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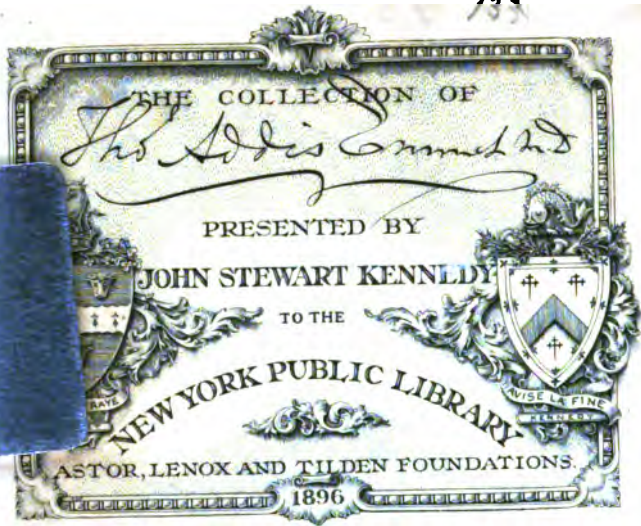
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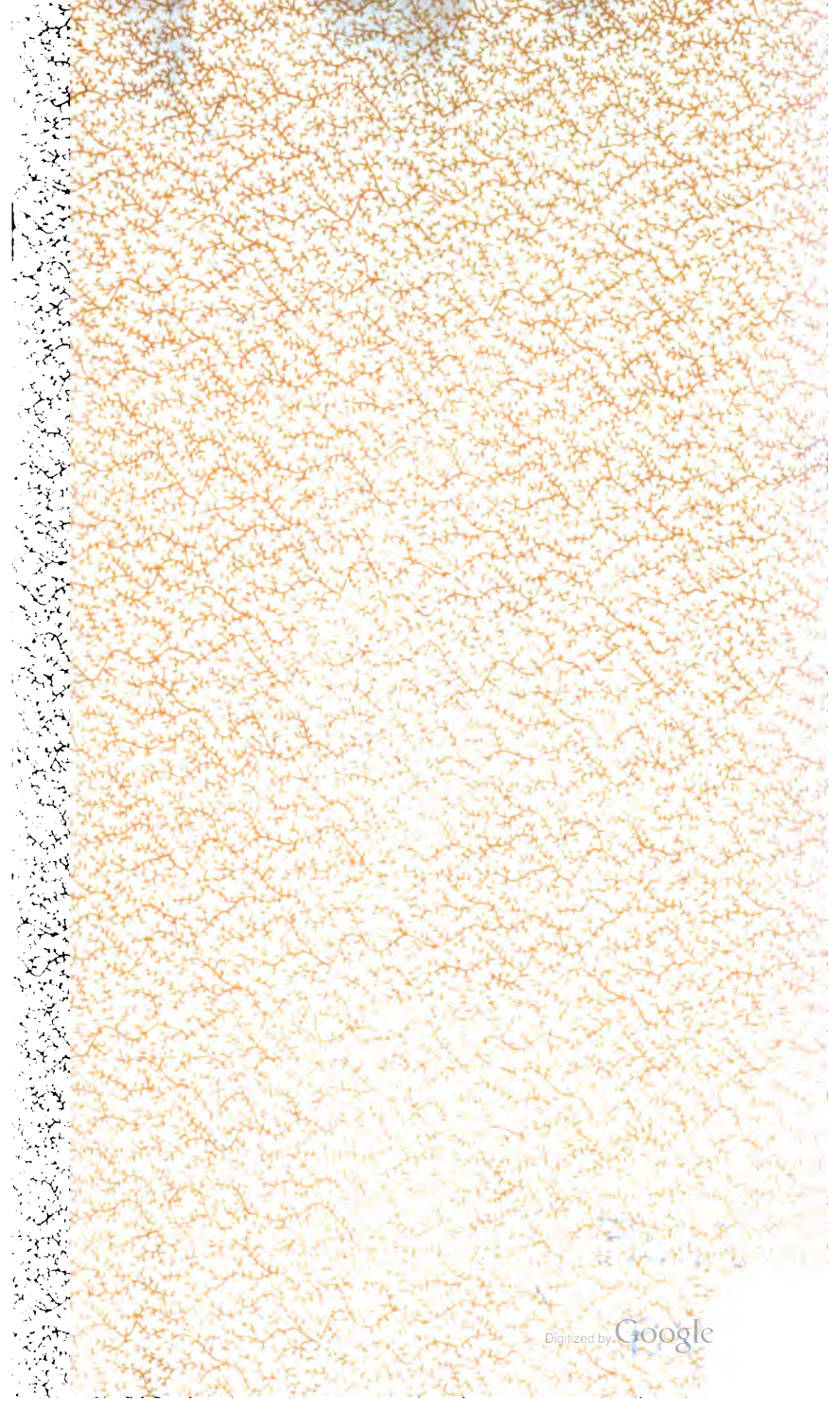
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**T**HE work, of which I here offer an English translation to the public, was written by the famous Lambert Bos, Professor of Greek in the university of Franeker. He was the son of James Bos, Rector and First Regent of the schools of Worcum, and a relation of the learned Vitringa, Professor of Oriental Languages, Theology, and Sacred History, in the university of Leyden, who wrote many books of divinity, which are much esteemed.

LAMBERT BOS flourished from the year 1670 to the year 1717. He was the author of many learned works, of which his Antiquities of Greece is unquestionably the most valuable. It is an agreeable, though

compendious, description of whatever is interesting and instructive in the manners and customs of the ancient Greeks, without a knowledge of which we cannot understand their authors. The Reader will find in this book a comprehensive and well connected system, which entertains the imagination, excites curiosity, and imprints upon the mind the objects which it presents to it. To every custom it joins the Greek terms which relate to it; and by thus connecting the word with the thing, it brings us reciprocally acquainted with the nation by the language, and with the language by the nation. In short, it is not, like many works of this kind, a compilation without choice and without judgment; but the result of great and accurate reading, and supported throughout by ancient authority.

It is the advice of a critic to a dramatic author, to figure to himself an audience whom he is going to address, to watch, in imagination, their least motions, to consider  
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how every part of his piece is likely to affect them. It should likewise be the case of young scholars to form, not a vague and superficial, but a just and complete idea of the ancients, with whom a man of letters may be said to pass his life. Let them make themselves acquainted with their cities, their plains, their mountains, and their rivers; let them admire their temples and their other edifices; let them contemplate their religious ceremonies; let them be present at their games, their shows, and their feasts; let them remark their flowing and venerable garments; but above all, let them study and develop their national manners and character, which distinguish different countries yet more than customs. When we hear an extraordinary person talked of, we immediately form to ourselves an idea of his person and aspect, by the activity and strength of fancy; but before we peruse the records of an interesting and celebrated people, we should acquire a knowledge

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ledge of their leading characteristics, on the more solid principles of accurate information.

To facilitate this knowledge was the intention of Lambert Bos in writing his *Antiquities of Greece*; and the execution of his work is as masterly as its design was useful. The notes of Frederick Leisner are, indeed, an improvement to this work. They confirm its contents by quoting the writers that warrant them. We must observe, in honour to the Author and the Commentator, that the latter hath produced authorities for whatever is asserted, and, consequently, that the former hath never trusted to conjecture. To this translation I have annexed those authorities with the exactest fidelity, as they open a large field of investigation to those who take pleasure in the study of antiquity.

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THIS work, I flatter myself, will be as favourably received in England as it has been in Germany, where many editions of it have been printed. It will be more useful to young scholars than Potter's Antiquities of Greece : it is more concise, and therefore its information is more easily committed to memory : its plan is more simple and clear ; it leads us through a plain and direct path to a prospect of antiquity. The work of the learned prelate should only be perused by those who are well versed in Greek literature.

BUT this book may be of use to those who have long passed the threshold of learning, and have penetrated its recesses. The memory of polite scholars, of men of imagination, is most tenacious of warm and animated ideas ; they are apt to forget these jejune and local circumstances, which, however, explain and illustrate substantial and sublime knowledge. To such let me recom-

commend this author, who will briefly, yet satisfactorily, remind them of any material particular of Greek antiquities which may have escaped them; and by consulting him, they will save themselves the trouble of having recourse to a folio of formidable erudition. The *Hellus Librorum*, the leaden reservoir of learning, if he should chance to lose a drop of his stagnated collection, I refer to the voluminous lucubrations of Gronovius.

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A N T I Q U I T I E S  
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P A R T I .

Of the RELIGION of the GREEKS.

**T**HIS description of the ancient manners, and institutions, public, and private, sacred, civil, military, and domestic, of Greece in general, and of Athens in particular, shall begin with the sacred customs. But first it will be proper to give a short, topographical description of Greece.

A Topographical Description of GREECE,  
ATTICA, and ATHENS.

I. Ancient (1) European Greece is bound-  
ed on the (2) west by Epirus; on the north  
by Macedonia, and part of the Egean sea;  
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But it is more probable that it owes its name to Pallas, whom the Greeks call *Αθηνη*, though we must not attribute this denomination to the fabulous dispute betwixt (23) Neptune and Pallas ; but to (24) Amphictyon's dedication of the city to the patronage of Minerva, *Αθηνης*, which is the name of that goddess, and seems to be derived from the (25) Egyptian tongue.

IX. The pre-eminent title of *Ασυ* was likewise given to Athens. Hence we often find, not only in the Greek, but also in the Latin writers, *Ασυ* (26) instead of Athens.

#### NOTES to CHAP. I.

(1) Ancient Greece in Europe extended to the Egean sea, *εντος αιγαίου*; and in Asia, beyond that sea; *πέραν αιγαίου*. Paus. Eliac. European Greece was subdivided into Greece on this side of the Ionian sea; and into Greece beyond that sea; *εντος Ιωνίου*, and *πέραν Ιωνίου*. European Greece was called *Great Greece*, *μεγαλη Έλλας*. Athen. xii. 5. p. 523. Strabo, vi. Plin. iii. 5, and 19. Book xxxi. 7. Ovid. Fast. iv. 64. Cic. de Orat.

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ii. 37. The name of Great Greece is taken in another sense in Ovid, *Heroid.* xvi. 340. This Great Greece is the Citerior Greece. Book vii. 26, the *Grecia subciviva* of Apuleius. *Apol.* p. 294. *Porph. Vit. Pythag.* p. 26. But none has better ascertained Old Greece, and more clearly marked its limits than Mazochius, *Comment. in Æneas Tabulas Heracleenses.* Neapol. 1754, p. 1. *Diatrib. I. c.* 1—9.

(2) The learned differ with regard to the limits of Ancient Greece: V. *Palmerius. Græc. Antiq. C. I. Dionys. Perieg. v.* 398. *Strabo. Lib. VIII. Mela. II. 3.*

(3) The signification of the word *Ἑλλάς* is sometimes more confined, sometimes more extensive. 1° This name was given to a single city of Phthiotis, built by Hellenes, the son of Deucalion. Homer mentions that city, *Il. B.* 190. 2° The same name was given to a part of Thessaly called Phthia. 3° To all Thessaly. 4° To all Greece; except sometimes Peloponnesus, sometimes Macedonia, sometimes Epirus, and even Thessaly. 5° It was given to Greece situated on this side of the Egean sea, taken in all its extent, and without excepting any of the countries which we have just mentioned. 6° Finally to all the countries inhabited by the Greeks, whether situated in Europe or in Asia.—This is proved by *Palmer. Græc. Antiq. I. 3.*

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(5) This

(5) This denomination of Γραικοί is found Marm. Oxon. n. 10, 11. Aristot. Meteor. I. 14. Lycóphr. v. 532. 891. 1195. 1338. The same author calls them, v. 605, Γραικίτας. If the reader is curious to know why the Romans preferred the old word, Γραικοί, to the latter one, Έλληνες, he may consult Palmér. Græc. Antiq. I. 2. Plin. iv. 7. and Hardouin, Sect. 40. p. 234.

(6) We know not exactly who Graicus was. Eusebius, Chron. I. de Argiv. Reg. n. 35. makes him the father of Thesálus; and Stephens, at the word Γραικος, makes him his son. It is equally doubted whether the Greeks owe their name to that Γραικος, their king, or whether they took it from another source. Hiller derives the word from Γραια, Terra. Hesych. Γραια πόλις, γη ἢ καὶ Δημητηρ. According, then, to this etymology, *Greeks* signifies *Sons of the Earth*, γηγενίς, Terrigenæ. Kircher and Hornius derive this word from the name of a patriarch, whom St. Luke, iii. 35, calls Ragau. Caspar Abel, Hist. Monarch. p. 483. makes it come from Γραια, anus, an old woman. According to his etymology, it is a name of reproach which the other nations applied to the Greeks. He strengthens this conjecture by the words *Græculus*, and *Græcari*, which the Romans used to express the levity of the Greeks. However, the same Abel prefers to this etymology that which derives the word

word *γραικος*, from the Celtic *Rigas*, to which, he supposes, the letter *G* was prefixed, to soften the pronunciation; as the word *Rhœti* has been changed into that of *Grisons*. He supports this conjecture by the testimony of *Hesychius*, who says, that the Greeks were formerly called *Γραικοί*.

