

THE GENUS *GERANIUM* L. (*GERANIACEAE*) IN NORTH AMERICA. I. ANNUAL SPECIES

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Resumen

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Se revisan las especies anuales de *Geranium* de Norteamérica al norte de México. Se aceptan once especies de las cuales seis pertenecen al subg. *Geranium* y cinco al subg. *Robertium*. *Geranium bicknelli*, *G. carolinianum*, y *G. texanum* son las únicas especies autóctonas, mientras que *G. aequale*, *G. columbinum*, *G. dissectum*, *G. lucidum*, *G. molle*, *G. pusillum*, *G. robertianum* y *G. rotundifolium* fueron introducidas desde el Viejo Mundo. *Geranium sphaerospermum*, a veces aceptado en la literatura reciente, es considerado como sinónimo de *G. carolinianum*. Se revisa la nomenclatura de todas las especies y se designan ocho lectotípos. Se incluyen descripciones completas, una clave, mapas de distribución e ilustraciones.

Palabras clave: *Geranium*, *Geraniaceae*, taxonomía, tipificación, Norteamérica.

Abstract

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Annual species of *Geranium* from North America north of Mexico are revised. Eleven species are accepted, of which six belong in subg. *Geranium* and five belong in subg. *Robertium*. *Geranium bicknelli*, *G. carolinianum*, and *G. texanum* are the only native species, whereas *G. aequale*, *G. columbinum*, *G. dissectum*, *G. lucidum*, *G. molle*, *G. pusillum*, *G. robertianum*, and *G. rotundifolium* were introduced from the Old World. *Geranium sphaerospermum*, sometimes accepted in current literature, is considered to be a synonym of *G. carolinianum*. Nomenclature for all species is reviewed, and eight lectotypes are designated. Descriptions, key, distribution maps, and illustrations are included.

Key words: *Geranium*, *Geraniaceae*, taxonomy, typification, North America.

INTRODUCTION

The genus *Geranium* L. (*Geraniaceae*) is distributed throughout most of the world. A brief history of generic delimitation and infrageneric classification, as well as a description of the genus, can be found in AEDO

(1996). *Geranium* comprises about 430 species and is divided, according to the currently accepted classification (YEO, 1984), into three subgenera: subg. *Geranium*, subg. *Erodioidea* (Picard) Yeo, and subg. *Robertium* (Picard) Rouy. Only subgenus *Erodioidea* has been monographed recently (AEDO, 1996). *Ger-*

nium subg. *Geranium* comprises over 380 species, grouped in at least 10 sections. Some of these sections have been revised (DAVIS, 1970; CARLQUIST & BISSING, 1976), but much more work is necessary to attain a satisfactory knowledge of subgenus *Geranium*. According to YEO's (1984) sectional classification, subgenus *Robertium* comprises eight sections and 30 species. Some of these sections have also been revised (YEO, 1973; YEO, 1992; AEDO & al., 1998a). A world checklist of the genus (AEDO & al., 1998b) summarises recent advances in classification, as well as provides an account of accepted species, and their distribution.

An early study of *Geranium* in North America was made by TRELEASE (1888), who recognised seven annual species and eight perennial ones. After that, many regional treatments of the genus were carried out. A comprehensive approach was published by HANKS & SMALL in 1907. In this revision 64 species of *Geranium* are recognised as North American Flora, including 13 annuals. It should be noted that these authors included Mexico in their account. FERNALD (1935) studied *G. carolinianum* and allies, some of them perennials. This author focused his account in *G. bicknellii* and *G. carolinianum*, and described two new taxa.

KARTESZ (1998) indicates the presence in Illinois of *G. divaricatum* Ehrh. as "possible but unconfirmed". I was not able to find any specimen of this species from America. *Geranium divaricatum* belongs to sect. *Divaricata*, which is characterised by its inoperative fruit-discharge mechanism and its cotyledons with incised margin. The most distinctive feature of this species is the transversely ribbed mericarp, which has thin walls and no longitudinal crest (fig. 18b; AEDO & al., 1998a).

The area covered in this paper includes North America north of Mexico plus Greenland, since this study has been carried out for Flora of North America project, which includes the above mentioned area. The study of *Geranium* from North America has been divided in two parts for operative reasons. The first part, here presented, includes annual

and biennial species. A second paper in preparation will revise perennial species (ten native and ten introduced), most of them belonging to subg. *Geranium*. The aim of the whole study is to provide a comprehensive and modern taxonomic synthesis of *Geranium* for this area.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

This revision is based on more than 2500 herbarium specimens from the following herbaria: ALA, BM, BRIT, CAN, CAS, COI, CTES, DAO, DUKE, F, G, GA, GH, ILL, IND, K, KE, KY, MA, MICH, MIN, MO, MONTU, MOR, MSC, NA, NDG, NY, OKL, OSC, P, PH, QFA, RENO, S, TEX, VEN, VT, W, WIS, and WVA. Furthermore, microfiches, photographs, and other data have been examined from LINN, and NDG. Curators from ANSM, COLO, CS, DWC, FWVA, ILLS, KSC, MEXU, MONT, NCU, NEB, NMC, TEN, UAT, URV and UWL kindly answered our petition, but they did not find any of the requested specimens in their herbaria.

The three native species (*G. bicknellii*, *G. carolinianum* and *G. texanum*) have been more thoroughly studied in some aspects such as morphology, synonymy, and distribution.

In those native species a search of micromorphological characters has been carried out by scanning electron microscopy (SEM). Samples were glued to aluminium stubs, coated with 40-50 nm gold, and examined with a JEOL-TSM T330A scanning electron microscope at 15 kV.

For introduced species only synonyms described from North America are indicated, while a comprehensive synonymy is provided for natives ones.

For the three native *Geranium* maps cover the total range of the each species including North America and other areas where they have been introduced. For the introduced species maps are restricted to its North American area.

KEY TO THE SPECIES

1. Fertile stamens 5 **9. *G. pusillum***
1. Fertile stamens 10.
 2. Sepals with lengthwise keels and transverse flaps between these **10. *G. lucidum***
 2. Sepals smooth.
 3. Mericarps reticulate.
 4. Mericarps without collars at apex, transversely wrinkled **8. *G. molle***
 4. Mericarps with 1-2(3) collar-like rings round the apex, reticulate **..... 11. *G. robertianum***
 3. Mericarps smooth.
 5. Mericarps with a basal prong, without callus **6. *G. dissectum***
 5. Mericarps without a basal prong, with callus.
 6. Mericarps glabrous on most of the surface, densely ciliate at the base **7. *G. aequale***
 6. Mericarps hairy on most of the surface.
 7. Fruit rostrum with a narrowed apex 2-6 mm long.
 8. Peduncles without glandular hairs **4. *G. columbinum***
 8. Peduncles with glandular hairs.
 9. Leaves divided more than 0.85 of their length **1. *G. bicknellii***
 9. Leaves divided for 0.50-0.65 of their length **..... 5. *G. rotundifolium***
 7. Fruit rostrum with a narrowed apex less than 2 mm long.
 10. Pedicels with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs, sometimes with retrorse, not appressed eglandular hairs; mericarps densely hairy, with hairs 0.5-1.8 mm long **..... 2. *G. carolinianum***
 10. Pedicels with retrorse, appressed eglandular hairs; mericarps sparsely hairy, with hairs 0.2-0.7 mm long **3. *G. texanum***

TAXONOMY

I. Geranium subg. Geranium

Fruit of "seed-ejection-type" with seeds actively discharged by the explosive recoiling of the awn, which remains together with the mericarp attached to the columella; mericarps with basal callus or prong.

1. *Geranium bicknellii* Britton in Bull. Torrey Bot. Club 24: 92 (1897)

G. nemorale var. *bicknellii* (Britton) Fernald in Rhodora 43: 35 (1941), nom. illeg.

Ind. loc.: "Nova Scotia (?) Maine to Western Ontario and southern New York"

Typus: U.S.A. New York, Van Cortlandt Park, 23 June 1895, *Bicknell* s.n. (lectotype, here designated, NY!)

= *G. carolinianum* var. *longipes* S. Watson, Botany [fortieth parallel]: 50 (1871); *G. longipes* (S. Watson) Goode in Bot. Gaz. (Crawfordsville) 37: 56 (1904), nom. illeg., non DC. (1824); *G. bicknellii* var. *longipes* (S. Watson) Fernald in Rhodora 37: 297 (1935)

Ind. loc.: "This form also frequent in California and is 111 Parry from Colorado. (206)"

Typus: U.S.A. Colorado, head-waters of Clear Creek and the alpine ridges lying east of Middle Park, 1861, *Parry* 111 (lectotype, here designated, MO!) [see also FERNALD, 1935: 297]

= *G. nemorale* Suksd. in Deutsche Bot. Monatsschr. 16: 222 (1898)

Ind. loc.: "Im westl. Teil von Klickitat-County, 10. Juni 1891 und früher (1880); in Spokane-County, 1889; in Skamania-County, 1894; und auch bei Milwaukee in Oregon, Juli 1893"

Typus: U.S.A. Washington, Klickitat Co., 10 June 1891, *Suksdorf* 2028 (lectotype, here designated, MO!; *isolectotype*, F!) [see also FERNALD, 1935: 297]

Herbs, annual, 15-50 cm tall. Stem erect or decumbent, usually branched from the base, pilose, with glandular and eglandular, patent hairs 0.1-0.85 mm long. Basal leaves in a ± deciduous rosette; lamina 2.5-6.4 × 3.2-

7.1 cm, polygonal in outline, palmatifid –divided for 0.85–0.95 of its length–, pilose, with eglandular, appressed hairs; segments 5(7), rhombic, 1-2(5) mm wide at the base, 5-11-lobed in distal half –ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.29-0.42–; lower cauline leaves alternate, median and upper opposite; petioles to 9 cm long, with patent, eglandular and glandular hairs 0.2-0.85 mm long; stipules 5-9 × 1-2 mm, lanceolate, with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially. Cymules (1)2(3)-flowered, not in dense aggregates at the top of each branch; peduncles (0)1-4(7) cm long, pilose, with glandular and eglandular, patent hairs 0.1-1 mm long; bracteoles 5-6 × 1 mm, lanceolate, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 1-2.5 cm long, pilose, with glandular and eglandular, patent hairs 0.1-1 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together often overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 4-6 × 2-2.5 mm –ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 0.37-0.53–, smooth, accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 0.5-2 mm long), with scarious margins 0.1-0.2 mm wide, with glandular and eglandular hairs 0.2-0.6 mm long on the abaxial side (mainly on the nerves), glabrous on the adaxial side. Petals 4-6 × 2-3 mm, emarginate (with notch 0.5 mm deep), without claw, glabrous on the adaxial side, ciliate on the basal margin, pale purple. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 3-4 mm long, lanceolate, glabrous except for some cilia on the proximal half; anthers 0.5-0.6 × 0.2 mm, dark bluish. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium ca. 5 mm long. Fruit 21-25 mm long; mericarps 3-3.5 × 2 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, without longitudinal rib, with a basal callus, covering the seed completely, with eglandular, antrorse hairs 0.4-0.9 mm long, blackish; rostrum 16-21 mm long, with a narrowed apex 3.5-4.5 mm long, with patent, eglandular hairs ca. 0.1 mm long, and patent, glandular hairs 0.2-0.3 mm long; stigmatic remains ca. 1 mm long, with 5 hairy lobes. Seeds 1.6-1.7 × 0.9-1 mm, pitted, reddish, the

hilum 1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 52$.

Flowering January-August. Open woods, clearings and disturbed areas; 800-2300 m. Canada and U.S.A.; introduced in Venezuela (Fig. 2).

Illustrations. Figs. 1, 3a, 3d, 4a, 4d; HOLMGREN (1998: 340 fig. 8).

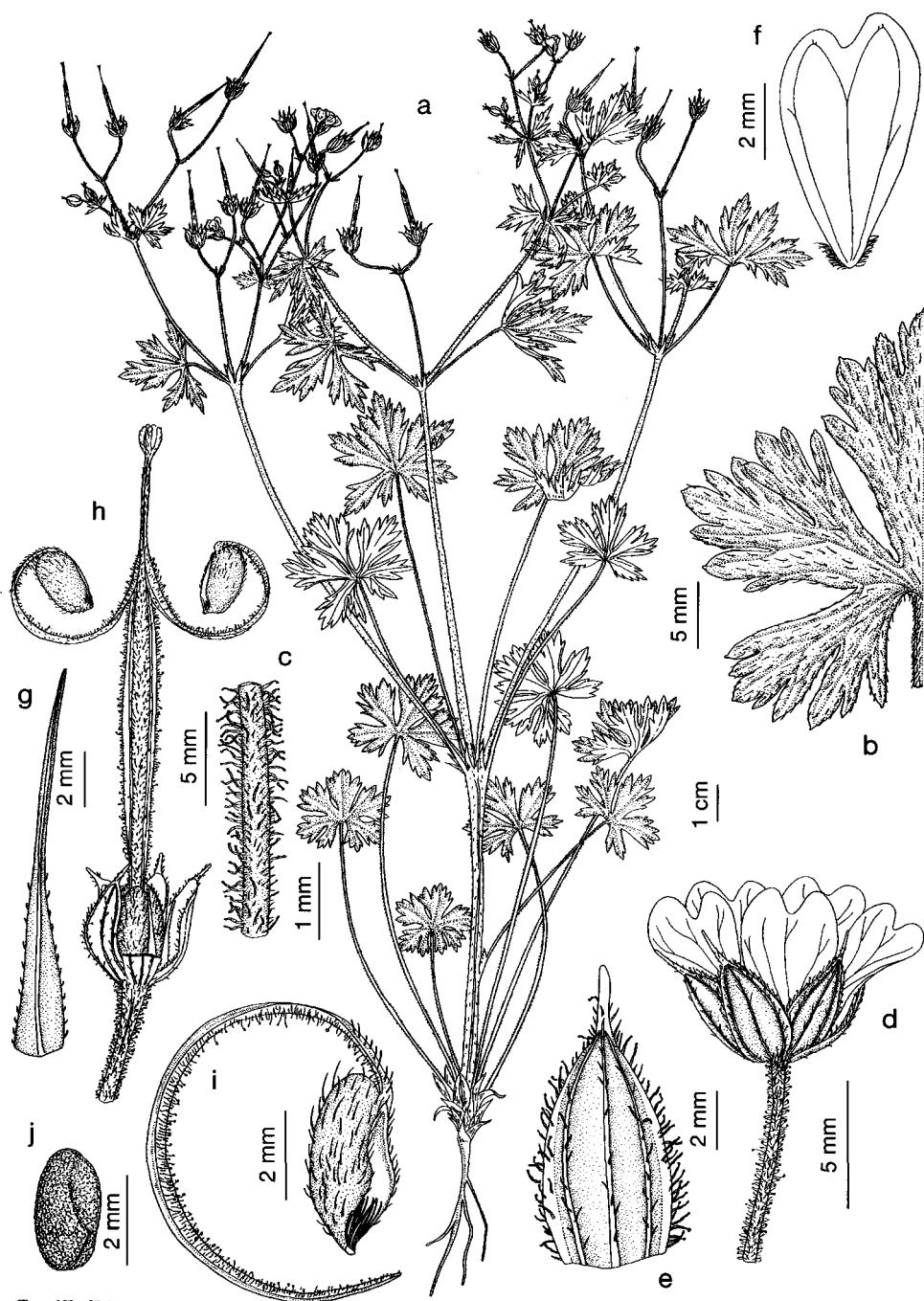
This species may be separated from *G. carolinianum* and *G. texanum* by its long narrowed apex of the fruit rostrum. These three annuals, native of North America, share the accrescent calyx and the blackish mericarps. The first character suggests a relation with *G. columbinum*. This is also supported by the form of calyx, which is similar in the four species. However, chromosome numbers ($2n = 18$ in the case of *G. columbinum* and $2n = 52$ in *G. bicknellii* and *G. carolinianum*) do not support a close relationship among the European and the American species.

The blackish mericarps of *G. bicknellii* (and allies) are similar to *G. bohemicum* L., which could be a pyrophyte adaptation. MILBERG (1994) suggested that *G. bohemicum* can emerge from a bank of long-lived seeds after forest fires. ABRAMS & DICKMANN (1984) indicated a heat requirement for germination of buried seed of *G. bicknellii*. However, the different morphology of the fruit (in *G. bohemicum* there is no callus) suggests that it was acquired independently.

Geranium bicknellii shows a pollen grain with great variation in size supratectal elements, including gemmae. It is similar to many *Geranium* species according to BORTENSCHLAGER (1967), VERHOEVEN & VENTER (1992), and STAFFORD & BLACKMORE (1991).

KNUTH (1912: 54) recorded this species from Mexico: "bei San Luis Potosí (Schaffner, Fl. Mexic. N. 188! Herb. Schaffner n. 459!)". Later, MOORE (1943) identified Schaffner's collection as *G. kerberi* R. Knuth.

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. bicknellii* have not



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Fig. 1.—*Geranium bicknellii*: a, habit; b, leaf; c, peduncle; d, flower; e, sepal; f, petal; g, staminal filament; h, fruit; i, mericarp; j, seed. a-g, Gorman 6129 (NY); h-j, Christ & Smith 15221 (NY).

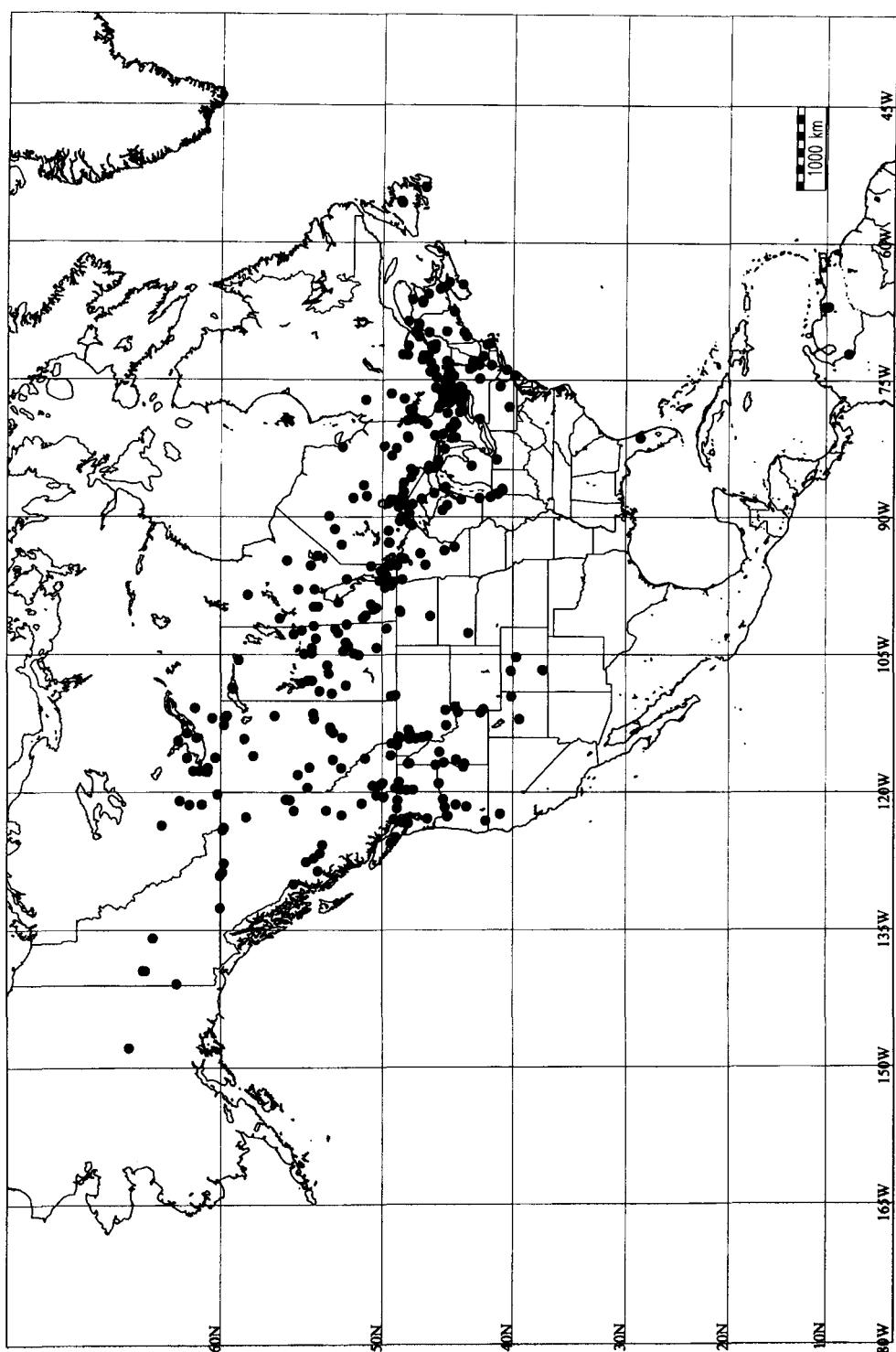


Fig. 2.—Distribution of *Geranium bicknellii*.

been studied: Connecticut (SEYMOUR, 1969: 367), Iowa (EILERS & ROOSA, 1994: 98), Missouri (KARTESZ, 1998), Tennessee (WOFFORD & KRAL, 1993: 45), Virginia (KARTESZ, 1998), and West Virginia (STRAUSBAUGH & CORE, 1978: 586).

Representative specimens examined

CANADA. ALBERTA: Beaverlodge, 55°11'N, 119°29'W, 18-VI-1971, *Henn* 88 (DAO); Brazeau National Forest, forest road between Cadomin and Hinton, 53°2'N, 117°20'W, 29-VIII-1957, *Porsild* 20852 (CAN); Bruderheim, 53°45'N, 112°51'W, 18-VIII-1952, *Boivin* & al. 10190 (DAO); Cameron Lake, 49°1'N, 114°4'W, 17-VII-1953, *Breitung* 16135 (F); Crow's Nest Forest reserve, 49°38'N, 114°42'W, 10-VIII-1915, *Malte* 216 (CAN); Eastern edge of Caribou Mountain plateau, 58°54'N, 114°9'W, 23-VII-1930, *Raup* 2811 (CAN). BRITISH COLUMBIA: Lumby, 50°15'N, 118°58'W, 14-VI-1955, *Lindsay* & *Woodbury* 1071 (DAO); 10 mi NW of Houston along road to Smithers, 54°24'N, 126°40'W, 12-VII-1954, *Calder* & al. 12864 (DAO); 5 mi NNE of Gateway, 51°40'N, 121°13'W, 15-VI-1953, *Calder* & *Savile* 9228 (DAO); 5 mi SSE of town of Burns Lake, 54°14'N, 125°45'W, 23-VII-1954, *Calder* & al. 13463 (DAO); Agassiz, 49°14'N, 121°46'W, 2-VI-1931, *Groh* s.n. (DAO); Armstrong, 50°27'N, 119°14'W, 20-VI-1910, *Davidson* s.n. (DAO); Cathedral Park, Ashnola Road, mi 33, 49°28'N, 122°58'W, 21-VII-1976, *Hainault* 7929 (DAO). MANITOBA: Brokenhead, 50°4'N, 95°29'W, 21-VI-1952, *Mosquin* 194 (DAO); Churchill, Gilliam, 56°25'N, 94°45'W, 29-VII-1950, *Schofield* 1285 (DAO); Churchill, The Pas, Indian Reserve, 58°42'N, 98°28'W, 27-VII-1955, *Krivda* 1594 (DAO); Cross Lake, Whitemud Falls, 54°44'N, 97°52'W, 7-VII-1948, *Scoggan* 3512 (CAN); Duck Mountain prov. Park by Hwy 366, 5 mi S of Baldy Mtn, 51°35'N, 101°0'W, 12-VII-1971, *Longton* 3206 (DAO); Duck Mountain, Swan river, 51°35'N, 101°0'W, 28-VIII-1967, *Baldwin* 11577 (QFA); Grand Rapids, Lake Winnipeg, 53°12'N, 99°18'W, 5-VIII-1948, *Scoggan* 4358 (CAN); Herb Lake, between Laguna and Ferro Mines, 54°46'N, 99°46'W, 7-VIII-1949, *Scoggan* 6500 (QFA). NEW BRUNSWICK: Albert, 45°45'N, 64°47'W, (DAO); North Co., 5 mi E of Popple Depot, 47°24'N, 66°20'W, 13-VII-1960, *Cater* s.n. (DAO); Northumberland Co., 15 mi S of Newcastle, 47°0'N, 65°34'W, 22-VIII-1956, *Scoggan* 13515 (CAN); Westmoreland Co., 24 mi W of Berry Mills, 46°7'N, 65°0'W, 30-VII-1953, *Bassett* & G.A. *Mulligan* 2947 (DAO). NEWFOUNDLAND I: 15 mille N of Placentia Juntion, 47°14'N, 53°58'W, 10-VIII-1894, *Robinson* & *Schrenk* s.n. (MO); Exploits River, Bishop's Falls, 49°1'N, 55°29'W, 23-VII-1988, *Bouchard* & al. 88197 (CAN); Grand Falls, near Paragon hotel, 48°56'N, 55°41'W, 26-VI-1958, *Rouleau* 4465 (CAN). NORTHWEST TERRITORIES: Entreprise Mackenzie river Highway, pr. Kakisa lake, 60°56'N, 117°43'W, 10-VII-1959, *Thieret* & *Reich* 5097 (CAN); Great Slave Lake, 61°30'N, 114°0'W, 3-VIII-1961, *Thieret* & *Reich* 8385 (F); 5 mi SE of Trainor Lake, 60°23'N, 120°12'W,

