



The old Market-House and Town-Hall, pulled down in 1827.

THE
HISTORY AND ANTIQUITIES
OF
NEWBURY AND ITS ENVIRONS,
INCLUDING TWENTY-EIGHT PARISHES,
SITUATE IN THE
COUNTY OF BERKS:
ALSO
A CATALOGUE OF PLANTS,
FOUND IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD.

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THE NEIGHBOURHOOD OF NEWBURY.

The neighbourhood of Newbury presents unusual attractions for the lover of Botany, whose researches are sure to be repaid by a large proportion of the rare, as well as beautiful, among nature's flowery treasures. The great diversity of soil—the combination of chalk, bog, sand, and gravel, together with what may be called the almost mountainous character of some of its features, afford a remarkable variety of plants, among which the interesting family of Orchideæ holds a conspicuous station. The following list has been drawn up after a very short acquaintance with the neighbourhood, and must necessarily therefore be imperfect: it will, nevertheless, be found to bear ample testimony to the truth of the foregoing remarks.

DIANDRIA, CLASS II.

- Ligustrum vulgare*, (Privet)
Veronica serpyllifolia, (thyme-leaved Speedwell)
 ——— *Anagallis*, (Water Speedwell)
 ——— *Beccabunga*, (Brooklime)
 ——— *officinalis*, (common Speedwell)
 ——— *montana*, (Mountain Speedwell)
 ——— *Chamaedrys*, (Germander Speedwell)
 ——— *hederifolia*, (Ivy-leaved Speedwell)
 ——— *agrestis*, (green procumbent field Speedwell)
 ——— *polita*, (grey procumbent field Speedwell)
 ——— *arvensis*, (Wall Speedwell)
Pinguicula vulgaris, (common Butterwort)

A very rare and curious plant, found in some boggy places in West Hagbourn, but not very plentiful.—J.L.*

* Mr. Job Lousley, Hampstead Norris.

Lycopus europæus, (common Gipsy-wort, or Water Horehound)

In the ditch between West Hagbourn meadow and the moor, and in several other ditches at Hagbourn, Upton, and Blewbury, but it is not a very common plant.—J.L. Northcroft and Wash Water.—J.B.*

Salvia pratensis, (Meadow Clary or Sage)

A very rare plant in this part of the country, found on a dry bank at the field side at Blewbury near the Wheel inn, and on a dry bank by the side of the turnpike road near the sign of the Barley Mow, and betwixt Blewbury and Aston.—J.L.

Salvia verbenaca, (Wild English Clary or Sage)

Circaea lutetiana, (common Enchanter's Nightshade)

Fraxinus excelsior, (common Ash)

Lemna minor (lesser Duckweed)

Anthoxanthum odoratum, (sweet-scented Vernal-Grass)

TRIANDRIA, CLASS III.

Valeriana dioica, (small marsh Valerian)

——— *officinalis*, (great wild Valerian)

Iris Pseud-ácorus, (yellow Water-Iris or Corn-flag)

Very common in muddy ditches, grows in Hagbourn moor, in Church moor at Blewbury, and in all the ditches that have much mud in the Vale of Berks—the flower is very fine.—J.L. Wash Water and Bagnor Marsh.—J.B.

Schoenus nigricans, (black Bog-rush)

"Near Newbury."—Baxter.

Rhynchospora alba, (white Beak-rush)

Bog on Snelsmore common.

Scirpus lacustris, (Lake Club-rush or Bull-rush)

Ditches at Hagbourn and Blewbury.—J.L.

Eleocharis palustris, (creeping Spike-rush)

Eriophorum angustifolium, (common Cotton-grass)

Nardus stricta, (Mat-grass)

Alopecurus pratensis, (Meadow Fox-tail Grass)

——— *geniculatus*, (floating Fox-tail Grass)

Phalaris arundinacea, (Reed Canary-grass)

Phleum pratense, (common Cat's-tail-grass, Timothy-grass)

Milium effusum, (spreading Millet-grass)

In the woods about Hampstead Norris; in Down Wood.—J.L.

* Mr. J. Bunny, Surgeon, Newbury.

Agróstitis vulgáris, (fine Bent-grass)

——— *álba*, (Marsh Bent-grass)

Catabrósa aquática, (water Whorl-grass)

Bagnor marsh.

Aíra coespitósa, (turfy Hair-grass)

——— *flexuósa*, (waved Hair-grass)

——— *præcox*, (early Hair-grass)

Greenham and other commons.

Mélica uniflóra, (Wood Melic-grass)

——— *cærúlea*, (purple Melic-grass)

Cold-Ash common.

Mélica cærúlea, var. *β*.

Fence Wood.

Hólcus móllis, (creeping Soft-grass)

Common in the dry meadows at Blewbury and Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Hólcus lanátus, (Meadow Soft-grass)

Arrhenathérum avenáceum, (common Oat-like grass)

Póa aquática, (Reed Meadow-grass)

Ham marsh.

Póa flúitans, (floating Meadow-grass)

——— *triviális*, (roughish Meadow-grass)

Very common in the meadows at Blewbury and elsewhere.—J.L.

Póa praténsis, (smooth-stalked Meadow-grass)

Very common in nearly every meadow.

Póa nemorális, (wood Meadow-grass)

Bríza média, (common Quaking-grass)

Dáctylis glomeráta, (rough Cock's-foot-grass)

Grows on banks and in rough places about Blewbury.—J.L.

Cynosúrus cristátus, (crested Dog's-tail-grass)

Festúca ovína, (Sheep's Fescue-grass)

——— *praténsis*, (Meadow Fescue-grass)

Brómus gigánteus, (tall Brome-grass)

——— *ásper*, (hairy Wood Brome-grass)

——— *stérilis*, (barren Brome-grass)

——— *móllis*, (soft Brome-grass)

Brómus eréctus, (upright Brome-grass)

Lane leading to North Heath.

Avéna fátua, (wild Oat)

On the banks of fields about Blewbury, but not very plentiful.—J.L.

Avéna flavéscens, (yellow Oat-grass)

Arúndo Phragmítes, (common Reed)

Hórdeum murínium, (Wall Barley)

Grows under the mud walls about Blewbury, and in many other places in the Vale of Berks.—J.L.

Triticum canínium, (fibrous-rooted Wheat-grass)

Sidmonton lane.

Triticum répens, (creeping Wheat-grass or Couch-grass)

Brachypódium sylváticum, (slender false Brome-grass)

Polycárpou tetraphýllum, (four-leaved All-seed)

In waste places at Hampstead Norris and East Ilsley, and by Chance barn, Blewbury.—J.L.

TETRANDRIA, CLASS IV.

Dípsacus sylvéstris, (wild Teasel)

Common in the ditches about Blewbury (particularly in Blewbury meadow) and Hagbourn, also in ditches and by the road sides about Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Knáutia arvénsis, (Field Knautia)

Scabiósa succéisa, (Devil's-bit Scabious)

——— *columbária*, (small Scabious)

Lane leading to North Heath, and other places.

Gálium vérum, (yellow Bed-straw)

——— *cruciátum*, (Crosswort Bed-straw, Mug-wort)

Near Chapel Row.

Gálium palústre, (white Water Bed-straw)

——— *saxátile*, (smooth Heath Bed-straw)

——— *Mollúgo*, (great Hedge Bed-straw)

——— *Aparine*, (Goose-grass or Cleavers)

Aspérula odoráta, (sweet Wood-ruff)

——— *Cynánchica*, (Small Woodruff, Squinancy-wort)

Watership chalk-pit; Beacon hill.—J.B.

