

Asparagus maritimus Pallas; Ledeb., Fl. Ross. IV (1853) 198.

East-Turkestan, Lower Tarim, Tuna-toghdi, 825 m., 9th June 1900 (w. unripe fruits); Middle Tarim, in forest, 1105 m., 10th October 1899 (sterile).

Northern Tibet, Kash-otak, 2916 m., first half of August 1900 (w. ripe fruit).

Geogr. area: S. Russia to Persia and Siberia.

Fam. Juncaceæ

(determ. by C. H. OSTENFELD).

Juncus Thomsonii Buchenau, in Bot. Zeit. XXV (1867) 148; Juncaceæ, in Das Pflanzenreich (1906) 224; Hemsley, in Journ. Linn. Soc. 35 (1902) 200; Fedtschenko, in Acta Horti Petrop. XXI (1903) 426, XXIV (1905) 345, XXVIII (1907) 122.

Eastern Pamir, Mus-tagh-ata, Kamper-kishlak, damp meadow beneath the glacier, ca. 4500 m., 29th July 1894 (flowering).

S. W. Tibet, Tokchen, Camp CCXI, 4654 m., 24th July 1901 (flowering).

Geogr. area: Pamir, Himalaya, Tibet, Mongolia and Northern China (Kansu).

Fam. Cyperaceæ

(determ. by C. H. OSTENFELD).

Scirpus littoralis Schrad., Fl. Germ. I (1806) 142; Ascherson und Graebner, Syn. Mitteleurop. Fl. II, 2 (1904) 318.

East-Turkestan, Lop-nor, Kara-koshun, beneath Yust-chapghan, 816 m., 24th June 1900 (in bud only).

The specimens are very young, hence the identification is not quite sure.

Geogr. area: Hungary (Heviz lake), Mediterranean region (scattered), subtropical and tropical Asia and Australia.

Scirpus affinis Roth, Nov. Sp. (1821) 31; Meinshausen, in Acta Horti Petrop. XVIII (1900) 251.

East-Turkestan, Lop-nor, Kara-koshun, beneath Yust-chapghan, 816 m., 24th June 1900 (flowering).

This plant seems me so different from *S. maritimus* L. that it must be considered a good species (see also my list of Cyperaceæ from Lieutn. Olufsen's second Pamir Exp., in Bot. Tids., Bd. 28 [1907] 220).

Geogr. area: From S. Russia eastwards in desert and steppe regions to Turkestan.

Scirpus compressus (L.) Pers., Syn. I (1805) 66; Ascherson und Graebner, Syn. Mitteleurop. Fl. II, 2 (1904) 328; Fedtschenko, in Acta Horti Petrop. XXVIII (1909) 508; *S. caricis* Retz.; Hemsley, in Journ. Linn. Soc. 35 (1902) 201.