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Records received and processed up to the middle part of 2011 are referred to within the *Flora*.

Corrigenda and Addenda.

Particular thanks are due to Mike Smith for his contributions.

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- 146 *Chenopodium glaucum*: A few plants as casuals in pots of *Iris*, Highdown Nursery, Iversley, SO8780, B Westwood, 2004.
152 *Cerastium arvense x tomentosum*: for “Worsley” read “Wordsley”.
152 *Cerastium arvense*: still at the Swindon SO8490 site.
158 *Persicaria minor*: the SK2321 site was destroyed a few years ago.
177 *Sisymbrium altissimum*: add a dot to the map for SK22M.
179 *Barbarea stricta*: for “1083” read “1983”.
181 At bottom of page (after *Arabis hirsuta*) add:

Cardamine corymbosa Hook. f. New Zealand Bitter-cress
1 2003 Casual

Several plants in fruit-tree pots at Highdown Nursery, Iverley, SO 8780, B. Westwood. These plants were clearly stoloniferous and a few persisted for a couple of years in his garden in Stourbridge.

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- 191 ICT points out that most of the population of *Calluna vulgaris* at Highgate Common is **var. hirsuta**.
193 At top of page (before Primulaceae) insert:

Styracaceae

Halesia carolina L. Snowdrop Tree or Carolina Silverbell
1991 Neophyte

A small spreading shrub-like tree with oval-oblong pointed green leaves (grey-downy beneath) and branches covered with bunches of pendulous white, bell-shaped snowdrop-like flowers. Garden at Sandon Hall, SJ9528; Arboretum at Upper Arley House, SJ7680, 1992: both BRF.

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- 278 A recent sighting requires the entry to be changed to:

Cuscuta campestris Yunck. Yellow Dodder
1 1988 Casual

On *Pelargonium* and other spp. in the garden of Highfields School, Wolverhampton, SO8896, CBW, det. M. Mullin. Large plant in Red Clover crop, Whittington, SO8681, B. Westwood, c.1998.

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- 284 *Stachys x ambigua*: add a dot to the map for SK22J.
286 *Galeopsis segetum*. The 2000 record is incorrect. The entry thus becomes:

Galeopsis segetum Neck.

Downy Hemp-nettle

1879 Casual

Given, by Garner, in a list of plants from Stoke Parish in TNSFC, 1879 (as *G. dubia*) for “Hedges, Stoke”.

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- 288 *Thymus pulegioides*: replace “single” by “first”. Add: “A single plant, on a bank in rough grassland south-west of Hextons Farm, SO7581, WAT & B Westwood, 1994.”
289 *Mentha x gracilis*: change “Babbington” to “Babington”.
290 *Mentha x rotundifolia*: for “*suaveolons*” read “*suaveolens*”.
297 *Mimulus x robertsii*: for “Womborne” read “Wombourne”.
311 *Sambucus nigra forma viridis*. Insert after “...when fully ripe.”: “First noted from Wheaton Aston, 1973, BRF (investigating a report by “BH”)”. Change the immediately following “This” to “It”.
328 *Crepis nicaeensis*: for “Alrewas Hall” read “Alrewas Hayes”.
337 *Conyza sumatrensis*: for “Lichfield” read “Burton”.
354 *Juncus x diffusus*: for “Tatenhall” read “Tatenhill”.
366 *Festuca rubra ssp. commutata*. Add: Brick path, Waterloo Street, Burton, SK2423, MES, 2004. This was conf. by C.A. Stace, who also thought that MES’ identification of a specimen from a wall at Tutbury Castle, SK2029, in 2008, was “probably correct”.
366 *F. rubra ssp. megastachys* add dots to map for SK2422 & 2424.
370 *Catapodium “marianum”* should read “*marinum*”.
388 *Allium oleraceum*: for “M. Pettigrew” read “A. M. Pettigrew”.
394 *Epipactis phyllanthes*: for “Woolaston” read “Wollaston”.
403 *Catapodium “marianum”* should read “*marinum*”.

Height Records

Flash is the highest village in England. Observations there and beside, or near, the adjacent A53 by IJH (*Carex otrubae*) and JEH (the other taxa), in 2011, produced the following height records for England (and, apparently, Britain).

<i>Aegopodium podagraria</i>	470m	SK0368
<i>Artemisia vulgaris</i>	465m	SK0567
<i>Carex otrubae</i>	465m	SK0367
<i>Centaurea montana</i>	465m	SK0367
<i>Cicerbita macrophylla</i>	460m	SK0367
<i>Dactylorhiza praetermissa</i>	465m	SK0367
<i>Fallopia japonica</i>	470m	SK0367
<i>Lapsana communis</i>	465m	SK0367
<i>Rumex pseudoalpinus</i>	465m	SK0367
<i>Symphytum x uplandicum</i>	470m	SK0368