Sherardia arvensis, (blue *Sherardia*)

Plantago major, (greater Plantain)

——— *média*, (hoary Plantain)

——— *lanceolata*, (Ribwort Plantain)

——— *Coronopus*, (Buck's-horn Plantain)

Hermitage common, Blewbury downs, by Chance barn, and on other light soils.—J.L.

Cornus sanguinea, (wild Cornel or Dogwood)

In Park coppice and Beech wood, Hampstead Norris, but not very common.—J.L.

Parietaria officinalis, (common Pellitory-of-the-wall)

On Hagbourn Tower, and on Mr. Butler's house, Upton.—J.L.

Alchemilla arvensis, (Field Lady's Mantle or Parsley Piert)

Corn-fields, North Heath.

Sanguisorba officinalis, (great Burnet)

Lid's bank, Mr. Lousley's orchard, and all the pastures about Blewbury and Hampstead Norris.—J.L. Ditches about Greenham mills.—Mr. Bicheno.

Ilex Aquifolium, (common Holly)

Sidmington Common and Pen Wood.

Potamogeton densus, (opposite-leaved Pond-weed)

River Lambourn near Ham mills.

Potamogeton perfoliatus, (perfoliate Pond-weed)

River Lambourn near Ham mills.

Potamogeton rufescens, (reddish Pond-weed)

Hampstead Park.

Sagina procumbens, (procumbent Pearl-wort)

Elting common.—J.L.

Sagina apétala, (annual small-flowered Pearl-wort)

Tillæa muscosa, (Mossy Tillæa)

In the poor soils about Frilsham.

Radiola millegrana, (Thyme-leaved Flax-seed)—Miss Cotes.

PENTANDRIA, CLASS V.

Echium vulgare, (common Viper's Bugloss)

By the road sides about Blewbury and other villages, particularly on a road called Bezel way, leading from Sheen Croft to Aston.—J.L. Chalk pit at Watership, and fields near Donnington. Rather common.—J.B.

Lithospermum officinale, (common Gromwell, Grey Mill, or Grey Millet)

By the ditch side in West Hagbourn meadow; under the hedge in Lower Farm Close, Blewbury; and in a few other places, but by no means common. The seeds are beautiful, and when ripe make good beads.—J.L.

Lithospermum arvense, (Corn Gromwell or Bastard Alkanet)

In the corn-fields about Blewbury and many other places, but not very common.—J.L.

Symphytum officinale, (common Comfrey)

Borago officinalis, (common Borage)

A scarce plant. In the street near the Load of Mischief, in the road on the south side of Blewbury, and in a few other places. A beautiful flower.—J.L.

Lycopsis arvensis, (small Bugloss)

Shaw fields.—J.B.

Myosotis palustris, (great Water Scorpion-grass or Forget-me-not)

——— *cæspitosa*, (tufted Water Scorpion-grass)

Bog on Woodhay common.

Myosotis arvensis, (Field Scorpion-grass)

——— *versicolor*, (yellow and blue Scorpion-grass)

Cynoglossum officinale, (common Hound's-tongue)

A rare plant in these parts. Amongst the bushes round West Hagbourn meadow, and in the Cow Lane, but not plentiful.—J.L.

Anagallis arvensis, (scarlet Pimpernel or Poor Man's Weather-glass)

Anagallis tenella, (Bog Pimpernel)

Bogs in Snelmore and Wash commons, &c.

Lysimachia vulgaris, (great yellow Loosestrife)

On the banks of the river Thames about Wallingford and Mungewell, but not common; it grows in one spot in Blewbury meadow; a scarce plant.—J.L.

Lysimachia Nemorum, (yellow Pimpernel or Wood Loosestrife)

——— *Nummularia*, (creeping Loosestrife, Money-wort, or Herb-Twopence)

Primula vulgaris, (common Primrose)

——— *elätior*, (Oxlip Primrose)

In Beech Wood and Park coppice, Hampstead Norris, but not very plentiful.—J.L. Highclere woods; Sidmington lane.—J.B.

Primula véris, (common Cowslip or Paige)

Hottónia palústris, (common Water-Violet or Featherfoil)

Hemp Hole near Newbury.

Menyanthes trifoliáta, (common Buckbean or Marsh Trefoil)

This is the most beautiful of English flowers: it grows in the pond in Lower Farm Close, Blewbury, amongst the rushes in Hagbourn moor, in a pond in Oare wood, and in many stagnant waters, but not very common.

—J.L. Wash water, Bagnor marsh.—J.B.

Erythræa Centaúrium, (common Centaury)

Hyoscýamus niger, (common Henbane)

By road sides, but not common; on Burnt Hill common by a pond, in the street at Compton, in the Cow Lane at West Hagbourn, and in many other places.—J.L. Hamstead park, Midgham marsh, in a lane leading from the turnpike road to Burghclere parsonage.—J.B.

Atropa Belladónna, (common Dwale or deadly Nightshade)

In many places in the hill country; in Beech wood, in the ditch bank between Mr. Lousley's orchard and park coppice, Hampstead Norris; in Westbrook wood; in Unhill wood rather plentiful, but nowhere in the Vale, and not common any-where.—J.L. Hams tead Marshall churchyard and adjoining meadow.—Mr. Bicheno.

Solánium Dulcamára, (woody Nightshade or Bittersweet)

——— *nigrum*, (common or Garden Nightshade)

In the lane by the tan-yard at the entrance into Wallingford, but it is a rare plant in this county.—J.L. Near Thatcham Farm.—Dr. Palmer.

Verbáscum Thápsus, (great Mullein)

In pastures, hedges, and woods about Hampstead Norris, but not very plentiful. A very fine plant when in perfection.—J.L.

Convólvulus arvensis, (small Bindweed)

——— *sépium*, (great Bindweed)

Polemónium cæruleum, (blue Jacob's Ladder)

Vínca mínor, (lesser Periwinkle)

Sidmanton lane, near the common gate.—J.B.

Vínca májor, (greater Periwinkle)

On the bank round Martin's orchard and garden at Blewbury, by the foot-path to East Hagbourn; in a hedge on Folly hill, near the White Hart, Hampstead Norris; and a few other places, but it is a rare plant.—J.L. Near Adbury.—J.B.

Jasióne montána, (annual Sheep's-bit or Sheep's-Scabious)

Blewbury and Ilsley downs.—J.L. Long Lane, near Hermitage common.—J.B.

Campánula rotúndifolia, (round-leaved Bell-flower or Hare-bell)

A slender and graceful plant.

Campánula rotúndifolia, White-flowered Variety

Near North Heath.

Campánula Rapúnculus, (Rampion Bell-flower)

Pile Hill.

Campánula Trachélium, (Nettle-leaved Bell-flower)

In Beech wood and Park coppice, Hampstead Norris; in a hedge-row near Unhill farm; and many other places, but not very common.—J.L.

Campánula glomeráta, (clustered Bell-flower)

Common on Blewbury downs and Lid's bank, and most of the dry pastures on a chalky soil.—J.L. Plentiful near Watership.—J.B.

Campánula híbrida, (Corn Bell-flower)

Corn-fields, North Heath.