12-VIII-1973, *Reid* 770 (CAN); Mackenzie, 1 mi NE of MacKenzie River opposite Fort Simpson, 61°52'N, 121°22'W, 26-VI-1961, *Cody* & *Spicer* 11327 (DAO); along the Mackenzie river-Yellowknife Hwy, mile 98.5, 62°0'N, 116°15'W, 26-VII-1961, *Thieret* & *Reich* 8159 (DAO). NOVA SCOTIA: Cumberland Co., New Prospect, 45°26'N, 64°16'W, 26-VI-1953, *Schofield* 3134 (DAO); Lunenburg Co., Bridgewater, 44°23'N, 64°31'W, 18-VIII-1921, *Ferland* & B. Long 24083 (CAN). ONTARIO: Albany River, Martin Falls, 51°32'N, 86°30'W, 18-VIII-1952, *Dutilly* & al. 30501 (QFA); Algoma, Gros Cap, 46°32'N, 84°36'W, 29-VI-1976, *Riley* & *Hoy* 3039 (DAO); Algoma, Mamainse Pt., 47°0'N, 84°45'W, 13-VII-1935, *Taylor* & al. 1321 (CAN); vicinity of Michipicoten Harbour, 48°0'N, 85°0'W, 25-VI-1938, *Hosie* & al. 1326 (MO); Algoma, St Joseph Island, 46°15'N, 83°46'W, 2-VIII-1954, *Jenkins* & *Nott* 4959 (DAO); Algonquin Park, 1 mi S of Petawawa River, 45°55'N, 77°15'W, 11-VI-1970, *Brunton* 312 (DAO); Arnprior, 45°26'N, 76°21'W, 3-VI-1949, *Lindsay* & *Thompson* 42 (DAO); Big Trout Lake, 53°49'N, 89°53'W, 2-VIII-1956, *Hustich* 1694 (CAN); Bruce Co., creek out of Gillies Lake, 45°12'N, 81°20'W, 16-VI-1979, *Derbyshire* 759 (DAO); Bruce Peninsula, 44°55'N, 81°15'W, 1956, *Launden* s.n. (DAO); Carleton Co., 1 mile N of Harwood Plains, 45°20'N, 75°35'W, 3-VII-1947, *Dore* & *Calder* 47-246 (MO). QUEBEC: 35 mi N de Senneterre, 48°44'N, 77°3'W, 28-VII-1957, *Dutilly* & *Lepage* 35068 (QFA); Abitibi Co., Hébécourt, 48°30'N, 79°25'W, 29-VII-1980, *Gauvin* & al. 80-307 (CAN); Abitibi, lac Malartic, 48°9'N, 78°9'W, 12-VII-1927, *Fortier* & *Chauvet* 239 (DAO); Bonaventure Co., Carleton, 48°8'N, 66°10'W, 23-VII-1904, *Collins* & al. 4377 (F); Cap aux Corbeaux, 47°58'N, 69°46'W, 19-VII-1936, *Gosselin* 36232 (QFA); Cascades, 45°35'N, 75°52'W, 31-IX-1930, *Rolland* 16053 (F); Charlevoix Co., Saint-Pamphile, 46°58'N, 69°47'W, 21-VII-1937, *Boivin* 1430 (DAO); Châteauguay Co., Cairnside, 46°43'N, 71°15'W, 3-VI-1961, *Cinq-Mars* s.n. (QFA); Chelsea, 45°30'N, 75°47'W, 6-VI-1901, *Fletcher* s.n. (DAO); Chicoutimi Co., Chicoutimi, 46°28'N, 71°6'W, 27-VI-1933, *Anselme* 1057 (DAO); Chicoutimi Co., St-Ambroise, 48°28'N, 71°16'W, 18-VI-1970, *Bouchard* 70-551 (DAO); Deux-Montagnes Co., La Trappe, 46°52'N, 74°4'W, 4-VII-1943, *Louis-Marie* s.n. (MA); Deux-Montagnes Co., Papineauville, 45°37'N, 75°2'W, VI-1937, *Desile* s.n. (QFA). SASKATCHEWAN: 10 mi W of Saint Walburg, 53°39'N, 109°12'W, 8-VIII-1972, *Looman* 17904 (QFA); 3 mi W of McKague, 52°37'N, 103°56'W, *Breitung* 1233 (DAO); 45 mi N of Green Lake, 54°54'N, 107°49'W, 10-VI-1972, *Harms* 18723 (DAO); Battleford, 52°44'N, 108°19'W, 4-VII-1911, *Robbins* s.n. (DAO); Big River, 53°50'N, 107°1'W, 1-X-1939, *Groh* 1171 (DAO); Bjorkdale, 52°43'N, 103°39'W, 1942, *Hart* s.n. (DAO); Cypress Hills Park, 49°40'N, 109°31'W, 8-VII-1947, *Breitung* 4470 (MO); Sulphide Lake, 55°22'N, 104°54'W, 3-X-1941, *Hart* 3-15 (DAO); Uranium City, 59°35'N, 108°35'W, 13-VIII-1966, *Cody* 16193 (DAO); Wallwort, 52°33'N, 104°3'W, 4-VII-1936, *Breitung* s.n. (NA); Wapawekka Hills, 54°53'N, 104°16'W, 28-VII-1980, *Harms* 28979 (DAO). YUKON: 13 km NW of Beaver Creek, 62°30'N, 140°51'W,

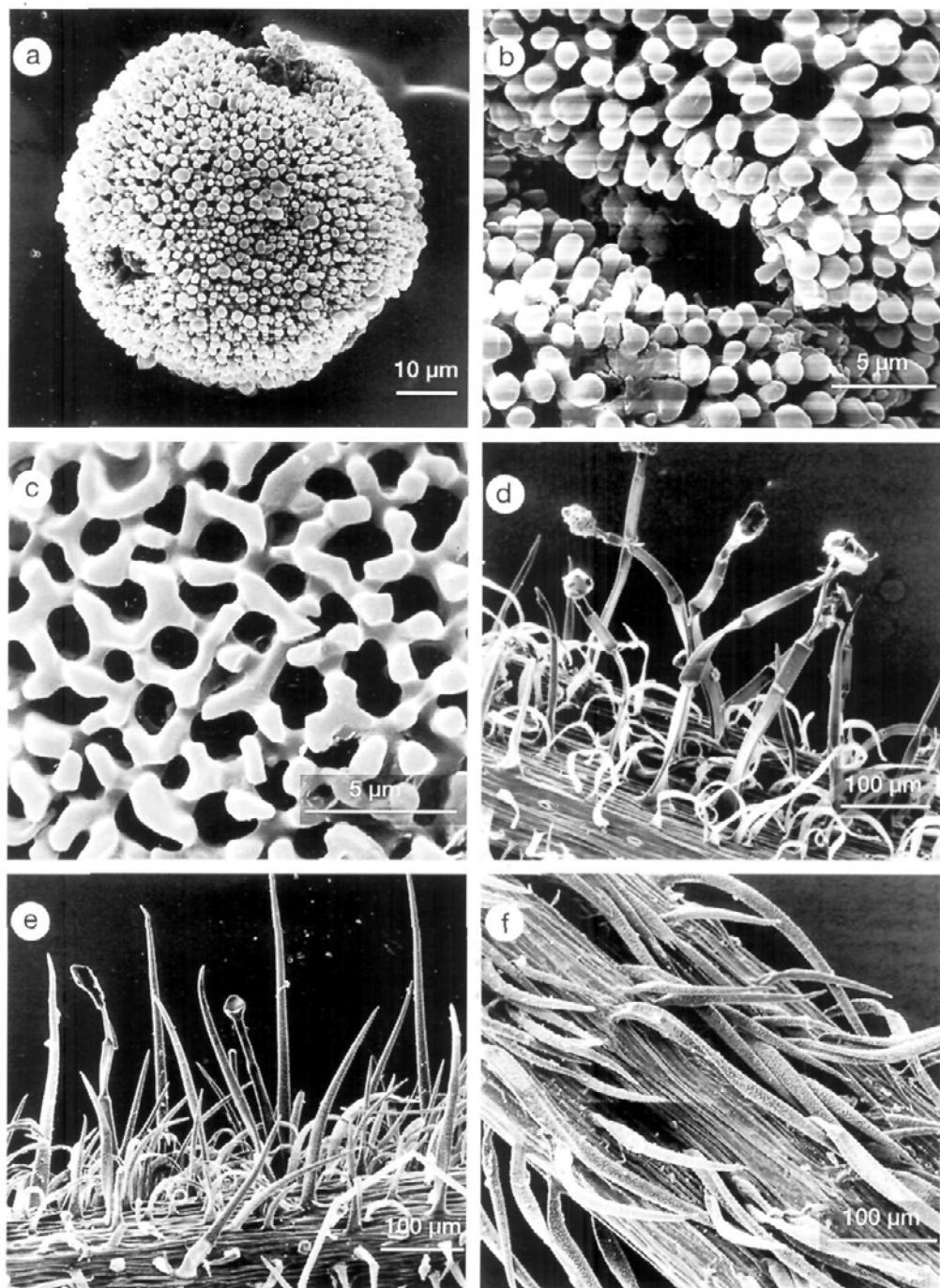


Fig. 3.—Pollen SEM photomicrographs of: a, *Geranium bicknellii* [Lepage 36046 (QFA)]; b, *G. carolinianum* [McCoy 1662 (NY)]; c, *G. texanum* [Cory 487 (GH)]. Pedicels SEM photomicrographs of: d, *G. bicknellii* [Cousineau 43581 (QFA)]; e, *G. carolinianum* [Nelson 8203 (NY)]; f, *G. texanum* [Carr 11692 (TEX)].

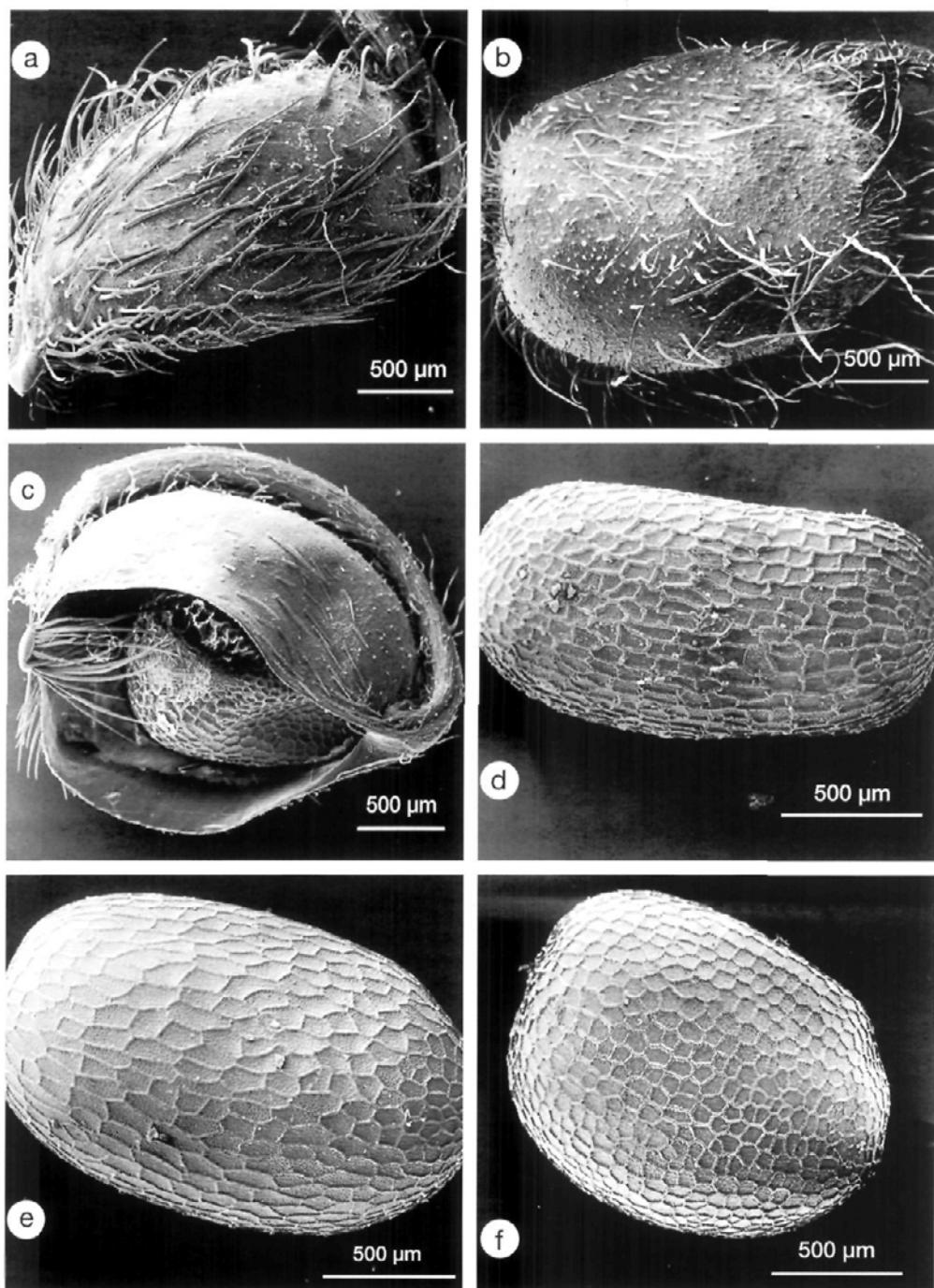


Fig. 4.—Mericarps SEM photomicrographs of: a, *Geranium bicknellii* [Cousineau 43581 (QFA)]; b, *G. carolinianum* [Nelson 8903 (NY)]; c, *G. texanum* [Thierei 33007 (GH)]. Seeds SEM photomicrographs of: d, *G. bicknellii* [Dickson 11577 (QFA)]; e, *G. carolinianum* [Nelson 8903 (NY)]; f, *G. texanum* [Thierei 33007 (GH)].

6-VI-196, *Bennett* 97-30 (DAO); 2 mi S of West Dawson on road to Sunnydale, 64°3'N, 139°25'W, 30-VI-1949, *Calder & Billard* 3400 (DAO); Columbia Gas Plant, Site E-37, 60°6'N, 124°7'W, 26-VIII-1980, *Smith* 9 (DAO); contact Creek Esso Station, Alaska Hwy km 949, 60°1'N, 127°44'W, 9-VII-1983, *Cody* 32477 (DAO); Dawson, S slope of Moosehide Mountain, 64°10'N, 139°23'W, 19-VII-1949, *Calder & Billard* 3783 (DAO); La Biche River, 60°1'N, 123°54'W, 15-VI-1995, *Bennett* 95230 (DAO).

U.S.A. ALASKA: College, 64°51'N, 147°48'W, 27-VII-1931, *Anderson* 1270 (NA). CALIFORNIA: Siskiyou Co., Deetz Station near Black Butte, 41°21'N, 122°22'W, 26-VIII-1914, *Heller* 11715 (MO). COLORADO: Headwaters of Clear Creek and the alpine ridges lying east of Middle Park, 37°48'N, 106°40'W, 1861, *Parry* 111 (MO); Juleh, Boulder, 40°0'N, 105°16'W, 24-VII-1906, *Daniels s.n.* (MO); Routh Co., Fish Creek Falls, 40°28'N, 106°46'W, 21-VII-1903, *Gooding* 1646 (NY). FLORIDA: Volusia Co., De Land, 29°1'N, 81°18'W, *Harkness s.n.* (MO). IDAHO: Adams Co., Starkey, 44°51'N, 116°26'W, 24-VIII-1941, *Christ* 12944 (NY); Bonner Co., Coolin, 48°28'N, 116°50'W, 6-VII-1946, *Christ & Smith* 15221 (NY); Caribou Co., Williamsburg, 42°56'N, 111°15'W, 3-VII-1978, *Shultz & Shultz* 2710 (NY); Idaho Co., Selway River, 46°8'N, 115°35'W, 2-VII-1941, *Davis* 3759 (NY); Lewiston, 46°25'N, 117°1'W, 31-V-1892, *Sandberg & al.* 279 (NY). ILLINOIS: Cook Co., Braeside, 42°9'N, 87°46'W, 9-VIII-1925, *Benke* 4120 (F); Cook Co., Glencoe, 42°8'N, 87°45'W, 20-VIII-1912, *Sherff* 1734 (MO). INDIANA: Clarke, 41°37'N, 87°24'W, 20-VI-1895, *Beb* 85 (F); Lake Co., 1 mi S of Griffith, 41°31'N, 87°25'W, 12-VII-1920, *Deam* 31631 (IND); Pulaski Co., 3 mi SW of San Pierre, 41°12'N, 86°53'W, 26-VI-1930, *Deam* 48970 (IND); Starke Co., 3 mi N of Ora, 41°10'N, 86°63'W, 14-VII-1920, *Deam* 31855 (IND). OHIO: Lucas Co., Todd, 41°39'N, 83°40'W, 28-VI-1984, *Hardin s.n.* (KE). MAINE: Androscoggin Co., Auburn, 44°5'N, 70°13'W, VIII-1898, *Merrill s.n.* (NY); Augusta, 44°18'N, 69°46'W, *Robbins s.n.* (NY); Lake Mosehead, 45°38'N, 69°40'W, 28-VIII-1871, *Portier s.n.* (NY); Washington Co., 45°0'N, 67°30'W, 9-VII-1909, *Wiegand* 403 (NY). MASSACHUSETTS: Berkshire Co., Bartholomew's Cobble, near Sheffield, 42°6'N, 73°21'W, 23-VI-1924, *Freeman s.n.* (NA); Blue Hills, W Quincy, 42°15'N, 71°0'W, 17-VI-1891, *Churchill s.n.* (MO); Stoneham, 42°28'N, 71°6'W, 1879, *Churchill s.n.* (MO). MICHIGAN: Delta Co., Burnt Bluff, 45°41'N, 86°42'W, 10-VIII-1934, *Hermann* 6314 (NA); Keweenaw Co., Lake Glazon, 47°28'N, 88°0'W, 28-VI-1936, *Hermann* 7747 (MO); Marquette Co., Marquette, 46°32'N, 87°23'W, 2-VII-1916, *Dodge* 167 (NY); Midland Co., Sanford, 43°40'N, 84°22'W, 23-VI-1928, *Dreisbach* 5850 (NY). MINNESOTA: Clearwater Co., Itasca Park, 47°11'N, 95°12'W, 1-VIII-1929, *Grant* 2981 (MO); Crow Co., Gull Lake, 48°9'N, 90°53'W, 19-VII-1946, *Chandler* 2881 (MO); Itasca Co., roadside at McDonald's, N of Inger, 47°33'N, 93°59'W, 29-VII-1927, *Johnson* 2272 (MO); Lancaster city, Penna, 48°51'N, 96°48'W, VI-1896, *Eby s.n.* (MO); Mille Lacs Co., Milaca, 45°45'N, 93°39'W, VII-1892, *Sheldon s.n.* (MO). MONTANA: Flathead Co., 1 mille S of Columbia Falls, 48°22'N, 114°10'W, 9-VII-1942, *Rogers & Rogers*

1034 (MO); Flathead Lake, Big Fork, 47°53'N, 114°7'W, 17-VII-1908, *Clemens s.n.* (F); Gallatin Co., near Bozeman, 45°41'N, 111°1'W, 23-V-1900, *Chesnut & Jones* 154 (NA); Glacier Co., Midvale, 48°25'N, 113°10'W, 26-VI-1903, *Umbach* 165 (F); Glacier National Park, Park Creek, 48°21'N, 113°29'W, 3-VII-1934, *Piranian* 15808 (MO). NEW HAMPSHIRE: Winchester, Forest Lake, 42°46'N, 72°23'W, 13-VII-1940, *Manning s.n.* (MO). NEW JERSEY: New Jersey, 40°10'N, 74°30'W, *Knieskern s.n.* (MO). NEW YORK: Bronx Co., Bronx, Van Cortland Park, 40°51'N, 73°52'W, 23-VI-1895, *Bicknell s.n.* (NY); Essex Co., Schroon lake, 43°51'N, 73°47'W, 15-VIII-1927, *House* 15422 (MO); Herkimer Co., Little Falls, 43°2'N, 74°51'W, 4-X-1903, *Haberer* 1372 (F); Shushan, 43°5'N, 73°20'W, 22-VI-1924, *Potter s.n.* (MO); Washington Co., E side Lake George, W base of Pilot Knob, 43°37'N, 73°34'W, 3-VII-1943, *House* 28595 (MO). NORTH DAKOTA: Bottineau Co., Lake Metighose, 48°59'N, 100°21'W, 19-VIII-1891, *Wright s.n.* (NY). OREGON: Crook Co., Farewell, 44°3'N, 121°34'W, 18-VII-1894, *Leiberg* 474 (NY); Jackson Co., Wimer, 42°32'N, 123°8'W, 25-VI-1892, *Hammond* 63 (NY); Mt. Tabor, 45°30'N, 122°35'W, V-1889, *Drake & Dickson s.n.* (F); Multnomah Co., Portland, 45°31'N, 122°40'W, VI-1896, *Drake & Dickson s.n.* (F); near Snake River, 46°11'N, 119°1'W, 28-V-1901, *Cusick* 2529 (MO). PENNSYLVANIA: Huntingdon Co., Stone Valley, 40°39'N, 77°55'W, 12-VI-1920, *Gref?Jchwgol?* s.n. (NY); Lackawanna Co., Scranton, 41°24'N, 75°39'W, 19-VI-1937, *Glowenke* 448 (PH). SOUTH DAKOTA: Custer, 46°48'N, 100°47'W, 30-VII-1942, *Degener* 16302 (NY); Rapid Canyon, 43°54'N, 102°37'W, 27-VII-[??], *Visher* 1576 (F). UTAH: Uinta Co., Vernal, 40°27'N, 109°31'W, 17-VII-1991, *Goodrich* 23417 (NY); Young Spring's Dugway, Uintah mts., 39°48'N, 112°0'W, 16-VII-1902, *Goodding* 1395 (MO). VERMONT: Clarendon, 43°30'N, 72°58'W, 26-VI-1899, *Eggleson* 1089 (MO); Fair Haven, 43°35'N, 73°15'W, 28-V-1916, *Knowlton s.n.* (MO); Twin Mountains, West Rutland, 43°36'N, 72°58'W, VII-1902, *Eggleson* 2902 (MO). WASHINGTON: Klickitat Co., 45°52'N, 120°46'W, 10-VI-1891, *Suksdorf* 2028 (F); Okanogan Co., along the Okanogan river, 48°5'N, 119°43'W, VII-1897, *Elmer* 527 (MO); San Juan Islands, Friday Harbor, 48°32'N, 123°0'W, 1-VIII-1917, *Zeller* 813 (MO); Skamania Co., Little White Salmon River, 45°43'N, 121°38'W, 13-V-1923, *Gorman* 6129 (NY); W of Olympia, Grangers Prairie, 47°2'N, 122°53'W, 6-VI-1905, *Townsend s.n.* (MO). WISCONSIN: Brown Co., Ashwaubenon, 44°28'N, 88°4'W, VII-1889, *Schuette s.n.* (NY); Florence Co., Nicolet Forest, 45°33'N, 88°40'W, 6-VI-1938, *Anderson & Lovin* 173 (NA); Milwaukee, 43°2'N, 87°54'W, *Lapham s.n.* (MO); Vilas Co., Eagle River, 45°55'N, 89°14'W, VII-1926, *Edmonds s.n.* (MO). WYOMING: Lincoln Co., hills E of Afton, 42°43'N, 110°55'W, 5-VII-1923, *Payson & Armstrong* 3371 (MO); Yellowstone National Park, Undine Falls, 44°56'N, 110°38'W, 6-VII-1899, *Nelson & Nelson* 5672 (MO).

VENEZUELA: En la Selva Virgen del Ávila, DF, 10°30'N, 66°55'W, 23-VIII-1937, *Vogl s.n.* (VEN); prope coloniam Tovar, 10°9'N, 66°52', V-1854, *Fendler* 142 (MO); Sabana de El Junquito, carretera a Colonia Tovar,

cabeceras de Macaras DF, 10°9'N, 66°52'W, 4-XII-1936, *Pittier* 13776 (VEN); Táchira, Jáuregui, pr. El Cobre, 8°2'N, 72°3'W, 18-VIII-1988, *Badillo & al.* 7935 (F).

2. *Geranium carolinianum* L., Sp. Pl.: 682 (1753)

G. carolinum Burm. f., Spec. Bot. Geran.: 27 (1759), orthographic variant

G. atrum Moench, Methodus: 285 (1794), nom. illeg.

G. dissectum var. *carolinianum* (L.) Hook. f., Handb. N. Zeal. Fl.: 36 (1864)

G. carolinum Crantz, Inst. Rei Herb. 2: 156 (1766), orthographic variant

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Carolina, Virginia"

Typus: U.S.A. Virginia, *Clayton* 372 (BM, photo!) [lectotype, designated by FAWCETT & RENDLE, 1920: 154]

= *G. lanuginosum* Jacq., Pl. Hort. Schoenbr. 2: 8, pl. 140 (1797), nom. illeg., non Lam. (1788)

Typus: locality and collector unknown, specimen annotated as *Hb. Jacq.* (lectotype, here designated, W!)

=? *G. lenticulum* Raf., New Fl. 2: 34 (1837)

Ind. loc.: "West Tennessee and Kentucky"

Typus: no original material found

= *G. langloisii* Greene in Pittonia 3: 171 (1897)

Ind. loc.: "A common weed in gardens and waste lands at St. Martinsville, Louisiana, where it is collected by Rev. Father Langlois, and has been distributed by him as *G. carolinianum*..."

Typus: U.S.A. Louisiana, Saint Martin Co., Saint Martinville, 4 Apr. 1892, *Langlois* s.n. (lectotype, here designated, NDG-27963!)

= *G. thermale* Rydb. in Mem. New York Bot. Gard. 1: 478 (1900)

Ind. loc.: "Montana: Lo-Lo Hot Springs, 1898, Williams & Griffith"

Typus: U.S.A. Montana, Lo-Lo Hot Springs, 1898, *Williams & Griffith* s.n. (lectotype, here designated, NY!)

= *G. sphaerospermum* Fernald in Rhodora 37: 298, tab. 372, figs. 1-5 (1935); *G. carolinianum* var. *sphaerospermum* (Fernald) Breitung in Amer. Midl. Naturalist 58: 43 (1957)

Ind. loc.: "savannahs, swales and peaty depressions in the limestone pavement,

Great Cloche Island, June 29, 1934, Ferland & Pease, no. 3405 (type in Gray Herb.)..."

Typus: Canada. Ontario, Great Cloche Island, 29 June 1934, *Ferland & Pease* 3405 (holotype, GH; isotype, K!)

= *G. carolinianum* var. *confertiflorum* Fernald in Rhodora 37: 300, tab. 374 figs. 1-6 (1935)

Ind. loc.: "Dry rocky or sandy soil, southern Maine to Wisconsin, south to Delaware, uplands of North Carolina and Tennessee, and Missouri. Type: open field, North Amherst, Lorain Co., Ohio, June 22, 1924, R. J. Webb, no. 5263 in Gray Herb."

Typus: U.S.A. Ohio, Lorain Co., North Amherst, 22 June 1924, *Webb* 5263 (holotype, GH!)

