

ADDITIONS TO THE ALGAE OF OKLAHOMA*

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Previous to the year 1929 almost nothing was known about the algae of Oklahoma. There had been no systematic work done and consequently there were no published records. During that year the writer began a survey of the state in order to determine, as far as possible, the extent of its algal flora. The early work, which was limited to specific families, resulted in a series of reports concerning these groups. They were the Desmidiaceae (1931, 1934, 1937); the Oedogoniaceae (1935); the Vaucheriaceae (1937); and the Zygnemataceae (1934). This last report contained only new species described by Transeau and by the writer. These publications, with a report by Leake (1939), in which she described motile cells of *Bacilladia crassa* Hoffman and Tilden, constitute the only work on the Oklahoma algae.

During the preparation of the preceding reports, the writer found and determined from his collections a fairly large number of species and varieties which were not included at that time. It is the aim of the present paper to include these and consequently to bring up to date the list of known algae for the state. With the addition of these 180 records, the total number is increased to 458 species, varieties, and forms. Although this number is not large and not comparable to the number known from a state such as Michigan, it must be remembered that the work has been in progress a comparatively short time. It does indicate, however, that the algal flora is exceptionally rich and diverse in nature, and should act as a stimulus for further research.

The county distribution of each species is indicated by a number corresponding to the number which precedes each county name in the following list.

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| 1. Adair | 9. Delaware | 17. Nowata |
| 2. Alfalfa | 10. Garfield | 18. Oklahoma |
| 3. Canadian | 11. Grant | 19. Osage |
| 4. Carter | 12. Kingfisher | 20. Ottawa |
| 5. Choctaw | 13. Le Flore | 21. Sequoyah |
| 6. Cleveland | 14. Mayes | 22. Washington |
| 7. Comanche | 15. McCurtain | |
| 8. Craig | 16. Muncy | |

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SPECIES LIST

MYXOPHYCEAE

Chroococcales

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| <i>Aphanocapsa pulchra</i> (Kütz.) Rab. | 12 |
| <i>Aphanothecce clathrata</i> W. & G. S. West | 12 |
| " <i>pallida</i> Rab. | 20 |

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<i>Chroococcus giganteus</i> W. West	20
" <i>limneticus</i> Lemm.	11
" <i>minutus</i> (Kütz.) Nág.	6
" <i>turgidus</i> (Kütz.) Nág.	6
<i>Coelosphaerium kuetzingianum</i> Nág.	11
" <i>naegelianum</i> Unger	10
<i>Dactylococcopsis smithii</i> R. & F. Chodat	20
<i>Gomphosphaeria aponina</i> Kütz.	7
<i>Merismopedia elegans</i> A. Br.	20
" <i>glaucia</i> (Ehr.) Nág.	20
" <i>punctata</i> Meyen	9
" <i>tenuissima</i> Lemm.	8
<i>Microcystis flos-aquae</i> (Witt.) Kirchn.	12

Chamaesiphonales

<i>Chamaestphon incrustans</i> Grun.	20
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Hormogoniales

<i>Nodularia spumigena</i> Mertens	6
<i>Nostoc knickta</i> (Roth) Bornet	6
<i>Oscillatoria princeps</i> Vauch.	20

RHODOPHYCEAE

Bangiales

<i>Compsopogon coerulescens</i> (Balbis) Mont.	9
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HETEROPHYCEAE

Heterococcales

<i>Botryococcus braunii</i> Kütz.	20
<i>Characiopsis acuta</i> (A. Br.) Borzi	15
<i>Ophiocytium arbusculum</i> (A. Br.) Rab.	13
" <i>capitatum</i> Wolle	15
" <i>cochleare</i> (Eichw.) A. Br.	20
" <i>desertum</i> Printz	15
" <i>parvulum</i> (Perty) A. Br.	15, 20

Heterotrichales

<i>Tribonema bombycinum</i> (Ag.) Derbes and Sol.	20
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CHLOROPHYCEAE

Tetrasporales

<i>Apicocystis brauniiana</i> Nág.	20
<i>Gloeocystis gigas</i> (Kütz.) Lagerh.	13
" <i>vesiculosus</i> Nág.	20
<i>Sphaerocystis schroeteri</i> Chodat	4, 20
<i>Tetraspora gelatinosa</i> (Vauch.) Desv.	20
" <i>lacustris</i> Lemm.	20

Ulotrichales

<i>Aphanochaete repens</i> A. Br.	20
<i>Chaetophora elegans</i> (Roth) Ag.	20
" <i>incrassata</i> (Huds.) Hazen	20
<i>Chaetosphaeridium globosum</i> (Nordst.) Klebahn	20
<i>Coleochaete divergens</i> var. <i>minor</i> Hansg.	8, 13
" <i>irregularis</i> Pringsh.	8
" <i>serrata</i> De Bréb.	7
" <i>soluta</i> (De Bréb.) Pringsh.	7