Lonicéra Periolýmenum, (common Honey-suckle or Woodbine)

Rhámnus cathárticus, (common Buckthorn)

In the woods and hedges about Hampstead Norris; in the hedge by the foot path up Chamberlain's hill; in the hedges in Upton grounds and common.—J.L.

Rhámnus Frángula, (Berry-bearing Alder or Alder Buckthorn)

Euónymus europæus, (common Spindle-tree)

Lane leading to North Heath.

Viola hírta, (hairy Violet)

In Park coppice and other woods about Hampstead Norris.—J.L. Bagnor.

Viola odoráta, (sweet Violet)

——— *palústris*, (Marsh Violet)

Bog on Snelmore common.

Viola canína, (Dog's Violet)

——— *trícólor*, (Pansy Violet or Heart's Ease)

Ríbes rúbrum, (common or red Currant)

In hedge-rows about Hampstead Norris, but not common; frequently in the head of a pollard willow about Blewbury, supposed to have been propagated by birds, and not wild.—J.L.

Ríbes nígrum, (black Currant)

Grows plentifully in South meadow, East Hagbourn, on the banks of the brook—in a wild state very rare.—J.L.

Ribes Grossulária, (common Gooseberry)

In hedges common, but not plentiful; in a hedge near Turville wood, Compton; in a hedge at Awbury hill, Hampstead Norris; and many other places.—J.L.

Hédera Hélix, (common Ivy)**Illécebrum verticillátum**, (whorled Knot-grass)

Common in waste places and by road sides at Blewbury, and throughout the Vale.—J.L.

Gentiána Amarélla, (autumnal Gentian)

Watership.—J.B.

Gentiána campéstris, (Field Gentian)

Beacon Hill, Wash and Woodhay commons.—J.B.

Cúscuta europæa, (greater Dodder)—— **Epithymum**, (lesser Dodder)

Newtown and Greenham commons.—J.B.

Hydrocötyle vulgáris, (common White-rot Marsh Penny-wort)

Bog on Snelsmore common.

Hydrocötyle inundata

Bogs in Greenham common.

Sanícula europæa, (Wood Sanicle)

In Eling park and Down wood, Hampstead Norris; in a willow bed, Upton; in West Hagbourn meadow, but no where plentiful.—J.L.

Apium gravéolens, (Smallage or wild Celery)

In the ditches near Corderoy's mill, and in Church lane, near the vicarage, Blewbury; at Hagbourn and Upton. Not very plentiful.—J.L.

Síson Amómum, (Hedge Bastard Stone-Parsley)

About North Heath and other places.

Ægopódium Podagrária, (Gout-weed or Herb Gerarde)

In shady banks and orchards at Blewbury; in an orchard by Nail's bridge. Not very common.—J.L.

Conopodium flexuósum, (common Earth-Nut)

Plentiful in Park coppice, Hampstead Norris, and in many of the woods in that neighbourhood.—J.L.

Pimpinella Saxífraga, (common Burnet-Saxifrage)**Sium latifolium**, (broad-leaved Water-Parsnep)

In the ditches below Blewbury common.—J.L. Northcroft.

Sium nodiflorum, (procumbent Water-Parsnep)—— **repens**, (creeping Water-Parsnep)

Hamstead Park.

Bupleúrum rotundifolium, (common Hare's Ear or Thorow-wax)

On the ridge of hills above the Vale of Berks; on Robin hill, and on Long Meer piece, Blewbury; a pretty and curious plant, no where common or plentiful. It generally grows amongst wheat.—J.L.

Enánthe fistulósa, (common Water-Dropwort)

Wash Water.

Enánthe crocata, (Hemlock Water-Dropwort)

Near Thatcham, &c.

Æthúsa Cynápium, (common Fool's Parsley or lesser Hemlock)**Angélica sylvestris**, (wild Angelica)**Pastináca satíva**, (common wild Parsnep)**Herácleum Sphondylium**, (common Cow-Parsnep or Hogweed)**Dáucus Caróta**, (wild Carrot)**Torilis Anthriscus**, (upright Hedge-Parsley)—— **infesta**, (spreading Hedge-Parsley)**Scándix Pécten**, (Needle Chervil, Venus' Comb, or Shepherd's Needle)**Anthriscus sylvestris**, (wild beaked-Parsley)**Conium maculátum**, (common Hemlock)**Chenopódium Bonus Henricus**, (Mercury Goose-foot or good King Henry)**Chenopódium rubrum**, (red Goose-foot)—— **album**, (white Goose-foot)**Ulmus campéstris**, (common small-leaved Elm)—— **suberosa**, (common Cork-barked Elm)

Common in hedges in both hill and vale.—J.L.

Ulmus májor, (Dutch cork-barked Elm)

Common in many places, generally planted in streets and waste places and before houses; in the Cow lane, West Hagbourn; in the street, Aston; between Mr. Lousley's orchard and Park Coppice, Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Ulmus montána, (broad-leaved or Wych Elm)**Vibúrnum Lantána**, (mealy Guelder-rose or Wayfaring tree)

Hampstead Woods.

Viburnum Opulus, (common Guelder-rose or Water Elder)
Sambucus Ebulus, (dwarf Elder or Dane-wort)

On a bank and by the road side near Chelsey churchyard. A rare plant.
 —J. L.

Sambucus nigra, (common Elder)

Linum catharticum, (purging Flax)

Drósera rotúndifolia, (round-leaved Sun-dew)

Bogs on Snelsmore and Cold-Ash commons, &c.

Drósera longifolia, (spatulate-leaved Sun-dew)

Bogs on Snelsmore and Cold-Ash commons, &c.

Myosurus mínimus, (common Mouse-tail)

Corn-fields, North Heath.

HEXANDRIA, CLASS VI.

Péplis Pórtula, (Water Purslane)

North Heath.

Galánthus nivális, (Snowdrop)

Wild and abundant in a hedge-row near Eling, Hampstead Norris; on the bank in Richard Barns' orchard, and a few other places.—J. L. Lane leading to Enborne; meadow near the Bell, Boxford.—J. B.

Narcíssus Pseudo-narcíssus, (common Daffodil)

In an orchard near the churchyard, Hampstead; in Barns' orchard; in Mrs. Watts' orchard, Blewbury; and many other places, but not plentiful.—J. L. Meadows at Highclere and East Woodhay.—J. B.

Convallária majális, (Lily of the Valley)

Enborne, Hamstead, and Pen woods.—J. B.

Convallária multiflóra, (common Solomon's Seal)

Plentiful in Park coppice, and Laycroft wood, Hampstead Norris, and in a few other places. A beautiful and rare plant.—J. L. Common in woods near Newbury.—J. B.

Allium vineále, (Crow Garlic)

In the corn-fields about Aston, amongst wheat; in the wet lands between Moreton and Mackney. Quite a nuisance and very injurious.—J. L. Corn-fields at High Woods and North Heath.

Allium ursinum, (broad-leaved Garlic or Ramsons)

—— *Schænoprásum*, (Chive Garlic)

In a meadow called Horse Croft, at Blewbury, and in some other moist meadows.—J. L.

Ornithógalum pyrenáicum, (spiked Star of Bethlehem)

Plentiful in Ashridge wood, Ilsley; in the woods between Compton and Hampstead Norris; in Beech wood.—J. L. Near Langley.—Dr. Lamb.

Hyacínthus non-scriptus, (wild Hyacinth or Hare-bell)

Múscari racemósum, (Starch Grape-Hyacinth)

Watson's Botanist's Guide.