(7) Consult on Attica and its limits, *Strabo*, L. IX. *Init.* *Plin.* IV. 7. *Strabo* is of opinion, that *Megaris* once made a part of Attica. See too *Pausan.* and *Reimann.* *Ilias post Homerum*, p. 357. for the derivation of Attica, which was likewise called *Actæa*, *Acte*, *Atthis*. This is explained by *Stevens* at the word *Ἀττιν*, and by *Caspar Abel*, l. c. p. 606. It is supposed, that Attica, or Athide, took its name from *Atthis*, the daughter of *Cranæus*. See *Eustath.* ad *Dionys. Perieg.* p. 322. *Strabo*, IX. p. 273. Consult likewise on the different denominations of Attica, *Eustathius* ad *Dionys. Perieg.* p. 222. et seq. *Strab.* IX. p. 273.

(8) This inscription is found in *Strabo*, IX. The same geographer asserts, that Attica was anciently called *Ionia*. These are his words: Ἡ Ἀττικὴ τῷ παλαιῷ Ἰωνία καὶ Ἰας ἐκαλεῖτο: "Attica was anciently called *Ionia* and *Ias*." The same is affirmed by *Stephens*, at the word Ἰωνία, and by *Hesychius* at the word Ἰωνίς. Hence *Homer* calls the Athenians, not only *Κούροι Ἀθηναίων*, and

Δημος Ερεχθίδης, but likewise Ιωνες. ΙΑ. Ν. v. 480.

(9) The Greeks themselves derive the name of Ionia from Ion, the son of Xuthus. Vid. Herodot. VII. p. 470. Strab. VII. p. 164. XII. 273. This Ion, was, according to others, the son of Apollo and Creusa. Vid. Apollodor. I, 7. § 2. Pausan. Attic. I. 29. p. 68.

(10) The Hebrew word, Javan, if we omit the points, should, perhaps, be pronounced *Ion*.

(11) Greece is not only called Javan in the Scripture, but the modern Jews call the Greek tongue Javanit. Besides, in the name of Elisha we have that of Elis, which was the name of the oldest kingdom of Peloponnesus. V. Joseph. Antiq. I. 7. Bochart. in Phaleg. III. 3. and Casp. Abel, l. c. p. 486.

(12) Consult on the cities, mountains, and rivers of Attica, Plin. IV. 7. Strab. IX. Scylax. p. 47.

(13) Next to Athens, Eleusis, or Eleusin, was the most famous city. The etymology of this word is uncertain. Pausan. Attic. c. 38. and Harpocrat. think the name comes from Eleusinius, the son of Mercury. Others derive it from the Greek verb, ελεῖν, venire, δια τῆς τῆς Δημητῆρος ελευσιν, on account of the coming of Ceres,

(14) The

(14) The sacrifices of Ceres, called *Eleusinian*, of which we shall speak afterwards, in treating of the feasts of the Greeks.

(15) See, on the circuit of Athens, Dion. Chrysoft. Or. VI. p. 87. Aristides Panathen and Wesseling. Ad vetera Rom. Itinera. p. 326. and Xenoph. Memorab. Socr. III. 6. § 14.

(16) Consult, on the beauty of Athens, Pausan. Att. and Meursius. The beauty of that city produced these verses of Lysippus in Diocæarch.

Εἰ μὴ τιθεασαὶ τὰς Ἀθῆνας, γέλεγος εἶ,

Εἰ δὲ τιθεασαὶ, μὴ τιθῆρευσαι δ' οὐος,

Εἰ δ' εὐαρεσῶν, ἀποτρεχέεις, καθήλιος.

Si nunquam Athenas vidisti, Stipes es ;

Si vidisti, nec captus es, Afinus ;

Si captus abis, Cantherius.

(17) Pericles, in Thucydides, II. 41. calls Athens Παισεισιον Ἑλλάδος, the Academy of Greece. Diod. Sic. XIII. 27, call it, Κοινον παιδευτηριον παντων ἀνθρώπων, the School of Mankind. Eschines contr. Ctesiph. p. 293. gives it the title of Κοινον καταφυγη των Ἑλλήνων, the common refuge of the Greeks. In Ælian. Var. Hist. IV. 6. the Pythian priestess calls it, the common asylum of Greece, την κοινην Ἐσταν της Ἑλλάδος, because there exiles were most easily admitted. Vid. Pind. Nem. Od. IV. 29. Aristoph. Νεφ. 298. Isocrat. Panegy. Jul.

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Jul. Epist. ad S. P. Q. Atheniensem. Cicer. pro Flacco, c. 26. and de Orat. I. 4. Lucret. Lib. VI. v. 1. Stat. Theb. XII. 500. Nepos Attico, c. 3. Mela II. 3, 56. Flor. III. 5. § 8. Meursii Athenæ Atticæ. Muret. V. Lib. IV. 1.

(18) Propertius, I. 6, 13. III. 20, 1. and Rhemnius Fannius Palæm. de Ponderibus, v. 17, and 39, give Athens the title of *Learned, Doctæ*. Martial, VI. 64, v. 17. and Cicero de Orat. III. 11. give it that of *Tenuis, acute, or witty*.

(19) Plin. VII. 56. Anonym. περι αριστων, c. 1.

(20) Cecrops gave his name to the city; Plin. vii. 56.—to the country, Apollodor. III. 13; to the tribe; Stephens at the word *Κεκροπια*.

(21) Justin, II. 6. Isidor. Orig. XV. 1. This opinion is combated by Hyginus, Frab. 164. who insists that Minerva gave the city her name. And by Plutarch, in Theseo, who attributes that honour to Theseus. Meursius infers, from a passage of Marcian, de Fortunâ Atheniens. that the city was named Athens in the reign of Erectheus; an opinion which throws light on a passage of Euripides. Herc. Fur. 1166, where Athens is called *Ερεχθιδων πολιν*. I know not on what grounds Potter says that it was called Athens in the reign of Eriethonius, unless he has confounded the name of Erectheus with that of

of Eriichthonius. For the other names of Athens; see Strabo IX. p. 273.

(22) Some derive this name from a Hebrew word, which signifies *to learn*. Others, with Hiller, from a Hebrew word, signifying *to arrive*. And according to this etymology, the import of Athens is, The City of Strangers, or of the Newly Arrived. Casp. Abel, Hist. Monarch. p. 607, makes this denomination come from a Hebrew word, which signifies *robust, strong*; and he grounds his conjectures on specious reasons. Others derive it from Atthis, daughter of Cranaus. Strabo IX. p. 273. Pausan. Attic. I. 2. Lastly, according to Plato, Ἀθῆναι is synonymous with Θεογονία, Divine Mind. Another opinion is to be met with in Lackemach, p. 42.

(23) The reader may consult, on this dispute betwixt Minerva and Neptune, Apollodor. III. 13. Ovid. Met. VI. 70. Serv. ad Virg. I. Georg. 13. and others cited by Meurs. de Regno Athen. l. 10. and Burman. ad Ovid. l. c. and de Jove Fulguratore, c. viii. p. 281.

(24) That Amphictyon consecrated the city of Athens to Minerva we have no room to doubt, by reason of the following authorities, Justin II. 6. Isidor. Orig. XV. 1. On this account the poets call it the city of Pallas. Παλλάδος



δος Πολις. Eschil. Pers. 347. Virgineæ Cecropis Arces. Val. Flaccus, V. 647. Armigeræ Tritonidis Arces. Petron. c. 5. Notwithstanding these authorities, we cannot assert that Athens took its name from that of Minerva. The author, who, from Abel, l. c. cites ten names of Athens, was not, probably, of our author's opinion.

(25) Phurnutus, c. 20. says, το ὄνομα της Αθηνας συσειμολογηθον δια την αρχαιοτητα.—It is difficult to ascertain the etymology of the word Athens, on account of its antiquity; yet he himself gives some etymologies. V. Heraclid. Allegor. Homer. p. 435. Capellus derives the word Athens from a Hebrew word, which signifies Mistress. Julian Aurelius, de Cognom. Deorum Gentil. cites some etymologies, most of which are false. We meet with a truer one in the ingenious book of M. Pluche, entitled, L'Histoire du Ciel. He derives the name of Athens from the Hebrew word *Atona*, which signifies Egyptian thread, or linen.

(26) Stephens, at the word Αλεξανδρια, expresses himself in the following terms.—Ελεγυτο (Alexandria) κατ' εχοχην, πολις, ως αθη, και Αθηναι, και Αγει και Αγεικοι οι Αθηναιοι, ως και επι Ρωμης λεγεται ουρη.—It was eminently called the city, as Athens was called the city, and the Athenians, the citizens: and as Rome was likewise called the

the city, *Urbs*. Hence, as Homer likewise calls Troy simply the city, Πολις, we find there were four ancient cities which were eminently called the *city*; viz. Troy, Athens, Alexandria in Egypt, and Rome. But when the word *Ara* was applied to Athens, it comprehended not the Piræus. Nep. IX. 4. The reader may consult Bourdelot, ad Petron. on the difference betwixt the words, Attici and Athenienses.

CHAP.

## C H A P. II.

## Of the DEITIES of GREECE.

I. **T**HE Greeks, without doubt, received their religion partly from the (1) Egyptians, partly from the (2) Thracians, to whom they were indebted for the name of religion, *Θρησκεία*; and partly from the colonies of different (3) nations which settled amongst them.

II. The first Greeks, and many other nations, paid divine worship to the sky, to the sun, to the moon, to the stars, and to the (4) earth. And as they saw that continual motion was a property of these bodies, they termed them *Θεοὺς*, from the verb (5) *τρέειν*, to run: though the word, perhaps, may be derived from another (6) root.

III. They afterwards adopted into their language the names of the (7) Egyptian gods. The worship of the gods of other (8) nations was established in process of time.

time. I shall mention the principal deities of the Greeks; to give a detail of the names of them all would be tedious.

IV. The classes of their gods corresponded with the different parts of the creation. They had their celestial, their terrestrial, and their infernal deities. Their celestial deities were stiled, *Επουρανιοι, Ολυμπιοι*, (9) *Αθανατοι*;—Celestial, Olympian, Immortal. Their deities of the infernal regions were termed, *Χθονιοι, Υποχθονιοι*, (10) *Καταχθονιοι*,—Subterranean gods. Their gods of the earth, *Επιχθονιοι* (11) *Ἡρωες*,—Terrestrial-Heroes. The first and most solemn worship was devoted to the celestial gods; the second, or inferior worship, to the terrestrial deities; and the third, or lowest, to those of the infernal regions.

V. Of these deities, (12) twelve were the most honoured; they were called “The great Gods.”—(13) *Μεγαλοι Θεοι*. They had the following (14) names.

ZEUS

Zeus, Jupiter.	Ἥρα, Juno.
Ποσειδῶν, Neptune.	Αρης, Mars.
Απολλων, Apollo.	Ἑρμης, Mercury.
Παλλας, Minerva.	Αρτεμις, Diana.
Δημητηρ, Ceres.	Αφροδιτη, Venus.
Ηφαισος, Vulcan.	Ἐστια, Vesta.

VI. The Athenians had the greatest veneration for these gods, the figures of whom were painted in the portico of the (15) Ceramicus. They had likewise erected to their honour an altar, which they called, “The altar of the twelve Gods.”—

(16) Βωμὸς τῶν δωδεκα θεῶν.

VII. They gave them (17) different epithets in consequence of the different functions which they assigned them. They who would read the Greek authors, especially the poets, should be acquainted with those epithets.

VIII. The (18) sky was the department of Jupiter. Hence he was deemed the God of (19) Tempests. The following titles were given him.—Ομβριῶν, (20) Υετιῶν, Αξερόπητης, Δεραπαιῶν, (21) Καταιβρατης, (22) Βρονταιῶν.—Pluvius, Pluviosus, Fulgu-

Fulgurator, Fulgurum Effector, Descensor, Tonans.—Other epithets were given him relative to the wants of men, for which he was thought to (23) provide. (24) *Ξεινός*, (25) *Ἐφεσίος*, (26) *Ἐταιρειος*, (27) *Φιλίος*, (28) *Ὀρκίος*, (29) *Ἰκεσίος*, (30) *Ὀμογνίος*, (31) *Βασιλευς*, (32) *Σκηπτουχος*.—Hospitalis, Fœdo Præfidens, Sodalitatis Patronus, Amicitiaæ Præses, Juris-jurandi Testis, Supplicum Præses, Gentilitius, Rex, Sceptifer.

IX. Apollo, from the benefits for which mankind were indebted to him, and from the arts and sciences, of which the (34) invention was attributed to him, was called, (35) *Ἀποτροπαιος*, (36) *Ἀλεξικακος*, (37) *Ἀγυιεύς*, *Ἀγυιατής*, (38) *Λοξίας*, (39) *Πυθίος*, (40) *Παιαν*, (41) *Εὐλύρας*, (42) *Ἐκατηχολος*, *Ἐκαεργος*, (43) *Τοξοφορος*.

