

2016 November *Guess that Plant*



Ludwigia peploides (Kunth) P.H. Raven subsp. *glabrescens* (Kuntze) P.H. Raven
Floating Primrose-willow

The November Guess that Plant is *Ludwigia peploides*, formerly known as *Jussiaea repens*. This plant is an aquatic species, with distribution restricted to open marshes and lake edges. Its distribution in New Jersey is along the Delaware River, in its tidal marshes and nearby muddy habitats. It is a common sight on tidal marsh and lake edges from Burlington to Salem Counties. The plant's creeping habit allows this species to form carpets on mud flats and pond edges, many times with its close relative, *Ludwigia palustris*.

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