Narthécium ossifragum, (Lancashire Bog-Asphodel)

Snelsmore and Woodhay commons.—J. B.

Fritillária Meleágris, (common Fritillary)

In a meadow called Thorn Croft, Blewbury; in a meadow by Burghfield bridge. A beautiful and rare plant.—J. L.

Júncus conglomerátus, (common Rush)

—— *acútiflorus*, (sharp-flowered jointed Rush)

—— *lampocárpus*, (shining-fruited jointed Rush)

—— *obtusiflórus*, (blunt-flowered jointed Rush)

Cold-Ash common.

Júncus uliginósus, (lesser Bog jointed Rush)

Snelsmore common.

Júncus bufónius, (Toad Rush)

—— *squarrósus*, (Heath Rush)

Rúmex Hydrolápathum, (great Water Dock)

—— *críspus*, (curled Dock)

Common in damp shady places about Blewbury and Hagbourn.—J. L.

Rúmex sanguíneus, (bloody-veined and (β .) green-veined Dock)

Before some of the door-ways and in the gardens at Blewbury.—J. L.

Rúmex acútus, (sharp Dock)

Ham Marsh.

Rúmex obtúsifolius, (broad-leaved Dock)

Common about Blewbury and Hampstead Norris, in moist places.—J. L.

Rúmex acetósa, (common Sorrel)

—— *acetosélla*, (Sheep's Sorrel)

Triglóchin palústre, (Marsh Arrow-grass)

Bagnor Marsh.

Cólchicum autumnále, (common Meadow-Saffron)

In Ashridge wood, East Ilsley; in a hedge-row near Hatch Gate, Hampstead Norris. Not common.—J. L. In a meadow near Burghclere parsonage, very plentiful.—J. B.

Alisma Plantágo, (greater Water-Plantain)
 ——— *ranunculoides*, (lesser Water-Plantain)

OCTANDRIA, CLASS VIII.

Acer Pseudo-plátanus, (greater Maple or Sycamore)

Grows in Lower Farm Close, Blewbury; in Mr. Lousley's orchard, Hampstead Norris; and in hedges in many places, but nowhere very plentiful.—J.L.

Acer campéstre, (common Maple)

This tree is very common in the woods and hedges about Hampstead Norris, and grows plentifully in Park coppice; also about Blewbury and Hagbourn—the wood is beautiful when cut out.—J.L.

Chlóra perfoliáta, (perfoliate Yellow-wort)

Chalk-pit above Watership.—J.B.

Érica Tétralix, (Cross-leaved Heath)

——— *cinérea*, (fine-leaved Heath)

Callúna vulgáris, (common Ling)

Vaccínium Myrtíllus, (Bilberry or Whortleberry)

Plentiful in Eling park, Hampstead Norris; Grimsbury castle; and in several other woods, but not very common.—J.L. Pen wood.—J.B.

Epilóbium angustifólium, (Rose-bay Willow-herb, Persian, or French Willow)

Road side, Woodhay common.—J.B.

Epilóbium hirsútum, (great hairy Willow-herb)

——— *parvislórum*, (small-flowered hairy Willow-herb)

Common about Blewbury; and at Hampstead Norris between Mr. Lousley's orchard and Frilsham.—J.L.

Epilóbium montánum, (broad smooth-leaved Willow-herb)

——— *palústre*, (narrow-leaved Marsh Willow-herb)

Dáphne Mezéreum, (common Mezereon or Spurge-Laurel)

Park coppice and Frilsham common are the only places I know, where this shrub grows wild.—J.L.

Dáphne Lauréola, (Spurge-Laurel)

Beech wood, Park coppice, and other woods about Hampstead Norris—this plant is so much sought for by quacks that it is getting quite scarce; it is a beautiful plant.—J.L. Welford Woods.—Mr. Bicheno.

Polygonum Bistórta, (Bistort or Snakeweed)

A very rare plant: grows plentifully in an orchard by the churchyard, Blewbury; in an orchard near Nail's bridge; and in parsonage orchard—a pretty flower.—J.L. Field near Wickham chapel; Zellhouse, East Woodhay.—J.B.

Polygonum aviculáre, (Knot-grass)

——— *Convólulus*, (climbing Buck-wheat)

——— *amphíbium*, (amphibious Persicaria)

——— *Persicária*, (spotted Persicaria)

——— *lapathifólium*, (pale-flowered Persicaria)

——— *Hydrópiper*, (biting Persicaria)

Páris quadrifólia, (common Herb Paris)

In a wood between Southridge farm and the Grotto, Basildon—a rare plant.—J.L. Near Hamstead Marshall.—Mr. Toomer.

Adóxa moschatéllina, (tuberous Moschatell)

In Williams' copse, East Ilsley, and some other woods.—J.L. Woods about Welford.—J.B.

ENNEANDRIA, CLASS IX.

Bútomus umbellátus, (common Flowering-rush)

Northcroft and other streams near Newbury.—J.B.

DECANDRIA, CLASS X.

Scleránthus ánnuus, (annual Knawel)

Corn-fields, North Heath.

Chrysosplénium oppositifólium, (common Golden-Saxifrage)

Sidmonton Lane, edge of the spring near the school.

Saxífraga granuláta, (white Meadow Saxifrage)

Sandleford park.

Saxífraga tridactylites, (rue-leaved Saxifrage)

Plentiful on dry soils; on Blewbury hill; and on thatched houses in that neighbourhood.—J.L.

Saponária officinális, (common Soapwort)

In Mr. Frewin's orchard, Blewbury; by the side of the turnpike road near the Bull inn, Streatley—a rare plant.—J.L.

Silène inflata, (Bladder Campion)

Common in pastures and dry banks at Hampstead Norris and Blewbury.—J.L.

Silène quinquevulnera, (variegated Catchfly)

"Corn-fields."—Watson's Botanist's Guide.

Stellaria média, (common Chickweed or Stitchwort)

———*holóstea*, (greater Stitchwort)

———*gramínea*, (lesser Stitchwort)

———*gláucia*, (glaucous Marsh Stitchwort)

Water-side near Thatcham.

Stellaria uliginosa, (Bog Stitchwort)

Pen wood, &c.

Arenaria scorpýllifolia, (thyme-leaved Sandwort)

———*rúbra*, (purple Sandwort)

East Woodhay, &c.

Cotylédon Umbilicus, (Wall Pennywort)

On the stone walls at Sutton and Culham, near Abingdon.—J.L.

Sédum Teléphiúm, (Orpine or Live-long)

Grows plentifully in Ashridge wood, East Ilsley, and in a few other places—a rare plant.—J.L. Near Tile Barn, East Woodhay; opposite Crookham End House; and in the lane leading from Marlstone to Bucklebury.—J.B.

Sédum ácre, (biting Stonecrop or Wall Pepper)

Common on walls; on Mr. Lousley's garden wall, Hampstead Norris; on the mud walls about Blewbury; on the wall by Parsonage Farm.—J.L.

Oxális Acetosélla, (common Wood-sorrel)

In Westbrook and Laycroft woods, Hampstead Norris, and several others, but not very plentiful.—J.L. Plentiful in the woods on the south of Newbury.—J.B.

Agrostemma Githágo, (Corn Cockle)*Lýchnis Flos-Cúculi*, (Meadow Lychnis or ragged Robin)

———*dióica*, (red or white Campion) varieties, *a*, *β*, and *g*.