X. Neptune had the names of (44) *Ἀλυκος*, (45) *Ἀλιμεδων*, (46) *Ποντίος*, (47) *Ἴππιος*.

XI. Mars those of (48) *Βαθυπολεμῶς*, (49) *Χαλκεῶς*.

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XII. Mercury was called, (50) Ἐναγωνιῶν, (51) Στροφαίων, (52) Ἐμπολαίων, (53) Ἐριουνίων, (54) Δολίων, (55) Ἡγεμονίων.

XIII. Vulcan—(56) Κλυτοτεχνῆς, (57) Κλυτοεργῶν, (58) Πανδαματωρ.

XIV. Juno was called, (59) Τελεία.

XV. Minerva—(60) Ἐργάνη, (61) Εὐρεσιτεχνῶν, (62) Πολυβουλῶν, (63) Πολυμητις, (64) Δαιφρων, (65) Τριτογενεῖα, (66) Χρυσολογῶν, (67) Γλαυκωπίς, (68) Πολίτις, (69) Πολίας, (70) Πολίουχῶν, (71) Κληδούχῶν, (72) Ἐρυθροπόλις.

XVI. The following epithets were applied to Diana—(73) Εἰλειθυῖα, (74) Λοχεῖα, (75) Ἀγροτέρα, (76) Κυνηγετις, (77) Θηρητέρα, (78) Ἰοχεαῖρα, (79) Τοξοφορῶν.

XVII. Ceres was called, (80) Κουροτροφῶν.

XVIII. Venus, (81) Οὐρανία, (82) Ἐταιρα, (83) Ἡ ἐν κήποις, (84) Πανδημῶν, (85) Γε.ετυλλίς.

XIX. Vesta, Πατρῶνα, "The tutelary Goddess of the country," i. e. of Greece. See Sophocles's *Electra*, 887.

XX. Besides these Divinities, there were others, who were supposed to be of a later (86) existence, and of an inferior class. Several men too, illustrious for their exploits, or their virtue, they had ranked with the (87) Gods. These they termed *Heroes*; the former, *Dæmons*, *Δαίμονες*.

XXI. The Dæmons were looked upon as ministers of the (88) Gods in the government of human affairs; as interpreters, and mediators for (89) mankind with the Supreme Being.

XXII. The Athenians likewise adopted foreign (90) deities, and raised (91) altars to them. But their worship was not permitted without a public (92) decree. It could not be introduced by (93) individuals.

They even adored unknown Gods, (94) *Ignotos Deos*; and erected altars to them, which they called, (95) *Βυβαι ἀνωνυμοί*, *The anonymous altars*.



## NOTES to CHAP. II.

(1) Herodot. II. p. 102. 123. Diod. Sic. I. p. 25. 62. 86. and others cited by Spenser, de Leg. Hebr. Ritual. II. Diff. I. Sect. 2. p. 650. This conjecture is the more probable, because Cecrops and Danaüs, the founders of Athens and Argi, were Egyptians. See, on Cecrops, Schol. Aristoph. ad Pl. 773. Tzetz. ad Lycoph. v. 111. Th Gale, ad Apollod. III. 13. p. 85. and on Danaüs, Apollod. II. 1. 4. Plutarch is of a different opinion from Herodotus on this subject. L. de Malignitate Herodoti, p. 857.

(2) Eurip. Rhel. v. 943. Aristoph. Ran. 1064. Plut. Alexand. p. 665. Suidas, at the word, *Θρηνησις*. Greg. Nazian. Orat. III. p. 100.

(3) The Pelasgians, Herodot. II. p. 123. and the Phenicians, Herodot. v. p. 351.

(4) Socrates in Plat. Cratyl. Plutar. de Plac. Philosoph. 1. 6.

(5) Plat. and Plutar. 1. c. Phurnutus, Macrob. Saturn. I. 22.

(6) It may be derived, 1° from the word *Ζευς*, which in the Æolic dialect is *Δευς*. Phurnut. c. 2. 2° From the word *Δεος*, Fear. 3° From the word *Αιθειν*, to burn. 4° From *Θεῶσθαι*, to see. 5° From *Θεωειω*, to view. 6° From *Τιθημι*, to place. 7° From *Θῶ*, which has the same signification

ation with Ποσειδω, to do. Suicer. Thesaur. Eccles. at the word Θεος.

(7) Herodot. II. p. 123.

(8) The Dioscuri, for instance, Castor and Pollux. these deities were introduced by the Pelasgians. Neptune was introduced by the Libyans, Herodot. I. c. The Greeks added to their deities those of the nations with whom they carried on commerce, provided they were approved by the court of Areopagus. This we may conclude from Harpocrates, from Suidas, and particularly, from Justin Martyr, Exhort. ad Gentil. p. 20. This custom explains what we read in the Acts of the Apostles, xvii. 19. This custom is likewise proved by the Feast of Strange Gods, Θεοξενίων, of which Casaubon speaks, ad Athenæum, ix. 3, p. 405. Finally, that they might not omit the adoration of any deities, they even worshipped the unknown Gods. Pausan. Eliac. I. 14. Lucian, Philopatr. Act. xvii. 23. Consult on the *Idolomania* of the Athenians, Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 304, who throws considerable light on the xvii<sup>th</sup> chapter of the Acts, ver. 16. 22,

(9) They are likewise called by the poets Ουρανιδαι, and Ουρανιωνες. Aristoph. Schol. ad Nub. v. 246. Some authors make a distinction betwixt the Gods called Ουρανιωνες, and those called Ολυμπιοι. They give the former title to the

old Gods under Saturn; and the latter to the later ones under Jupiter. V. Diodor. Sic. IV. p. 223. Ælian. V. H. V. 12,

(10) They likewise called them *Ἐπιχθίνιοι*; and in this class were comprehended the Gods of the sea; *Θαλασσινοί*.

(11) They likewise gave them the epithets of *Υποταρταριοί*, *Στυγιοί*. Consult, on this division, the Golden Verses of Pythagoras, where we also learn to whom of the Gods the principal homage was paid. See likewise Porphyr. de Antro Nymph. p. 233, l. 42. and the Preface of Salmasius ad Tabulam Cebetis. The learned make use of this division to clear up some passages of Scripture. Exod. xx. 4. Phil. ii. 10.

(12) Consult, on this number of the twelve Gods, G. d'Arnaud, de Diis *Παριδροίς*. Philip ranked himself with these Gods: Diod. Sic. xvi. whence he had the surname of the Thirteenth God; *Τρισκαιδεκάτος Θεός*. Stob. Serm. 147. Demades was for joining to this class, Alexander the Great. Ælian. V. H. V. 12. It appears, however, that these twelve were the only Gods who were styled *Ολυμπιοί*. *Κυρη.* ad Ælian. V. H. V. 12. Yet Bacchus and Hercules had also this title, according to the authority of Diod. Sic. IV. p. 223.

(13) I question whether the title of *Μεγαλοί Θεοί* was given them by any of the Greeks, except

cept an unknown poet, from whom we have the following verses :

Δωδεκα εἰσι Θεοὶ μεγάλοι, Ζεὺς, Ἥρα, Ποσειδῶν,  
 Διμπτῆρ, Ἑρμῆς, Ἐστία, Κυλλοπόδης,  
 Φοῖβος, πύαλιος τ' Ἄρης, Πάλλας, τ' Ἀφροδίτη,  
 Ἀρτεμις, εἰσι Θεοὶ δωδεκα οἱ μεγάλοι.

Duodecim sunt Dei magni; Jupiter, Juno,  
 Neptunus,  
 Ceres, Mercurius, Vesta, Vulcanus;  
 Phœbus, bellicosusque Mars, Pallas, et  
 Venus,  
 Diana; sunt Dii duodecim magni.

See Kuhn ad Pausan. Messen. c. 1, p. 281. The Greeks called them simply the twelve Gods; *τους δωδεκα Θεους*. See Aristoph. Av. 95. Diod. Sic. xvi. p. 482. Apollod. III. 13. § 1. Ælian. V. H. viii. 12. Pausan. Attic. c. 40. p. 96. Pindar, Ol. Od. x. calls them *Δωδεκα ανακτες*, the twelve kings. The title of Great Gods was likewise given to other deities who were not of the number of these twelve. To Castor and Pollux, for example; Paus. Arcad. c. 21. To Proserpine; Paus. Arcad. c. 31. See d'Arnaud, de Diis *Παρθενῶν*. c. 22. Elſnerum ad Act. xix. 27. Ovid, vi. Met. v. 27. calls them *bis sex Cœlestes*. Plautus alludes to this number of twelve Gods, Epidic. v. 1. Sueton. Aug. c. 70.

The Latin authors also ofteſ mention the Great Gods.

(14) We meet with theſe names of the twelve Gods in the Schol. of Apollon. of Rhod. L. II. p. 158. They are contained in the two Greek diſtichs cited above, which we find in Feithius, (Antiq. Homer. I. 1. § 4.) who attributes them to an old poet. Ennius has translated them into two Latin hexameters, which are to be found in Apul. de Deo Socratis, and Martian. Capellam. p. 15.

(15) Pausan. Attic. c. 3. The ſame author informs us, that there was a temple at Megara, in which were the ſtatues of the twelve Gods.

(16) Thucyd. VI. 54.

(17) The reader may conſult, on this multitude of epithets, (Πολυσημια) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Dian. v. 7. p. 119. Ariſtot. de Mundo, c. 7. and Lucian. Timon.

(18) Homer Il. O. 192. Callim. H. in Jov. v. 59.

(19) Athenæus XV. 5. Phurnut. c. 9.

(20) Jupiter, ομβριος, υετιος, υων, ιεμαιος. In Latin, pluvius, pluens, humidus. See Lycophr. v. 160. Apollon. Rhod. II. v. 524. The reader will find more particulars in Broukhuf. ad Tibull. I. 8. v. 26. and in Burmann. de Jov. Fulgurat. c. v. p. 264.

(21) Αεροπητης. Heſiod. ©. 390. Αεραπαιος. Ariſt.

Arist. de Mundo, c. 7. Καταβατης. Aristoph. Eup. v. 42. i. e. Jupiter Fulgurator. See Burman. de Jov. Fulguratore.

(22) Jupiter Βρονταιος Arist. de Mundo, c. 7. Επιγδουπος. Jupiter tonans. Hesiod. Θ. 41.

(23) Aristot. de Mundo, c. 7. Phurnutus, c. 2. Senec. Rat. Quæst. II. 45.

(24) Ξειος. Aristot. de Mundo, c. 7. Jupiter hospitalis, hospitable Jupiter. Qui jura dat hospitibus. Virg. Æneid. I. 735.

(25) Επισιος, or, Επισιος, who presides over domestic society.—Foci præses. Herodot. I. p. 18.

(26) Εταιριος Sodalitius, Sodalitii præses. Ὁ Εφορος της εν τη εταιρια Κοινωνιας, inspector communitatis in sodalitate, as Eustathius explains it. Od. X. p. 790, l. 18. Athen. XIII. 4.

(27) Φιλιος, Amicitiaæ Præses. Lucian. Timon. Aristoph. de Mundo, c. 7.

(28) Ορκιος, Jurisjurandi Arbitrator. Pausan. I. Eliac. c. 44. pag. 441. Lucian. Timon.

(29) Ικεσιος, Ικετησιος, supplicum propugnator. Homer. Odyss. N. 212. I have taken a part of these notes from a dissertation, entitled, Ζeus Ικετησιος. Lips. 1738.

(30) Ὅμογονιος, Gentilitius. This title is given to Jupiter—Δια την του γενους Κοινωνιαν Θεοις τε και Ανθρωποις, “on account of the common origin  
“ of

“ of Gods and men.” From the relationship by which Gods and men are connected, Dion. Chryf. Orat. I. p. 8. Aristoph. *Bote.* v, 762. Aristot. *de Mundo*, c. 7.

(31) *Βασιλευς*. Aristoph. *Nub.* I. Xenoph. *Αναξ*, vi. 1. The reason why Jupiter is so called is to be found in the Schol. of Aristoph. l. c. and in Dion. Chryf. Orat. I. In the same sense, he is called *Αναξ*, sovereign. Sometimes he is called, *Αναξ βασιλευς*, the sovereign king. And sometimes, *Αναξ Ανειπτων*, the sovereign of sovereigns. V. Spanheim, ad Callimach. H. in *Jov.* v. 2. and *Zeus Τυραντος*. Aristoph. *Nub.* 564.

(32) *Σκεπτουχος*, the sceptre-bearer. See *Beger. Thesaur. Brandenburg.* T. I. p. 80.

(33) Those pretended benefits are enumerated by Diodorus Sicculus. l. v. p. 341.

(34) See Schol. *Hom.* *Il. A.* v. 603.

