

Darwin characterizes the following:

Asotus muricata, Urban Booth
(I. cylindrica same locality)

I. macrospora Catskill Mts (same as
my Echolite? Rich Darvin has it dry)

I. Brunnii, my Wissagoo plant

I. melanopoda E. Hall's Athens Illinoian pl.
The latter I have growing - & suspect it a
degenerate plant started by the drought
we shall see this year.

Brunnii I take for Echinosporum
macrospora perhaps = lanceolata
muricata perhaps = riparia
and possibly riparia = Eggersiana
identified. But let the Frenchmen
fight it out.

Wright 1460 is Mystria punctata Juss as I find
from DC. Pl.; - why not M. riparia? -

I find in my herb. M. formosa n.sp. from Chapman,
Rich is, it seems, his M. inodora Boott. - This is
not in DC. nor do I find there two Cape species
M. serrata and M. carinata. Although he knows Chapman's
work

I mention this - but do not want to give
you any trouble with it.

M. lanceola Boott, or something like it
I have for short from mouth of Mississippi -
but it appears to be also M. riparia; broad-
leaved forms are Lanceola, narrow-leaved may
have some teeth and are more like the
ordinary riparia.

I return a paper sent me by
Parry, on Coll. of Alces S. England



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