Cerástium vulgátum, (broad-leaved Mouse-ear Chickweed)

———*viscósúm*, (narrow-leaved Mouse-ear Chickweed)

———*aquáticum*, (Water Chickweed)

Near Brimpton Farm.

Spérgula arvénsis, (Corn Spurrey)*Spérgula nodósa*, (knotted Spurrey)

Bagnor marsh.

Spérgula subuláta, (awl-shaped Spurrey)

Newtown.—Watson's Botanist's Guide.

DODECANDRIA, CLASS XI.

Lýthrum Salicária, (spiked purple-Loosestrife)

Ditches near the Thames about Goring, Streatley, Wallingford, and many places near Abingdon.—J.L. Common by the banks of streams running into the river Kennet.—J.B.

Agrimónia Eupatória, (common Agrimony)*Reséda Lutéola*, (Dyer's Rocket, Yellow-weed, or Weld)

On the borders of Beech wood; on the banks by the road sides at Hampstead Norris and Blewbury, but not very plentiful or common.—J.L.

Reséda lútea, (base Rocket, Wild Mignonette)

On the roads and banks above Blewbury and Upton; on hedge banks about Hampstead Norris.—J.L. Near Bucklebury.—J.B.

Sempervivum tectórum, (common Houseleek)

On walls and housetops in nearly every village, planted to protect the building from lightning—good for the sting of a bee.—J.L.

ICOSANDRIA, CLASS XII.

Prúnus insitítia, (wild Bullace-tree)

In Beech wood and in some of the hedge-rows about Hampstead Norris; in Upton grounds; but not common.—J.L.

Prúnus spinósa, (Black-thorn or Sloe)

———*Cérasus*, (wild Cherry)

Méspilus germánica, (common Medlar)

Sometimes in hedge-rows but not common: in a hedge by Purley. Mostly planted in orchards; in Mr. Lousley's orchard, Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Cratágeus Oxyacántha, (Hawthorn, White-thorn, or May)*Pýrus comúnis*, (wild Pear-tree)

Woods and hedges about Aldworth and Hampstead Norris; in Beech wood; in the hedge-rows in Upton grounds, but nowhere common.—J.L.

Pýrus Málus, (Crab-apple)

———*tormínalis*, (Wild Service-tree)

In Beech wood, and in the row by Thistle field—a curious fruit.—J.L.

Pýrus aucupária, (Quicken-tree, Mountain-ash, or Rowan-tree)
 ——— *Aria*, (white Beam-tree)

In Park coppice rather plentiful, in Beech wood; and other woods, but not very common.—J.L.

Spiræa Filipéndula, (common Dropwort)

Common on Blewbury and Ilsley downs, and a few other pastures.—J.L.

Spiræa Ulmária, (Meadow-sweet, Queen of the Meadows)

Rósa rubiginósa, (true Sweet-Briar)

In the hedges about Hampstead Norris—not very common in a wild state —J.L. Roadside from Newbury to Oxford near Snelsgrove.—Mr. Bicheno,

Rósa canína, (common Dog-Rose)

—— *arvensis*, (trailing Dog-Rose)

Rúbus idæus, (Raspberry)

Pen wood.

Rúbus suberéctus, (upright Bramble)

Snelsmore common.

Rúbus rhamnifolius, (Buckthorn-leaved Bramble)

—— *fruticosus*, (common Bramble or Blackberry)

—— *leucostáchys*, (long-clustered Bramble)

Snelsmore common.

Rúbus Koehleri, (Koehler's Bramble)

Snelsmore common.

Rúbus corylifolius, (Hazel-leaved Bramble)

—— *cæsius*, (Dewberry)

Plentiful in some of the ditches about Blewbury, and on banks in moist meadows—the berries are much sought after by children.—J.L.

Fragária véscá, (Wood Strawberry)

Potentilla anserína, (Silver-weed)

—— *réptans*, (common creeping Cinque-foil)

—— *Fragariástrum*, (Strawberry-leaved Cinque-foil)

Tormentilla officínalis, (common Tormentil)

Géum urbánum, (common Avens, Herb Bennet)

—— *rivále*, (Water Avens)

Northcroft.

POLYANDRIA, CLASS XIII.

Papáver Argemóne, (long prickly-headed Poppy)

Corn-fields, North Heath.

Papáver Rhæas, (common red Poppy)

Cheledónium május, (common Celandine)

On banks and waste places about Blewbury, Hampstead Norris, and Compton, but not plentiful or common.

Heliánthemum vulgáre, (common Rock-rose)

Very common on all the downs and dry banks at Blewbury, Compton, and Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Tília europæa, (common Lime or Linden-tree)

Common in almost every village; often planted before houses about Blewbury, in the Vale, and at Hermitage—bees are very fond of it.—J.L.

Nymphæa álba, (great White Water-Lily)

Wash Water.

Núphar lútea, (common Yellow Water-Lily)

Northcroft.

Aquilégia vulgáris, (common Columbine)

Common in some of the woods about Hampstead Norris, particularly in Beech wood.—J.L. Woods and thickets about West Woodhay.—Mr. Bicheno.

Thalictrum flávum, (common Meadow-Rue)

Ham marsh.

Clématis Vitálba, (common Traveller's Joy)

Very common in the hedges at Hampstead Norris, and many other places.—J.L.

Anemóne Pulsatilla, (Pasque-flower Anemone)

A beautiful and rare plant: on the downs near Unhill wood plentiful; on the downs between Ilsley and Compton, but scarce.—J.L.

Anemóne nemorósa, (Wood Anemone)

Adónis autumnális, (Corn Adonis or Pheasant's Eye)

Sometimes found in the corn-fields about Yattendon and Frilsham—I have once or twice met with it on the hill called Wayley, at Hampstead Norris, but it is a rare plant in this part of the country.—J.L.

Ranúnculus aquátilis, (Water Crowfoot)

—— *hederáceus*, (Ivy Crowfoot)

—— *Flámmula*, (lesser Spear-wort)

- Ranunculus Ficaria*, (Pilewort Crowfoot, lesser Celandine)
 ——— *sceleratus*, (Celery-leaved Crowfoot)
 ——— *bulbosus*, (bulbous Crowfoot)

Common in all the pastures at Hampstead Norris and in the Vale.—J.L.

- Ranunculus arvensis*, (Corn Crowfoot)
Helleborus viridis, (green Hellebore)

Not common; in Beech wood, Hampstead Norris.—J.L. Sidmonton lane.
 —J.B.

- Caltha palustris*, (common Marsh-marigold)

DIDYNAMIA, CLASS XIV.

- Mentha sylvestris*, (Horse Mint)

In the ditches and damp pastures about Blewbury.—J.L.

- Mentha viridis*, (Spear-Mint)

In Mr. Lousley's orchard at Hampstead Norris, but not plentiful.—J.L.

- Mentha piperita*, (Pepper-Mint)

In some of the wet pastures in the Vale.—J.L.

- Mentha hirsuta*, (hairy Mint)

- *arvensis*, (Corn Mint)

- Thymus serpyllum*, (wild Thyme)

- Origanum vulgare*, (common Marjoram)

Very common on the dry banks at Hampstead Norris, and in a meadow called Bride House, at Blewbury.—J.L. Highclere Park.—J.B.