Τισσαρες τεχνηαι ανατιθενται τω Απολλωνι,  
Μουσικη, Τοξικη, Ιατρικη, Μαντικη.

Quatuor artes attribuuntur Apollini,  
Musica, ars sagittandi, medicina, divinatio,

(35) *Αποτροπαιος*, averruncus, malorum depulfor. The God who averts evils. Aristoph. *Plut.* 359. This epithet has likewise been applied to other Gods. *Raufan. Corinth.* c. xi.

(36) *Αλεξικακος* has the same signification. *Macrobian. Saturn.* l. 17.

(37)

(37) *Αγυριος, Αγυριας*, who presides over roads. Aristoph. *Vesp.* 870. Horat. *IV. Od. VI.* v. 28. Macrobian, *Sat. I.* 9. gives a reason for this denomination.

(38) *Λεξιας*, obliquus, sinuosus, oblique, meandrosus. Aristoph. *Plut.* 8. The Scholiast assigns two reasons for this epithet. A third may be found in the Scholiast of Callimachus, in *Dian.* v. 204. V. Tzetz. ad *Lycophr.* v. 1467. *Phurnut. c.* 32. Macrobian, *Sat. I.* 17.

39. Pythian and Delphian are, perhaps, of the same import. For Python and Delphi were names of the same city. Pausan. *Phocic. c.* 6. See Aristoph. *Vesp.* 865. *Phurnut. c.* 32. Macrobian, *Sat. I.* 17.

(40) *Παιων* and *Παιων*, Æschyl. *Agamemnon.* 153. Aristoph. *Vesp.* 496. We find the reason for this title in Callimachus. *H. in Apollin.* v. 97. and in Macrobian, *l. c.* He has the same epithet in the Latin writers. Cic. *Verr. iv.* 57. Gratius, *Cyneg.* 426.

(41) *Ευλυρας*—The masterly player on the harp. Aristoph. *Θισμοφ.* 9; 8.

(42) *Εκατηβολος, Εκπηβολος, Εκαστρογος, Εκατηβλητας*, who throws his darts far; i. e. his rays, Hom. *Il. A.* 370, 474. *Phurnut. c.* 32. Herodotus. *Alleg. Hom. p.* 417. Macrobian, *l.* 17.

(43) *Τοξοφορος*, or *Τοξιας*, in Hesychius. The bow-bearer. *Τοξ' υμοισιν ιχθω.* Hom. *Il. A.* v. 45. *Τοξα, Ηελι, Ξηλα*, are the rays of the sun.

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This epithet, therefore, differs not from the preceding one. Ἡ τοξοφορος is the same with *Diana* in Aristoph. *Θισμοφ.* 979.

(44) Ἀλυκος, Θαλασσιος, marinus. Aristoph. *Lyfist.* 404. He is likewise styled, Πιλαγασιος. Pausan. *Achaic.* XXI.

(45) Ἀλιμεδων, mari imperans, ruling the sea, Aristoph. *Θισμοφ.* v. 330.

(46) Πορτιος, marinus. Aristoph. *L. C.*

(47) Ἴππιος, Equestris, Aristoph. *Nub* 83. He was also called, Ἴππιος; Euripid. *Phœniss.* 1701. Ἴππηγετης, Lycoph. 767. See, for the causes of this title, Barnes ad Euripid. *Rhes.* 187. Spanheim. ad Aristoph. *Nub.* 83. Pausan. *Achaic.* 21.

(48) i. e. Exceeding warlike. Valde bellicosus, Pindar. *Pith. Od.* II. v. 2.

(49) i. e. Brazen. He was likewise called Καλοχιτων, wearing a brazen coat of mail.

(50) Certaminum præses, the president of combats. Aristoph. *Plut.* 1162, and Spanheim.

(51) Januaram custodiæ præfectus—The guardian of doors.—Aristoph. *Plut.* 1162. The etymology of the word Στροφασιος, is, Στροφευς, the hinge of a door. Or Στροφασιος may be rendered, versutus, astutus; artful—one of the characteristics of Mercury.

(52) Negotiator. He is also styled, Εμποριων Επιτατης, the God who presides over commerce. Aristoph. *Plut.* 1136. *Phurn.* c. 16.

(53)

(53) Valdè utilis—of great service to mortals. Hom. *Il.*  $\Omega$ . 360. Aristoph. *Ran.* 1175.

(54) Versutus—artful. Aristoph. *Plut.* 1158. Callidus quidquid placuit jocosò condere furto. Hor. *I.* *Od.* 12.

(55) It had the same signification with *Ὀδηγός*, *Ἐσθδιός*. Dux viæ et index. The God who shows travellers their way, and conducts them. Aristoph. *Plut.* 1160.

(56) Inclytus artifex—The great artist. Homer. *Il.* *A.* 571.

(57) The famous worker. Hom. *Il.*  $\Theta$ . 345.

(58) The all-subduer. In Lucian, this epithet is given to the Thunder; in Homer, to Sleep. In *Museus*, v. 200, to Love. In the *Anthol.* l. vii. ep. 29. to Gold. *IV.* 8. to Hercules. *IV.* 472. to Death.

(59) Who presides over marriages. Aristoph. *Θεσμοφ.* 882. She had likewise the epithet *Γαμψλίας*; which is of the same import. V. Spanheim. ad *Callimach. H.* in *Jov.* v. 57. *Diod. Sic.* v. p. 340.

(60) Inventress of many arts. *Ælian.* *V. H.* *I.* 2. *Diod. I.* 5. p. 340. says she was so called, *δια το ιυρειν πολλα των φιλοτεχνων εργα*—Because to her we owe many inventions which exercise the skill of the ingenious.

(61) Inventress of arts. Orph. *H.* xxxi. v. 17.

(62) Fertile in counsel. Hom. *Il.* *E.* v. 260.

(63)

(63) Full of wisdom. Hom. H. in Pallad. H.

v. 2.

(64) Signifies wife, or warlike. See on this double signification, Scherpezeel, ad Hom. Il. B. v. 23. Homer gives this title to other deities.

(65) The third-born. Hesiod. Theogon. v. 924. See Phurnut. c. 20. and Schol. Aristoph. ad Νιφ. 985. Le Clerc, ad Hesiod. Θ. 895.

(66) Armed with a golden lance. Eurip. in Jov. v. 9.

(67) Blue-eyed. Hom. Il. A. v. 206. Gell. II. 26.

(68) Ionic, Πολιτης; Doric, Πολιατις. The patroness of the city. Paus. Arcad. c. 47.

(69) This epithet is of the same signification. Aristoph. Nub. v. 682. V. Spanheim. ad Callimach. H. in Pall. v. 53.

(70) Of the same meaning.

(71) Clavigera. Keys are an emblem of government. Aristoph. Θ. 1153. V. Schwarzii Diss. de Diis Clavigeris.

(72) Protectress of towns. Homer. Hymn. I. in Pallad. v. 1. and H. II. v. 3.

(73) The Goddess that presides over births. Her province, with respect to them, is the same with Juno's. V. Callim. H. in Jov. v. 12. Horat. Poem. Secul. v. 13. Phurnut. c. 13.

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(74) The Goddess of child-bed. Artemid. II. 25. Plut. Sympos. 3. Spanheim. ad Callim. p. 148.

(75) The inhabitant of forests. The huntress. Aristoph. Equ. 657. V. Lennep. ad Coluth. in animadv. p. 132.

(76) This epithet means the same.

(77) This too means the same.

(78) Who delights in archery. Homer, H. in Apol. v. 15. Hesiod. Θ. 14.

(79) Armed with a bow. Aristoph. Θ. 979.

(80) The nurse of boys. Alma. Hesych. *Θνητων Θρεπτικισσα προπαντων*—The nourisher of all mortals. Orph. in Hym. 39. 7. She was the same as the earth. Hence Aristoph. Θ. 307, and Paus. Att. 22, give also this epithet to the earth. There were yet other Divinities who were appointed by Jupiter to give sustenance to mortals. V. Le Clerc, ad Hesiod. Θ. v. 450.

(81) Celestial. Pausan. Phocic. c. 16. Khun. ad h. l. Meurf. ad Lycoph. v. 112.

(82) Mistress. Athen. xiii. 4.

(83) Goddess of gardens. Pausan. Attic. xix.

(84) Public, common, popular. Pausan. Bæot. xvi. and l. vi. 25.

(85) Goddess of generation. Aristoph. Νεφ. v. 52. Lysistr. v. 2. Consult, on the other epithets of Venus, Lennep. ad Coluth. p. 91.

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and on the name, *Αφροδίτη*, Ovid. Met. IV. 538. Pluche, Hist. du Ciel. t. 1: p. 161.

(86) *Δαιμονες* signify intermediate substances betwixt the divine and human nature. Plut. de Orac. Def. pag. 415. Jamblich. de Myst. c. v: p. 8. Such were Pluto, Pan, the Satyrs.

(87) The Heroes were called Demigods. Some of them owed their birth to Gods; others were the sons of mere mortals; and their virtues had raised them to the rank of the Gods, whose worship and honours they shared. The definition of the word *Hero*, is to be found in Lucian, Dialog. Mort. III. p. 267, Edit. Græv. Such were, Bacchus, Hercules, Castor and Pollux, Esculapius, Achilles, Menelaus, Helen. Cleomenes is said to have been the last of these heroes.

(88) Hesiod. Epy. v. 122.

(89) Plato in Sympof. p. 327. Max. Tyr. Diss. 26. 27.

(90) The foreign Deities were called *ἑτεροὶ θεοὶ*. The Athenians worshiped such Gods. See in Hesychius *ἑτεροὶ θεοὶ*. The Eleans had these deities. V. Pausan. Eliac. 15.

(91) Hieronym. Comment. ad Tit. 1.

(92) The public worship of new deities was not permitted without the approbation of the court of the Arcopagus. Isocrates in Arcopagitico, p.

p. 188. Edit. Basl. 1558. Just. Mart. in Πα-  
 ραινεται προς Ἑλλάδας, p. 20. See Harpocr. at the  
 words, Επιθετους, Εορτας.

(93) For that reason the Athenians would not  
 allow St. Paul this innovation. Acts xvii. 18.

(94) The passage of Pausanias, Ellac. l. c. 14.  
 which is commonly cited, proves nothing, be-  
 cause he here refers to the unknown Gods of O-  
 lympia. Vid. Philostrat. in vit. Apollon. VI.  
 3. and Wolf. in Curis Philol. ad Act. xvii. 23.

(95) Diog. Laert. 1. § 110.

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CHAP.

## C H A P. III.

## OF SACRED PLACES.

I. **A**DORATION was paid to these Deities in places consecrated to their worship. Of those places, there were three kinds. The first were called (1) *Τεμενη*—Fields set apart, though this word has a more (2) extensive signification. The second, (3) *Αλση*, sacred groves. The third, (4) *Ναοι*, or *Ἱερα*—Temples, or sacred buildings.

II. The Greeks seem to have taken from the Egyptians the custom of erecting (5) temples.

III. They were built either in the most (6) elevated part of their cities; or without the cities, on (7) mountains; the gate facing the (8) east.

IV. The innermost and most sacred recess of the temple was called, (9) *Αδυτον*, the sanctuary.

V.

V. There were temples dedicated to the worship of (10) one divinity; there were others consecrated to that of (11) many. The Deities, who had one common temple, were styled (12) *Συνναοι*, and (13) *Συμβωμοι*.

VI. The temples took their names from the Deities in honour of whom they were erected. The temple of Diana was called (14) *Αρτεμισιον*, that of Juno (15) *Ἡραιον*, that of Neptune, (16) *Ποσειδωνιον*, that of Ceres, (17) *Θεσμοφοριον*, that of Castor and Pollux, (18) *Ανακτορειον*. The most famous of these temples was that of Diana at (19) Ephesus.

VII. The temples were adorned with statues, and offerings.

VIII. The statues were images, or representations of the (20) Gods; and divine (21) worship was paid them. They were called by the general term, (22) *Αγαλματα*.

IX. The Egyptians transmitted to the Greeks the custom of placing in the temples the (23) images of the Gods.



X. Amongst the ancient Greeks these substitutes of their divinities (24) were not formed by the elegant artist. They were (25) shapeless stones, pieces of wood, posts, logs, and (26) rude pillars.

XI. But in time these representations were more ingeniously wrought. A (27) human form was given them, and they were called (28) Βετη. At first their feet (29) touched each other; afterwards they were (30) separated. They were in different attitudes: some were standing; others lying; and others were (31) seated.

XII. The matter of these statues, in the early times, were (32) wood, or (33) stone; and they were called (34) Ξοανα.

XIII. Afterwards, when (35) luxury had invaded Greece, these statues were made of iron, of brass, of ivory, of silver, and of (36) gold.

XIV. There were *symbolical* statues which were supposed to partake of the (37) divine nature, and which were called (38) Διοπετή. They were kept in the innermost

nermost part of the (39) sanctuary, and were concealed from the sight of all but the (40) priests.