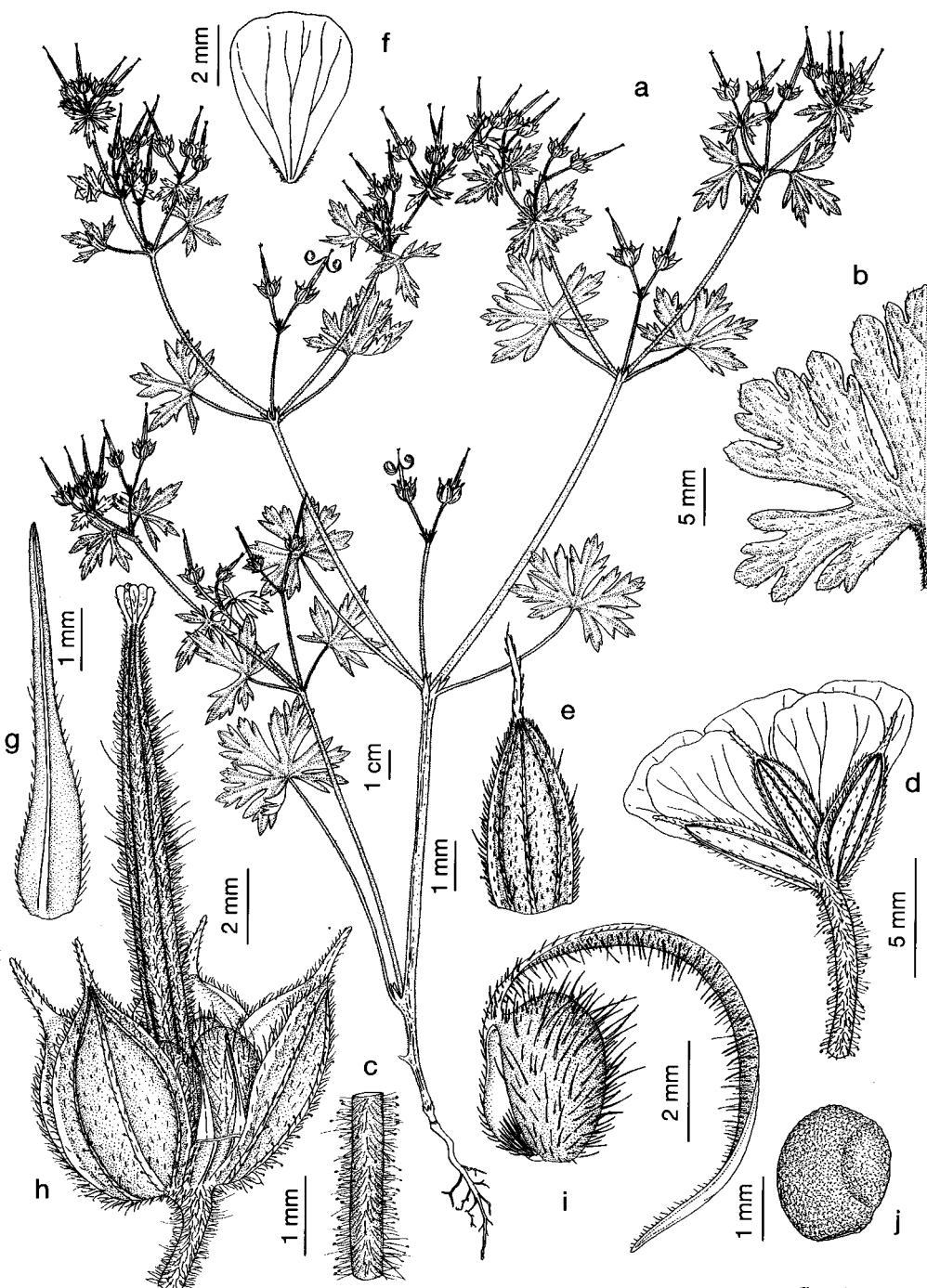
= *G. carolinianum* f. *albiflorum* B. Boivin in Naturaliste Canad. 93: 1060 (1967).

Ind. loc.: "W.J. Dore 20292, Hasting Co., E. of Belleville, Point Anne, 15 June 1963 (DAO), type"

Typus: Canada. Ontario, Hastings Co., Point Anne, 15 June 1963, *Dore* 20292 (holotype, DAO!)

G. mobile Gewez?, nom. nud., in sched. (P!)

Herbs, annual, 10-65 cm tall. Stem erect, usually branched from the base, pilose, with scattered glandular and abundant eglandular, patent –sometimes retrorse, appressed– hairs 0.2-1.1 mm long. Basal leaves in a ± deciduous rosette; lamina 2.2-6.5 × 2.5-8.5 cm, polygonal in outline, palmatifid –divided for 0.7-0.9 of its length–, pilose, with eglandular, appressed hairs; segments 5(7), rhombic, 2-5 mm wide at the base, 5-12-lobed in distal half –ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.27-0.31–; lower cauline leaves alternate, median and upper opposite; petioles to 16 cm long, with usually patent, eglandular hairs 0.2-1.1 mm long, and scattered glandular hairs; stipules 5-11 × 1.5-2 mm, lanceolate to subulate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2(3)-flowered, in dense aggregates at the top of each branch or solitary in the forks; peduncles 0-2.5(6) cm long, pilose, with glandular and



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Fig. 5.—*Geranium carolinianum*: a, habit; b, leaf; c, peduncle; d, flower; e, sepal; f, petal; g, staminal filament; h, fruit; i, mericarp; j, seed. a-c, h, Nelson 8903 (NY); d-g, McCoy 1662 (NY); i-j, Heller 5808 (MO).

eglandular, patent –sometimes ± retrorse– hairs 0.1-0.6 mm long; bracteoles 3-5 × 1 mm, lanceolate, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 0.3-1.1 cm long, pilose, with glandular and eglandular, patent –sometimes retrorse, not appressed– hairs 0.2-0.7 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together not overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 5-6.5 × 3-3.5 mm –ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 0.63-1.15, considering cymules at the top of each branch–, smooth, accrescent, 3-5-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 1.5-2 mm long), with scarious margins 0.1-0.2 mm wide, with glandular and eglandular hairs 0.1-0.6 mm long on the abaxial side, glabrous on the adaxial side. Petals 5.5-6 × 2 mm, entire, without claw, glabrous on the adaxial side, ciliate on the basal margin, pale purple. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 3-4 mm long, lanceolate to subulate, glabrous except for a some cilia on the proximal half; anthers 0.4-0.6 × 0.4-0.6 mm. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium ca. 4 mm long. Fruit 19-25 mm long; mericarps 3-4.5 × 2-2.4 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, without longitudinal rib, with a basal callus, covering the seed completely, densely hairy, with eglandular –and sometimes glandular–, antrorse hairs 0.5-1.8 mm long, blackish; rostrum 15-19 mm long, with a narrowed apex 1-2 mm long, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.1-0.8 mm long; stigmatic remains 0.7-1.4 mm long, with 5 hairy lobes. Seeds 2-2.2 × 1.7 mm, smooth to reticulate, brownish, the hilum 1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 52$.

Flowering February-August. Open woods, prairies, clearings and disturbed areas; 0-2850 m. Canada, U.S.A., and New Mexico; introduced in Asia (China, probably India, Japan), South America (Argentina, Brazil, Paraguay, probably Peru), Reunion Is., and, in some Caribbean island (Bahamas, probably Bermuda, Jamaica). Figs. 6, 7.

Illustrations. Fig. 3b, 3e, 4b, 4e, 5; CAVANILLES (1787, tab. 84 fig. 1); HOLMGREN (1998: 339 fig. 4).

A number of minor morphological variants of *G. carolinianum* have been recognised in the literature, of which the most notable seems to be *G. sphaerospermum*. According to FERNALD (1935), *G. sphaerospermum* is characterized by its 5-nerved eglandular sepals, and its subspherical seeds. However, in some cases the number of nerves per sepal varies between 3 and 5 in the same inflorescence. Additionally, glandular hairs can be restricted to the pedicels or widespread through inflorescence and stem. Finally, the seeds can be subspherical to elongated, with many intermediate forms. Considering that all these characters vary considerably but independently, *G. sphaerospermum* is here not accorded taxonomic recognition. A similar view was pointed out by McGREGOR (1986: 581).

Pollen morphology in *Geranium carolinianum* is much like that in *G. bicknellii* with great variation in size supratectal elements. It is similar to many *Geranium* species according to BORTENSCHLAGER (1967), STAFFORD & BLACKMORE (1991), and VERHOEVEN & VENTER (1992).

According to MOORE (1943: 102-103), collections from San Luis Potosí, referred to *G. carolinianum* by WATSON (1882: 334), are perennial and seem to be *G. tenue* Hanks.

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. carolinianum* have not been studied: Alaska (ANDERSON, 1959: 342), New Hampshire (SEYMOUR, 1969: 368), and Utah (WELSH & al., 1993: 352).

Representative specimens examined

ARGENTINA: Buenos Aires, Avellaneda, Dársena de Inflamables, Dock Sud, 34°39'S, 58°23'W, 24-XI-1945, *Krapovicas* 2688 (MO); Chaco, Colonia Benítez, 27°20'S, 58°56'W, X-1967, *Schulz* 16214 (CTES); Corrientes, Empedrado, Ruta 12 y acceso a Empedrado, 27°57'S, 58°48'W, 18-XI-1986, *Tressens* & al. 3230 (CTES); Corrientes, Mercedes, Río Corrientes y ruta 123, 29°12'S, 58°5'W, 4-XI-1995, *Schinini* 30385 (CTES); Delta, río Carabelas, frente recreo Tiburón, 34°3'S, 60°52'W, XI-1925, *Scala* s.n. (NY); Entre Ríos, Colón, ruta 14, desvío a Colón, 33°53'S, 61°6'W, 13-XI-1979, *Troncoso* & al. 2644 (CTES); Formosa, El Colorado, 24°48'S, 61°32'W, X-1971, *Insfrán* 932 (CTES); Misiones, San Martín, Ruiz de Montoya, 26°59'S, 55°3'W, 11-X-1995, *Torri* 256 (CTES); Tucumán,

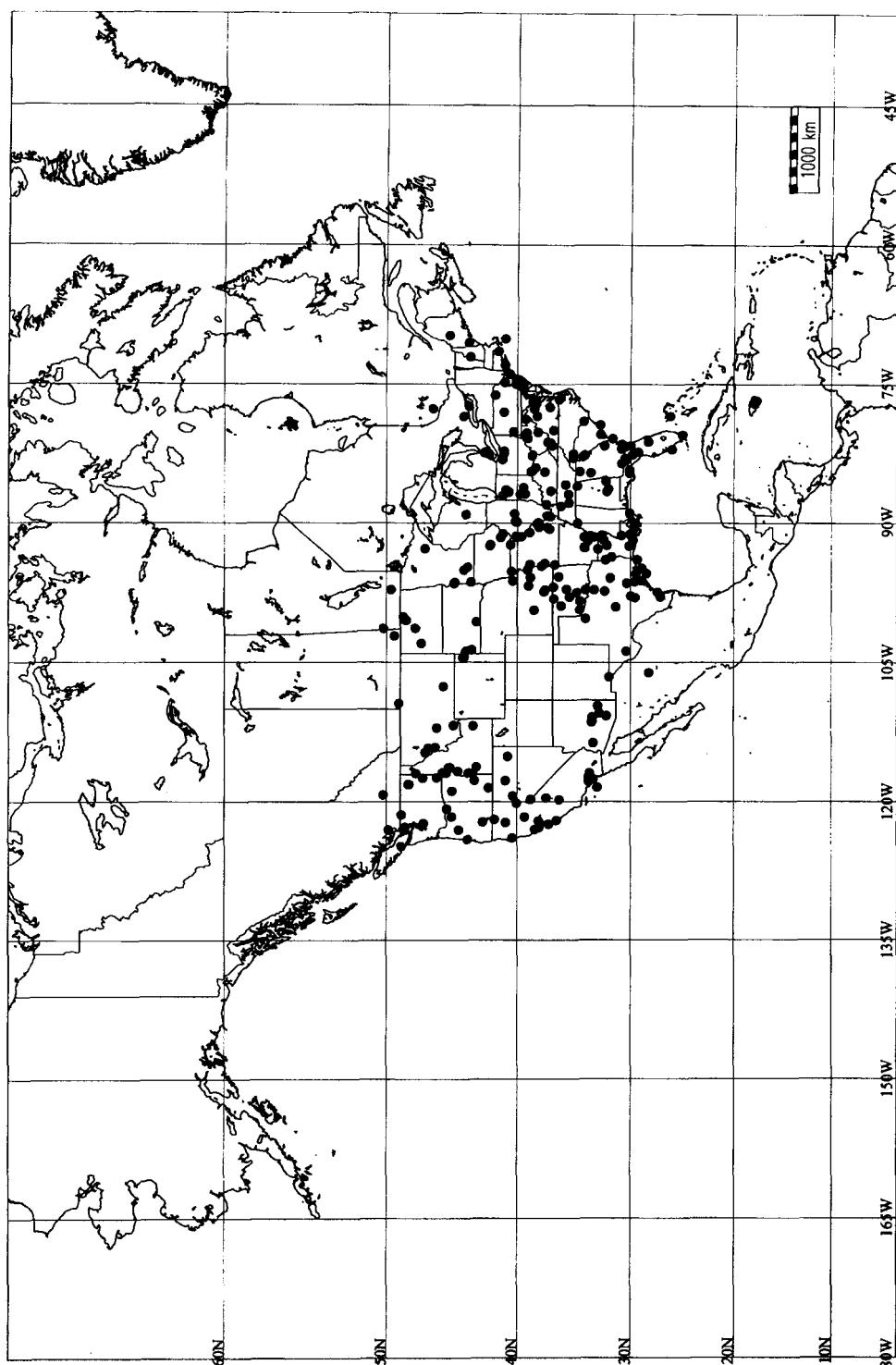


Fig. 6.-Distribution of *Geranium carolinianum* in North America.

Famailla, San Javier, Villa Nouges, 29°57'S, 63°5'W, 15-XI-1946, Sparre 690 (S).

BAHAMAS: Grand Bahama, N side of Queen's Highway, E of Freeport Airport roundabout, 26°38'N, 78°25'W, 5-IV-1980, Correll & Popenoe 51235 (F).

BRAZIL: Parana, Serra do Mar, Casa Ypiranga, 25°1'S, 50°35'W, 18-XII-1914, Dusén 16133 (F); Paraná, Serra do Mar, Ypiranga, 25°1'S, 50°35'W, 18-XII-1914, Dusén 16133 (MO); São Paulo, São Roque Linha Sorocabana, 26°25'S, 50°47'W, 28-XI-1981, Kerichi 1725 (MO).

CANADA: BRITISH COLUMBIA: Armstrong, 50°27'N, 119°14'W, VII-1909, Wilson s.n. (DAO); Chilliwack Valley, 49°10'N, 121°25'W, 27-V-1901, Spreadborough 34104 (NY); Sproat, 50°5'N, 123°2'W, 30-VI-1890, Macoun 2878a (NY); Vancouver Is., Alberni canal, 49°12'N, 124°51'W, 26-VI-1907, Rosendahl 1961 (MO). MANITOBA: Adam Lake, Turtle Mountain Provincial Park, 49°2'N, 100°4'W, 25-VII-178, Keleher 470 (DAO); Saint Lazare, W of Birtle, 50°27'N, 101°19'W, 7-VIII-1951, Scoggan 10235 (MIN); Saint-Boniface, Saint-Vital, 49°54'N, 97°7'W, 14-VII-1949, Boivin 6480 (NY). ONTARIO: Essex Co., Pointe Pelee, 42°48'N, 82°17'W, 5-VII-1936, Marie-Victorin & al. 45979 (F); Hastings Co., Point Anne, E of Belleville, 44°10'N, 77°23'W, 15-VI-1963, Dore 20292 (DAO); Peterborough Co., Harvey Twp., 1 mi E of Nogies Creek, 44°36'N, 78°29'W, 11-VII-1974, Hoy & al. 3924 (DAO). QUEBEC: Lac Constance, 46°55'N, 77°38'W, 4-VII-1922, Victorin 15912 (NY). SASKATCHEWAN: Cypress Hills Park, 49°21'N, 109°25'W, 11-VII-1947, Breitung 4654 (MO); Moose Mountain Provincial Park, Kenosee Lake, 49°42'N, 102°7'W, 21-VI-1986, Harms 35751 (DAO).

CHINA: Anhui, Qi-men, Cha-wan, 31°25'N, 118°31'E, V-1987, Yao 10208 (MO); Fujian, Nanping city, 26°38'N, 118°10'E, 12-V-1993, Guosheng 5138 (MO); Guangxi, Gui-lin city, Yanshan mt., 25°0'N, 110°16'E, 8-IV-1994, Guangzhao 13860 (MO); Guangxi, Lin-gui Co, 21°37'N, 108°46'E, 27-X-1994, Guangzhao 14428 (MO); Jiangsu, Bao-Ying Co., 33°13'N, 119°18'E, 27-V-1961, Shulu & al. 290 (MO); Jiangsu, Nanking, 32°3'N, 118°46'E, 12-V-1922, Steward 1891 (MO); Jiangxi, Jiu-jiang Co., 29°37'N, 115°53'E, 9-VI-1993, Ceming 93303 (MO); Jiangxi, Wu-ning Co., Jiuling shan mt., 28°55'N, 114°50'E, 21-IV-1994, Cun-Su 130 (MO); Nanking, 32°3'N, 118°46'E, 31-V-1931, Luh & Teng 9818 (W).

JAMAICA: Below New Castle, 18°17'N, 77°5'W, 4-II-1915, Harris 11939 (F); St. Helens Gap, St. Andrew, 18°4'N, 76°45'W, 4-III-1920, Maxon & Killip 57 (F).

JAPAN: Honshu, Hyogo, near Higashi-kakogawa station, Kakogawa-shi, 34°45'N, 134°50'E, 4-VI-1969, Kurosaki s.n. (MO); Honshu, Kyoto-fu, near Hozu-bashi, Hozu-cho, Kameoka-shi, 35°23'N, 136°42'E, 27-V-1991, Tsuguru & M. Sawada 14433 (MO).

MEXICO: Chihuahua, 28°38'N, 106°05'W, 1852, Wright s.n. (GH).

PARAGUAY: Asunción, 25°16'S, 57°40'W, X-1986, Schiniini 25269 (CTES); in arvis Caraguatay, 25°14'S, 56°49'W, Hassler 3402 (P); Misiones, Santiago, estancia La Soledad, 27°9'S, 56°47'W, 22-X-1959, Pedersen 5186 (P).

REUNION: Plaine de Palmistes, 21°7'S, 55°38'E, VI-1957, Bosser 11492 (P).

TAIWAN: Nantou, Chian-chin, 23°55'N, 120°41'E, 18-VI-1982, Kao 9767 (MO).

U.S.A. ALABAMA: Elmore Co., W of Booth on US 82 at jct. of Whitewater Ck., 32°30'N, 86°34'W, 27-IV-1979, Whetstone & al. 9636 (MO); Lee Co., Auburn, 32°36'N, 85°28'W, 6-V-1898, Earle & Baker 1613 (NY). ARIZONA: Gila Co., Sierra Ancha Mountains, 33°49'N, 110°52'W, 5-VI-1946, Gould 3587 (NY); Graham Co., Graham Mountains, below Pine Crest, 33°20'N, 109°38'W, 19-V-1935, Maguire 11462 (NY). ARKANSAS: Arkansas Co., Arkansas Post, 34°1'N, 91°20'W, 12-V-1940, Demaree 21064 (MO); Benton Co., 34°33'N, 92°35'W, 1899, Plank s.n. (NY). CALIFORNIA: Butte Co., Berry Canon, near Clear Creek, 39°40'N, 121°39'W, 8-V-1902, Heller s.n. (MO); Fresno Co., Fresno, 36°44'N, 119°46'W, 25-V-1953, Quibell 2034 (NY); Humboldt Co., 40°40'N, 123°55'W, 11-X-1914, Tracy 4633 (NY); Lassen Co., Amedee, 40°20'N, 120°8'W, 23-VI-1897, Jones s.n. (CAS) (MO). CONNECTICUT: New Haven, 41°18'N, 72°55'W, VIII-1836, Bucklen s.n. (MO). DELAWARE: Wilmington, Brandywine river, 39°44'N, 75°32'W, 14-V-1846, Leeds s.n. (F). DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: Washington, 38°55'N, 77°0'W, 20-V-1889, Churchill s.n. (MO). FLORIDA: Alachua Co., 2 mi E of Gainesville, 29°39'N, 82°19'W, 6-IV-1968, D'Arcy 2397 (MO); Dade Co., along Tennessee Road, near Florida City, 25°26'N, 80°28'W, 27-II-1977, Correll & al. 48106 (MO). GEORGIA: Brantley Co., W of Nahunta, 31°12'N, 81°58'W, 1-V-1971, Robinson s.n. (MO); Camden Co., St. Mary's R. swamp just S of Kingsland, 30°47'N, 81°41'W, 5-IV-1941, Duncan 3138 (MO). IDAHO: Boise, 43°36'N, 116°12'W, 17-VI-1911, Clark 57 (MO); Canyon Co., Falk's Store, 43°52'N, 116°57'W, 7-VI-1910, Macbride 193 (MO). ILLINOIS: Adams Co., Quincy, 39°56'N, 91°24'W, 20-VI-1943, Jones 15847 (MO); Jackson Co., Carbondale, 37°43'N, 89°13'W, 21-IV-1947, Bailey 46 (MIN); Lincoln Co., 3 miles SE of Crab Orchard, 37°47'N, 89°12'W, 10-V-1938, Wharton 2098 (MO); Mason Co., Bishop, 40°20'N, 89°52'W, 4-VI-1949, Chase 10390 (NY); McLean Co., Bloomington, 40°29'N, 88°59'W, 5-VI-1975, Solomon 1360 (MO). INDIANA: Lake Maxinkuckee, 41°12'N, 86°24'W, 1900, Scovell & Clark 779 (MO); Marion Co., 39°46'N, 86°9'W, 6-X-1944, Friesner 18149 (NY); Montgomery Co., Crawfordsville, 40°2'N, 86°52'W, 1-VI-1933, Bechtel 13590 (NY); Porter Co., Baileytown, 41°28'N, 87°3'W, 3-VI-1956, Bennett s.n. (MIN). IOWA: Black Hawk Co., Island Camp, Cedar Falls, 42°31'N, 92°26'W, 12-VII-1926, Pammel & al. 282 (MIN); Davis Co., Floris, 40°51'N, 92°19'W, 26-VI-1939, Hayden 9611 (NY). KANSAS: Atchinson Co., 1 mi W Oak Mills, 39°26'N, 95°0'W, 26-V-1976, Stephens 89049 (MO); Butler Co., Whitewater, 37°57'N, 97°8'W, 4-VI-1961, Harms 1659 (NY); Cowley Co., 37°14'N, 96°50'W, V-1898, White s.n. (MO). KENTUCKY: Bracken Co., Augusta, 38°46'N, 84°0'W, 15-V-1983, Buddell 1057 (NY); Calloway Co., Junction Hwy 121 and 280, 3 mi N on 280, 2 mi on dirt road, 36°34'N, 88°9'W, 5-V-1974, Funk 498 (MO). LOUISIANA: Baton Rouge, Louisiana State University Campus, 30°24'N, 91°10'W, 8-I-1992, Thomas & Allen 127030 (MO); Caddo Co., Fort Humbug, 32°38'N, 93°54'W, 19-IV-1940, Demaree

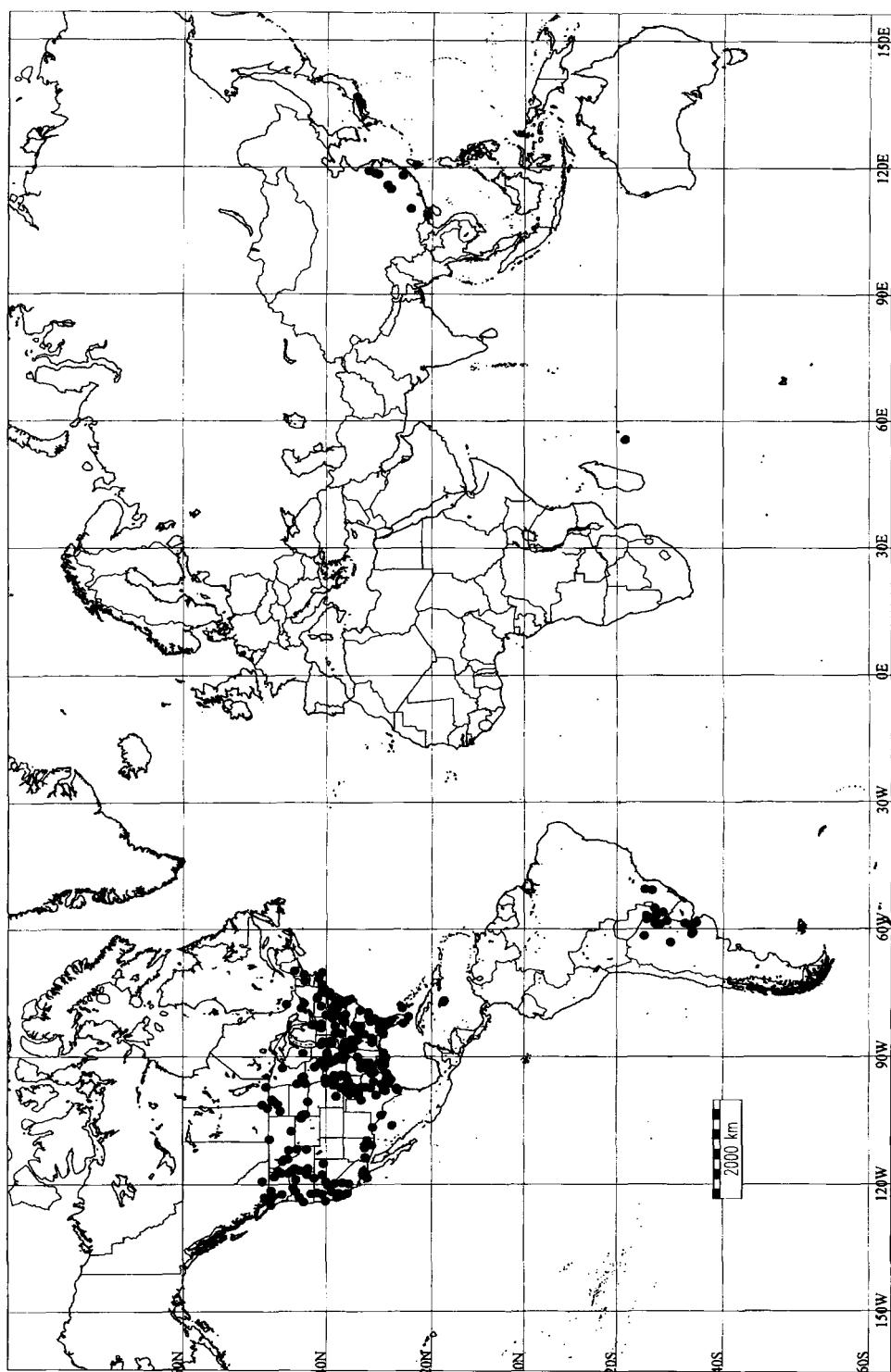


Fig. 7.—World distribution of *Geranium carolinianum*.

