggy meadows around Ottawa, but our two herbarium sheets are both *E. viridi-carinatum*, Casselman, Ont., Nos. 32,267 and 61,152; in a swamp half a mile north of Tetreauville, Que. (*John Macoun*.)

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