Cypripedium candidum
WHITE LADY’S SLIPPER  (Orchis Family)

in the Peacock Prairie at the James Woodworth Prairie Preserve

Lip enlarged into a hollow, inflated pouch. A distinctive group of Orchids with mostly large, solitary flowers, ... . The leaves are broad with prominent veins. White flower, faintly striped with purple on the inside, ¾” long. 6-15” (15-38 cm) high. ...very rare.

Text from Newcomb’s Wildflower Guide by Lawrence Newcomb, page 38. Photos by Frank Mayfield at black sweater art, inc.