20798 (MO). MAINE: mt. Kineo, 45°41'N, 69°44'W, (PH); Norway, 44°12'N, 70°32'W, 8-VIII-1864, *Smith s.n.* (NY). MARYLAND: College Park, 38°58'N, 76°56'W, 15-V-1901, *Stewart s.n.* (MO); Prince Georges Co., 0.25 mi E of Potomac River, near Charles Co. line, 38°40'N, 77°1'W, 10-V-1984, *Hill 13625* (MO). MASSACHUSETTS: Nantucket, 41°17'N, 70°6'W, 6-VII-1886, *Churchill s.n.* (MO). MICHIGAN: Port Huron, 42°58'N, 82°25'W, 14-VII-1904, *Dodge 47* (NY); Saint Clair Co., Algonac, 42°37'N, 82°31'W, 29-VI-1901, *Cooper s.n.* (MIN). MINNESOTA: Big Stone Co., 2 mi W of Odessa, 45°15'N, 96°19'W, 18-VII-1981, *Smith 5094* (MIN); Itasca Co., 44 mi NE of Grand Rapids, 47°30'N, 92°43'W, 7-VII-1977, *Wheeler & Glaser 1901* (MIN). MISSISSIPPI: Biloxi, 30°23'N, 88°53'W, 4-VII-1900, *Tracy 6869* (MO); Harrison Co., near Hilton Hotel, Biloxi, 30°23'N, 88°53'W, 15-IV-1988, *Hill 19114* (MO). MISSOURI: Bates Co., Amoret, 38°15'N, 94°35'W, 27-V-1933, *Bush 12594* (MIN); Clark Co., Rose Pond area, near 2W trap, 40°20'N, 91°30'W, 4-VII-1983, *Walker 489* (MO); Clay Co., 1 mi N of Liberty, 39°14'N, 94°25'W, 28-V-1965, *Henderson 65-184* (MO). MONTANA: Lewis and Clark Co., Helena, 46°36'N, 112°0'W, 12-VII-1895, *Shear 3185* (NY); Lo-Lo, Hot Spring, 46°45'N, 114°6'W, 1898, *Williams & Griffith s.n.* (NY). NEBRASKA: Otoe Co., near Syracuse, 40°39'N, 96°11'W, 28-V-1936, *Osborn 828R* (MO). NEVADA: Carson City, 39°10'N, 119°43'W, 1864, *Anderson 176* (P); Elko Co., Clover Creek, 41°5'N, 115°5'W, 23-VII-1941, *Robertson s.n.* (RENO); Humboldt Co., Paradise valley, 41°16'N, 117°41'W, 24-VI-1967, *Gentry & Davidse 1629* (MIN). NEW JERSEY: Burlington Co., Lumberton, 39°57'N, 74°48'W, 23-V-1923, *Meredith s.n.* (MO); Hunterdon Co., Stockton, 40°24'N, 74°58'W, 3-VI-1897, *Fisher s.n.* (MO); Rock Hill, near Philadelphia, 40°23', 74°38', 15-VI-1870, *Redfield 972* (MO). NEW MEXICO: Organ mts., 32°19'N, 106°33'W, 20-V-1893, *Norton 355* (MO). NEW YORK: Tioga Co., Apalachin, 42°4'N, 76°9'W, V-1898, 76 (NY); Westchester Co., Yonkers, 40°55'N, 73°53'W, 26-V-1883, *Schrenk s.n.* (MO). NORTH CAROLINA: Buncombe Co., Biltmore, 35°33'N, 82°32'W, 2-VI-1897 (MO); Haywood Co., Fincher Mt., 35°32'N, 82°58'W, 12-VI-1935, *Price 187* (NY); New Hanover Co., Carolina Beach, 35°32'N, 82°58'W, 18-IV-1938, *Friend 10444* (NY). NORTH DAKOTA: Kummer, 47°47'N, 102°54'W, 6-VIII-1912, *Bergman 2738* (MIN); Metigoshe State Park, T. Mts., 48°59'N, 100°21'W, 15-VI-1951, *Stevens 1245* (MIN); Turtle mts., Bottineau, 48°49'N, 100°26'W, 1-VIII-1941, *Stevens 585* (MO). OHIO: Erie Co., Old Woman Creek, 41°23'N, 82°30'W, 30-VI-1977, *Shane 77-4* (MIN); Hamilton Co., Cincinnati, 39°9'N, 84°27'W, 23-V-1887, *Lloyd s.n.* (MO); Jackson Co., Liberty, 39°4'N, 82°43'W, 31-V-1936, *Bartley 231* (NY). OKLAHOMA: Cleveland Co., Norman, 35°13'N, 97°26'W, 18-V-1969, *Crook 924* (MIN); Fort Sill, 34°55'N, 98°21'W, 22-V-1916, *Clemens 11651* (MO); Kingfisher Co., Huntville, 35°51'N, 97°55'W, 6-V-1896, *Blankinship s.n.* (MO). OREGON: Harney Co., Alvord Ranch, 42°37'N, 118°29'W, 5-VII-1930, *Jones 25354* (MO); Hood River Co., 45°30'N, 121°38'W, 10-V-1924, *Henderson 468* (MO); Klamath Co., Keno, 42°7'N, 121°55'W, 6-VII-1920, *Peck 9321*

(MO). PENNSYLVANIA: Allegheny Co., Warlington's Hallow, 40°37'N, 80°7'W, 8-VI-1901, *Shafer 121* (NY); Cameron Co., Lushbaugh, 41°25'N, 78°1'W, 4-VI-1995, *Cusick 32469* (NY); Milford, 41°19'N, 74°48'W, 1-VI-1905, *Nell s.n.* (MO). RHODE ISLAND: Providence, Elmwood, 41°50'N, 71°28'W, 14-VI-1890, *Collins s.n.* (MO). SOUTH CAROLINA: Anderson Co., Anderson, Burriss Place, 34°30'N, 82°39'W, 10-V-1920, *Davis s.n.* (MO); Charleston Co., Washo Reserve, 33°8'N, 79°23'W, 17-IV-1993, *Hill 24944* (NY); Dorchester Co., 33°6'N, 80°23'W, 29-III-1935, *Correll 273* (NY). SOUTH DAKOTA: Black Hills National Forest, [?]air Ground Pilart, 43°57'N, 103°36'W, 1-VII-1909, *Murdoch 3532* (F); Deadwood, 44°24'N, 103°42'W, 19-VII-1913, *Carr 67* (MO). TENNESSEE: Franklin Co., Cumberland mt. at Cowan, 35°10'N, 86°1'W, 5-V-1898, *Eggert s.n.* (MO); Humphries Co., 7.5 mi W Buffalo, 35°53'N, 87°48'W, 24-IV-1972, *Kral 45745* (MO). TEXAS: Austin Co., Bellville, 29°57'N, 96°15'W, 20-IV-1973, *Grawunder 33* (MIN); Brazos Co., Bryan, along Industrial Blvd., between Independence Ave. and Stone City Dr., 30°41'N, 96°24'W, 20-IV-1976, *Cullum 62* (MO); Brown Co., Brownwood, 31°42'N, 98°59'W, 31-III-1917, *Palmer 11425* (MO). VERMONT: Orange Co., Newbury, mt. Pulaski, 44°4'N, 72°4'W, *Wood 196* (NY). VIRGINIA: Arlington, 38°54'N, 77°6'W, 11-VI-1891, *Blandford s.n.* (MO); Fauquier Co., W slope of Bull Run Mountains, 38°54'N, 77°40'W, 30-V-1940, *Allard 3691* (MO); Nansemond Co., about Suffolk, 36°44'N, 76°37'W, 8-VI-1893, *Heller 907* (MO). WASHINGTON: Ferry Co., Kettle Falls, 48°42'N, 118°7'W, 17-VI-1939, *Boner & Weldert 155* (NY); Klickitat Co., 45°52'N, 120°46'W, 10-VI-1891, *Suksdorf 2027* (MO). WEST VIRGINIA: Marion Co., Hutton's branch, 39°31'N, 80°15'W, 6-VI-1892, *Small s.n.* (MO); McDowell Co., Panther State Park, 37°22'N, 81°39'W, 30-VI-1986, *Hutton s.n.* (WVA). WISCONSIN: Waupaca, 44°23'N, 89°4'W, 1907, *Garische s.n.* (MO). WYOMING: Crook Co., Black Hills, Bear Lodge mtns., 44°33'N, 104°28'W, 9-VII-1982, *Nelson 8903* (NY); Crook Co., Bear Lodge Range, between Alva and Aladdin, 44°40'N, 104°25'W, 24-VI-1959, *Porter & Porter 7818* (MIN).

3. *Geranium texanum* (Trel.) A. Heller in Bull. Torrey Bot. Club 25: 198 (1898)

G. carolinianum var. *texanum* Trel. in Mem. Boston Soc. Nat. Hist. 4: 76, pl. 12 fig. 8 (1888)

Ind. loc.: "collected near New Braunfels, Texas, by Lindheimer, in 1848..."

Typus: U.S.A. Texas, Comal Co., New Braunfels, 1848, *Lindheimer s.n.* (*lectotype, here designated, MO!*)

= *G. texanum* f. *albiflorum* A.M. Davis in Nat. Leafl. 2: [2] (1945)

Ind. loc.: "The type of this form was collected by the author at Southmost, Cameron County, Texas in March, 1942

and is deposited in the herbarium of the University of Texas"

Typus: U.S.A. Texas, Cameron Co., Mar. 1942, *Davis s.n.* (*holotype*, TEX; *isotypes*, GH!, MO!)

Herbs, annual, 10-45 cm tall. Stem erect or decumbent, usually branched from the base, pilose, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.1-0.3 mm long. Basal leaves in a ± deciduous rosette; lamina 1.7-4.7 × 2.2-6 cm, polygonal in outline, palmatifid -divided for 0.75-0.9 of its length-, pilose, with appressed, eglandular hairs; segments 5(7), rhombic, 3-4 mm wide at the base, 5-9-lobed in distal half -ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.25-0.35-; lower cauline leaves alternate, median and upper opposite; petioles to 15 cm long, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.1-0.4 mm long; stipules 5-7 × 1.5-2 mm, lanceolate to subulate, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2-flowered, usually solitary, sometimes in scattered aggregates at the top of each branch; peduncles (0)1-1.8(5) cm long, pilose, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.1-0.4 mm long; bracteoles 3-4 × 1 mm, lanceolate, pilose, with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 0.4-0.9 cm long, pilose, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.1-0.4 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together not overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 3.5-4.5 × 3-3.5 mm -ratio pedicel length/ sepal length = 0.5-1.1-, smooth, accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 1-1.4 mm long), with scarious margins 0.1-0.2 mm wide, with eglandular hairs 0.1-0.6 mm long on the abaxial side (mainly on the nerves), glabrous on the adaxial side. Petals 4-5 × 1.5-2 mm, entire, without claw, glabrous on the adaxial side, ciliate on the basal margin, pale purple, sometimes white. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 3-4 mm long, lanceolate to subulate, glabrous except for some cilia on the proximal half; anthers 0.4-0.5 × 0.3 mm. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium ca. 3 mm long. Fruit 14-16 mm

long; mericarps 3-3.5 × 2 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, without longitudinal rib, with a basal callus, covering the seed completely, sparsely hairy, with eglandular, antrorse hairs 0.2-0.7 mm long, ± blackish; rostrum 11-12 mm long, with a narrowed apex 0.5 mm long, with antrorse, ± appressed, eglandular hairs 0.1-0.3 mm long; stigmatic remains 0.5 mm long, with 5 hairy lobes. Seeds 1.9-2.2 × 1.6-1.8 mm, ± reticulate, brownish, the hilum 1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire.

Flowering March-April. Open woods, clearings and disturbed areas; 0-700 m. South U.S.A. and probably north Mexico; probably introduced in Azores. Fig. 9.

Illustrations. Figs. 3c, 3f, 4c, 4f, 8.

This species is clearly related to *G. carolinianum*, from which can be distinguished by the type of indumentum on inflorescence and fruit. In *G. texanum* pedicels have retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs, while *G. carolinianum* usually has patent, glandular and eglandular hairs. However, in some forms of *G. carolinianum* the glandular hairs are scattered or even lacking; in these forms hairs can be retrorse but never appressed. *Geranium texanum* fruits show scattered, short hairs while in *G. carolinianum* fruits are densely covered by long hairs. Sepals, petals and fruits are longer in *G. carolinianum* than in *G. texanum*. On the contrary, two characters support the close relationship between *G. texanum* and *G. carolinianum*: the short narrowed apex of the fruit rostrum, and the short pedicels.

Pollen grains of *Geranium texanum* are different from those of *G. bicknellii* and *G. carolinianum* in showing fusion of supratectal elements. According to VERHOEVEN & VENTER (1992), a similar pollen has been found in the South African *G. magniflorum* R. Knuth.

Since *G. texanum* reaches Mexican border in Cameron Co., it is probably present in Mexico. However, I could not examine any specimen of this species from Mexico. According to F. Chiang (*in litt.*) there is no

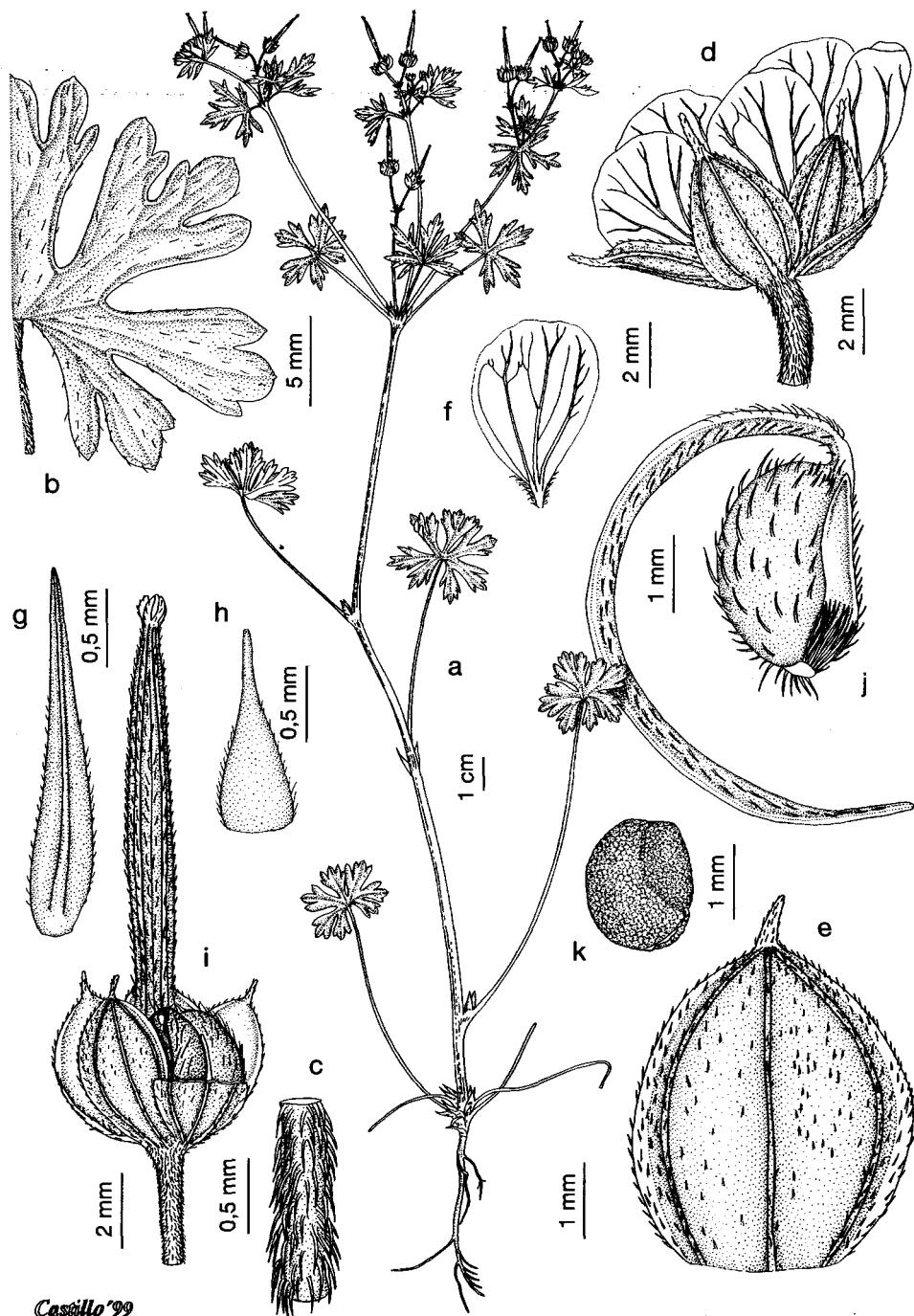


Fig. 8.—*Geranium texanum*: a, habit; b, leaf; c, peduncle; d, flower; e, sepal; f, petal; g-h, staminal filaments; i, fruit; j, mericarp; k, seed. a-d, f-i, Correll & Correll 37050 (GH); e, Howell s.n., 7-VI-1936 (NY); f, k, Thieret 33007 (GH).

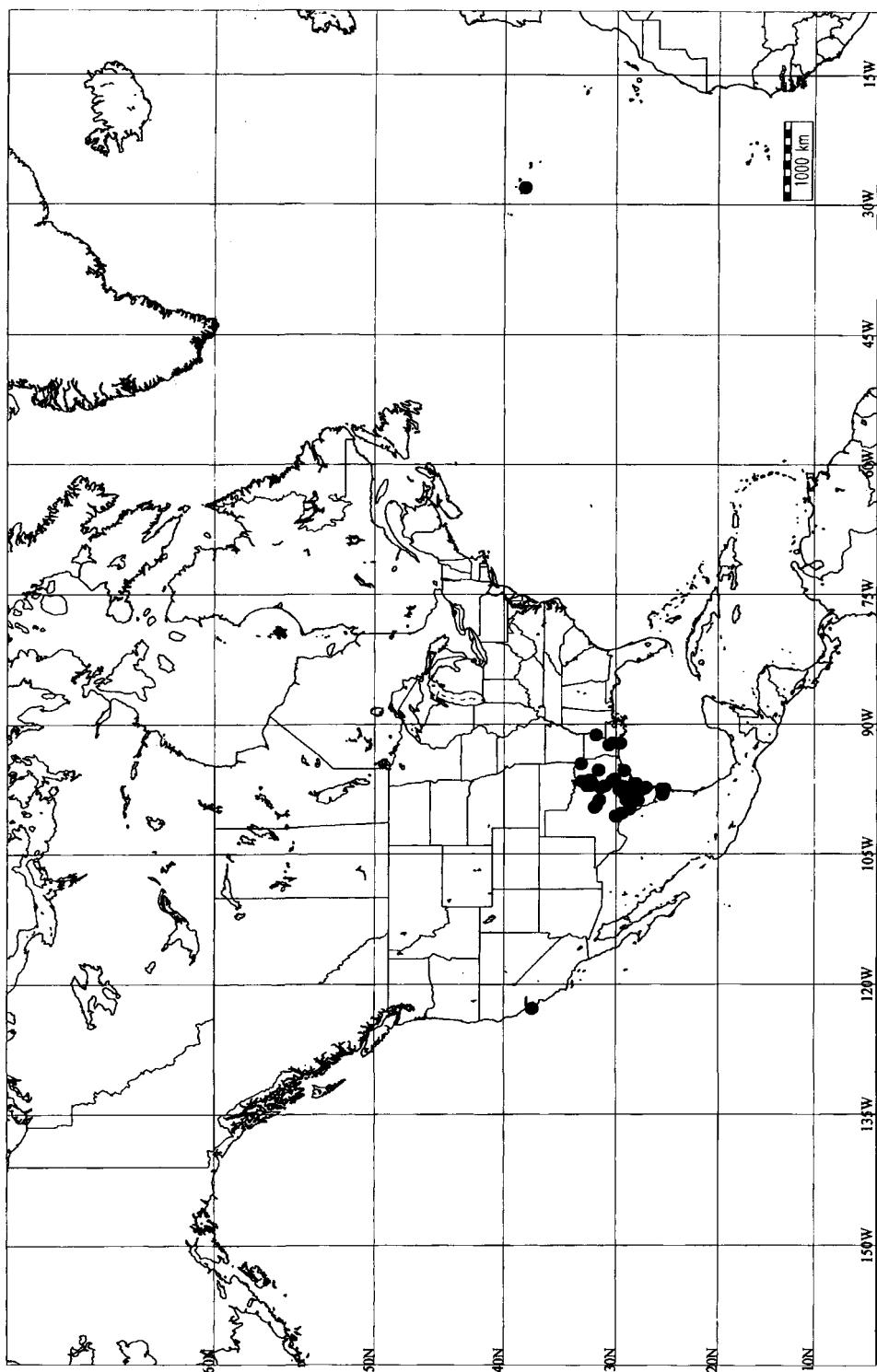


Fig. 9.-Distribution of *Geranium texanum*.

Mexican specimen of *G. texanum* at MEXU. Additionally, I also tried to find this species in ANSM and UAT herbaria without success. MOORE (1943: 102) recorded a single sheet of *G. texanum* in the Gray Herbarium, collected by Wright in 1852, from Chihuahua, which is *G. carolinianum*.

So far, the specimens supporting the following record of *G. texanum* has not been studied: Arkansas (SMITH, 1994: 154). Its presence in California (not previously reported) probably constitutes a occasional introduction, as well as its presence in Azores.

Representative specimens examined

PORUGAL, AZORES: Ilha de São Jorge, 38°40'N, 28°3'W, VI-1903, *Carreiro* 960 (COI).

U.S.A. CALIFORNIA: Marin Co., Olema, 38°2'N, 122°47'W, 7-VI-1936, *Howell* s.n. (NY). LOUISIANA: Avoyelles Co., 7.5 milles S of Bunkie along road to Whiteville, 30°7'N, 92°11'W, 30-IV-1971, *Thieret* 33007 (GH); Madison, along Tensas River at Sharkey Plantation, W of Quimby, 32°22'N, 91°15'W, 16-IV-1948, *Ewan* 17559 (MO); Rapides Co., Chambers, 31°10'N, 92°24'W, *Thieret* 33064 (GH); St. Landry Co., 3.5 milles NW of Whiteville along road to Bunkie, 30°47'N, 92°8'W, 30-IV-1971, *Thieret* 32999 (GH). OKLAHOMA: Barney Ward Lake, 1.5 mi SW of Tom, 33°44'N, 94°34'W, 29-IV-1975, *Taylor* 18413 (NY). TEXAS: At Camp Barkley, 13-IV-1943, *Tolstead* 6986 (MO); Bexar Co., Austin Chalk, Government Canyon State Park, 29°33'N, 98°44'W, 3-V-1995, *Carr* 14568 (TEX); Bexar Co., Columbia, 29°22'N, 98°31'W, 4-IV-1902, *Bush* 1309 (MO); Bexar Co., San Antonio, 29°25'N, 98°29'W, *Jermy* 166 (GH); Brazos Co., on the Texas A. & M campus, west of Wellborn road, 30°40'N, 96°22'W, 27-III-1996, *Skinner* 117 (MO); Callahan Co., 4 miles west of Clyde, 32°24'N, 99°29'W, 23-IV-1963, *Henderson* 63-477 (TEX); Cameron Co., Brownsville, 25°54'N, 97°29'W, 10-III-1924, *Ryunyon* 634 (TEX); Comal Co., New Braunfels, 29°42'N, 98°7'W, 1848, *Lindheimer* s.n. (MO); Dallas Co., inwood road between Valley View Lane and Belt Line Road, 32°47'N, 96°48'W, 25-IV-1959, *Hamric & Thompson* 16 (TEX); Dallas Co., Stultus Prairie, SW corner of Coit Road and Belt Line Road, 32°47'N, 96°48'W, 28-V-1959, *Correll & Johnston* 22444 (GH); Dallas, 32°47'N, 96°48'W, 25-IV-1959, *Hamric & Thompson* 16 (NY); Denton Co., Denton, 33°12'N, 97°7'W, 17-IV-1939, *Mccart* 1586 (NY); Edwards Co., Moody's, 29°58'N, 100°18'W, 6-IV-1929, *Cory* 487 (GH); Edwards Co., Pasture D, Substation no. 14, 29°58'N, 100°18'W, 30-IV-1941, *Cory* 37056 (GH); Fayette Co., on state road 95, 2.1 mi N of I-10 bridge, 0.5 mi N of junction FR154 at small power line crossing road, 29°48'N, 97°13'W, 18-IV-1992, *Mayfield* 1204 (TEX); Gonzales Co., Ottine, 29°35'N, 97°35'W, 12-IV-1940, *Warnock* 20660 (MO); Gonzales Co., Ottine, 29°35'N, 97°35'W, 12-IV-1940, *Warnock* 20660

(TEX); Grayson Co., Sherman, 33°38'N, 96°36'W, 7-V-1983, *Nee & Diggs* 27181 (F); Harris Co., Houston, near the Union Depot, 29°45'N, 95°21'W, 16-VI-1903, *Reverchon* 3773 (MO); Hays Co., 12.3 miles E of San Marcos on highway 80, 29°52'N, 97°50'W, 2-IV-1939, *Reese* s.n. (TEX); Hidalgo Co., near Santa Ana National Wildlife Refuge, 26°4'N, 98°8'W, 29-III-1960, *Fleetwood* 3205 (TEX); Hill Co., 4 miles N of Whitney, 31°57'N, 97°19'W, 28-IV-1960, *Gould* 9055 (TEX).