XV. (41) Clothes were put upon some of them; others were adorned before a (42) mirror.

XVI. In imminent dangers they stretched out their arms to them in a suppliant manner, and (43) embraced them.

XVII. If any filth had come upon them, or if they had been touched with impure hands, a solemn ablution of them was performed on appointed (44) days.

XVIII. In the time of a siege, the tutelary Gods of the cities were chained to their stations, lest they should desert to the (45) enemy.

XIX. Some of the statues were taken out of their temples on festivals, and (46) drawn in procession through the principal parts of the city, on cars called (47) *Απηναι*, with a solemn pomp, and great demonstrations of joy.

XX. The (48) temples of the Gods were not only adorned with statues, but likewise with offerings.

XXI. The offerings were presents which they offered, or (49) consecrated to the Gods, and which were (50) hung up in the temples for (51) ornaments. They were termed (52) *Αναθηματα*.

XXII. These offerings were either made from a mere instigation of piety, or from (53) gratitude; after a deliverance from some (54) evil, or after gaining a (55) victory.

XXIII. They were, 1° Crowns; 2° vestments; 3° vases of iron, brass, silver, and gold, of which the principal were the tripods; 4° arms, and the spoils of enemies,

### NOTES to CHAP. III.

(1) This word is derived from *Τεμενω*, to divide, to separate. A definition of it is given by Pausanias, *Eliac.* II. c. 6.

(2) *Τεμενη* are properly places set apart from profane uses, and consecrated to the Gods. The same definition may be applied to the sacred

groves and the temples. See Perizon. ad Ælian. VI. 1.

(3) See, on the sacred woods, Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Dian. v. 38. Eschenbach. Diff. Acad. III. de gentilitium consecratis lucis, p. 133. Feith. Antiq. Hom. I. 3. § 2. and the notes of the new editor, p. 617.

4. Scilicet, Οικηματα, sacred edifices. Naos comes from νασιν, and signifies habitations of the Gods. Thus Homer, H. in Mercur. v. 251. calls them θειων ιερων δομους—the sacred houses of the Gods.

(5) Herodot. II. p. 102.

(6) Homer. Il. X. v. 170. Vitruv. I. 7.—Hence, going to the temple was expressed by the word, Αναβαινειν, to ascend. Ælian. V. H. III. 37.

(7) Pausan. Phocic. c. 35. 37. 39. Arcad. 15. 23. Corinth. 36. Lacon. 25. 34. See Freytag. Diff. de Sacris Gentium in Montibus.

(8) Lucian. de Domo. T. II. p. 454. Clem. Alex. Stromat. VII.

(9) The reader will find a description of it in Pothuc. Onomart. I. 1. 8. Jul. Cæs. de B. C. III. 105. He calls the Adyta, the sanctuary, “The secret and interior part of the temple, which the priests alone had a right to enter.”—Occulta et recondita templi; quò, præter sacerdotes adire fas non est.

(10) Of the former kind was, 1<sup>o</sup> The temple of Minerva, of which Pausanias speaks, Lacon.

17. 2. 2° That of the Delphian and Pythian Apollo, which the same Pausanias mentions, Attic. 19.

(11) Of the latter kind was the temple of Vulcan and Minerva at Athens. Paus. Attic. c. XIV. Augustin. de Civitat. Dei, XVIII. 12. 2° The pantheon, i. e. τὸ κοινὸν τῶν πάντων Θεῶν ἱερόν, the common temple of all the Gods. Paus. Attic. c. v.

(12) Strab. vii. p. 227. Plut. Sympos. IV. 4. They were called in Latin, Contubernales, Cicero. ad Attic. XIII. 28.

(13) Strab. XI. p. 352. D'Arnaud, de Diis Παρθεραῖς, who proves that these words—Ὀμοθεῶν, παρθεραῖς, συνοικητοῖς, ὁμοθεαῖς, ὁμοτοικητοῖς, συνοικητοῖς ἱερῶν, were synonymous.

(14) This word, properly, was made use of to express the statue of Diana. See Harpocrat, at the word, Ἀρτεμις. The temple was called, ὄνομα τῆς Ἐφεσῆας Ἀρτεμιδος—The temple of Ephesian Diana. And—Ἱερόν Ἀρτεμιδος—The temple of Diana. See Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Dian. v. 35.

(15) Herodot. IV. p. 289. IX. p. 607.

(16) Pausan. Phocic. c. 28. p. 807. Ποσειδῆιον, Pausan. Achaic. c. 27. pag. 596.

(17) Aristoph. Θεσμ. v. 285.

(18) Lucian, in his Tim. pag. 79, calls it Ἀναχαιῶν, for Castor and Pollux were called Ἀναχαις. The reason for this name is to be found in Khun. ad Pausan. Phocic. c. 38. Vossius, de Orat. et Progr.

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Progr. Idol. I. 13, calls all sorts of temples, *Ἀνακτορα*. Ælian, V. H. XIII. 27.

(19) Pausan. Messen. c. 31. Interpr. ad Act, XIX. 27. Liv. I. 45. Plin. XVI. 40. Solin, 43. Phil. de Byzan. de Septem Orbis Miraculis, makes this temple of Diana one of the seven wonders. So does the anonymous writer. *Περὶ Ἀκρωτων*, c. 2. whom we find in the Opusc. de Gal. p. 85.

(20) They were termed, *Εἰκασματα Θεων*. Polux. I. 1. 7.

(21) Pausan. Bæot. c. 39. p. 790. 791. Lactantius exclaims against this worship of images. II. 2.

(22) *Ἀγαλματα*, then, signifies resemblances, pictures, statues; as the dictionaries explain the word.

(23) This is proved, 1° By the testimony of Herodotus, who says, the Egyptians were the first nation that exhibited the Gods in their temples, 2° It is proved by this circumstance, that Croesus, who was an Egyptian, was the first that brought this custom into Attica.

(24) Clem. Alex. in Protrept. calls these images *Ξυλον ουκ ειεργασμων*—unwrought wood; afterwards, *Σανδα*, a plank. Arnobius calls them, *Signa inertia*. I. p. 13.

(25) Pausan. Achaic. c. 22. p. 579. Dion, Chrys. Or. II. calls them, *Ἀσημεους λιθους*—unshapen stones. When those stones were anointed with oil, they were called, *Βαιτυλια*. See Eschenbach,

bach. de Unctionibus Gentilium, p. 389. A passage of Genesis, xxviii. 18, 19. seems to have given rise to this denomination.

(26) Clem. Alex. Strom. I. p. 348. Euseb. Præp. Evan. I. 9. p. 23. Pauf. VIII. 17.

(27) Herodot. I. p. 62. Justin Martyr reproaches the Greeks with this absurdity; and it is proved by a great number of ancient statues of Gods and Goddeses which remain to this day.

(28) They were called Βρετη, according to the grammarians, Πάρα τῷ βροτῷ τοικειναι—from the remembrance they bore to a man. Aristoph. Schol. ad Equ. v. 31. Tzetz. ad Lycophr. v. 948. They are likewise called, Δεικελα—Images.

(29) Diodor. Sic. IV. 276.

(30) Diodor. Sic. l. c. Palæph. Περὶ ἀπεικῶν, c. xxii. We there read that Dædalus was the first that made statues, betwixt whose feet and legs there was a vacant space—Διαβεβηκotas τον ένα ποδα.

(31) Pausan. Corinth. p. 134. mentions a statue of Pan seated, and one of Minerva standing. And Gronov. ad Melamp. III. 1. speaks of a statue of Jupiter sitting, and of one of Ocean lying. See Pausan. Achaic. XXI. p. 577. In Euseb. Præp. Ev. III. 7. p. 98, there is an elegant quotation from Porphyry, on the different attitudes of the Gods, standing and seated. See Plin. III. Ep. 6. Strabo, XIII. p. 413. Carprou. Exerc. ad Epist. ad Hebr. p. 354. D'Arnaud, de Diis Παρεδροις, c. xii. p. 75.

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(32) Pausan. Arcadic. XVII. p. 633. Plin. XXXIV. 7.

(33) Pausan. Corinth. II. p. 114. Αφροδιτης αγαλμα λιθου—The statue of Venus of stone.

(34) Hesych. Ξοανα—Κυριως τα εκ ξυλων εξισμενα, η λιθων—So those statues are properly termed which are carved of wood, or stone.

(35) Pausan. Eliac. XII. p. 405.

(36) Lucian. Jup. Trag. T. II. p. 132. Arnob. Adv. Gent. VI. p. 118. Instances of this are found in many parts of Pausanias.

(37) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Pallad. ad Inscript. p. 529. and ad V. 50. p. 586.

(38) Spanheim. l. c. Act. XIX. 35. The statue of Diana of Ephesus is called, Διοπετες.

(39) Εν απορρητοις, εν αδυτοις, in the sacred, in the inaccessible places. Pausan. Corinth. VII. 127. Corinth. II. 113.

(40) Pausan. Arcad. XLVII. p. 696.

(41) Pausanias, for instance, Attic. XXIV. p. 98. mentions a statue of Minerva, standing, with a robe which reached to its heels. Αγαλμα της Αθηνας ορθον εν χιτωνι ποδηρει. See Plut. in Alcib. p. 210. Petron. 102.

(42) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Pallad. V. 21. p. 547. and, V. 31. p. 564.

(43) Lycophr. V. 1135. Spanheim. ad Callim. p. 411.

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(44) Eurip. Iphig. in Taur. V. 1041. Spanheim. ad Callim. p. 527. Callimachus composed an ode on the solemn ablution of Pallas; the title of which is, *Εἰς Λουτρα τῆς Παλλᾶδος*—On the ablution of Pallas.

(45) Diodorus Siculus, XVIII. p. 520. speaks of a statue of Apollo, bound by the Tyrians with chains of gold. See Q. Cur. 3. IV. § 22, and the notes of Freinshemius. Spanheim. ad Callim. p. 573. Ansaldo, de Diis multarum Gentium Romanam evocatis. Brixia, 1743, c. III. p. 33.

(46) Spanheim, ad Callim. H. in Cer, v. 121, p. 721.

(47) The Latins call them *Tensa*. See Fest. B. V. 41. Paus. Eliac. Prior. IX. p. 396.

(48) Pausanias, Phocic. gives a detail of the offerings of the temple of Delphi, c. IX.

(49) The emperor Justinian, Inst. § 8. de re- rum divis, thus defines offerings—Things consecrated to the ministry of the Gods—*Equæ ad Dei ministeria dedicata sunt.*

(50) Homer. Od. III. 274. They were hung upon the pillars, upon the walls, upon the arches. See Kunz. Sacra et profana *Αναθηματων* Historia, § 14. p. 14. To make these offerings is called *αναθηναι*, Aristoph. Plut. 815. and, *εξαρτᾶν*, Long. Pastoral. p. 27.

(51) Hence, Hesychius makes synonymous the words *αναθημα*, and *κοσμημα*, offerings and ornament,

ornament. See Luc. xxi. 5. Herodian. I. 14. Suicer. Thesaur. Ecclesiast. T. I. p. 268.

(52) From the verb, *Ανατιθεναι*, to consecrate. They were likewise called—*Δωρα, αφιρωματα, ανακειμενα*—gifts, sacred things, things set apart. Macrobius calls them *χαρισηρια*, Phalarid. Epist. 84. Justin. XXIV. 6. § 8. calls them, munera.

(53) Pausan. Phocic. IX. 818. Hence they took the name of *χαρισηρια*.

(54) Schol. of Aristoph. ad Acharn. V. 242. Callim. in Dian. 229. Horat. I. Od. 5. v. 13.

(55) Pausan. c. 1. Hom. Il. X. v. 460. Il. VII. v. 83. 1 Sam. xxi. v. 9. refers also to this custom.

(56) Lucian. Hermot. p. 533. Homer. Il. A. v. 39. Lucian de Sacrif. T. I. 363. Pollux, I. 1. 28. Plin. xvi. 4.

(57) Homer. Od. III. 274. Il. VI. 301. Pausan. Eliac. c. 16. p. 417. Pausan. Phocic. IX. Herod. I. p. 21.

(58) Homer. H. in Merc. v. 179. Pollux, I. 1. 25. Phocic. VIII. p. 817. Eliac. Prior. c. X. p. 398. Eliac. Poster. c. XIX. p. 498.

(59) Pausan. Messen. XXXII. p. 359. Bæot. c. X. p. 730. Lacon. XVIII. p. 254. Attic. c. XX. p. 46. Phocic. c. XIII. p. 830. Homer, H. in Merc. v. 179.

(60) Homer. Il. X. 460. Il. VII. 83. 1 Sam. xxi. 9.

CHAP.

## C H A P. IV.

## OF SACRED PERSONS.

I. **T**HE sacred persons were men entrusted with the care of the holy places of the woods, the temples, and the religious ceremonies. The general appellation of the priests was, (1) *ἱερείς*; they were held in great (2) veneration.

