

The *πεπλος* of Dioscorides, according to the received opinion and the modern Greek usage, is the *Euphorbia peplus*.—The *E. peplus*, is enumerated by Forskal, Delile, and others, among the weeds of Egypt.

The *λαθυρις* of Dioscorides, according to the received opinion and the modern Greek usage, is the *Euphorbia lathyris*.—This plant, according to Clot-Bey and Figari, has been recently introduced into Egypt.

The *αιζων μικρον* of Dioscorides, according to the received opinion, is the genus *Sedum*.—Forskal, met with a species of *Sedum*, in the gardens of Cairo.

The *βουφθαλμος* of Dioscorides, is usually referred to the *Chrysanthemum segetum*.—Forskal, met with this plant in Egypt.

The *παρθενιον* of Dioscorides, according to the received opinion and the modern Greek usage, is the *Matricaria chamomilla*.—This plant, was found by Hasselquist, both in Palestine and in Egypt.

The *τριβολος* of Dioscorides, according to the use of the term by the modern Greeks, is the *Centaurea calcitrapa*.—Forskal and others, have met with this plant in Egypt; where, however, it is possibly indigenous.

The *βουγλωσσον* of Dioscorides, according to the received opinion and the modern Greek usage, is the *Anchusa officinalis*.—The *A. officinalis*, is enumerated by Clot-Bey and Figari, among the plants recently introduced into Egypt.

The *αγχουσα* of Dioscorides, described as “staining the hands,” may be compared with the *Echium rubrum*.—A plant, found by Forskal at Alexandria; but which, is possibly indigenous.

The *πετροσελινον* of Dioscorides and Pliny, according to the received opinion and the modern Greek usage, is the *parsley*, (*Petroselinum sativum*).—The *parsley*, is enumerated by Forskal and others, among the plants cultivated at the present day in Egypt.

The *καρος* of Dioscorides and Pliny, according to the received opinion, is the *caraway*, (*Carum carvi*).—A plant, at the present day, commonly cultivated in Egypt.

The *σμιλαξ κηπαια* of Dioscorides, is usually considered to be the *kidney-bean*, (*Phaseolus vulgaris*).—This plant is figured, by both Matthioli and Dodonæus. And De Soto, (A. D. 1542), in speaking of the “kidney-beans cultivated by the aboriginals of Florida,” alludes to those of Spain. Forskal, is the only writer I have met with, who mentions the presence of the *P. vulgaris* in Egypt.