4. Geranium columbinum L., Sp. Pl.: 682 (1753)

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Gallia, Helvetia, Germania"

Typus: LINN 858/79 left specimen (color slide!) [lectotype, designated by GHAFOOR, 1978: 47]

Herbs, annual, 9-60 cm tall. Stem erect, usually branched from the base, pilose, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.3-0.6 mm long. Basal leaves in a ± persistent rosette; lamina 3.5-5.5 × 3-5 cm, polygonal in outline, palmatisect, pilose, with appressed, eglandular hairs; segments 5-7, rhombic, 2-3 mm wide at the base, 6-12-lobed in distal half –ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.33-0.48–; cauline leaves opposite; petioles to 15 cm long, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.3-0.6 mm long; stipules 7-8 × 0.8-1.2 mm, lanceolate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 3-10 cm long, pilose, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.3-0.5 mm long; bracteoles 3-5 × 0.5 mm, lanceolate, pilose, with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 2-6 cm long, pilose, with retrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs 0.3-0.5 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 6-10(11) × 2-4.5(5.5) mm –ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 3.3-8.2–, smooth, accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 1.2-2 mm long), with scarious margins 0.4-0.5 mm wide, with eglandular, antrorse, appressed, hairs 0.3-0.5 mm long on the abaxial side (mainly on the nerves), glabrous on the adaxial side. Petals 8-10 × 4-5 mm, entire or emarginate (with notch

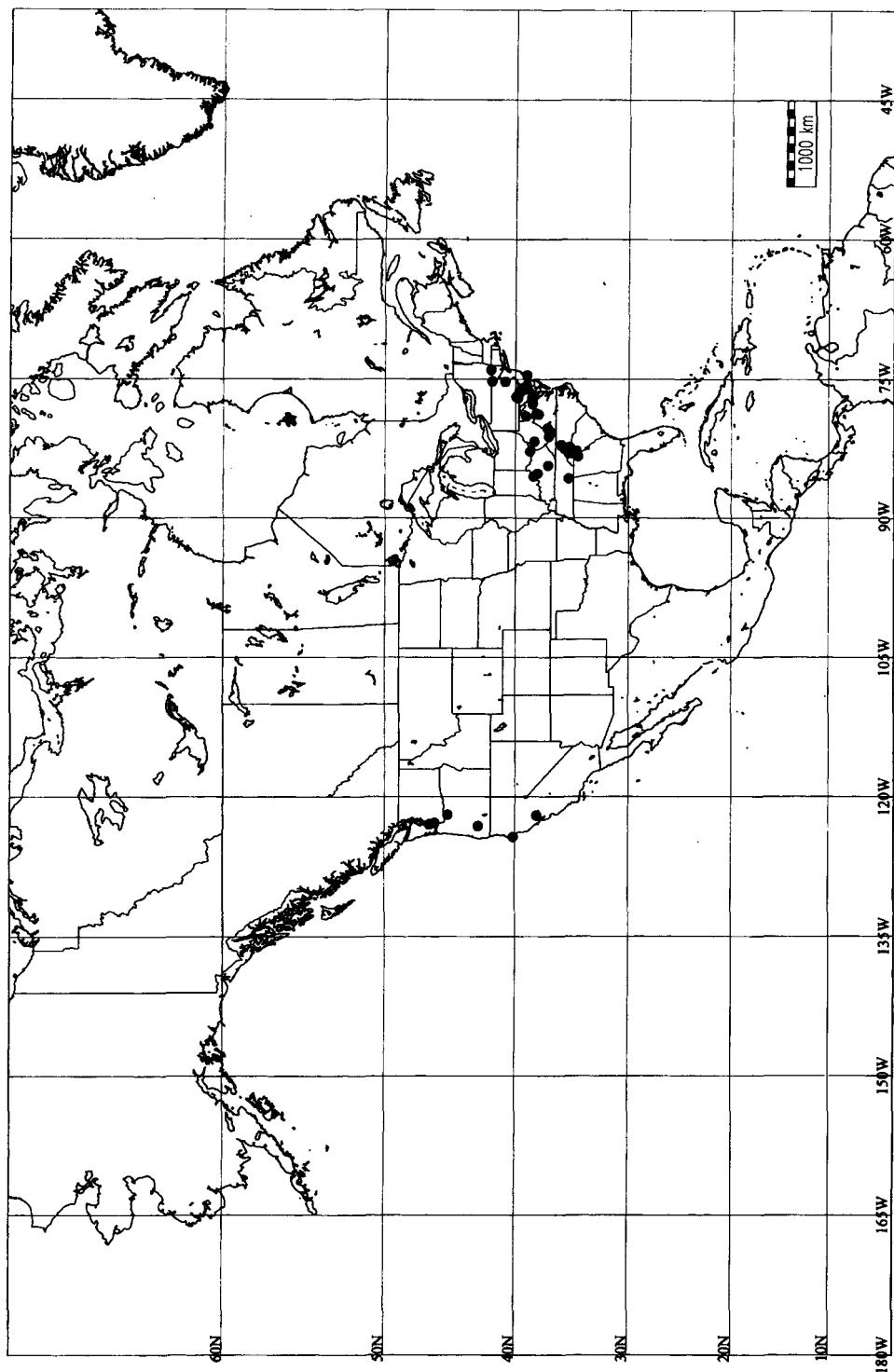


Fig. 10.—Distribution of *Geranium columbinum* in North America.

0.5 mm deep), without claw, glabrous on the adaxial side, ciliate on the basal margin, purple. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 4–5 mm long, subulate, glabrous except for some cilia on the proximal half; anthers 0.8–0.9 × 0.4 mm, bluish. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium ca. 4–5 mm long. Fruit 20–23 mm long; mericarps 2.2–2.8 × 1.5 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, without longitudinal rib, with a basal callus, covering the seed completely, with scattered eglandular, ± patent hairs 0.2–0.3 mm long, brownish; rostrum 18–19 mm long, with a narrowed apex 4 mm long, with erect-patent, eglandular hairs 0.1–0.3 mm long; stigmatic remains ca. 2 mm long, with 5 glabrous lobes. Seeds 2.2–2.4 × 1.6–1.8 mm, pitted, reddish, the hilum 1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 18$.

Flowering May–September. Edge of forest, prairies, fields, and disturbed areas; 0–1300 m; introduced from the Old World; Eastern U.S.A. and Western U.S.A. Fig. 10.

Illustrations. Fig. 19a; CAVANILLES (1787, tab. 81 fig. 1); ROSS-CRAIG (1952, Part 6, pl. 38); HOLMGREN (1998: 339 fig. 7).

Geranium columbinum seems close to the three annuals native from North America (*G. bicknellii*, *G. carolinianum*, and *G. texanum*) by its accrescent calyx. However, it may easily distinguished by its palmatisect and opposite basal leaves, longer calyx and longer petals.

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. columbinum* have not been studied: Arkansas (SMITH, 1994: 154), Colorado (KARTESZ, 1998), Massachusetts (KARTESZ, 1998), Michigan (VOSS, 1985: 507), North Dakota (KARTESZ, 1998), South Dakota (FERNALD, 1935: 296), and Wisconsin (KARTESZ, 1998).

Representative specimens examined

U.S.A. CALIFORNIA: Humboldt Co., about 7.5 roadmiles S of ferndale, along Wildcat road, near Green Pond Ranch, 40°28'N, 124°15'W, 20-V-1987, Pykälä & Norris 751 (MO); Solano Co., 5.6 miles W of Winters, 38°31'N, 121°59'W, 16-IV-1968, Ishizuka 19 (MA). DELAWARE: New Castle Co., Townsend, 39°23'N,

75°41'W, VI-1864, Canby s.n. (NY). DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: Washington, 38°55'N, 77°0'W, 1867 (MO). INDIANA: Jefferson Co., along Harbarts Creek on the Kellar farm about a mile SW of Wirt, 38°48'N, 85°27'W, 22-V-1935, Banta 56002 (MO). KENTUCKY: Henry Co., Ky 22, 4.6 mi NE of road junct. Ky 22 and Ky 1360, 38°27'N, 85°9'W, 3-VI-1962, Gentry 194 (NY); Madison Co., Grant House, 37°34'N, 84°17'W, 12-VII-1960, Grossman 416 (NY). MARYLAND: Laurel, 30-V-1894, Knowlton s.n. (MO); Port Deposit, 39°36'N, 76°5'W, 2-VII-1864, [illegible] (MO). NEW JERSEY: Atlantic Co., Northfield, 39°22'N, 74°33'W, 20-V-1913, Lighthipe s.n. (NY). NEW YORK: Near foot of Overbook mt., Woodstock, 42°19'N, 74°0'W, 20-IX-1871, Redfiled 975 (MO); Northfield, 42°14'N, 75°11'W, 20-V-1913, Lighthipe s.n. (NY). NORTH CAROLINA: Asheville, 35°36'N, 82°33'W, 3-IX-1933, Alexander & al. s.n. (NY); Buncombe Co., Bald Knob mt., Bull Meadows, 35°42'N, 82°16'W, 7-VII-1934, Correll 110 (DUKE); Burke Co., 35°46'N, 85°42'W, 16-VI-1915, Huger s.n. (NY); Haywood Co., Crabtree, 35°38'N, 82°54'W, 1928, H.L.B. 4055 (DUKE); Haywood Co., Fincher mt., Lake Junaluska, 35°30'N, 82°57'W, 12-VI-1935, Price 183 (DUKE); Haywood Co., Rd. to Eagles Nest, Wagenesville, 35°7'N, 82°39'W, 20-VI-1932, H.L.B. 4054 (DUKE); Madisch Co., Max Patch Mt. Field, 35°47'N, 82°57'W, 1-VII-1956, Mark s.n. (DUKE). OHIO: Jackson Co., Little Salt Creek, 39°6'N, 82°46'W, 24-V-1936, Bartley & Pontius 245 (NY). OREGON: Douglas Co., Glide, 43°18'N, 123°6'W, 10-VII-1950, Earle 4428 (NY); Multnomah Co., Cascade Locks, 45°40'N, 121°53'W, 24-VI-1925, Peck 9858 (F). PENNSYLVANIA: Dauphin Co., Lower Paxton Township, 8 mi E of Harrisburg, 40°16'N, 76°53'W, 10-VI-1984, Plowman 13805 (F); Lancaster City, 40°2'N, 76°18'W, 1-VI-1894, Eby s.n. (MO); Lancaster, Safe Harbor, 39°55'N, 76°22'W, 18-V-1889, Small s.n. (MO); Monroe Co., Buck Hill Falls, 41°11'N, 75°16'W, 15-X-1919, Ferguson s.n. (NY); York Co., 40°7'N, 77°0'W, 30-V-1895, [illegible] (MO). TENNESSEE: Sullivan Co., Holston Mountain, 36°27'N, 82°4'W, 17-VI-1934, Underwood & Sharp 1532 (MO); Unicoi Co., Erwin, 36°8'N, 82°25'W, 13-VI-1969, Sharp & al. 43111 (NY). VIRGINIA: Arlington, 38°54'N, 77°6'W, Deane s.n. (MO); Fauquier Co., W slope of Bull Run Mountains, 38°54'N, 77°40'W, 25-V-1941, Allard 8687 (MO); Giles Co., along New River, 0.5 mi NW of Klotz, 37°20'N, 80°40'W, 8-VII-1938, Fogg 14872 (MO); Giles Co., Rich Creek, 37°22'N, 80°49'W, 8-VI-1962, Comte 4642 (MO); Massanutton Mountains, 38°23'N, 78°46'W, 6-VI-1941, Allard 8775 (MO); near Potomac river above of opposite Washington, 38°54'N, 77°6'W, 23-V-1889, Churchill s.n. (MO); Shenandoah Co., vicinity of Endless Caverns, 38°35'N, 78°40'W, 17-VI-1973, Boufford 10080 (MO). WASHINGTON: Lewis Co., Lucas Creek, 46°38'N, 122°46'W, 13-VII-1954, Bechtel 18643 (NY); Thurston Co., along Perry Creek, about 5 mi W of Olympia, 47°2'N, 122°55'W, 11-VII-1936, Meyer 613 (MO). WEST VIRGINIA: Jackson Co., on hillside near Fairplain, 38°45'N, 81°41'W, 27-VI-1930, Besklyu 858 (MO); Mercer Co., Camp Creek State Forest, Lower Wash Fork Creek, off St. Rt. 19, 37°31'N, 81°8'W, 26-V-1987, Brant

& O'Donnell 1084 (MO); Mineral Co., 250 feet E of Legion Home, Keyser, 39°26'N, 78°58'W, 25-V-1954, Brown s.n. (MO); Monroe Co., Sweet Springs, 37°37'N, 80°14'W, 5-IX-1903, Steele 225 (MO).

5. *Geranium rotundifolium* L., Sp. Pl.: 683 (1753)

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Europae cultis"

Typus: LINN-858.83 (color slide!) [lectotype, designated by CAROLIN (1965: 335)]

Herbs, annual, 10-40 cm tall. Stem erect, usually branched from the base, pilose, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.2-1.2 mm long. Basal leaves in a persistent rosette; lamina 1.2-3.3 × 1.9-4.4 cm, orbicular in outline, palmatifid -divided for 0.55-0.65 of its length-, pilose, with appressed, eglandular -and sometimes glandular- hairs; segments 5-7, obtriangular, 5-10 mm wide at the base, (3)6-8-lobed in the apex -ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.13-0.2-; caudine leaves opposite; petioles to 17 cm long, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.2-1 mm long; stipules 3-4 × 1-2 mm, lanceolate, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, usually glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 1.8-3 cm long, pilose, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.3-1 mm long; bracteoles 2-3 × 0.5 mm, linear-lanceolate, pilose, with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 0.7-2 cm long, pilose, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.3-1 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together not overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 4.5-6 × 1.5-2.8 mm -ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 3.5-2.5-, smooth, not accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 0.3-0.6 mm long), with scarious margins 0.2 mm wide, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.4-1 mm long on the abaxial side, glabrous on the adaxial side. Petals 6-7 × 2-2.5 mm, entire, with claw 2 mm long -bicarinate-, glabrous -sometimes with scattered hairs on the adaxial side-, purple. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 3-3.5 mm long, lanceolate to subulate, glabrous except for some cilia on the proximal half; anthers

0.5 × 0.4 mm, yellowish. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium ca. 4-4.5 mm long. Fruit 16-18 mm long; mericarps 2.5-3 × 1.5-1.7 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, without longitudinal rib, with a basal callus, covering the seed completely, hairy, with eglandular, patent hairs 0.2-0.3 mm long, brownish; rostrum 12-13 mm long, with a narrowed apex 2-3 mm long, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.1-0.5 mm long; stigmatic remains 0.1 mm long, with 5 hairy lobes. Seeds 1.8-2 × 1.2 mm, reticulate, brownish, the hilum 1/4 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 26$.

Flowering May. Disturbed areas; 0-100 m; introduced from the Old World; Eastern U.S.A. Fig. 11.

Illustrations. Fig. 19b. CAVANILLES (1787, tab. 93 fig. 2); ROSS-CRAIG (1952, Part 6, pl. 36); HOLMGREN (1998: 340).

Geranium rotundifolium is a very distinctive species, readily identified by its entire petals, its seed-ejection fruit with smooth mericarps, and its reticulate seeds. It has been frequently confused with *G. pusillum* or *G. molle*, both belonging in subg. *Robertium* (which is characterised by carpel-projection-type fruits).

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. rotundifolium* have not been studied: California (KARTESZ, 1998), Colorado (RYDBERG, 1932: 500), Kansas (GATES, 1940: 45, 148), Maryland (KARTESZ, 1998), New Jersey (KARTESZ, 1998), and Pennsylvania (SCHAEFFER, 1949: 357). According to VOSS (1985: 502) reports of *G. rotundifolium* from Michigan appear to have been based on misidentifications.

Representative specimens examined

U.S.A. NEW YORK: Ballast grounds, at Hunter's Point, 40°42'N, 74°0'W, 10-VII-1879, Brown s.n. (NY); Ballast, Northern Terminus of 8th Ave., 40°42'N, 74°0'W, 16-V-1880, Brown s.n. (NY).

6. *Geranium dissectum* L., Cent. Pl. I: 21 (1755)

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Europa australiori"

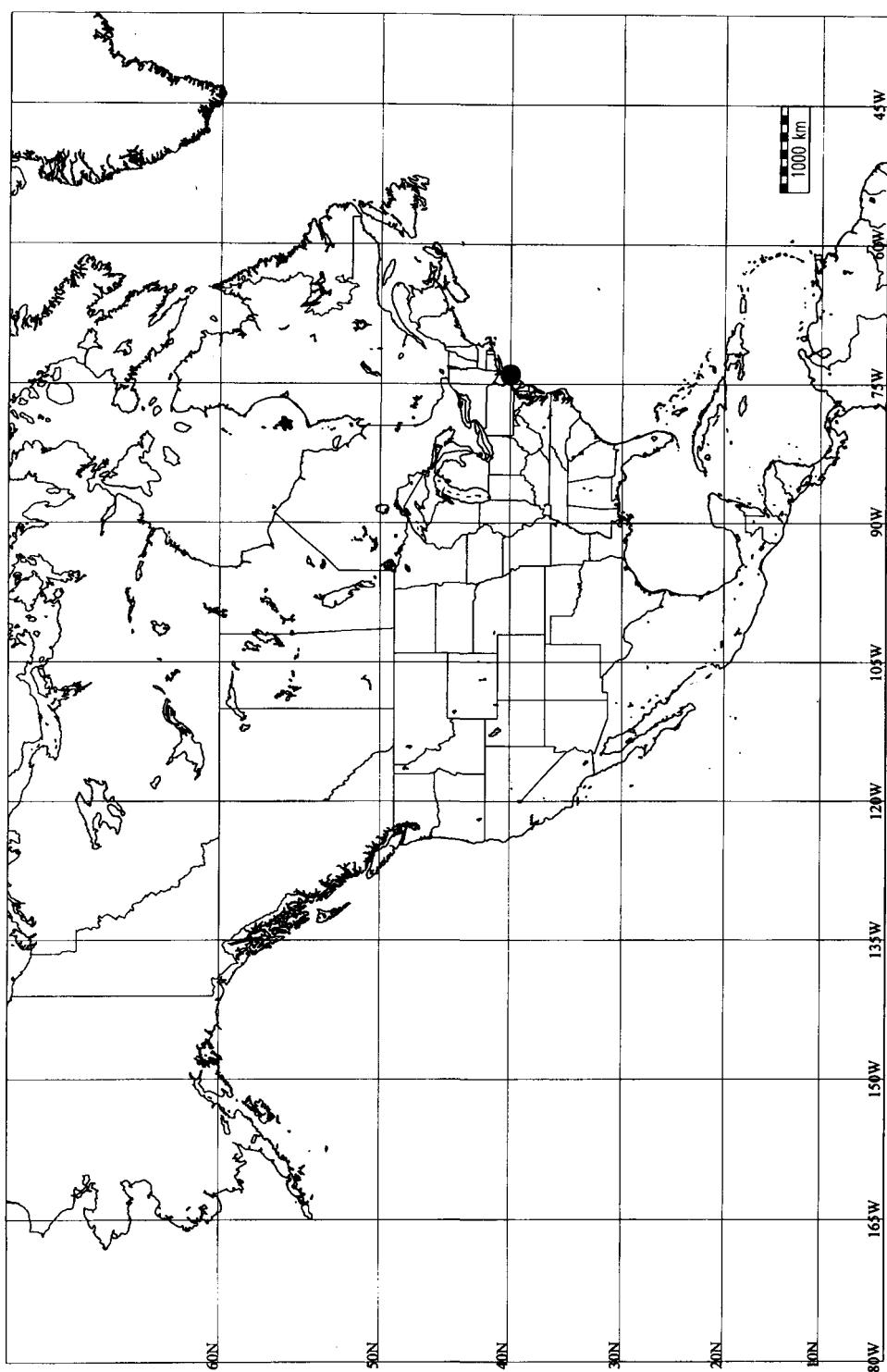


Fig. 11.—Distribution of *Geranium rotundifolium* in North America.

Typus: LINN-858.82 (color slide!) [lectotype, designated by CAROLIN (1965: 336)]
 = *G. laxum* Hanks ex Hanks & Small in
 Underw. & Britton (eds.), N. Amer. Fl.
 25(1): 9 (1907)

Ind. loc.: "Type collected at Oyhut,
 Chehalis County, Washington, July 8, 1897,
 Frank H. Lamb 1263"

Typus: U.S.A. Washington, Chehalis Co.,
 Oyhut, 7 Aug. 1897, Lamb 1263 (lectotype,
 here designated, MO!)

Herbs, annual, (7)15-69 cm tall. Stem erect, usually branched from the base, pilose, with retrorse, not appressed, eglandular hairs up to 0.8 mm long. Basal leaves in a ± persistent rosette; lamina 4.5-8 × 2.5-4 cm, polygonal in outline, palmatifid -divided for more than 0.9 of its length-, pilose, with appressed, eglandular -and sometimes glandular- hairs; segments 5-7, rhombic, 2-5 mm wide at the base, 3-9-lobed in distal half -ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.4-0.5-; caudine leaves usually opposite, sometimes basal ones alternate; petioles to 15 cm long, with retrorse or subpatent, eglandular hairs up to 0.9 mm long; stipules 5-9 × 1-3 mm, lanceolate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 0.6-5 cm long, pilose, with patent, mainly eglandular hairs up to 1.2 mm long; bracteoles 2-2.5 × 0.7 mm, lanceolate, pilose, with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 1-1.3 cm long, pilose, with patent, glandular and eglandular hairs up to 1 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together not overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 5-7 × 2-2.5 mm -ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 1.1-2.2-, smooth, not accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 1.2-2 mm long), with scarious margins 0.1-0.2 mm wide, with ± patent, glandular and eglandular hairs 0.3-0.6 mm long on the abaxial side, glabrous adaxially. Petals 5-5.5 × 2.5-3 mm, emarginate (with notch c. 0.5 mm deep), with claw 1 mm long, ciliate on the basal margin, purple. Stamens

10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 3-4 mm long, subulate, ciliate on all its length; anthers 0.4-0.5 × 0.3 mm, purplish. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium 3-4 mm long. Fruit 12-17 mm long; mericarps 2 2.5 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, without longitudinal rib, without a basal callus -with a prong-, covering the seed completely, with eglandular -and sometimes small glandulae-, patent hairs 0.2-0.6 mm long, brownish; rostrum 7-10 mm long, with a narrowed apex 1-2 mm long, with patent, glandular hairs 0.5-0.6 mm long and patent, eglandular hairs up to 0.3 mm long; stigmatic remains 0.5-0.7 mm long, with 5 hairy lobes. Seeds 1.9-2.1 × 1.5-1.6 mm, reticulate, reddish, the hilum 1/8 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 22$.

Flowering March-July. Edge of forest, prairies, fields, and disturbed areas; 0-1500 m; introduced from the Old World; Eastern Canada, Eastern, South and Western U.S.A. Fig. 12.

Illustrations. Fig. 18a, 19c; CAVANILLES (1787, tab. 78 fig. 2); ROSS-CRAIG (1952, Part 6, pl. 37); HOLMGREN (1998: 339).

Geranium dissectum has mericarps without basal callus. Instead of this structure there are remains of a prong, which is in texture similar to that of the rest of the mericarp. It has been frequently confused with *G. columbinum*, characterised by seed-ejection with callus fruit. Additionally, *G. dissectum* has cymules not overtopping the subtending leaf whereas in *G. columbinum* pedicel and peduncle together clearly overtop the subtending leaf.

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. dissectum* have not been studied: Arkansas (SMITH, 1994: 154), Connecticut (KARTESZ, 1998), Delaware (TATNALL, 1946: 162), Illinois (MOHLENBROCK, 1986: 301), Indiana (KARTESZ, 1998), Massachusetts (KARTESZ, 1998), New Jersey (KARTESZ, 1998), and Oklahoma (TAYLOR & TAYLOR, 1989: 59). Voss (1985: 507) does not find authentic specimens of *G. dissectum* from Michigan.

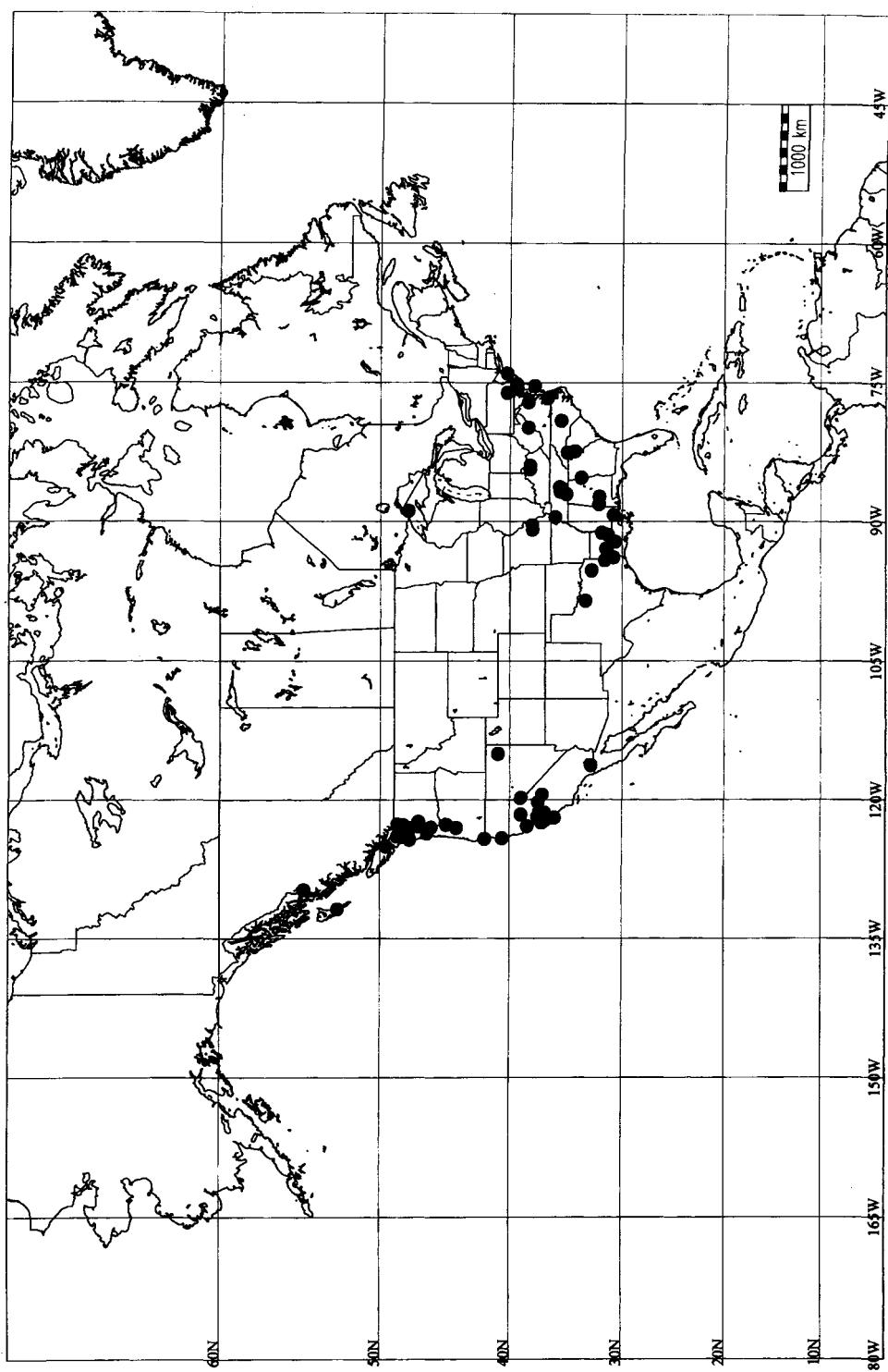


Fig. 12.—Distribution of *Geranium dissectum* in North America.