II. There were different classes of them in the (3) great cities. He who was at the head of the whole order, and whose province it was to celebrate the most sacred mysteries, was called (4) *Ἀρχιερεύς* [the High Priest.] The priests had their ministers, whose names corresponded with their (5) different functions.

III. Amongst the Greeks, the women, as well as the men, were admitted to sacred functions. The priestesses were called (6) *ἱερίαιαι*. They were (7) commonly  
virgins;

virgins; and in Athens they were only daughters of the first (8) families.

IV. Thus the priestesses of (9) Minerva, of (10) Cybele, of (11) Ceres, and of (12) Venus, were virgins. Those of Ceres were distinguished by the name of (13) *Μελισσαι*.—This title was likewise given to other (14) priestesses.

V. They were enjoined a perpetual (15) chastity. Hence, in later times they were not admitted to the sacred order till they were (16) marriageable.

VI. Women who had *had* more than one husband, were excluded on that account from some sacerdotal (17) classes.

VII. The priestesses used to carry the distinctive emblems of the deity to whom they were (18) consecrated.

VIII. At (19) Athens, the priests and priestesses were drawn by lot from the men and virgins of a distinguished (20) family, (21) and of an irreproachable life.—This manner of appointing them was called (22) *Κληροῦσθαι*.

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IX. (23) Maimed, or deformed persons were not admitted.

X. They were to keep themselves pure and free from all (24) pollution.

XI. When they performed their functions in the temples, they wore a (25) linen robe and a (26) crown.

XII. Some priesthoods were (27) hereditary; and to certain families the worship of the Gods of their country was exclusively committed. So amongst the Athenians, the (28) Ευμολπιδαι, the (29) Κηρυκες, the (30) Ευπατριδαι, and the (31) Ετέοβουταδαι, held their offices; amongst the Argians, the (32) Ακεσοριδαι. Thus some priesthoods were family-titles.

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(1) Plato gives us a description of them. Polit. They were likewise styled, Ἱερούργοι, Θεεργοί, Θυται; and by the poets, Θυηπολοί, Θυτηρες, Ἱερομνημονες, Αρητηρες: and in general, Ὑπαρταί Θεοῦς ministers

ministers of God: See Saubert, de Sacrific. c. 6.

(2) On account of the communication which was supposed to subsist betwixt them and the Gods. Plut. Quæst. Rom. p. 291. Pausan. Achaic. XX. p. 573; XXVII. pag. 595. Hence they chose from the first families men whose characters became sacred, and persons inviolable.

(3) Aristot. VI. Politic. c. 8.

(4) Joseph. Antiq. Jud. XIV. 8.

(5) For example; *ἱεροποιοί*, they who assisted at the sacrifices—*Παρασῆτοι*—They who collected the sacred corn. Pollux VI. 7. 35. *Ταμίαι τῶν ἱερῶν χρημάτων*,—The quæstors of the sacred fund. Aristot. Polit. VI. 8: *Ναοφυλακῆς*—The keepers of the temple.

(6) They were also called *Ἀρητιεῖραι*. They were not only employed in the worship of the Goddesses, but of the Gods likewise; of Apollo, Hercules, and Bacchus, for instance. Pausan. Bæot. XXVII. p. 673; Lacon. XX. 261. Schol. Aristoph. Plut. v. 9. Pausan. Corinth. XXXIII. p. 189. The priestesses of Bacchus were called, —*Βακχαι*, *Θυαδεῖς*, *Μιμαλλοῦντες*, *Μαιναδῆς*. The priestess of Bacchus was termed—*Πυθίας*, *Προφητις*, *Φοῖβας*.

(7) There was a law at Athens which obliged the priestesses to be virgins. Spanheim.

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(8) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Cer. v. 43. p. 691.

(9) Pausan. Arcad. c. 47. pag. 695. The priestess of Minerva was called by the Cilicians —*Υπεραυστρια*. Plut. Quæst. Gr. p. 292.

(10) Pausan. Eliac. Post. c. XX. p. 502.

(11) The priestesses of Rhea, or Cybele, were called *Κερνοφοροι*, Meandr. Alex. p. 144. Spanheim. ad Callim. p. 116. Pausan. Arcad. XXXVI. p. 673.

(12) Pausan. Corinth. c. X. p. 134.

(13) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Apoll. v. 110. p. 116. et in Cer. v. 43. p. 692.

(14) Spanheim. l. c.

(15) Marcellin. in. Hermog. p. 65. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Apoll. v. 110. p. 116. Pausan. Bæot. c. XXVII. p. 763.

(16) Pausan. Act. XIX. p. 570. and XXVI. p. 592. Arcad. c. XLVII. p. 695. Corinth. c. XXXIII. p. 189.

(17) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Pallad. v. 34. p. 569. Pausan. Achaic. XXV. p. 591.

(18) The priestess of Ceres carried in her hand a small sheaf of corn, crowns, and poppy. Callim. H. in Cer. v. 45. The priestess of Minerva was clad in the armour of the Goddess. Polyæn. VIII. 59. Thus the Bacchanals carried the

the thyrsus; the priestesses of Venus, myrtle; those of Cybele, pine-apples.

(19) Plat. de Leg. VI. Aristot. Polit. IV. 15.

(20) Pausan. Ach. XX, p. 573. XXVII. p. 395. Plat. l. c.

(21) Æschin. in Timarch. p. 196. Demosth. advers. Androt. That they might evince their past conduct, they underwent a severe examination—Δοκιμασία. Plat. de Leg. VI.

(22) The priests thus drawn by lot were called Κλήρωτοι. An appellation different from that by which they were called, who were nominated by election—Αιρετοι; or by the suffrages of the people—Εψηφισμενοι—From them we must likewise distinguish those who succeeded to the priesthood by birthright—Οι εκ γενεῆς.

(23) They were to be Ὀλοκληροι—and—Αφελαις. Hesych. at the word, Αφελης. Athen. VII. p. 300. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Pallad. v. 121. p. 621.

(24) Æschin. in Timarch. p. 196. 173. Demosth. adv. Androt. Plat. de Leg.

(25) Spenc. de Leg. Hebr. Ritual. p. 682. Diff. de Veste Sacerdotum Lineâ. Broukhuf. ad Tibull. I. 3. v. 30. p. 61.

(26) Herodot. II. c. 36. Athen. I. p. 21. Aristoph. Equ. v. 222. Tertul. de Corona Mil. c. 10. Lucian. in Pseudom. T. I. p. 782. C. Paschal. de Coronis, IV. 13.

(27) Plat. de Leg. VI. Hermogenes, in Partitionibus, c. VI.

(28) Pausan. Attic. c. XXXVIII. p. 92. Ne-  
pos, in Alcib. c. 4.

(29) Pausan. Attic. c. XXXVIII. p. 92. Har-  
pocrat. at the word Κηρυκες. Hesych. at the  
same word. Hadr. Junii Animadv. v. 20. p.  
315.

(30) Plutarch. in Thes. p. 11.

(31) Harpocrat. at the word—Εριστοραδαι.

(32) Callim. H. in Lavacr. Pallad. v. 33. and  
Spanheim.

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CHAP. V.

Of their DIVINE WORSHIP, their PRAYERS, &c.

I. **T**HERE were three religious duties which they performed in the sacred places; viz. Prayers, sacrifices, and lustrations.

II. The object of the prayers, named in Greek, (1) *Ευχαι, Προσευχαι, Δησεις*, was, the obtaining of some good, or, the (2) averting of some evil.

III. As to the ceremonies used in prayer:

1°—They raised the hand to the (3) mouth, and then extended it towards the deity whom they were (4) worshipping. To use this ceremony was termed in Greek, (5) *Προσκυνειν*; and in Latin, (6) *Adorare*.

2°—They turned themselves (7) round, and looked towards the (8) east.

3°—Towards the (9) Gods and the sky they stretched both the (10) hands purified.

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4<sup>o</sup>—Sometimes they prayed (11) standing; sometimes on their (12) knees. They used the latter posture chiefly in great (13) dangers.

### NOTES to CHAP. V.

(1) They were also called, *Ευγµατα, Ικεται, Ικεττιαι, προσοδοι, αιτηµατα, λιται.*

(2) Plato, *Alcib.* quotes two verses of an old Greek poet, in which these two objects are comprehended—

*Ζευ βασιλευ, τα µεν εθλα και ευχοµενοις και  
απεικτοις,*

*Αµµι διδου, τα δε δεινα και ευχοµενοις απαλιξει.*

Sovereign Jove, grant us good things when we pray for them, or though we omit to pray for them:—and avert from us evils, though we should, by mistake, request them of thee.

(3) *Lucian. de Salt. T. I. p. 792. Encom. Demosth. T. I. p. 707. De Sacrific. 368. Job xxxi. 26. See, on the manner of raising the hand to the mouth, Morin. Hist. de l'Academ.*

des Belles Lett. T. II. n. 14. p. 89. Plin. XXIII. 2. Matth. Brover de Niedeck, Diff. de populorum veterum ac recentiorum adorationibus.

(4) When they supplicated the heavenly Gods, they lifted up their hands: when they implored those of the sea, they stretched forth their hands towards the sea. Hom. *Il.* A. 350. And when they addressed the infernal deities, they smote the ground. H. IX. 464. Cic. *Tusc. Quæst.* II.

(5) Eustath. ad *Od.* E.

(6) Broukhuf. ad *Tibull.* I. 4. v. 27. and *Comm.* ad *Minut. Fel.* c. 2.

(7) *Plut.* *Camill.* p. 131. F. informs us that this was likewise a Roman custom, and that it was introduced by Numa Pompilius. Numa, p. 69. E. *Plin.* XXVIII. 2. says that the Gauls had the same practice. We find traces of this custom in *Plautus*, *Curcul.* I. 1. v. 70. *Suet.* *Vitell.* c. 2, says that this custom of turning to the right to pray, was more strictly observed by the Romans than by the Greeks. Vestiges of the same usage are likewise found in *Aristophanes*, pag. 957. *Trygæus* says to his slave—

Ἀγε δὴ, τὸ κατῶν λαβὼν, καὶ τὴν χειρὶν αἰ,  
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Et celeriter circumito Aram ad Dextram flectens.

See Dacier, ad Horat. III. Od. 26. v. 5. and Madame Dacier, ad Aristoph. Nub. p. 328. Apul. Miles. II. p. 39. Tunc orientem obversus, et incrementa solis augusti tacitus imprecatus, &c. Pac. Panegy. says — Divinis rebus operantes, in eam cœli partem ora convertimus a quâ lucis exordium est.—When we supplicate the Gods, we turn our faces to that quarter of the sky where the sun rises. See Virg. Æneid. VIII. 68. and Not. Serv. See too Tertul. Apolog. 16. Buleng. Eclog. ad Arnob. p. 56.

(8) *Ἐπι δεξιά*. Plut. in Camil. l. c. Athen. l. c. —*Ἐπι τα δεξιά σφειφομενοι*, Turning to the right; i. e. to the east. Hadr. Jun. Animadv. III. 3. p. 142.

(9) Hom. Od. II. 261. IV. 759. Hesiod. Epy. 724. Clem. Alex. Strom. IV. p. 531.

(10) Aristot. de Mundo. c. 6.—Hence to pray was expressed by these words—*χερας ανασχειν*. Hom. II. XXIV. 301, 306. III. 318. Eurip. Helen. v. 1101. Lucian. Philopat. T. II. p. 780. We must not however forget the different ceremonial which was used in supplicating the infernal Gods.

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(11) *Ophthal.*—Erect.—Philostr. in Apoll. VI. 4.  
Plut. Numa. Marc. XI. 25.

(12) Theophr. Charact. Ethic. c. 17. Homer.  
Il. I. 440. Marc. 15. 19.

(13) See Christ. Gottlieb. Schwarzzius in Mis-  
cellaneis Politioris Litertauræ. Diatrib. I.  
p. 76.

CHAP.



## C H A P. VI.

## OF SACRIFICES.

I. SACRIFICES are termed in Greek, (1) *Θυσιαί*, and *Δωρα*. And to sacrifice, is, *θυεῖν*, (2) *προσφέρειν*, or (3) *αναφέρειν θυσίας*, (4) *ποιεῖν*. The poets use likewise the words, *ῥεζεῖν*, (5) *ερθεῖν*.

II. *Θυεῖν* with the ancient Greeks signified, (6) to burn perfumes; and *θυός*, incense burned in honour of the (7) Gods. From this word is derived the Latin word, (8) *thus*. For in the remoter ages the blood of animals was not shed to propitiate the Gods; odours and perfumes were only used in (9) sacrifice.

III. The first Athenians, following the injunction of Triptolemus, *Θεοῦ καρποῖς* (10) *αγαλλεῖν*—To regale the Gods with fruits—offered them only the produce of the earth. They deemed it but just to give the Gods the first fruits of those good things

things which they so liberally bestowed on (11) mankind.

IV. Afterwards they offered animals; and the word *θυσιαί* was now only applied to the (12) shedding of the blood of victims. The animals which they sacrificed, were, the (13) ox, the hog, the sheep, the kid, the cock, and the goose.