<i>Draparnaldia glomerata</i> (Vauch.) Ag.	20
" <i>plumosa</i> (Vauch.) Ag.	20
" <i>ravenelii</i> Wolle	20
<i>Microspora floccosa</i> (Vauch.) Thur.	20
" <i>loefgrenii</i> Lagerh.	20
<i>Pithophora kewensis</i> Wittr.	6
<i>Protococcus viridis</i> Agardh	6
<i>Rhizoclonium heteroglypticum</i> (Ag.) Kütz.	6
<i>Stigeoclonium aestivale</i> (Hazen) Collins	20
" <i>glomeratum</i> (Hazen) Collins	20
" <i>lubricum</i> (Dillw.) Fries	21
" <i>tenue</i> (Ag.) Kütz.	20
<i>Ulothrix aequalis</i> Kütz.	20
" <i>tenuissima</i> Kütz.	20
" <i>variabilis</i> Kütz.	20
" <i>zonata</i> (Web. & Mohr) Kütz.	14, 20

Ulvales

<i>Schizomeris leibleinii</i> Kütz.	20
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Chlorococcales

<i>Ankistrodesmus falcatus</i> (Corda) Ralfs	20
" var. <i>mirabilis</i> (W. & G. S. West) G. S. West	20
" var. <i>tumidus</i> (W. & G. S. West) G. S. West	20
" <i>spiralis</i> (Turner) Lemm.	20

<i>Characium acuminatum</i> A. Br.	11
" <i>ambiguum</i> Hermann	20
" <i>pringsheimii</i> A. Br.	20
<i>Coelastrum microporum</i> Nüg.	20
" <i>reticulatum</i> (Dangeard) Senn.	7

<i>Crucigenia irregularis</i> Wille	20
" <i>truncata</i> Smith	8

<i>Dictyosphaerium ehrenbergianum</i> Nüg.	15
" <i>pulchellum</i> Wood	20

<i>Hydrodictyon reticulatum</i> (L.) Lagerh.	11
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<i>Kirchneriella lunaris</i> var. <i>irregularis</i> Smith	8
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<i>Nephrocystium agarhitanum</i> Nüg.	4
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<i>Oocystis borgei</i> Snow	20
" <i>elliptica</i> W. West	20
" <i>gigas</i> forma <i>minor?</i> West	15

" <i>parva</i> W. & G. S. West	8
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<i>Pediastrum boryanum</i> (Turp.) Menegh.	11
" var. <i>longicorne</i> Racib.	11
" <i>constrictum</i> Hassall	11
" <i>duplex</i> Meyen	20
" var. <i>clathratum</i> (A. Br.) Lagerh.	20
" <i>muticum</i> var. <i>brevicorne</i> Racib.	16
" <i>simplex</i> (Meyen) Lemm.	7
" <i>tetras</i> (Ehr.) Ralfs	20

<i>Planktosphaeria gelatinosa</i> G. M. Smith	8
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<i>Scenedesmus abundans</i> var. <i>longicauda</i> G. M. Smith	15
" <i>acuminatus</i> (Lagerh.) Chodat	20
" <i>acutiformis</i> Schroeder	7, 20
" <i>arcuatus</i> Lemm.	8
" var. <i>platydisca</i> Smith	20
" <i>armatus</i> (Chodat) Smith	7
" var. <i>bicuspidatus</i> Gugl.	7
" <i>bijuga</i> (Turpin) Lagerh.	8
" var. <i>alternans</i> (Reinsch) Borge	8

<i>Scenedesmus</i>	<i>bifuga</i> var. <i>flexuosus</i> Lemm.	3
"	<i>braziliensis</i> Bohlin	20
"	<i>denticulatus</i> Lagerh.	20
"	<i>dimorphus</i> (Turpin) Kütz.	8, 20
"	<i>hystriz</i> Lagerh.	20
"	<i>incrassatulus</i> Bohlin	11
"	<i>obliquus</i> (Turpin) Kütz.	20
"	<i>opoliensis</i> P. Richter	20
"	<i>quadricauda</i> (Turpin) De Bréb.	11
"	var. <i>westii</i> Smith	11, 15
<i>Schroederia</i>	<i>judayi</i> G. M. Smith	20
"	<i>setigera</i> (Schroeder) Lemm.	15
<i>Selenastrum</i>	<i>gracile</i> Reinsch	20
"	<i>minutum</i> (Näg.) Collins	8
<i>Sorastrum</i>	<i>spinulosum</i> Näg.	4
<i>Tetraedron</i>	<i>caudatum</i> var. <i>longispinum</i> Lemm.	15
"	<i>gracile</i> (Reinsch) Hansg.	4
"	<i>lobulatum</i> var. <i>polyfurcatum</i> Smith	20
"	<i>minimum</i> (A. Br.) Hansg.	12
"	<i>trigonum</i> var. <i>minor</i> Reinsch	12
<i>Treubaria</i>	<i>crassispina</i> G. M. Smith	9