Representative specimens examined

CANADA. BRITISH COLUMBIA: Esquimalt, 48°27'N, 123°25'W, 25-V-1931, *Groh s.n.* (DAO); Milner, 49°8'N, 122°37'W, 28-VII-1939, *Groh* 359 (DAO); Mitlenatch Island in Strait of Georgia, SE of Campbell River, 49°57'N, 125°0'W, 14-VI-1961, *Calder & MacKay* 30508A (DAO); N of Wickan, on Tofino-Ucluelet highway, 3-VI-1971, *Harcombe & Wille* 60303 (CAN); Queen Charlotte Islands, Moresby Island, Sandspit, 53°15'N, 131°49'W, 22-VI-1964, *Calder & Taylor* 35329 (MO); Vancouver Is., Nanaimo, 49°10'N, 123°56'W, 1946, *Taylor* 46045 (CAN); Vancouver Is., Thomas Point near Port Hardy airport, 55°23'N, 129°44'W, 13-VII-1961, *Calder & MacKay* 31469A (DAO); Victoria, Gonzales Hill, 48°24'N, 123°18'W, 15-VII-1966, *Harrison* 1111 (QFA); Whiffin Spit at Sooke west of Victoria, 48°21'N, 123°45'W, 4-VI-1961, *Calder & MacKay* 29978 (DAO). ONTARIO: Lake Superior, Silver Islet, 48°22'N, 88°50'W, 31-VIII-1871, *Gillman* 62 (NY).

U.S.A. ALABAMA: Perry Co., 4.3 mi N Dallas Co. line, 32°39'N, 87°18'W, 14-IV-1970, *Kral* 38463 (MO); Sumter Co., Epes, 32°41'N, 88°7'W, 19-V-1989, *Anderson* 11977 (MO). CALIFORNIA: Butte Co., E side of Pacific Heights Road, 3 mi SW of Oroville, 39°30'N, 121°33'W, 8-IV-1990, *Ahart* 6434 (MO); Butte Co., Table Mountain, Oroville, 39°30'N, 121°33'W, 20-IV-1968, *Sheldahl* 19 (MA); Contra Costa Co., Danville, 37°49'N, 121°59'W, 8-IV-1959, *Twisselmann* 5022 (MO); Humboldt Co., Spruce Cove, Trinidad, 41°3'N, 124°8'W, IV-1938, *Parks & Parks* 24118 (MO); Lake Co., Kelseyville, 38°58'N, 122°50'W, 20-V-1925, *Blankinship* s.n. (MO); Monterey Co., Point Pinos, Pacific Grove, 36°38'N, 121°55'W, 5-V-1942, *Rose* 42029 (MO); Riverside Co., Santa Rosa Plateau, 33°25'N, 116°13'W, 23-V-1973, *Thorne* 45515 (NY); San Francisco, San Miguel Hills, canyon E of O'Shaughnessy Boulevard, 37°44'N, 122°26'W, 27-IV-1956, *Rubzoff* 2332 (MO); San Francisco, SW part of Lake Merced, 37°44'N, 119°24'W, 5-V-1954, *Raven* 6879 (MO); San Joaquin Co., 3 mi N of Stockton, 37°57'N, 121°17'W, 18-VI-1964, *Alexson* 30 (NY); San Mateo Co., Crystal Spring Lake, 37°31'N, 121°21'W, VI-1903, *Elmer* 4730 (MO); Santa Clara Co., Stanford, Cedro way, 37°25'N, 122°9'W, 21-IV-1968, *Porter* 1650 (MO); Tuolumne Co., Twain Harte Post Office, 38°2'N, 120°13'W, 9-VI-1944, *Alexander & Kellogg* 3668 (MO). KENTUCKY: Pendleton Ballast, 38°47'N, 84°22'W, 11-V-1983, *Buddell II & Thieret* 1032 (NY). LOUISIANA: Avoyelles Co., Effie, 31°12'N, 92°9'W, 2-VI-1979, *Allen* 8737 (WVA); Madison Co., 1 mile W of US 65, exit at Tallulah, 32°24'N, 91°11'W, 1-V-1988, *Thomas & C. Slaughter* 104232 (MO); Natchitoches Co., Goldona, 32°1'N, 92°55'W, 16-III-1974, *Terrell* 26 (MO); Sabine Co., Pleasant Hill, 31°49'N, 93°30'W, 8-IV-1977, *Allen & al.* 7716 (WVA); Tensas Co., 3 mi N of Helena, 31°52'N, 91°23'W, 20-IV-1957, *Ewan* 19053 (MO). MARYLAND: Wicomico Co., Willards, 38°23'N, 75°20'W, 1-V-1939, *Earle* 2007 (PH). MISSISSIPPI: Forrest Co., 3 mi S of Hattiesburg, 31°19'N, 89°17'W, 29-III-1971, *Rogers* 6113 (MO). MISSOURI: New Madrid Co., Mississippi River front at New Madrid, 36°35'N, 89°31'W, 14-V-1992, *Summers* 4968 (MO); St. Charles Co., Augusta, 38°34'N, 90°52'W, 6-XI-1997, *Darigo & Sullivan* s.n. (MO); St. Louis Co., Glendale, 38°35'N, 90°22'W, 7-VI-1952, *Steyermark* 73314 (MO). NEVADA: California Co., Loomis, 41°26'N, 114°59'W, 23-IV-1955, *Vetter* 11 (RENO); Washoe Co., Sparks, 39°32'N, 119°45'W, 15-VII-1985, *Williams* 85-65-1 (NY). NEW YORK: New York, 40°42'N, 74°0'W, 30-V-1887, *Brown* s.n. (NY). NORTH CAROLINA: Buncombe Co., Biltmore, 35°33'N, 82°32'W, 4-VI-1897 (MO); Orange Co., Hillsboro, 36°4'N, 79°6'W, 29-IV-1960, *Ahles* 53286 (WVA). OHIO: Brown Co., White Oak Creek, 38°47'N, 83°57'W, 16-X-1991, *McCormac* 468 (KE). OREGON: Benton Co., 8 mi S of Corvallis, 2-VI-1928, *Thompson* 4374 (MO); Curry Co., Rogue River, 42°29'N, 124°12'W, 30-V-1948, *Baker* 5314 (NY); Marion Co., near Santiam R., near Jefferson, 44°43'N, 123°0'W, 22-VI-1930, *Stanford* 1668 (MO); Multnomah Co., Portland, 45°31'N, 122°40'W, 23-VII-1902, *Sheldon* 10980 (F). PENNSYLVANIA: Ballast, 39°54'N, 75°8'W, VI-1876, *Porter* s.n. (NY); Chester Co., Brookfield, 39°51'N, 75°39'W, VI-1862, *Canby* s.n. (NY); Schuylkill Co., Middleport, 40°43'N, 76°05'W, 18-VI-1936, *Wagner* 1740 (PH). SOUTH CAROLINA: Greenville, 34°51'N, 82°23'W, 5-IV-1976, *Rodgers & Mullens* 7692 (ILL). TENNESSEE: Maury Co., N side Columbia by US 31, 35°36'N, 87°2'W, 13-IV-1974, *Kral* 52470 (MO); Rutherford Co., Stones, 36°0'N, 86°29'W, 27-IV-1973, *Kral* 49722 (MO); Wilson Co., Lebanon, 36°12'N, 86°17'W, 20-IV-1986, *Hill* 16506 (MO). TEXAS: Franklin Co., Sulphur River just N of Hagansport, 33°20'N, 95°14'W, 29-IV-1969, *Correll* 37119 (TEX); Panola Co., small lake on Alexander Ranch, 4 mi N of Deadwood, 32°8'N, 94°8'W, 9-V-1962, *Correll & E.C. Ogden* 25189 (TEX); Sabine Co., 1 mi SW of Hemphill, 31°20'N, 93°50'W, 10-V-1969, *Correll* 37228 (TEX); Wichita Co., Wichita Falls, 33°54'N, 98°29'W, 5-VI-1976, *Higgins* 10021 (NY). VIRGINIA: Arlington, 38°54'N, 77°6'W, 2-VI-1951, *Allard* 19904 (WVA); Williamsburgh, 37°16'N, 76°42'W, 21-IV-1921, *Grimes* 3469 (NY). WASHINGTON: Chehalis Co., near Montesano, 46°58'N, 123°36'W, 16-VI-1898, *Heller* 3949 (MO); Chehalis Co., Oyhut, 46°40'N, 122°58'W, 7-VIII-1897, *Lamb* 1263 (MO); Clallam, 48°15'N, 124°15'W, 1-VI-1905, *Grant* 145 (NA); King Co., Brooklyn, 47°36'N, 122°19'W, 12-VII-1898, *Savage & al. s.n.* (MO); King Co., Seattle, 47°36'N, 122°19'W, 2-VI-1889, *Piper* 41 (MO); Kitsap Co., Seabeck, 47°38'N, 122°49'W, 12-VI-1934, *Eyerdam* s.n. (MO); Montesano, 46°58'N, 123°36'W, VII-1919, *Grant* s.n. (MO); Whatcom Co., Gooseberry Point, 48°43'N, 122°40'W, 21-VI-1939, *Muenscher* 9995 (MO). WEST VIRGINIA: Randolph Co., Elkins, 38°55'N, 79°50'W, 27-VI-1957, *Davis* 12113 (WVA).

II. *Geranium* subg. *Robertium*

Fruit of “carpel-projection-type”, with seeds actively discharged by the explosive recoiling of the awn. The whole mericarp, containing the seed, is dispersed, whereas the

awn remains with the columella; mericarps without basal callus or prong.

7. *Geranium aequale* (Bab.) Aedo in Anales Jard. Bot. Madrid 55: 466 (1997)

G. molle var. *aequale* Bab., Man. Brit. Bot. Ed. 2 65 (1847)

Ind. loc.: "near Leamington (1845). Mr. J.J. Murcott" [52° 15'N 1° 29'W]

Type: United Kingdom. England, near Leamington, *Murcott s.n.* [lectotype, designated by CAROLIN (1965: 333), CGE]

Herbs, annual to 40 cm tall. Stem erect or decumbent, usually branched from the base, pilose, with long eglandular hairs 1-1.2 mm long and short glandular and eglandular hairs < 0.5 mm long. Basal leaves in a persistent rosette; lamina 1.5-3(5) × 1.5-3.7(5.8) cm, orbicular or reniform in outline, palmatifid -divided for 0.6-0.75 of its length-, pilose, with eglandular, appressed hairs; segments 7-9, obtiangular, 2-4 mm wide at the base, 3(5)-lobed at apex -ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.27-0.31-; lower caudine leaves alternate; petioles to 14 cm long, with patent, long eglandular hairs ca. 1 mm long and short glandular and eglandular hairs < 0.5 mm long; stipules 6-7 × 3-4 mm, ovate-lanceolate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface, glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 1-7 cm long, pilose, with eglandular patent hairs 1-1.7 mm long and short (< 0.5 mm) glandular and eglandular hairs; bracteoles 1.5-3 × 1-1.5 mm, lanceolate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 1-2.2 cm long, pilose, with eglandular, patent hairs 1-1.8 mm long and short (< 0.5 mm) glandular and eglandular hairs; pedicel and peduncle together overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 3-5 × 1.5-2 mm -ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 1.5-2.5-, smooth, not accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 0.1-0.2 mm long), with scarious margins 0.1 mm wide, with eglandular hairs 1-2 mm long and some shorter (< 0.5 mm) eglandular

and glandular ones on the abaxial side, glabrous adaxially. Petals 3.5-4.5 × 2-3 mm, emarginate (with notch 1 mm deep), with short claw, bright purple. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 3-4.5 mm long, lanceolate, glabrous except for a few cilia on the proximal half; anthers 0.4-0.6 × 0.2-0.3 mm, purplish. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium ca. 5 mm long. Fruit 9-12 mm long; mericarps 1.4-1.5 × 1-1.1 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, without longitudinal rib, not covering the seed completely, glabrous on most of the surface, densely ciliate at the base; rostrum 7-10.5 mm long, with a narrowed apex 1-1.5 mm, pilose (with erect-patent eglandular hairs 0.1-0.3 mm long), brownish; stigmatic remains ca. 1-2 mm long, with 5 hairy lobes. Seeds 1.6-1.7 × 0.9-1 mm, brownish, the hilum 1/5-1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 26$.

Flowering May-August. Cultivated fields and dry places near villages; 0-200 m; introduced from Europe; Central and Northeastern U.S.A. Fig. 13.

Illustrations. AEDO & al. (1998a: 605).

Geranium aequale is close to *G. molle*, from which it is easily distinguished by its smooth, densely ciliate mericarps (AEDO & al., 1998a).

Representative specimens examined

U.S.A. COLORADO: Boulder, 40°0'N, 105°16'W, 22-IX-1906, *Cockerey s.n.* (NY). INDIANA: Monroe Co., Indiana University Campus, 39°9'N, 86°31'W, 13-VI-1913, *Anderson* 1752 (IND). KENTUCKY: Bullitt Co., Mountain Maples, Tablet Wall, 37°54'N, 85°37'W, 29-VI-1958, *Gunn* 1223 (KY). MASSACHUSETTS: Barnstable Co., Falmouth, 41°33'N, 70°36'W, 4-VII-1895, *Deane s.n.* (MO); Barnstable Co., Hyannis, 41°39'N, 70°17'W, VIII-1930, *Knowlton s.n.* (MO); Barnstable Co., Cape Cod, 41°50'N, 70°00'W, 16-VI-1950, *Bacon* 22 (MSC); Wellesley, 42°17'N, 71°17'W, 27-V-1[?148], *Cummings s.n.* (NY). MICHIGAN: Emmet Co., Harbor Spring, 45°32'N, 84°55'W, 12-VI-1903, *Morrice s.n.* (MSC). NEW JERSEY: Morris Co., above Sterlington, 40°50'N, 74°32'W, 28-V-1905, *Mackenzie* 1261 (NY); Tom's River, 39°57'N, 74°11'W, 3-VII-1916, *Wilson s.n.* (NY). NEW YORK: Long Island, Hewlett, 40°38'N, 73°41'W, 12-VI-1913, *Bicknell* 5392 (NY); Sweden, Brockport, 43°10'N, 77°56'W, 13-XI-1975, *Hammond* 8256c (NY); Tompkins Co., Lawn of East Roberts Hall, 42°27'N,

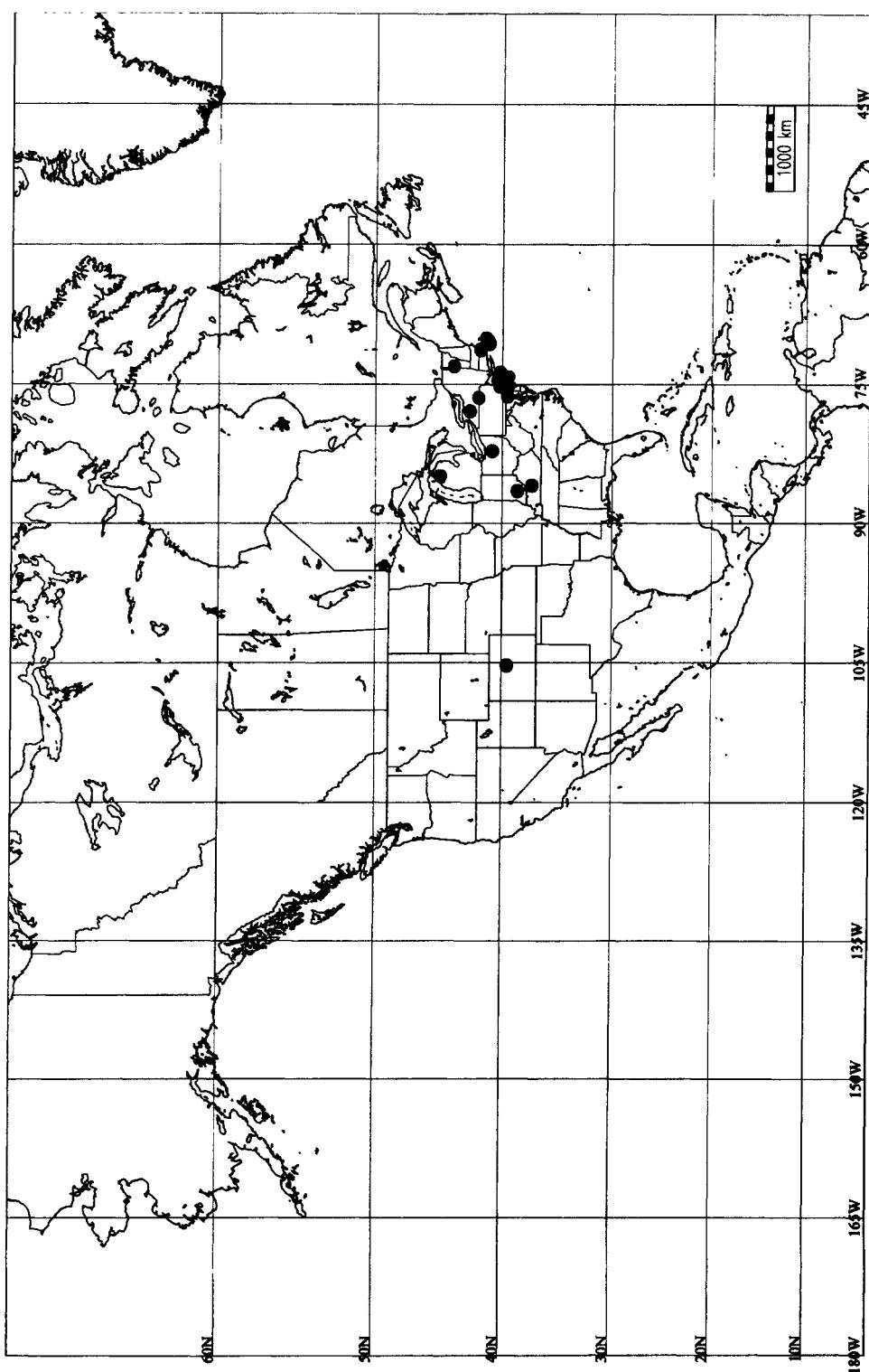


Fig. 13.—Distribution of *Geranium aequale* in North America.

76°28'W, 6-VI-1927, *Burnham* 16985 (MO). OHIO: Lorain Co., Oberlin, 41°17'N, 82°13'W, 15-VII-1895, *Dick* s.n. (MICH). PENNSYLVANIA: Lancaster, 40°2'N, 76°18'W, VII-1894, *Bitner* s.n. (NY); on the Delaware River, N of Easton, 40°41'N, 75°13'W, 4-VII-1890, *Small* s.n. (NY); Philadelphia, 39°57'N, 75°59'W, *Williamson* s.n. (NY). VERMONT: Chittenden Co., Burlington, 44°27'N, 73°3'W, 11-V-1965, *Seymour* 22651 (MO).

8. *Geranium molle* L., Sp. Pl.: 682 (1753)

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Europa ad plateas"

Typus: Vaill., Bot. Paris., tab. 15 fig. 3-3a (1727) [lectotype, designated by CAROLIN (1965: 332-333)]

Herbs, annual to 45 cm tall. Stem erect or decumbent, usually branched from the base, pilose, with long eglandular hairs 1-1.7 mm long and short glandular and eglandular hairs < 0.5 mm long. Basal leaves in a persistent rosette; lamina 0.9-4 × 0.9-5.2 cm, orbicular or reniform in outline, palmatifid -divided for 0.5-0.75 of its length-, pilose, with eglandular appressed hairs; segments 7-9, obtiangular, 1.5-5 mm wide at the base, usually 3(4)-lobed at apex -ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.14-0.25-; lower caudine leaves alternate; petioles to 14 cm long, with patent, long eglandular hairs 1-1.5 mm long and short glandular and eglandular hairs < 0.5 mm long; stipules 6-9 × 1.5-4 mm, ovate-lanceolate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface, glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 0.5-8 cm long, pilose, with eglandular patent hairs 1-1.8 mm long and short (< 0.5 mm) glandular and eglandular hairs; bracteoles 1-2 × 0.5-1.2 mm, lanceolate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface and on the margin, glabrous adaxially; pedicels 0.5-1.5 cm long, pilose, with eglandular patent hairs 1-1.8 mm long and short (< 0.5 mm) glandular and eglandular hairs; pedicel and peduncle together shorter or overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals (1)2.5-5.5(6) × (0.9)1.2-2.1(2.5) mm -ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 2.3-4.2-, smooth, not accrescent, 3-5-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 0.1-0.2 mm long), with scarious margins 0.1-0.2 mm wide, with eglandular hairs 1-1.5 mm long and some shorter

(< 0.5 mm) eglandular and glandular hairs on the abaxial side, glabrous adaxially. Petals (3)4.5-8.5(10.5) × (1.5)2-5(7) mm, emarginate (with notch 1-2.5 mm deep), with short claw, bright purple. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 4-5 mm long, lanceolate, glabrous except for few cilia on the proximal half; anthers 0.7-1.5 × 0.3-0.5 mm, purplish. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium 5-6 mm long. Fruit 8-14 mm long; mericarps 1.8-2.1 × 1.2-1.4 mm, without a strand of fibres, transversely wrinkled, without longitudinal rib, covering the seed completely, glabrous on the surface, with a few cilia at the base; rostrum 6-11 mm long, with a narrowed apex 1-3 mm, pilose (with erect-patent eglandular hairs ca. 0.3 mm long); stigmatic remains ca. 1-2 mm long, with 5 pilose lobes. Seeds 1.4-1.8 × 1-1.2 mm, brownish, the hilum 1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 26$.

Flowering February-August. Cultivated and waste places, open habitats, dunes, dry grassland, or roadsides; 0-1500 m; introduced from the Old World; widespread on Canada and U.S.A. Fig. 14.

Illustrations. Fig. 18c, 19e; CAVANILLES (1787: tab. 83 fig. 3); ROSS-CRAIG (1952, Part 6, pl. 34); HOLMGREN (1998: 340); AEDO & al. (1998a: 608).

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. molle* have not been studied: Connecticut (SEYMOUR, 1969: 368), Illinois (JONES, 1945: 179), Maine (KARTESZ, 1998), Montana (BOOTH & WRIGHT, 1966: 143), Nova Scotia (ROLAND & SMITH, 1969: 488), New Hampshire (KARTESZ, 1998), and Ontario (SCOGGAN, 1978: 1046). DEAM (1910: 1069) indicated that *G. molle* was collected on the campus of Indiana University. However, the only specimen examined from Indiana -from the University campus, but collected in 1913- was *G. aequale*.

Representative specimens examined

CANADA. BRITISH COLUMBIA: Douglas, 49°0'N, 122°44'W, 29-IV-1906, *Spreadborough* 79744 (NY); Goldstream, Van Island, 17-V-1887, *Macoun* s.n. (BM);

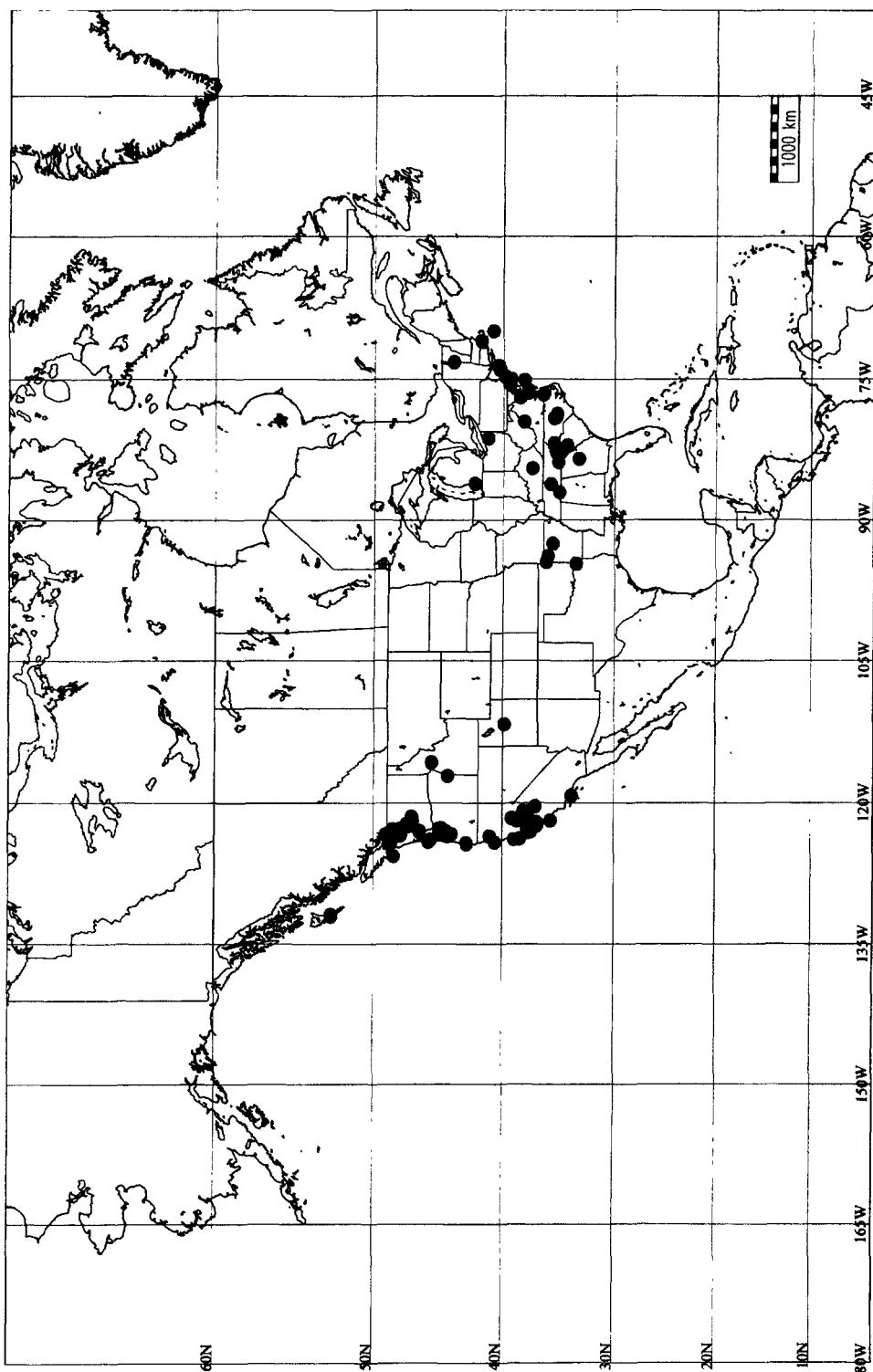


Fig. 14.-Distribution of *Geranium molle* in North America.