- Teucrium Scorodonia*, (Wood Germander or Sage)

- Ajuga reptans*, (common Bugle)

- Ballota nigra*, (black Horehound)

- Galeobdolon luteum*, (yellow Weasel-snout or Archangel)

- Galeopsis Ladanum*, (red Hemp-nettle)

Near North Heath.

- Galeopsis Tetráhit*, (common Hemp-nettle)

- Lamium album*, (white Dead-nettle)

- *purpureum*, (red Dead-nettle)

- *amplexicaule*, (Henbit-Nettle)

A weed in the gardens about Hampstead Norris and in the Vale, but not very common.—J.L. Corn-fields, North Heath.

- Betonica officinalis*, (Wood Betony)

- Stachys sylvatica*, (Hedge Woundwort)

- *palustris*, (Marsh Woundwort)

- Nepeta Cataria*, (Cat-mint)

Grows in hedges and on banks in many places, but nowhere very plentiful; in the Cow Lane, West Hagbourn moor; by the road side between Hampstead Norris and Newbury.—J.L. Between Bussock hill and the Blue Boar, North Heath.

- Glechoma hederacea*, (Ground-Ivy)

- Marrubium vulgare*, (White Horehound)

As a wild plant very rare in this part of the country, and is likely to become extinct. I have met with it only in the Cow Lane, at Hagbourn.
 —J.L.

- Acinos vulgaris*, (common Basil Thyme)

Sidmonton common.

- Calamintha Nepeta*, (lesser Calamint)

On the chalky poor soils at Hampstead Norris and Blewbury.—J.L.

- Clinopodium vulgare*, (Wild Basil)

- Prunella vulgaris*, (Self-head)

- Scutellaria galericulata*, (common Skull-cap)

By the rivers Lambourn and Kennet.

- Scutellaria minor*, (lesser Skull-cap)

Bogs on Snelsmore and Cold-Ash commons.

- Bartsia Odontites*, (red Bartsia)

- Euphrasia officinalis*, (common Eye-bright)

- Rhinanthus Crista-Galli*, (common Yellow Rattle)

- Melampyrum pratense*, (common yellow Cow-wheat)

- Pedicularis palustris*, (Marsh Louse-wort or tall Red Rattle)

In West Hagbourn moor and a few other places.—J.L. Bog in Snelsmore common; Bagnor marsh; Woodhay common.—J.B.

- Pedicularis sylvatica*, (Pasture Louse-wort or Dwarf Red Rattle)

- Antirrhinum Orontium*, (lesser Snapdragon)

- Linaria Elatine*, (sharp-pointed Fluellen or Toadflax)

Wash common,

- Linaria vulgaris*, (yellow Toadflax)

- Scrophularia nodosa*, (knotted Figwort)

- *aquatica*, (Water Figwort, Water Betony)

Scrophularia vernalis, (yellow Figwort)

Common about Bucklebury and Marlstone.

Digitalis purpurea, (purple Foxglove)

Very common in some of the woods about Hampstead Norris; plentiful in Park coppice and Down wood.—J.L. Very abundant in Pen wood.—J.B.

Verbena officinalis, (common Vervain)

Common in pastures and in waste places at Hampstead Norris and Blewbury; in Mr. Lousley's yard near the churchyard.—J.L. Itchinswell; and near Bucklebury parsonage.—J.B.

Orobancha major, (greater Broom-rape)

On the banks about Hermitage; by the side of the road in Long lane, near the gate.—J.L. North end of Snelmore common.

Orobancha minor, (lesser Broom-rape)

Common in clover-fields.

TETRADYNAMIA, CLASS XV.

Coronopus Ruellii, (common Wart-cress, Swine's cress)

On waste ground about Blewbury, but not common; near Chance barn.—J.L.

Thlaspi arvense, (Mithridate Mustard or Penny-cress)

High corn-fields near Shaw.

Capsella Bursa-Pastoris, (common Shepherd's Purse)*Iberis amara*, (bitter Candy-tuft)

Very plentiful on the hills above Mr. Humfrey's farm, Blewbury.—J.L.

Lepidium latifolium, (broad-leaved Pepper-wort)

Peat-pits about Newbury.

Cochlearia Armoracia, (Horse-radish)

In Mr. Lousley's orchard, Hampstead Norris.—J.L. Perhaps the outcast of the garden.

Draba verna, (common Whitlow-grass)*Cardamine amara*, (bitter Lady's Smock)

In the meadows about Blewbury, but not very common.—J.L. Chamber-house coppice.

Cardamine pratensis, (common Meadow Lady's Smock)——— *hirsuta*, (hairy Lady's Smock)*Barbarea vulgaris*, (bitter Winter-cress, yellow Rocket)*Nasturtium officinale*, (Water-Cress)*Sisymbrium officinale*, (common Hedge-Mustard)

Very plentiful by the road sides at Blewbury, and in most places.—J.L.

Erysimum Alliaria, (Garlic Treacle-mustard, Jack-by-the-hedge, or Sauce-alone)*Cheiranthus Cheiri*, (common Wall-flower)

On old stone walls about Drayton and Sutton.—J.L.

Sinapis arvensis, (wild Mustard, Charlock)——— *alba*, (white Mustard)——— *nigra*, (common Mustard)

North Heath.

MONADELPHIA, CLASS XVI.

Geranium phæum, (dusky Crane's-bill)

Near sir J. Fellowes', Adbury.

Geranium pratense, (blue Meadow Crane's-bill)

On the borders of meadows about Blewbury, but not very plentiful.—J.L. Lane leading from the turnpike road to Barghclere-parsonage.—J.B.

Geranium pyrenaicum, (Mountain Crane's-bill)

Near the Blue Boar, North Heath.

Geranium lucidum, (shining Crane's bill)

About Hagbourn and Blewbury, but not common.—J.L.

Geranium robertianum, (stinking Crane's bill or Herb Robert)——— *molle*, (Dove's-foot Crane's-bill)——— *pusillum*, (small-flowered Crane's bill)——— *dissectum*, (jagged-leaved Crane's-bill)*Málva sylvestris*, (common Mallow)——— *rotundifolia*, (dwarf Mallow)——— *moschata*, (Musk Mallow)

DIADELPHIA, CLASS XVII.

Fumaria officinalis, (common Fumitory)*Polýgala vulgaris*, (common Milkwort)*Ulex europæus*, (common Furze, Whin, or Gorse)——— *nánu*, (dwarf Furze)

North Heath and other places.

Genista tinctoria, (Dyer's Green-weed, Woad-Waxen)

On the borders of Beech wood, Hampstead Norris, and by road sides in many places; on banks by the road side on Blewbury downs; and in many other places, but not very plentiful.—J.L. Field near East End, East Woodhay.—J.B.

Genista anglica, (Needle Green-weed or Petty whin)*Cytisus scoparius*, (common Broom)*Ononis arvensis*, (common Rest-Harrow)*Anthyllis vulneraria*, (common Kidney-vetch or Lady's-finger)

Watership, &c.

Orobis tuberosus, (tuberous Orobis)

Pen wood.

Lathyrus pratensis, (Meadow Vetchling)*— palustris*, (blue Marsh Vetchling)

In Thorn Croft and Horse Croft, Blewbury, and in many other moist meadows.—J.L.

Vicia sylvatica, (Wood Vetch)

In Ashridge coppice plentiful; in Rowcroft wood, Yattendon; and in a few other places.—J.L.