Siphonales

<i>Vaucheria</i>	<i>aversa</i> Hassall	2
"	<i>geminata</i> (Vauch.) De Candolle	9
"	var. <i>racemosa</i> (Vauch.) Walz.	21
"	<i>hamata</i> (Vauch.) De Candolle	17
"	<i>ornithacephala</i> Agardh <i>forma?</i>	17
"	<i>sessilis</i> (Vauch.) De Candolle	14, 20

Zygnematales¹

<i>Mougeotia</i>	<i>boodlei</i> (W. & G. S. West) Collins	20
"	<i>calcarea</i> (Cleve) Wittr.	19
*	" <i>celestis</i> Transeau	20
*	" <i>cherokeana</i> Taft	7
"	<i>cyanæa</i> Transeau	5
*	" <i>floridana</i> Transeau	17
"	<i>gracillima</i> (Hass.) Wittr.	20
*	" <i>mitamiana</i> Transeau	20
*	" <i>micropora</i> Taft	15
"	<i>nummuloides</i> (Hass.) De Toni	19
*	" <i>operculata</i> Hass.	20
*	" <i>pawhuskae</i> Taft	19
"	<i>quadrangulata</i> Hass.	15
"	<i>robusta</i> (De Bary) Wittr.	20
"	<i>scalaris</i> Hass.	19
"	<i>tenuis</i> (Cleve) Wittr.	17, 22
"	<i>tumidula</i> Transeau	15
<i>Stromonium</i>	<i>illinoiensis</i> (Transeau) G. M. Smith	21
"	<i>sticticum</i> (Engl. Bot.) Kütz.	9
<i>Spirogyra</i>	<i>affinis</i> (Hass.) Petit	20
"	<i>borgeana</i> Transeau	6
"	<i>cateniformis</i> (Hass.) Kütz.	2
"	<i>communis</i> (Hass.) Kütz.	20
*	" <i>condensata</i> (Vauch.) Kütz.	11
*	" <i>corrugata</i> Transeau	11

¹ The species names preceded by an asterisk were previously reported (1934). They are included so that the list of Zygnemataceae may be complete.

- Spirogyra* *crassa* Kütz. 11
 " *daedalea* Lagerh. 10
 " *decimina* (Mueller) Kütz. 20
 " var. *plena* W. & G. S. West 11
 " *echinata* Tiffany 20
 " *ellipspora* Transeau 4
 " *farlowii* Transeau 11, 21
 " *foveolata* (Skuja) Czurda 17
 " *inflata* (Vauch.) Rab. 11
 " *fuerjensis* Kütz. 20
 " *lagerheimii* Wittr. 20
 " *longata* (Vauch.) Kütz. 20
 " *majuscula* Kütz. 4, 20
 " *maxima* var. *minor* Moebius 20
 " *nitida* (Dillw.) Link 20
 " *porticalis* (Mueller) Cleve 6
 " *protecta* Wood 20
 " *quadrata* (Hass.) Petit 11
 " *reticulata* Nordst. 20
 " *singularis* Nordst. 20
 " *tenuissima* (Hass.) Kütz. 11
 " *varians* (Hass.) Kütz. 1
 " *velata* Nordst. 17
 " *weberi* Kütz. 19
- **Zygnea* *areolatum* Taft and Transeau 15
 * " *azureum* Taft 11
 * " *carinatum* Taft 19
 " *carinthiacum* Beck 11
 " *collinstianum* Transeau 6
 * " *conspicuum* (Hass.) Transeau 15
 " *cruciatum* (Vauch.) Agardh 7, 20
 " *cylindricum* Transeau 19
 " *decussatum* (Vauch.) Transeau 1, 5
 * " *excompressum* Transeau 1
 * " *excrassum* Transeau 7, 20
 * " *frigidum* Taft 13
 " *insigne* (Hass.) Kütz. 20
 " *laetevirens* Klebs 20
 * " *lawtonianum* Taft 7
 * " *micropunctatum* Transeau 19
 * " *normani* Taft 19
 " *ornatum* (Li) Transeau 6
 * " *pachuskae* Taft 19
 " *paucaneanum* Taft 5, 15
 " *pectinatum* (Vauch.) Agardh 18
 " *peliosporum* Wittr. 6, 11
 * " *sterile* Transeau 6
 * " *subcruciatum* Transeau 7
 * " *substellatum* Taft 17
 " *synadelphum* Skuja 7
 " *tenue* Kütz. 5, 6, 7, 19
 " *vaucherii* Agardh 17
- **Zygnemopsis* *cruciata* (Price) Transeau 6
 " *decussata* Transeau 20

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