Haida Point, near Skidegate, Graham Island, 53°15'N, 132°1'W, 24-V-1957, *Calder & al.* 20864 (NY); Image Point, between Skidegate and Skidegate Mission, Graham Island, 53°15'N, 132°0'W, 5-VI-1964, *Calder & al.* 34682 (G); Moresby Island, Sandspit, 53°15'N, 131°49'W, 22-VI-1964, *Calder & al.* 35330 (MO).

U.S.A. ARKANSAS: Marion Co., Buffalo State Park, ca. 15 miles SE Yellville, 36°10'N, 92°27'W, 23-V-1970, *D'Arcy & Porter* 4426 (MO). CALIFORNIA: Alameda Co., between aqueduct and Alameda Creek where aqueduct crosses Niles Canyon rd., 37°34'N, 122°0'W, 13-IV-1969, *Wetzel* 716 (CAS); Amador Co., Pardee lake, 38°15'N, 120°51'W, 30-III-1983, *McNeal* 2796 (NY); Butte Co., E side of Pacific Heights Road, 3.5 mi SW of Oroville, 39°30'N, 121°33'W, 8-IV-1990, *Ahart* 6435 (CAS); Butte Co., NE Highway 99 & Pentez Road, 39°39'N, 121°34'W, 10-IV-1983, *Ahart* 3926 (CAS); Humboldt Co., Trinidad, 41°3'N, 124°8'W, 21-V-1907, *Eastwood* II (CAS); Marin Co., 38°4'N, 122°44'W, 30-V-1932, *McCoy* 210 (NY). DELAWARE: Sussex Co., Rehoboth, 38°39'N, 75°5'W, 23-V-1931, *Jones* s.n. (PH). IDAHO: Idaho Co., Clearwater River Canyon between Syringa and Orofino, ca 5 miles downstream of Syringa, 46°9'N, 115°43'W, 1-V-1983, *Henderson & Cholewa* 6486 (NY). KENTUCKY: Fayette Co., Lexington, 37°59'N, 84°28'W, 12-V-1956, *Wallace* 59 (KY). MARYLAND: access road to national Seashore, 38°20'N, 76°24'W, 14-IV-1984, *Hill* 13530 (NY); causeway E side of bridge, National Seashore, 38°20'N, 76°24'W, 13-V-1984, *Hill* 13815 (MO); Prince George Co., Beltsville, 39°2'N, 76°54'W, 10-V-1986, *Hill* 16730 (NY). MASSACHUSETTS: Dorchester, 42°17'N, 71°4'W, 1874, *Churchill* s.n. (MO); Nantucket Island, Siasconset, 41°15'N, 69°58'W, 11-V-1966, *Mackeever* 991 (BM). MICHIGAN: Ottawa Co., Holland, 42°47'N, 86°6'W 9-V-1977, *Gillis* 13667A (MSC). MISSOURI: Barry Co., Roaring river State Park, 36°35'N, 93°48'W, 13-V-1974, *Christ* 129 (MO); McDonald Co., 1.5 miles S of Goodam, T23N, R32W S 19, roadside park on W side of Hwy 71, 36°44'N, 94°24'W, 3-VII-1989, *Summers* 2944 (MO). NEW JERSEY: Camden Co., Ballust, 39°47'N, 74°58'W, 11-VI-1876, *Parker* s.n. (NY); W Lawrenceville, 40°17'N, 74°43'W, 25-V-1911, *Volk* s.n. (NY). NEW YORK: Long Island, Hunter's Point, 40°44'N, 73°57'W, 19-V-1880, *Brown* s.n. (NY); Long Island, Setanket, 40°49'N, 73°35'W, 10-VI-1924, *Ferguson* 2948 (NY). NORTH CAROLINA: Avery Co., entrance to Grandfather Mountain on US 221, 36°6'N, 81°48'W, 2-VI-1988, *Boufford & Wood* 23898 (MO); Buncombe Co., Biltmore, 35°33'N, 82°32'W, VI-1897, *Cornaz* 4885 (G); Madison Co., Hot Springs, 35°53'N, 82°49'W, 18-V-1974, *Boufford & al.* 13131 (MO). OHIO: Lake Co., Painesville, 41°43'N, 81°14'W, 4-VI-1886, *Werner* s.n. (NY). OKLAHOMA: McCurtain Co., 4.3 miles SE of Eagletown, 34°2'N, 94°34'W, 11-VI-1973, *Goodman* 8336 (G). OREGON: Baker Co., old campground along Pine Creek, below North Pine Creek, between Halfway and Homestead, 44°52'N, 117°6'W, 11-VI-1950, *Conquist* 6543 (NY); Benton Co., N slope of Baldie, W of Corvallis, 44°33'N, 123°15'W, 7-VI-1918, *Lawrence* 1662 (CAS). PENNSYLVANIA: Chester Co., Brookfield, 39°51'N, 75°35'W, VII-1817, *Canby* s.n. (NY). SOUTH CAROLINA:

Spartanburg Co., Wofford College, 34°55'N, 81°59'W, 5-VI-1960, *Kirby* 165 (DUKE). TENNESSEE: Blount Co., Walland, Mt Nebo, 35°43'N, 83°49'W, 26-IV-1980, *Thomas* 71177 (MO); Maury Co., N side of Columbia by US 31, 35°36'N, 87°2'W, 13-IV-1974, *Kral* 52469 (MO); Trousdale Co., North bank Cumberland River by Tenn 141, 0.5 mi N Hartsville, 36°23'N, 86°10'W, 4-V-1973, *Kral* 49798 (MO). UTAH: Utah Co., Provo Bench near Pleasant View, Utal Ditchbank, 40°18'N, 111°39'W, 1-VI-1934, *Harrison* 7543 (MO). VERMONT: Burlington, 44°28'N, 73°12'W, 16-V-1962, *Johnson* 28 (VT). VIRGINIA: Isle of Wight Co., Fort Boykin, 37°2'N, 76°37'W, 5-V-1991, *Grimm* s.n. (BM). WASHINGTON: King Co., 1 mile N Snoqualmie Falls on the road between Falls City and Snoqualmie, Cascade Mountains, 47°32'N, 121°50'W, 20-VI-1964, *Anderson* 2138 (MO); King Co., Seattle, 47°36'N, 122°19'W, VI-1909, *Eyndam* s.n. (G); Lake Washington, 47°34'N, 122°17'W, IV-1908, *Gavett* s.n. (NY); Long Beach, 46°21'N, 124°3'W, 12-VII-1907, *McGregor* s.n. (CAS); Olympia, near Main St., 47°2'N, 122°53'W, 26-V-1904, *Townsend* s.n. (MO). WEST VIRGINIA: Pendleton Co., Pike Gap rd., 0.5 mi SE jct of St. Rt. 28 at Circleville, 38°40'N, 79°29'W, 31-V-1989, *Cusick* 28120 (NY). WISCONSIN: Olga, 10-VI-1905, *Engberg* s.n. (NY).

9. *Geranium pusillum* L., Syst. Nat. ed. 10, 2: 1144 (1759) [V-VI, 1759]

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Anglia, Gallia" [according to L., Sp. Pl. ed. 2, 2: 957 (1763)]

Typus: LINN-858.86 (color slide!) [lectotype, designated by AEDO & al. (1998a: 611)]

Herb, annual up to 50 cm tall. Stem erect or decumbent, usually branched from the base, pilose, with short glandular and eglandular patent hairs (< 0.3 mm long). Basal leaves in a persistent rosette; lamina 1.5-3.8 × 1.5-4.8 cm, orbicular or reniform in outline, palmatifid –divided for 0.3-0.75 of its length–, pilose, with eglandular, appressed hairs; segments 7, obtangular, 2-4 mm wide at the base, 3-5-lobed at apex –ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.16-0.29–; lower cauline leaves opposite; petioles to 12 cm long, with short (< 0.3 mm) eglandular and glandular patent hairs; stipules 2-4 × 1-1.5 mm, lanceolate, sometimes lobed, pilose with eglandular hairs on abaxial surface, glabrous adaxially. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 0.5-3.2 cm long, pilose, with short (< 0.3 mm) glandular and eglandular patent hairs; bracteoles 1.5-2 × 0.5 mm, linear-

lanceolate; pedicels 0.6-1.6 cm long, pilose, with short (< 0.3 mm) glandular and eglandular patent hairs; pedicel and peduncle together overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 3-4.5 × 1.5-2 mm –ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 1.5-2.6–, smooth, not accrescent, 3-5-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 0.1 mm long), with scarious margins ca. 0.1 mm wide, with eglandular hairs ca. 1 mm long and some shorter (< 0.5 mm) eglandular and glandular hairs on the abaxial side, glabrous adaxially. Petals 2-3 × 1-1.5 mm, emarginate (with notch 0.2-0.5 mm deep), with short claw, pale purple. Stamens 10, the inner whorl with filaments 1.2-1.5 mm long, lanceolate, pilose on the abaxial side, ciliate on the proximal half; anthers 0.3 × 0.2 mm, purplish; external whorl with filaments 1 mm long, almost glabrous, lacking anthers. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium ca. 3 mm long. Fruit 9-11 mm long; mericarps 1.7-1.9 × 1-1.1 mm, without a strand of fibres, smooth, with a longitudinal rib, covering the seed completely, pilose, with appressed-eglandular hairs to 0.2 mm long, with a few cilia at the base; rostrum 7-9 mm long, obtuse at apex, pilose (with erect-patent, eglandular and glandular hairs ca. 0.2 mm long); stigmatic remains 0.5-0.7 mm long, with 5 pilose lobes. Seeds 1.7-1.8 × 1-1.1 mm, reddish; hilum 1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 26$.

Flowering March-September. Cultivated and waste places, open habitats, rocky slopes, and dry grassland; 0-1500 m; introduced from the Old World; widespread in Canada and U.S.A. Fig. 15.

Illustrations. CAVANILLES (1787, tab. 83 fig. 1); ROSS-CRAIG (1952, Part 6, pl. 35); HOLMGREN (1998: 340); AEDO & al. (1998a: 613).

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. pusillum* have not been studied: Iowa (KARTESZ, 1998), Maine (SEYMOUR, 1969: 368), Minnesota (KARTESZ, 1998), North Carolina (RADFORD & al., 1968: 651), New Hampshire (KARTESZ, 1998), New

Mexico (MARTIN, 1980: 1124), and South Carolina (KARTESZ, 1998).

Representative specimens examined

CANADA. ALBERTA: Banff, 51°10'N, 115°34'W, IX-1925, *Sanson* 1028 (NY). BRITISH COLUMBIA: Agassiz, 49°14'N, 121°52'W, 20-V-1889, *Macoun* 2889 (CAN); Sardis, 49°8'N, 121°57'W, 27-V-1954, *Faris* 48 (DAO); Vancouver, 49°15'N, 123°7'W, 6-V-1875, *Macoun* 268 (K). MANITOBA: Brandon, 49°50'N, 99°57'W, 17-VIII-1953, *Stevenson* 788 (CAN). ONTARIO: Algoma, Sault Ste. Marie, 46°31'N, 84°20'W, 11-VII-1954, *Bragg & Bassett* 457 (DAO); Bruce Co., Crane Lake, 45°10'N, 81°24'W, 19-VI-1977, *Soper* & al. 13637 (CAN).

U.S.A. ARKANSAS: Carroll Co., Elk Ranch, 36°27'N, 93°45'W, 2-VI-1931, *Palmer* 39459 (NY); Eureka Spring, 36°24'N, 93°44'W, 9-V-1902, *Bush* 1542 (NY); Madison Co., Withrow Springs, 36°9'N, 93°44'W, 23-IV-1933, *Moore* 330038 (NY). CALIFORNIA: Inyo Co., Independence, 36°48'N, 118°11'W, 23-VI-1941, *Kerr* s.n. (CAS); Santa Cruz Co., Boulder Creek, 37°7'N, 122°7'W, 13-VI-1953, *Hesse* 1118 (CAS); Tulare Co., Tule River, Sierra Nevada, 36°2'N, 119°49'W, 10-VII-1908, *Pearson* 2021 (CAS). COLORADO: Denver, 39°44'N, 104°59'W, XI-1911, [illegible] (NY); St. Lupton, 40°5'N, 104°48'W, 2-VI-1914, *Johnston* 555 (MO). CONNECTICUT: Fairfield Co., Bridgeport, 41°10'N, 73°12'W 18-VI-1908, *Eames* 5929 (PH). DELAWARE: New Castle Co., Brandywine, 39°49'N, 75°32'W, VIII-1863, *Canby* s.n. (NY); Wilmington, 39°44'N, 75°32'W, 13-VI-1866, *Commons* s.n. (NY). IDAHO: 11 miles S of White Bird on US hwy 95, in old orchard by Salmon River, 45°45'N, 116°17'W, 2-VI-1970, *Cox* & al. 1827 (NY); Coeur d'Alene Mountains, 47°45'N, 116°0'W, 20-VI-1895, *Leiberg* 1325 (NY). ILLINOIS: Alton, along the track of the Illinois Terminal Railroad, E of Piasa Street, 38°53'N, 90°11'W, 26-V-1979, *Muehlenbach* 4336 (MO); Hancock Co., Augusta, 40°13'N, 90°57'W, 1841, *Meade* s.n. (MO). INDIANA: Elkhart Co., 41°34'N, 85°50'W, 5-VII-1941 (NY); Lagrange Co., in lawn of Williams sisters at Howe, 41°43'N, 85°25'W, 15-VI-1945, *Friesner* 18971 (NY). KANSAS: Ellsworth Co., Kanopolis Reservoir, N Shore St. Park, 38°37'N, 97°58'W, 20-VI-1984, *Brooks* 17145 (NY); Wabaunsee Co., 2.2 mi N Alma, 39°1'N, 96°17'W, 15-V-1991, *Brooks* 20689 (NY). KENTUCKY: Boyle Co., Bellevue Cemetery, N Danville, 37°39'N, 84°46'W, 1-VI-1992, *Cusick* 30297 (NY); Fayette Co., Iris Place, Lexington, 37°59'N, 84°28'W, 21-V-1942, *McFarland* 67 (NY). MARYLAND: Bladensburg, 38°56'N, 76°56'W, VI-1879, *Chickering* s.n. (MO). MASSACHUSETTS: Dorchester Co., Percival & Mariel streets, 42°17'N, 71°4'W, 28-X-1922, *Churchill* s.n. (MO); Edgartown, Martha's Vineyard, 41°23'N, 70°30'W, 19-VI-1961, *MacKeever* 445 (NY); Nantucket Island, 41°17'N, 70°6'W, 11-VIII-1906, *Bicknell* 5395 (NY). MICHIGAN: Genesee Co., Flint, 43°0'N, 83°41'W, *Clarke* s.n. (NY); Lambton Co., near Sarnia, 42°58'N, 82°24'W, 6-VI-1896, *Dodge* s.n. (NY); Washtenaw Co., Packard road, 42°15'N, 83°31'W, 4-VI-1937, *Hermann* 8695 (NY). MISSOURI: Noel, 36°32'N, 94°29'W, 25-V-1909, *Bush* 5727 (NY). MONTANA:

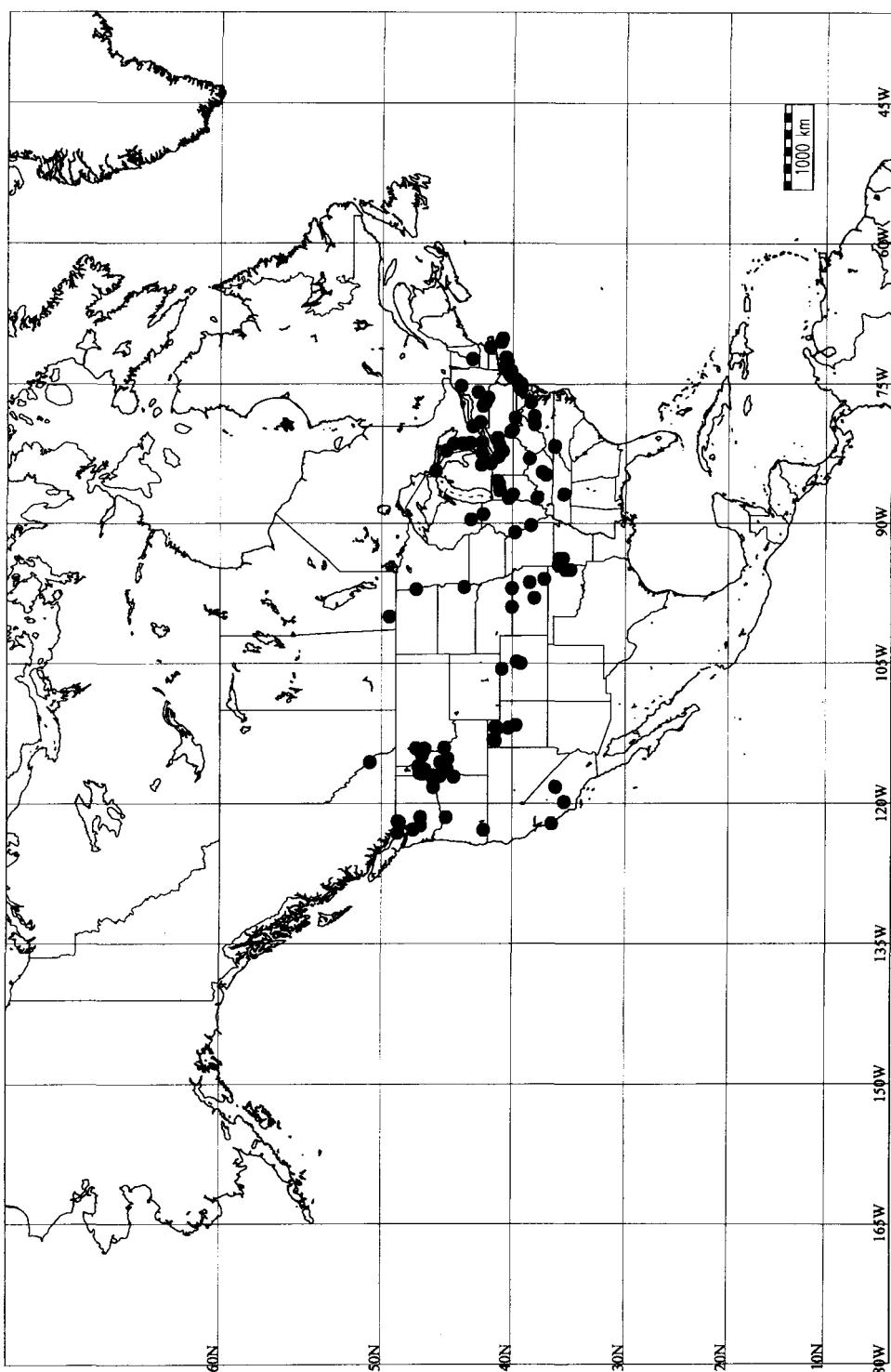


Fig. 15.—Distribution of *Geranium pusillum* in North America.

Flathead Mission, 47°55'N, 114°5'W, IX-1899, *Blankinship s.n.* (NY); Lake and Sanders Co., along Pauline Cr. and adjacent grasslands, National Bison Range, 47°19'N, 114°13'W, 23-VI-1966, *Thomas & Bromley 11733* (CAS). NEBRASKA: Kearney Co., Minden, 40°29'N, 96°56'W, 10-VI-1931, *Hapeman s.n.* (MO). NEW JERSEY: Camden, 39°47'N, 74°58'W, *Parker s.n.* (NY); pr. Philadelphia, 39°47'N, 74°58'W, VI-1841, *Watson s.n.* (K). NEW YORK: Albany, 40°42'N, 73°49'W, 16-VI-1882, *Dudley s.n.* (CAS); Ballast grounds, at Hunter's Point, 40°44'N, 73°57'W, 9-VII-1879, *Brown s.n.* (NY). NORTH DAKOTA: Grand Forks, 47°55'N, 97°1'W, 23-VII-1920 (F). OHIO: Ashtabula Co., 41°42'N, 80°46'W, 6-VI-1893, *Goodrich 147* (MO); Euclid, 41°34'N, 81°33'W, *Scair s.n.* (NY); Lorain Co., Oberlin, 41°17'N, 82°13'W, 10-VII-1894, *Dick s.n.* (MONTU). OKLAHOMA: Sequoyah Co., Vian, 35°29'N, 94°58'W, 7-V-1955, *Goodman 6060* (OKL). OREGON: Pilot Rock, 42°46'N, 122°48'W, VII-1902, *Griffiths & Hunter 20* (NY); Wallowa Co., Imnaha canyon, 45°6'N, 117°6'W, 8-VII-1933, *Peck 17528* (NY). PENNSYLVANIA: Allegheny Co., 40°37'N, 80°7'W, 1869, *Porter s.n.* (NY); Bedford Co., 1/8 mi E of Janiatta Crossing, 40°15'N, 78°37'W, 26-V-1944, *Berkheimer 4633* (MIN); Philadelphia, 39°57'N, 75°9'W, *James s.n.* (NY). SOUTH DAKOTA: Brookings, 44°18'N, 96°47'W, VI-1892, *Thornber s.n.* (MO). TENNESSEE: Davison Co., Belle Meade area, 36°5'N, 86°51'W, 28-V-1973, *Kral 50321* (MO). UTAH: Bidolph's garden on road to Green Canyon, 41°58'N, 113°9'W, 13-VI-1949, *Shaw 36* (NY); Cache Co., 0.5 mile S of Smithfield sugar refinery, 41°50'N, 111°49'W, 22-VI-1942, *Maguire 21582* (NY). VERMONT: Norwich, 43°42'N, 72°18'W, 7-VI-1903, *Loveland s.n.* (VT). VIRGINIA: Page Co., Luray, 38°39'N, 78°27'W, 14-VI-1936, *Camp 1486* (NY); Smyth Co., Broad Ford, 36°55'N, 81°40'W, *Small s.n.* (MIN); Smyth Co., Fork Holston river, near Broad Ford, 36°55'N, 81°40'W, 20-VI-1892, *Small s.n.* (MO); Smyth Co., S slope of White Rock Mountains, 36°56'N, 81°45'W, 21-VI-1892, *Small s.n.* (K). WASHINGTON: Asotin Co., 10 mi S of Asotin, on bluffs along W side of Snake River, 46°10'N, 117°2'W, 10-VI-1959, *Hitchcock & Muhlick 21801* (NY); Asotin Co., on cliffs above Snake River 3 miles S of Asotin, 46°20'N, 117°2'W, 27-V-1944, *Hitchcock & Muhlick 8366* (NY); King Co., Seattle, 47°36'N, 122°19'W, VII-1915, *Freiberg s.n.* (MO). WEST VIRGINIA: Pendleton Co., Franklin, 38°38'N, 79°19'W, 30-VI-1936, *Burton s.n.* (NY). WISCONSIN: Marquette Co., Oxford, 43°46'N, 89°34'W, 1-VII-1929, *Wilkins s.n.* (WIS); Rock Co., Newville, 42°49'N, 89°1'W, 30-V-1985, *Thomson s.n.* (WIS). WYOMING: Laramie Expt. Farm, 41°18'N, 105°35'W, 30-VI-1896, *Nelson 2038* (NY).