V. The principal victim, and the largest, was the (14) ox. (15) *Βουθυραΐν* was the term for sacrificing this animal,

VI. These animals were to be (16) *ἀφ-  
ρα* and *τελεία*, sana et integra, i. e. they were not to be maimed, lame, or unhealthy.

VII. (17) Oxen five years old, and which had never borne the yoke, *ἄζυγοι*, were sacrificed: the sheep were to be (18) two years old, termed by the Latins, (19) *Bi-dentes*.

VIII. Sometimes they sacrificed many animals at once. Thus at Athens there was a sacrifice which consisted of three animals of different species; the hog, the he-

he-goat, and the ram: it was for that reason called (20) *τριπτυς*.

IX. Sometimes a hundred victims were offered at once. This was a solemn sacrifice, and was called, a Hecatomb—(21) *ἑκατομβή*.

X. The several animals which we have mentioned were not offered indiscriminately to all the Gods. The different deities had their proper (22) victims. (23) An ox five years old was sacrificed to Jupiter; (24) a black bull, a hog, and a ram, to Neptune; (25) a heifer, and a ewe to Minerva; (26) a black and barren ewe to the infernal deities; (27) a she-goat, and a cock to Esculapius.

#### NOTES to CHAP. V.

(1) Euripid. *Medea*, v. 964. gifts, presents; in Latin, *dona*, *munera*. Broukhus. ad Tibull. IV. 1. v. 8. Yet Plato, *de Votis*, distinguishes *Δωρα* from *Θυσιαί*.

(2) Hebr. v. 3.

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(3) Hebr. vii. 27. xiii. 15. 1 Pet. ii. 5.

(4) Luc. II. 28. Ælian. V. H. IX. 15.

(5) Hom. IΛ. A. 315. and 444. The word is likewise used by Ælian. V. H. XII. 61.

(6) Porphyr. Περὶ ἀποχῆς, l. II. § 5. Ovid. Fast. I. 343.

(7) Plin. XIII. 16. Homer. Οδ. E. v. 60. Hesych. Plin. XIII. 1. Perizon. ad Ælian. V. 6. Callim. H. in Apoll. 38.

(8) The Latin etymologists are therefore wrong in deriving it from *tundere*.

(9) Porphyr. περὶ ἀποχῆς, II. p. 127. Ovid. Fast. I. v. 337. Pausan. Arcad. c. II. p. 690. These sacrifices without bloodshed are termed ἀπυρὰ ἱερά—Sacrifices without fire. Æschyl. Agam. 701.

(10) Porphyr. περὶ ἀποχῆς. l. IV. p. 431.

(11) Idem. II. p. 127. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Del. 283. p. 499. Diog. Laert. in Pythag. VIII. p. 494.

(12) Porphyr. περὶ ἀποχῆς. l. II. p. 54. Potter, p. 235.

(13) Suid. at the word, Θυσίον.

(14) Plin. 8. 45. Virgil. II. Georg. 146.

(15) Aristoph. Plut. v. 820. and Schol. ad H. L.

(16) Plut. de Orac. Def. p. 437. Hom. IΛ. I. v. 66. Athen. Dinof. XV. c. 5. p. 674. F. Pollux, I. 1. 26.

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(17) Hom. *Il.* K. v. 292. The hogs were likewise to be two years old. Hom: *Od.* XIV. v: 419.

(18) Virg. *Æneid.* VI. 39. and Not. Serv.

(19) Macrob. *Sat.* VI. 9. *Gell.* XVI. 6.

(20) Schol. *Aristoph.* ad *Plut.* §20: *Suidas* at this word.

(21) *Hesych.* at the word *Ἐκατόμβη*. *Eustath.* ad *Il.* A. v. 315. *Strab.* VIII. p. 256. *Jul. Capitol.* *Balbin.* II. *Homer,* *Od.* Γ. v. 5. describes a greater sacrifice than even the Hecatomb.

(22) *Arist.* *Ethic.* IX. 2: v. 10. *Plin.* *H. N.* VIII. 45.

(23) Hom: *Il.* B. v. 403:

(24) Hom. *Od.* Λ. v. 129. 130.

(25) Hom. *Od.* Δ. v. 764.

(26) Hom. *Od.* K. v. 572. *Senec.* *Ædip.* 548.

(27) *Plato.* *Phæd.* See, on the cock offered to *Esculapius,* *Havercamp.* ad *Tertull.* *Apolog.* 46. p. 380. *Last.* III. 20. § 16. *Cælius Rhodig.* XVI. 12.

(28) *Potter,* on *Lycophron,* v. 77. gives the following reasons why certain species of animals were offered to the Gods in preference to others. —1° They often sacrificed animals to their deities, which were odious to them, hoping that hostile blood would appease them.—2° They likewise

likewise thought they would be propitiated by offering them such fruits of the earth, or such animals as were agreeable to them. Thus to Ceres they offered the firstlings of grain; those of the vintage to Bacchus; and a dove to Venus. The sacrifices were either public or private. Xenoph. Memorab. I. 1. § 2.

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## C H A P. VII.

## Of the CEREMONIES used in SACRIFICING.

I. **T**HE following were the sacrificial ceremonies. The victim was adorned with (1) wreaths and garlands; *Στεμμασι*. Sometimes its (2) horns were gilded.

II. Thus adorned, it was sprinkled over with (3) pure water: some water they frequently poured into its (4) ear.

III. They then placed upon its (5) head a salted cake, called in Greek, (6) *Θύλας*, and (7) *Ουλοχυται*.

IV. They plucked from the forehead of the victims, from betwixt the horns, a little hair, which they threw into the fire upon the (8) altar.

V. After these preliminary ceremonies, accompanied with (9) prayers, the victim was sacrificed. The minister of the sacrifice

face struck it on the head with an (10) axe. Its throat was then cut with a knife called (11) *Μαχαιρα*, and (12) *Σφαγισ*.

VI. But the victims immolated to the celestial deities were not slain in the same manner with those which were offered to the infernal Gods. The (13) heads of the former were raised, and turned backwards; (14) those of the latter were lowered to the ground.

VII. They received the blood of the victims in a vase, termed (15) *Σφαγειον*.

VIII. (16) After the victim was slain, they flaid it, and cut it into many pieces.

IX. When they had opened it, they examined its entrails, which the Greeks called (17) *Σπλαγγνα*. From this word are derived (18) *Σπλαγγνοσκοπια*, *Viscerum Examinatio*, and *Σπλαγγνοσκοπος*, *Harusperex*.

X. After having cut the victim in pieces, they wrapped over with fat its thighs, *Μηροι*, and laid them apart.

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XI. They then cut raw pieces from all the members of the victim, and laid them upon the thighs which were to be burned. This Homer calls (20) *ωπεθεταίν*.

XII. The thighs thus prepared were (21) powdered with flour, and (22) placed on a part of the altar which was made to receive them.

XIII. Altar, in Greek, is *Βωμῶς*. But to all the deities, without distinction, they did not erect these *Βωμοί*, which were high altars. They were only the prerogative of the celestial Gods, the (23) *Επουρανίου*. To the terrestrial deities, the *Επιχθονίου*, lower altars were constructed, named (24) *Εσχάρα*. For the infernal Gods they only dug a ditch, and poured into it the blood of the immolated (25) victim.

XIV. They burned with (26) dry and cloven wood the part of the victim destined to that purpose. To make the flame rise higher, they poured (27) wine upon it. This, however, was not practised in  
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all sacrifices. Some were called (28) *θυσιασθηφάλιοι*.

XV. They then put upon a spit and (29) roasted the rest of the victim, which they (30) ate with their friends when the sacrifice was over.

XVI. When the banquet was ended, before they returned home, they threw into the sacred fire the (31) tongue of the victim, in honour of (32) Mercury.

NOTES to CHAP. VII.

(1) Thence the epithet *Στεφνηφόρος Βούς*, the crowned heifer. Lycophr. v. 327. Act. xiv. 13. Lucian. de Sacrif. p. 368. Aristoph. Nub. 255. Ovid. Met. XV. 130. and the authors cited by Paschal. de Coronis, IV. 16.

(2) Hom. Od. Γ. 384. Liv. XXV. 12. Broukhuf. ad Tibull. I. 5. 15.

(3) Dion. Halic. Archæol. VII. p. 478.

(4) Schol. Apol. Rhod. ad I. v. 425. where he says this water was called *Προχύτη*.

(5) Serv. ad Virg. Æneid. II. 133. Dion. Halic. VII. p. 478.

(6) Pausan. Attic. c. XXXVIII. p. 93. Hom. Od. Γ. 441.

(7) Hom. Il. A. v. 449. Od. Γ. v. 445.

(8) Dion. Halic. Archæol. VII. p. 479. Hom. Od. Γ. 446. Kust. ad Aristoph. Av. v. 960. p. 193.

(9) Hom. Il. A. v. 450. Plin. XXVIII. 2.

(10) Hom. Od. Γ. 449. Dion. Halic. Archæol. VII. p. 478. Apoll. Rhod. Argon. I. 427.

(11) Hom. H. in Apoll. 335. Pausan. Mefsen. c. 17. p. 320.

(12) Euripid. Electr. 811.

(13) This is, in Homer's language, *αυ ερπειν*. Il. A. 459. In that of Orpheus, *ανακλινειν κεφαλην εις αιθερα*. Argon. 311. See Schol. Apoll. Rhod. l. i. 587. Cuper. Obs. I. 12. remarks that *τραχηλιζειν* signifies, *Cervicem sursum flectere*.

(14) Schol. Min. ad Hom. Il. A. 459.

(15) Schol. Min. ad Hom. Od. Γ. 444. Homer in the same place calls it *αμμιον*. It is likewise called *σφαγειον*, and *σφαγιον*.

(16) Hom. Il. A. 459. Od. XIV. 427.

(17) Euripid. Electr. v. 826.

(18) Pausan. Attic. c. XXXIV. p. 84. Eliac. Post. c. II. p. 455. Bæot. c. XXXIX. p. 790. See Perizon. ad Ælian. II. 31. p. 7. Saubert. de Sacrif. c. 20. p. 504.

(19) Homer. Il. A. v. 459.

(20) Hom. l. c. Od. XIV. 427. Od. Γ. 456.

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(21) Hom. Od. XIV. 429. Dion. Halic. Archæol. VII. 478.

(22) Dion. Halic. l. c.

(23) The Latin word, *altaria*, is compounded of *altæ* and *areæ*. Berkélius, ad Steph. at the word *Βωμοί*. Ammonius V. *Βωμοί*. Serv. ad Virg. Eclog. V. v. 66.

(24) Harpocr. at the word *Εσχαρα*. Consult, on the difference of the two words, *Βωμοί*, and *Εσχαρα*, Stæber, ad Feith. Antiq. Homer. p. 19. Barnes ad Eurip. Heracl. v. 128.

(25) This ditch was called *Βοθρός, Λαικός*. See Hom. Od. A. 25. and 34. Ovid. Met. VII. 243. Olear. ad Philost. Vit. Apoll. IV. 16. p. 152.

(26) *Σχιζαίς*. Hom. Il. A. 462.

(27) They did it, not only to heighten the flame, but for a libation.

(28) That is, sober sacrifices, in which, the only libations they made were of water, *υδροσκοπία*. Porphor. de Abstin. II. p. 156. Plut. de Sanitate tuendâ, p. 132. Pausan. Eliac. Prior. XV. p. 416.

(29) Hom. Il. A. v. 465.

(30) Hom. Il. A. v. 466 Od. Γ. v. 65. and Ξ. v. 430.

(31) Hom. Od. Γ. 332. and 34.

(32) Athen. Dipnos. l. c. XIII. and XIV. p. 16.

## C H A P. VIII.

## OF PURIFICATIONS.

I. **B**ESIDES the sacrifices, the Greeks likewise used purifications, *lustrations*. What the Latins called *lustrare*, the Greeks expressed by the words, (1) *Καθαίρειν*, (2) *ἀγνίζειν*; whence are derived (3) *Καθαρμοί*, and *ἀγνισμοί*.

II. Purifications were practised, either before they entered upon religious duties, or after acts by which they thought themselves polluted.

III. They used purifications before they entered upon a religious duty.—For instance, 1<sup>o</sup> Before they went to the (4) temples.—2<sup>o</sup> Before the (5) sacrifice.—3<sup>o</sup> Before they were initiated into sacred (6) mysteries.—4<sup>o</sup> Before their solemn (7) vows and prayers.—The purifications used at these times were the most solemn purifications.

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IV. They likewise purified themselves after acts by which they thought themselves polluted. For example—1° After a (8) murder.—2° After the (9) venereal act.—3° After having assisted at a (10) funeral.

V. In these expiations they used—1° (11) Water.—2° (12) Fire.—3° (13) Eggs, &c.

#### NOTES to CHAP. VIII.

(1) Aristoph. Vesp. 118. Hom. Il. II. 228.