Vicia Cracca, (tufted Vetch)*— sativa*, (common Vetch)*— sepium*, (Bush Vetch)*Ervum hirsutum*, (hairy Tare)*Astragalus glycyphyllos*, (sweet Milk-vetch)

On the hill between South Moreton common and Cholsey—a rare plant. I have not discovered it elsewhere.—J.L.

Ornithopus perpusillus, (common Bird's-foot)

Very common on Lid's bank and Blewberton hill, Blewbury, and many dry meadows and pastures about Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Hippocrepis comosa, (tufted Horse-shoe Vetch)

By road sides and on dry banks on the hills above Blewbury, but not very plentiful.—J.L.

Onobrychis sativa, (common Saint-foin)

Watership chalk-pit.

Melilotus officinalis, (common yellow Melilot)

In wet furrows in the arable lands about Blewbury; in Blewbury meadow; sometimes among corn, and plentiful in a few fields, but not very common.—J.L.

Trifolium ornithopodioides, (Bird's-foot Trefoil)

Greenham common.

Trefolium repens, (white Trefoil or Dutch Clover)*— pratense*, (common purple Trefoil)*— arvense*, (Hare's-foot Trefoil)*— procumbens*, (Hop Trefoil)*— filiforme*, (lesser yellow Trefoil)*Lotus corniculatus*, (common Bird's-foot-trefoil)*— major*, (narrow-leaved Bird's-foot-trefoil)*Medicago lupulina*, (black Medick or Nonsuch)

POLYADELPHIA, CLASS XVIII.

Hypéricum Androsæmum, (Tutsan)

About Crookham.

Hypéricum quadrangulum, (square-stalked St. John's-wort)

Bagnor marsh.

Hypéricum perforatum, (common perforated St. John's-wort)*— humifusum*, (trailing St. John's-wort)

Woodhay common.

Hypéricum montanum, (Mountain St. John's-wort)

On the dry banks above Blewbury.—J.L.

Hypéricum hirsutum, (hairy St. John's-wort)

In the woods at Hampstead Norris; in Park coppice and Eling park.—J.L.

Hypéricum pulchrum, (small upright St. John's-wort)*— elodes*, (Marsh St. John's-wort)

Bogs on Woodhay, Snelsmore, and Cold-Ash commons.—J.B.

SYNGENESIA, CLASS XIX.

Tragopogon pratensis, (yellow Goat's-beard)*Picris hieracioides*, (Hawk-weed Picris)

Corn-fields about Speen.

Sonchus arvensis, (corn Sow-thistle)*— oleraceus*, (common Sow-thistle)*Prenanthes muralis*, (Ivy-leaved Wall lettuce)*Leontodon Taraxacum*, (common Dandelion)

Apargia hispida, (rough Hawkbit)

——— *autumnalis*, (autumnal Hawkbit)

Thrinicia hirta, (hairy Thrinicia)

Hierácium Pilosella, (common Mouse-ear Hawkweed)

——— *sylvaticum*, (Wood Hawkweed)

Snelsmore, Fence wood, &c.

Hierácium sabaudum, (shrubby broad-leaved Hawkweed)
Cold-Ash common.

Hierácium umbellatum, (narrow-leaved Hawkweed)

Snelsmore, Fence wood.

Crépis tectorum, (smooth Hawk's beard)

Hypochoeris radicata, (long-rooted Cat's-ear)

Lapsana communis, (common Nipple-wort)

Cichorium Intybus, (Wild Succory)

Arctium Láppa, (common Burdock)

Serrátula tinctoria, (common Saw-wort)

Pen wood.

Cárdus nótans, (Musk Thistle)

——— *acanthoides*, (welted Thistle)

——— *tenuiflorus*, (slender-flowered Thistle)

Cnicus lanceolatus, (Spear Plume-thistle)

——— *palustris*, (Marsh Plume-thistle)

——— *arvensis*, (creeping Plume-thistle)

——— *eriophorus*, (woolly-headed Plume-thistle)

——— *heterophyllus*, (melancholy Plume-thistle)

Woodhay and Cold-Ash commons, Pen wood, &c.

Cnicus aculis, (dwarf Plume-thistle)

North Heath, Ilsley downs, &c.

Onopórdum Acáthium, (common Cotton-Thistle)

In the road side near the turnpike gate, West Hagbourn, and at East Ilsley.—J.L.

Carlina vulgaris, (common Carline)

North Heath.

Bidens cérnua, (nodding Bur-marigold)

Wash water.

Bidens tripartíta, (trifid Bur-marigold)

Bagnor marsh.

Eupatorium cannabinum, (common Hemp-agrimony)

Tanacetum vulgare, (common Tansy)

By the mill-brook side in south Moreton common—a rare plant.—J.L.

Artemisia Absinthium, (common Wormwood)

At Appleford, and in the ditch round the walls at Silchester, but not very plentiful.—J.L.

Artemisia vulgaris, (Mugwort)

Gnaphalium dioicum, (Mountain Cudweed)

On Blewbury downs, and on the hills at Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Gnaphalium uliginosum, (Marsh Cudweed)

North Heath.

Gnaphalium germanicum, (common Cudweed)

Conyza squarrosa, (Ploughman's Spikenard)

By the road sides and in Beech wood at Hampstead Norris, but not very plentiful.—J.L.

Tussilago Fáfara, (Colt's-foot)

Petasites vulgaris, (common Butter-bur)

Plentiful by the brook near Bugg's mill, near Abingdon; by the brook side between South Moreton and Wallingford; by the brook side between Frilsham and Bucklebury; and in Grace's and the Parsonage orchards, Blewbury.—J.L.

Senecio vulgaris, (common Groundsel)

Very common in the corn-fields about Blewbury, and in the gardens at Hampstead Norris and elsewhere—a troublesome weed.—J.L.

Senecio sylvaticus, (Mountain Groundsel) var. β .

Road beyond Wash water.

Senecio tenuifolius, (hoary Ragwort)

Donnington road.

Senecio Jacobæa, (common Ragwort)

——— *aquaticus*, (Marsh Ragwort)

Solidago Virgáurea, (common Golden-rod)

Cold-Ash common.

Pulicaria dysentérica, (common Flea-bane)

Doronicum Pardaliánches, (great Leopard's-bane)

Sidmonton lane.—J.B.

Béllis perénis, (common Daisy)

- Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum*, (great white Ox-eye)
 ——— *ségetum*, (Corn Marigold, yellow Ox-eye)
Pýrethrum Parthénium, (common Feverfew)
 ——— *inodórum*, (Corn Feverfew or scentless Mayweed)
Matricária Chamomilla, (wild Chamomile)
Anthemis Cótula, (stinking Chamomile)

Very common in the corn-fields at Blewbury and Hampstead Norris, and nearly every where.—J.L.

- Achillaea Ptármica*, (Sneeze-wort Yarrow)

In West Hagbourn moor; in Church moor, Blewbury; at Well-house, Hampstead Norris, but not plentiful.—J.L. Fence Wood and Woodhay common.—J.B.

- Achillaea Millefólium*, (common Yarrow or Milfoil)
Centáurea nigra, (black Knapweed)
 ——— *Cyánu*s, (Corn Blue-bottle)
 ——— *Scabiósa*, (greater Knapweed)

GYNANDRIA, CLASS XX.