10. *Geranium lucidum* L., Sp. Pl.: 682 (1753)

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Europae rupibus umbrosis"

Typus: LINN 858.72 (color slide!) [lectotype, designated by GHAFOOR (1978: 43)]

Herbs annual, 5-45 cm tall. Stem erect, solitary, glabrous. Basal leaves in a persistent rosette; lamina 1.7-3.8 × 2-4.2 cm, orbicular in outline, palmatifid –divided for 0.58-0.68 of its length–, pilose, with ± appressed, eglandular hairs; segments 5, obtriangular, 4-6 mm at the base, 3-7-lobed at apex –ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.1-0.2–; caudine leaves opposite; petioles to 8 cm long, glabrous or with some eglandular, antrorse hairs 0.2-0.3 mm long; stipules 1.5-2 × 1 mm, lanceolate, glabrous. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 1-3.5 cm long, pilose, with antrorse, eglandular hairs 0.2-0.4 mm long; bracteoles 1-1.5 × 0.5 mm, lanceolate, glabrous on both sides; pedicels 0.6-1.3 cm long, pilose, antrorse, eglandular hairs 0.2-0.4 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals (4.5)5.8-6.5 × 2.5-3 mm –ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 0.8-3–, with lengthwise keels and transverse flaps between these, not accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate –with mucro 0.5-1 mm long–, with scarious margins 0.3 mm wide, usually glabrous, sometimes with small glands on the abaxial side, glabrous adaxially. Petals 5-9 × 1.8-2.4 mm, entire, with claw 4.5-5 mm long –bicarinate–, glabrous –sometimes with some cilia on the basal margin–, purplish. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 4.5-6.5 mm long, lanceolate, glabrous; anthers 0.5 × 0.5 mm, yellow. Nectaries absent. Gynoecium 7-9 mm long. Fruit 16-17 mm long; mericarps 2.5-2.8 × 1.3-1.6 mm, without a strand of fibres, reticulate, with 2-3 overlapping collar-like keels –carrying some lines of glandular hairs 0.2 mm long– at the apex, without longitudinal rib, without basal beak, covering the seed completely, glabrous on most of the surface, with glandular cilia on the margin, brownish; rostrum 12-13 mm long, with a narrowed apex 5 mm long, glabrous in the proximal half, with erect-patent, eglandular hairs ca. 0.1 mm long in the distal half; stigmatic remains c. 1 mm long, with 5 glabrous lobes. Seeds 2-2.2 × 1-1.2 mm, smooth, uniformly, reddish; hilum

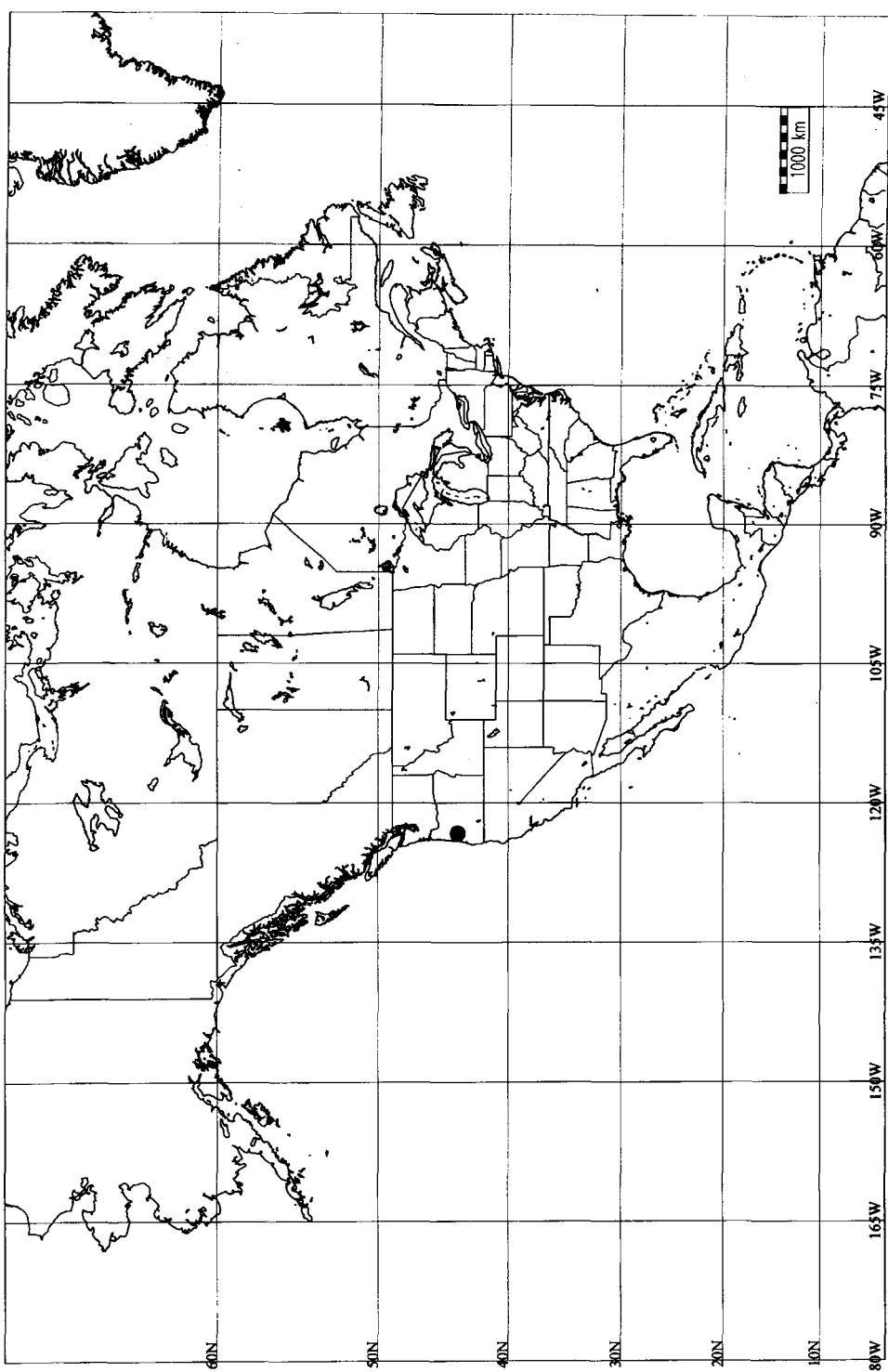


Fig. 16.—Distribution of *Geranium lucidum* in North America.

1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 20, 40-44, 60$.

Flowering May. Disturbed areas; 0-100 m; introduced from the Old World; Western U.S.A. Fig. 16.

Illustrations. Fig. 18d, 19f; CAVANILLES (1787, tab. 80 fig. 2); ROSS-CRAIG (1952, Part 6, pl. 39).

Representative specimens examined

U.S.A. OREGON: Benton Co., Corvallis, along Witham Hill Drive, 44°35'N, 123°16'W, 16-V-1999, Halse 5530 (MA).

11. *Geranium robertianum* L., Sp. Pl.: 681 (1753)

Robertiella robertianum (L.) Hanks in Underw. & Britton (eds.), N. Amer. Fl. 25(1): 3 (1907)

Ind. loc.: "Habitat in Europae borealis rupibus"

Typus: LINN-858.70 (color slide!) [lectotype, designated by GHAFOOR, 1978: 44]

= *Geranium inodorum* G. Don, Gen. Hist. 1: 721 (1831)

Ind. loc.: "Native of North America, from New York to Virginia, in shady moist places on rocks"

Typus: no original material found

Herbs, biennial, sometimes annual to 55 cm tall. Stem erect, usually branched from the base, pilose, with ± patent, glandular hairs 0.4-1 mm long. Basal leaves in a persistent rosette; lamina 3-9 × 3.5-10 cm, polygonal in outline, palmatisect, pilose, with ± appressed, glandular hairs; segments 5, rhombic, 1 mm wide at the base, usually 16-46-lobed in distal half –ratio main-sinus length of the middle segment/middle-segment length = 0.26-0.5–; cauline leaves opposite; petioles to 20 cm long, with patent, retrorse, not appressed, eglandular hairs 0.3-0.5 mm long and patent, glandular 0.4-2.4 mm long; stipules 2-5 × 1.8-3 mm, ovate, glabrous on both sides, ciliate –with eglandular and glandular hairs–. Cymules 2-flowered, solitary; peduncles 1-6 cm long, pilose, with patent, glandular hairs 0.4-0.9 mm long and retrorse, not appressed, eglandular hairs 0.3-0.5 mm long; bracteoles

1-1.5 × 0.6-1 mm, ovate, glabrous on both sides, ciliate –with eglandular and glandular hairs; pedicels 0.5-2 cm long, pilose, with patent, glandular hairs 0.4-1.5 mm long and retrorse, not appressed, eglandular hairs 0.3-0.5 mm long; pedicel and peduncle together often overtopping the subtending leaf. Sepals 6-8 × 3-3.5 mm –ratio pedicel length/sepal length = 0.7-2.1–, smooth, not accrescent, 3-nerved, mucronate (with mucro 1.8-2.5 mm long), with scarious margins 0.3-0.4 mm wide, with ± patent hairs –glandular hairs 0.4-3.2 mm long and eglandular hairs 0.3-0.5 mm long– on the abaxial side, glabrous adaxially. Petals 10-14 × 3.5-5.5 mm, entire, with claw 4.5-6.5 mm long –bicarinate–, glabrous, purple. Stamens 10, both whorls bearing anthers; filaments 6-8.5 mm long, subulate, glabrous; anthers 0.5 × 0.5 mm, purplish. Nectaries glabrous. Gynoecium 4-6 mm long. Fruit 19-23 mm long; mericarps 2.5-3.1 × 1.6-1.8 mm, with a strand of fibres derived from the beak attached near the apex on either side, reticulate –the ridges sparse and scarcely anastomosing in the basal half, denser above and forming 1-2(3) overlapping, collar-like keels at the apex–, without longitudinal rib, covering the seed completely, glabrous or hairy –with eglandular hairs 0.2 mm long, small glandulae or both–, brownish; rostrum 17-19 mm long, with a narrowed apex 4-5 mm long, glabrous in the proximal half, with antrorse, appressed, eglandular hairs ca. 0.1 mm long in the distal half; stigmatic remains ca. 1 mm long, with 5 glabrous lobes. Seeds 2.1-2.2 × 1.1-1.2 mm, smooth, reddish, the hilum 1/6 as long as the perimeter. Cotyledons entire. $2n = 64$.

Flowering April-September. Deciduous forests, pastures, and disturbed areas; 0-100 m; introduced from the Old World; widespread in U.S.A., and Canada. Fig. 17.

Illustrations. Fig. 18f, 19g; CAVANILLES (1787, tab. 86 fig. 1); ROSS-Craig (1952, Part 6, pl. 40); HOLMGREN (1998: 339).

Geranium robertianum has reticulate mericarps with ridges sparse and scarcely anastomosing in the basal half, purplish

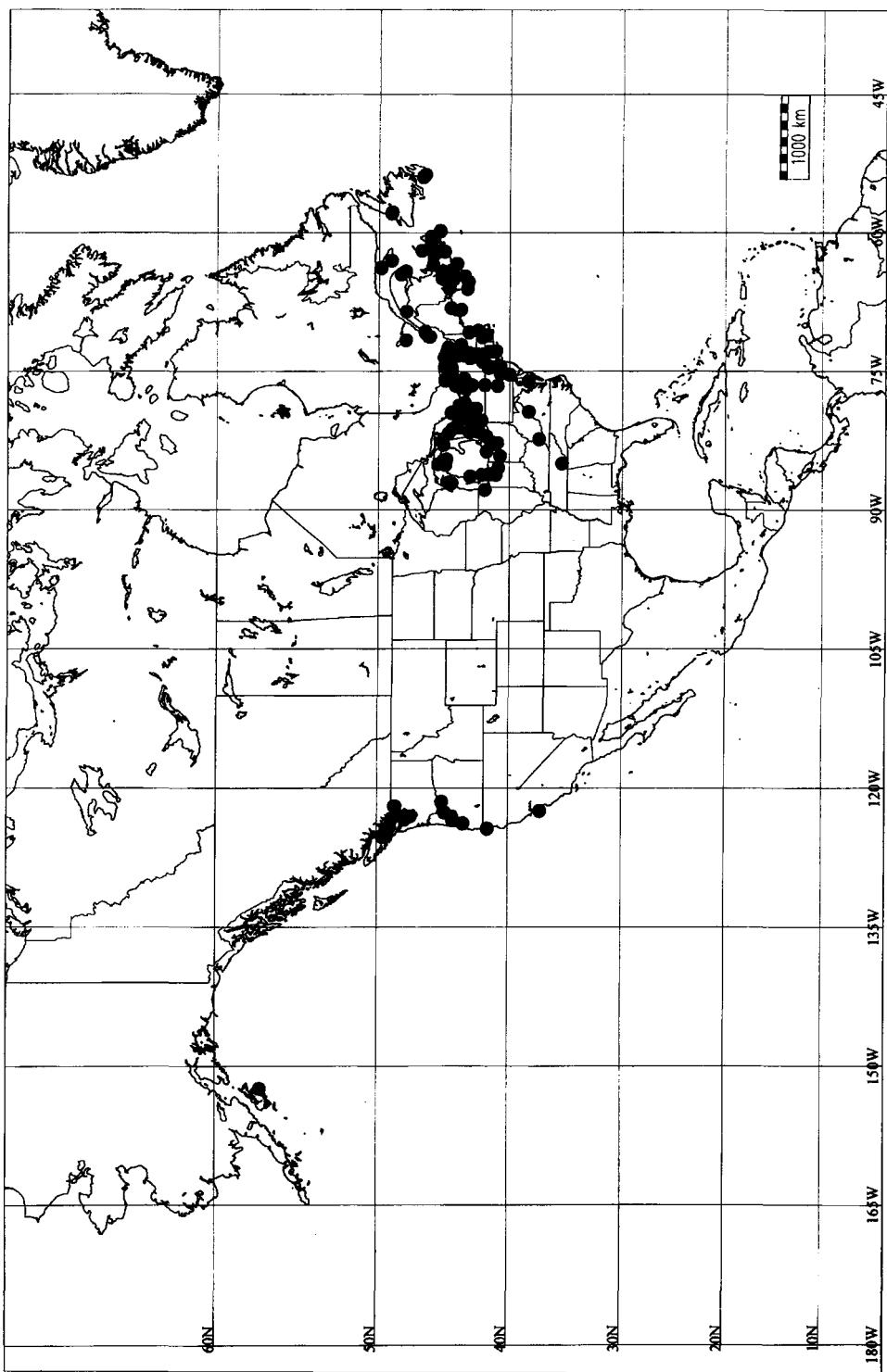
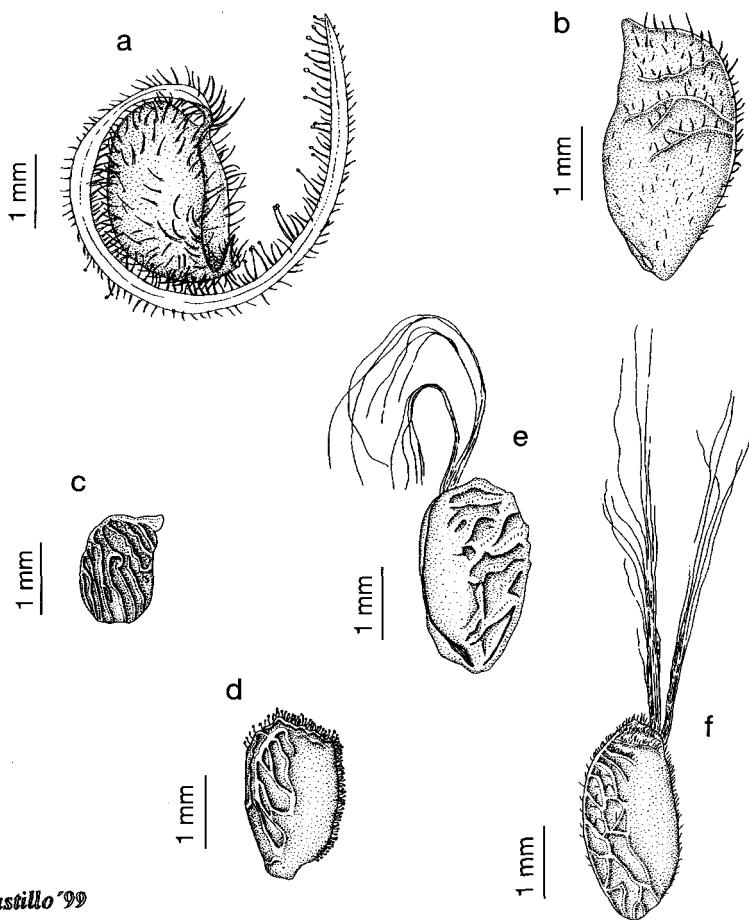


Fig. 17.—Distribution of *Geranium robertianum* in North America.



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Fig. 18.—Mericarps of: a, *Geranium dissectum*; b, *G. divaricatum*; c, *G. molle*; d, *G. lucidum*; e, *G. purpureum*; f, *G. robertianum*.

anthers, and petals 10–14 mm long. It has been frequently confused with *G. purpureum* Vill., which is characterised by ribbed mericarps (Fig. 18e), yellowish anthers and petals 6–9.5 mm long. They also differ in chromosome number, *G. purpureum* having $2n = 32$.

So far, the specimens supporting the following records of *G. robertianum* have not been studied: Delaware (TATNALL, 1946: 162), Minnesota (TRELEASE, 1888: 78), Missouri (KARTESZ, 1998), Nebraska (PETERSEN, 1912: 81), and Rhode Island (SEYMORE, 1969: 368).

Representative specimens examined

CANADA. BRITISH COLUMBIA: Chilliwack, 49°10'N, 121°56'W, 8-VI-1954, Faris 84 (DAO); Comox, 49°41'N, 124°56'W, 24-V-1958, Laing s.n. (CAN); Sardis, 49°8'N, 121°57'W, 10-VII-1934, Henson s.n. (DAO); Vancouver Is., Elk River Falls, W of Campbell River, 50°1'N, 125°14'W, 14-VI-1961, Calder & MacKay 30404 (DAO). NEW BRUNSWICK: Albert Co., Little Ridge, 45°50'N, 64°55'W, 17-VI-1965, Roberts & Pugh 65-819 (CAN); Fundy National Park, Herring Cove, 45°37'N, 65°2'W, 12-VII-1949, Lothiam 80 (DAO). NEWFOUNDLAND I: Bear Head, 47°3'N, 53°44'W, 24-VII-1948, Rouleau 269 (CAN); Humber distr., Bear Head, 47°3'N, 53°44'W, 24-VII-1948, Rouleau 269 (DAO); Saint Pierre, 46°50'N, 10°22'W, Arsene 292 (NY); St. Barbe distr., Bonne Bay, Beachy Point, 49°30'N, 57°55'W, 29-VII-1952, Rouleau 3349 (DAO).

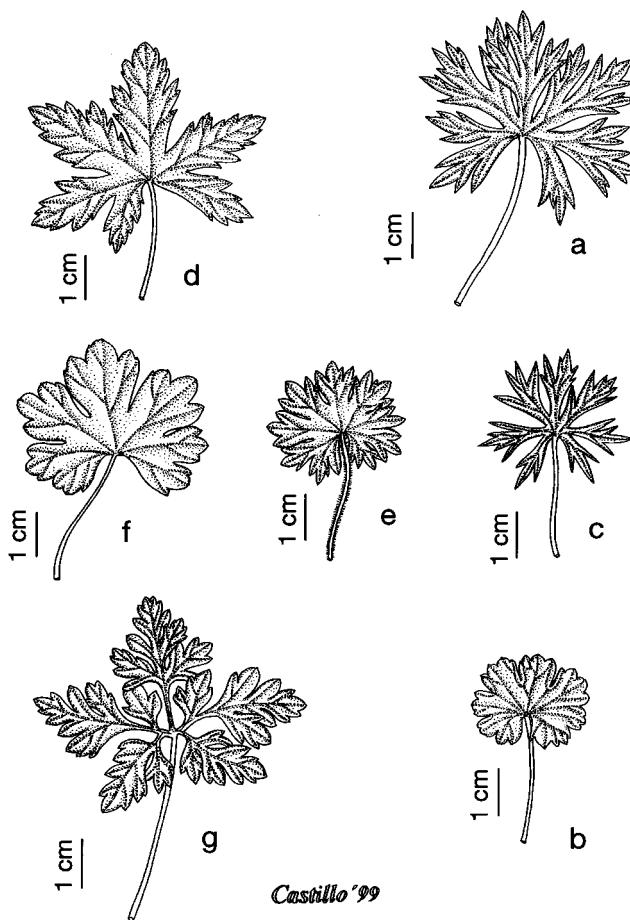


Fig. 19.—Leaves of: a, *Geranium columbinum*; b, *G. rotundifolium*; c, *G. dissectum*; d, *G. divaricatum*; e, *G. molle*; f, *G. lucidum*; g, *G. robertianum*.

NOVA SCOTIA: Annapolis Co., Middleton, North Mountain, 44°57'N, 65°4'W, 21-VII-1920, *Long* 21741 (CAN); Antigonish, 45°37'N, 62°0'W, 8-VII-1945, *Dore & Gorham* 45412 (DAO); Blomidon, 45°13'N, 64°22'W, 7-VI-1928, *Groh s.n.* (DAO); Cape George, 45°52'N, 61°58'W, 11-VII-1941, *Roland* 41534 (DAO). ONTARIO: Bruce Co., Lion's Head, 45°0'N, 81°13'W, 1-VII-1939, *Macklin* 9 (DAO); Carleton Co., March Twp., 45°23'N, 75°57'W, 6-VI-1941, *Senn & al.* 554 (DAO); Carlsbad Springs, 45°22'N, 75°28'W, 4-VI-1938, *Linshall s.n.* (DAO); Clinton, 43°37'N, 81°32'W, 27-V-1942, *Gillet* 407 (DAO); Durham Co., Hope Twp., 44°2'N, 78°24'W, 10-VI-1948, *Reeve* 46 (DAO). PRINCE EDWARD I: Campbellton, 46°24'N, 62°21'W, 15-VII-1953, *Erskine & Smith* 1988 (DAO). QUEBEC: Anticosti, West Point, 49°30'N, 63°0'W, 31-VII-1935, *Adams s.n.* (DAO); Archipel de Mingan, Grande Ile Co., Stanbridge-Est,

50°13'N, 63°50'W, 21-VI-1925, *Louis-Marie* 22092 (QFA); Brome Co., Knowlton Landing, 45°13'N, 72°31'W, 12-VII-1964, *Bowers* 639 (QFA); Chamby Co., St-Bruno, 48°28'N, 71°39'W, 23-VII-1952, *Bernard* 52-109 (QFA); Charlevoix Co., Cap Tourmente, 47°5'N, 70°45'W, 10-VIII-1977, *Claude* 77766 (DAO).

U.S.A. ALASKA: Kodiak, 57°47'N, 152°24'W, 25-VI-1970, *Welsh* 2550 (ALA). ARKANSAS: Arkansas, *Rafinesque s.n.* (P). CALIFORNIA: San Francisco, 37°45'N, 122°27'W, 6-VIII-1957, *Howell* 32884 (MO). CONNECTICUT: New Haven Co., Meriden, 41°32'N, 72°48'W, 5-VIII-1956, *Seymour* 16877 (MO); Southington, 41°36'N, 72°53'W, 18-VI-1897, *Bissell* 39 (MO). ILLINOIS: Mt. Carmel, 42°26'N, 87°49'W, *Schneck s.n.* (ILL). INDIANA: Noble Co., 1 mi S of Alcinda, 41°21'N, 85°25'W, 25-VII-1931, *Deam* 50707 (IND); Saint Joseph Co., 3 mi E of Woodland, 41°33'N, 86°10'W, 15-VII-

1931, *Deam 50469* (MIN). MAINE: Cranberry Is., 45°5'N, 68°9'W, 2-IX-1880, *Redfield* 2598 (MO); Mount Desert Island, 44°20'N, 68°20'W, VIII-1890, *White s.n.* (NY); York Co., Limerick, 43°42'N, 70°48'W, 24-VII-1947, *Moldenke 18937* (NY). MARYLAND: Talbot Co., Longwood, 38°51'N, 76°04'W, 6-VII-1947, *Earle* 4353 (PH). MASSACHUSETTS: Berkshire Co., Cheshire, Kitchen Brook, 42°33'N, 73°9'W, 27-VII-1916, *Churchill s.n.* (MO); Hampden Co., Bad Luck Mt., Granville, 42°4'N, 72°51'W, 12-IX-1916, *Seymour* 358 (MO); Lowell, 42°38'N, 71°19'W, *Ordway s.n.* (MO). MICHIGAN: Allegan Co., Saugatuck, 42°40'N, 86°11'W, 28-VI-1997, *Hill* 29365 (NY); Cheboygan Co., Monroe Lake, 45°27'N, 84°30'W, 27-VI-1917, *Ehlers* 378 (MO); Detroit River, Grosse Ile, 18-VI-1870, *Gillman s.n.* (NY). NEW HAMPSHIRE: Duck I'd, Isles of Shoals, 42°59'N, 70°36'W, 3-VII-1887, *Churchill s.n.* (MO). NEW JERSEY: Sussex Co., N of Vernon, 41°11'N, 74°29'W, 8-VII-1942, *Chrysler s.n.* (MIN). NEW YORK: Albany Co., New Salem, 42°37'N, 73°58'W, 4-VI-1939, *House s.n.* (MO); Delaware Co., Arkville, 42°8'N, 74°37'W, 2-VII-1915, *Wilson s.n.* (NY). OHIO: Henry Co., Pleasant, 41°13'N, 84°9'W, 9-V-1937, *Shanks* 854 (NY); Ottawa Co., Middle Bass Is., 41°40'N, 82°48'W, 16-VI-1925, *Woodson* 467 (MO); Sandusky Co., 41°26'N, 82°43'W, III-1894, *Moseley s.n.* (MO). OREGON: Curry Co., Cape Ferrel, 42°6'N, 124°21'W, 20-V-1996, *Stansell* 3074 (OSC); Lane Co., Swisshome, 44°3'N, 123°47'W, 27-V-1975, *Mason 10104* (OSC); Marion Co., Salem, 44°56'N, 123°2'W, 28-V-1947, *Peck* 24164 (OSC); Multnomah Co., Portland, 45°30'N, 122°35'W, 23-V-1985, *Haun* 24 (OSC); Polk Co., Falls City, 44°51'N, 123°26'W, 8-VI-1984, *Halse* 2847 (NY). PENNSYLVANIA: Bucks Co., Quakertown, 40°26'N, 75°20'W, VII-1878, *Moyer s.n.* (MO); Monroe Co., Buck Hill Falls, 41°11'N, 75°16'W, 23-VII-1926, *Moldenke* 3003 (NY); Sullivan Co., 3 mi NW of Eagles Mere, 41°24'N, 76°34'W, 23-VI-1941, *Wahl* 1064B (MO). TENNESSEE: Smith Co., above Cumberland, 3.8 mi N of Chesnut Mount, 35°57'N, 84°58'W, 20-V-1971, *Kral* 42746 (MO). VERMONT: Addison Co., Snake Mt., Weybridge, 44°3'N, 73°16'W, 24-V-1969, *Seymour* 27317 (MO). WASHINGTON: Jefferson Co., 15 mi. E of Sequim on US route 101, 48°1'N, 123°1'W, 9-VIII-1996, *Miller & al.* 8692 (MO); Klickitat Co., White Salmon, 45°42'N, 121°27'W, 25-V-1992, *Halse* 4471 (NY). WEST VIRGINIA: Pendleton Co., Seneca, 38°50'N, 79°22'W, 22-VII-1931, *Core s.n.* (NY); Wiltondale, 37°57'N, 82°19'W, 4-VI-1909 (NY). WISCONSIN: Door Co., Ephraim, 45°9'N, 87°10'W, 5-VI-1907, *Greeman* 2185 (MO); Door Co., Garret's Bay near Ellison Bay, 45°17'N, 87°2'W, 14-IX-1925, *Palmer* 28774 (MO).

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