- Orchis Mório*, (green-winged Meadow Orchis)
 ——— *máscula*, (early purple Orchis)
 ——— *pyramidális*, (pyramidal Orchis)
 ——— *latifolia*, (Marsh Orchis)

In West Hagbourn moor and many other places.—J.L.

- Orchis maculáta*, (spotted palmate Orchis)
Gymnadénia conópsea, (fragrant *Gymnadenia*)

On Ilsley downs, common.—J.L.

- Habenária álvida*, (small white *Habenaria*)

On Lid's bank, Blewbury, and in some other places.—J.L.

- Habenária bifolia*, (Butterfly *Habenaria*)

Woodhay common.

- Ophrys apífera*, (Bee *Ophrys*)

Beacon Hill; Highclere park.—J.B.

- Ophrys muscífera*, (Fly *Ophrys*)

Highclere park; and Barton's copse, near Sidmonton house.

- Neóttia spirális*, (fragrant Lady's Tresses)

Hamstead Park.

- Listéra ováta*, (common Twayblade)
 ——— *Nidus-Avis*, (common Bird's Nest)

Highclere park.

- Epipáctis latifolia*, (broad-leaved Helleborine)

Snelsmore common; Bussock wood.

- Epipáctis grandiflóra*, (large white Helleborine)

Highclere Park.

MONOECIA, CLASS XXI.

- Euphórbia helioscópia*, (Sun Spurge)
 ——— *platyphýlla*, (broad-leaved water Spurge)

Common in corn-fields.—J.L.

- Euphórbia exígua*, (dwarf Spurge)

- *Péplus*, (petty Spurge)

- *amygdaloídes*, (Wood-Spurge)

- Callitriche vérna*, (vernal Water-starwort)

In Newbury marsh.—J.L.

- Týpha latifolia*, (great Cat's-tail or Reed-mace)

Ham marsh.

- Spargánium ramósum*, (branched Bur-reed)

- *simplex*, (unbranched upright Bur-reed)

Hamstead park and Wash water.

- Cárex muricáta*, (greater prickly *Carex*)

- *vulpína*, (great *Carex*)

- *paniculáta*, (great panicled *Carex*)

Ham marsh.

- Cárex ovális*, (oval-spiked *Carex*)

Pen wood.

- Cárex sylvática*, (pendulous Wood *Carex*)

- *Oedéri*, (*Oederian Carex*)

Bog on Snelsmore common.

- Cárex pilulífera*, (round-headed *Carex*)

- *panicéa*, (Pink-leaved *Carex*)

- *recúrva*, (glaucous Heath *Carex*)

- *ripária*, (great common *Carex*)

- *hirta*, (hairy *Carex*)

Alnus glutinosa, (common Alder)

Urtica urens, (small Nettle)

Common under mud walls at Blewbury, and under hedges in many places.—J.L.

Urtica dioica, (great Nettle)

Abundant in every parish, and in nearly every pasture and meadow.—J.L.

Bryonia dioica, (red berried Bryony)

Myriophyllum verticillatum, (whorled Water Milfoil)

River Lambourn.

Sagittaria sagittifolia, (common Arrow-head)

Northcroft.

Arum maculatum, (Cuckow-pint or Wake-robin)

Potérion Sanguisorba, (common Salad-Burnet)

Plentiful on Lid's bank, Blewbury; in dry pastures at Hampstead Norris; in Mr. Lousley's orchard, Hampstead Norris, and in most other parishes.—J.L.

Quercus Robur, (common British Oak)

—— *sessiliflora*, (sessile-fruited Oak)

Watson's Botanist's Guide.

Fagus sylvatica, (Beech Tree)

Castanea vulgaris, (Spanish Chesnut)

Near the great house, Langley; in Mr. Lousley's orchard, Hampstead Norris, and in many places, but not plentiful.—J.L.

Betula alba, (common Birch)

Carpinus Betulus, (Hornbeam)

In Beech wood, but not common—a rare tree in this part of the country.—J.L.

Corylus Avellana, (common Hazel-nut)

Pinus sylvestris, (Scotch Fir)

Very common at Hampstead Norris; grows by thousands from self-sown seed in Eling and Courage commons, and in many other places.—J.L.

DIOECIA, CLASS XXII.

Salix fragilis, (crack Willow)

Very common by brook sides at Blewbury, Upton, and in all the villages in the Vale of Berks; in Mr. Lousley's orchard, Hampstead Norris; and in many meadows.—J.L.

Salix vitellina, (yellow Willow or golden Osier)

By the ditch in Mrs. Watts' orchard, Blewbury—a beautiful and rare willow.—J.L.

Salix fusca, (dwarf silky Willow)

Sidmonton bog.

Salix fusca, var. β .

Greenham common.

Salix viminalis, (common Osier)

Plentiful at Blewbury and many other villages.—J.L.

Viscum album, (common Misseltree)

Plentiful in the orchards at Bucklebury; in Mr. Lousley's orchard, Hampstead Norris; at Appleford; on the apple trees at Mr. Humfrey's, Boxford, and several other places—a curious plant.—J.L. Sidmonton.

Myrica Gale, (sweet Gale or Dutch Myrtle)

Abundant in Sidmonton common; near the School, Highclere; and in bogs at East Woodhay.—J.B. This plant diffuses a most agreeable smell.

Humulus Lupulus, (common Hop)

Tamus communis, (common Black Bryony)

Populus alba, (great white Poplar or Abele)

—— *canescens*, (grey Poplar)

Very common at Blewbury, and most of the villages in the Vale; in Mr. Lousley's orchard, and in Scottal meadow, Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

Populus tremula, (Aspen)

Mercurialis perennis, (perennial or Dog's Mercury)

Juniperus communis, (common Juniper)

Very plentiful in the downs near Unhill wood; Streatley hill; Basildon; and many other places.—J.L. Chalk-pit, Watership; Siddown hill.—J.B.

Taxus baccata, (common Yew)

Plentiful in Beech wood, and in many other woods and hedges about Compton, Aldworth, and Hampstead Norris.—J.L.

POLYGAMIA, CLASS XXIII.

Atriplex patula, (spreading Halberd-leaved Orache)

—— *angustifolia*, (spreading narrow-leaved Orache)

CRYPTOGAMIA, CLASS XXIV.

Polypodium vulgare, (common Polypody)

Aspidium lobatum, (close-leaved prickly Shield-fern)

Sidmonton.

Aspidium Filix mas, (male Shield-fern)

Scolopéndrium vulgare, (common Hart's-tongue)

A curious, beautiful, and rare plant; in the sides of some of the wells at Blewbury and Hagbourn; also at Langley great house, Hampstead Norris.
—J.L.

Pteris aquilina, (common Brake)

Common in all the sandy and poor woods and pastures; plentiful in Eling common, and in Beech wood.—J.L.

Ophioglossum vulgatum, (common Adder's tongue)

A beautiful and curious plant; plentiful in some of the meadows between Blewbury and Hagbourn; in Thorn Croft meadow, Blewbury.—J.L.

Lycopodium inundatum, (Marsh Club-moss)

Equisetum fluviatile, (great Water Horse-tail)

Between Greenham common and Thatcham.

Equisetum arvense, (Corn Horse-tail)

— *sylvaticum*, (branched Wood Horse-tail)

— *limosum*, (smooth naked Horse-tail)

In the ditches and wet meadows below Blewbury; in Lower Farm Close.
—J.L.

Equisetum palustre, (Marsh Horse-tail)