(2) Eurip. Electr. v. 793.

(3) To these terms may be added, *Καθαρισμοί, ἱλασμοί, τελεῖαι, &c.*

(4) Eurip. Ion. v. 94. Justin. Mart. Apol. II. p. 94.

(5) Hom. Il. A. v. 449. Eurip. Electr. 791. Plaut. Aulul. III. 6. 43.

(6) Clem. Alex. Strom. V. p. 582. VII. 714. Schol. ad Aristoph. Plut. v. 846. Arrian in Epiict. III. 21. Aristoph. Pac. 373.

(7) Sophocl. Ædip. Col. 460. Eurip. Alcest. 157. Hom. Il. II. 230.

(8) Schol. Sophocl. ad Ajac. Flagellif. v. 666. Hom. Od. X. v. 480. Ælian, III. 1. IV. 5. Paus. Corinth. c. 31. p. 185. Apollod. III. 12. § 2.

(9) Athen. XV. p. 681. Homer: Od. Θ. v. 362. Paus. Arcad. XXV. p. 648.

(10) Pollux, VIII. 7. 65. Casaub. ad Theoph. *Περὶ δεισιδαιμ.* p. 339. Kuster ad Aristoph. *Εκκλησ.* p. 1025.

(11) Sometimes they used water from a fountain; Soph. *Æd.* 460; sometimes sea-water. Apollon. Rhod. IV. 670. Sometimes water mixed with salt. Theocrit. *Idyll.* XXIV. 44. &c.

(12) Or sulphur, which they threw into the fire to make smoak. Hom. Od. X. v. 481, 493. Theocr. l. c. Ovid. *Met.* VII. 261.

(13) Lucian. *Dial. of the Dead.* T. I. p. 263. *Catapl.* p. 427. Ovid. *A. A.* II. 329.

## C H A P. IX.

Of the ORACLES and DIVINA-  
TIONS of the GREEKS.

I. **T**HE divinations and the oracles made likewise a part of their religion. The answers which the Gods gave when they were consulted in doubtful and difficult cases, were the oracles. Those answers were termed *χρησμοι*, from the verb, (1) *χρᾶν*, to give an oracular answer. They were also called, (2) *λογια*, (3) *μαντευματα*, (4) *θειοπροπια*, &c. The places where these oracles were announced, were called, (5) *χρησηρια*, (6) *μαντεια*; the diviners, *χρησμολογοι*; and to consult them, was expressed by the word, (8) *χρᾶσθαι*.

II. The oracles had gained such credit and veneration, that they were consulted in all important affairs, on all (9) doubtful events. Their answers were deemed  
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the advice of heaven; they were received with an (10) implicit faith. In short, if a (11) form of government was to be changed, if (12) laws were to be made, if (13) war was to be declared, or peace concluded, they entered upon none of these important matters without first consulting the oracles.

III. The veneration for the oracles was augmented by the gifts and sacrifices which they who consulted them were obliged to offer. Princes and rich men, for that reason, could only (14) consult them; nor could they at any time; but upon certain (15) days.

IV. Were these answers dictated by (16) dæmons? or were they only the result of the art and villainy of the priests? This is yet a problem with the learned. I, however, am of opinion that they were the effect of dexterity and artifice.

V. Of the Gods who presided over oracles, and divinations, the most eminent were, (17) Jupiter, and (18) Apollo.

VI.

VI. All the oracles were not delivered in the same manner. In some places the answers were given by (19) interpreters. In others, the Gods themselves revealed their will, either by (20) voice, or (21) dreams, or some decisive (22) events. But I must give a particular description of some of the most famous oracles.

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#### NOTES to CHAP. IX.

(1) Aristoph. Vesp. 159. Xenoph. Memorab. I. 3. 1. Herodotus cites the most famous oracles, I. p. 19. See Aristoph. Plut. 51.

(2) Aristoph. Equ. 120.

(3) Aristoph. Vesp. 161.

(4) Hom. Il. A. 85. Φημαι, Xen. Mem. I. 1. 3. Philostr. p. 802, calls them likewise Φροντισηρια.

(5) Hesych. at the words, χρησθηριων, μαντειων. A treatise of Plutarch is intitled, Περὶ τῶν ἐκλειπτοῦν χρησθηριων—on the the oracles which have ceased.

(6) Plutarch de Pythiæ Orac. p. 397. D.

(7) Aristoph. Av. 961.

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(8) Hom. *od. K.* 492. The people who consulted them were termed—*Θεοπροποι, Θεμοι*. Pol-  
lux. I. I. 18. *χρησιμοφοροι*, Pausan. Messen. IX.  
p. 301.

(9) Xenoph. *Απομν.* I. I. § 9.

(10) Idem. I. I. § 3. Cic. *de Divin.* I. 19.

(11) Dion. Chryf. *Or.* 32. Plut. *Agefil.* p.  
597. C. Spartian, *Pescen. Nigro, c.* XIII. Cic.  
*de Div.* I. I. See Feith. *Antiq. Hom.* p. 148.

(12) Xenoph. *de Laced. Rep.* Strab. XVI.  
p. 524. Cic. *de Div.* I. 43.

(13) Herodot. I. 46. Pausan. *Bæot. c.* XIV.  
p. 738. Messen. XII. and IX.

(14) Plut. *de Orac. Defec.* p. 437. Herodot.  
I. 50. Justin. 24. 6.

(15) Plut. *Quæst. Græc.* p. 292.

(16) Some of the ancients attributed these an-  
swers to the Gods themselves. Jamblich. *de*  
*Myft. Sect.* III. c. 11. p. 72. Others, to good  
or evil geniuses. See Plut. *de Orac. Defect.* p.  
418. Others to exhalations of the earth, and  
such physical causes. Cic. *de Div.* I. c. 50.  
Plin. II. 93. and others, to human souls separ-  
ated from their bodies. Plut. l. c. p. 431. Some  
of the fathers were of opinion that it was the  
devil himself who spoke. Tertull. *de Præscript.*  
*adv. Hæret.* p. 122. edit. Bas. 1539. Minut.  
*Fel.* c. 26. Lactant. II. 14. Many moderns  
have written in defence of this opinion; and a-  
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mong them, P. Baltus—Answer to the History of Oracles, &c.—G. Mæbius—De oraculorum Ethnicorum origine, propagatione, et duratione. But this opinion has been strongly opposed by Ant. Van Dale, De Oraculis Ethn. vet. by Fontenelle, and many others, who have solved the answers of the oracles into sacerdotal fraud.

(17) All events were imputed to necessity, or destiny, i. e. to the will of Jupiter. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Delph. v. 122. p. 418. Hence Jupiter is styled by Homer, Πανομφασιος—The author of all oracular information. *Il. Θ.* v. 250. Prometheus takes to himself the invention of oracles, in *Æsch. Prom. Vinct.* v. 476.

(18) Jupiter was supposed to instruct Apollo in futurity. *Æsch. Frag.* pag. 640. *Eumenid.* v. 19. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in *Jov.* v. 69. Broukhuf. ad *Tibull.* III. 4. v. 47.

(19) The Delphic oracles, for instance, by the priests. Pausan. *Phoc.* c. IX.

(20) Pausanias says it was the earth which at first gave the oracles at Delphi. l. c.

(21) The oracle of Amphiaraus answered by a dream. Pausan. *Attic.* c. XXXIV. p. 84.

(22) Pausan. *Achaic.* c. XXV. 590. Cic. *Div.* l. c.

## C H A P. X.

## Of the ORACLE of DODONA.

I. **T**HE (1) Dodonean was the most ancient oracle, so called from Dodona, a city of Chaonia, or Molossis, a mountainous part of (2) Epirus; or, according to some geographers, of (3) Thessaly.

II. It is said, the Pelasgians built Dodona, and established its (4) oracle.

III. There are different conjectures on the etymology of the word Dodona. Some derive it from Dodanim, the son of Javan, who, they say, settled a colony in that part of (5) Epirus—Others from the river (6) Dodona—Others from the Dodonean dove, or rather from a woman named Dodona, who was brought from Phœnicia into (7) Greece—And others from different (8) origins.

IV. There was near Dodona a forest of  
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oaks which was consecrated to Jupiter, and which superstition had revered from time (9) immemorial. It was reported that these oaks spake, and conveyed the answers of the (10) God. It was likewise reported, that in this forest there was an oak higher than the rest, on the top of which two doves commonly perched, and gave answers to those who came to (11) consult them.

V. But this is only repeating fables. Can we believe that trees had formerly the faculty of speech, which they have not at present, or that doves ever predicted (12) futurity?

VI. The truth of all these marvels is this. In the early times there were diviners, who were called, (13) *Υποφηται*, (14) *Αντιπτοποδες*, (15) *Καμακωνται*; (16) *Ελλοι*, and *Έλλοι*, *Τομαραι*, and *Τομουροι*. These diviners when they were consulted, mounted an oak, from the top of which they gave their (17) answers. Thence came the fable of the prophetic oak.

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VII. Afterwards (18) old women were appointed to this office. And as in the Thessalian tongue those female diviners were named (19) Πειλαιαδες, which word likewise signifies (20) doves, this equivocal meaning gave rise to the fable of the (21) prophetic doves.

VIII. Two prodigies had contributed to render this oracle famous; its fountain, and its caldron.—The fountain was called, (22) the sacred fountain. If a lighted torch was plunged into it, it was extinguished, as it would have been in other fountains; but a torch not lighted took fire at some distance from its water.

IX. Its caldron was of brass, and gave a continual sound, whether occasioned by the wind, or some other (23) cause. From the surprising property of this caldron flowed the proverbial expression,—(24) Χαλκειον Δωδωναμιον—Dodonean brass.

## NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. X.

(1) Herodot. II. p. 124.

(2) All Epirus is often included in Chaonia ; perhaps, because the Chaonians were in old times masters of Epirus. Strab. VII. p. 224. Moloffis was a country of Epirus, in which was Dodona. Strab. l. c. Steph. Byz. at the word *Δωδωνή*. But Pausan. Attic. c. 17. p. 40. places Dodona in Thesprotis ; so does Eustath. ad Dionys. p. m. 229.

(3) Luc. Holsten. in Not. et Castig. ad Steph. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Delum. v. 284.

(4) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Del. v. 284. p. 496. Strab. VII. p. 226.

(5) Vossius, de Orig. et Prog. Idolol. I. 7. p. 54.

(6) Eustath. ad Dionys. Perieg. v. 430.

(7) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Del. v. 284. p. 497.

(8) Eustath. l. c.

(9) The moderns talk much of the forest ; but the ancients only mention the oak—*Δρυς*, Homer. Od. XIV. 328. *Δωδωνίς Φηγός*—*Fagus Dodonea*. Apollon. Rhod. I. 526. and IV. 523. Herodotus says, that a priestess consecrated to Jupiter a beech which grew near Dodona,



II. p. 125. Lucian, in Amor. p. 896. likewise mentions the beech of Dodona Zenodotus also says that it was a beech which gave the first oracle at Dodona: *Εν Δωδωνῇ πρῶτον Φηγῶν μαντεύετο*. But some of the Latin poets speak of the innumerable oaks of Dodona: Ovid. Amor. III. 10, 9. Others of the forest of Dodona—Lucan. III. 441. Others of the woods of the Molossi—Stat. Theb. III. v. 475. And others of the Chaonian forest. See the author last cited, Theb. VI. 99.

(10) Hom. Od. XIV. 328. and XIX. 297. Æschylus alludes to this fable, Prometh. v. 817, where he has these words—*τέρας ἀπίστου, τὰς προσηγορίας δρυάς*—The incredible prodigy, the speaking oaks.

(11) See Sophocl. Trach. 176. and Schol. ad h. l.

(12) This is nearly the reasoning of Herodotus, II. p. 126.

(13) Prophetæ

(14) With unwashen feet.

(15) Who lie upon the ground.

(16) These names we find in Strabo. VII. p. 227. Hom. Iliad. II. 233. Callim. H. in Del. 284. and 94. p. 401.

(17) Strab. VII. p. 227.

(18) Strabo, l. c.

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(19) Pausan. Phocic. XII. p. 828. Vossius, de Orig. et Progr. Idolol. I. 7. p. 54.

(20) Ælian. V. H. I. 15. Herodotus, II. p. 125. gives another explanation.

(21) Dikinson, Delph. Phœniz. c. IX.

(22) Pompon. Mela, II. 3. l. 71. Plin. II. 103. Lucret. VI.

(23) Callim. H. in Del. p. 286. calls it *ασιγνη-  
τὸ Λεβης*—The caldron which is never silent. Callim. in Fragm. Aff. Steph. Biz. l. c. calls it *ηχωχαλκον*—The sounding brass. See, on the sense of this word, Bentl. ad Frag. Callim. l. c. Steph. Biz. Fragm. *Δωδωνη*—p. 745. Edit. Th. de Pinedo. Plin. XXXVI. p. 13. Suidas, at the words—*Δωδωναίον χαλκειον*. Serv. ad Virg. Æneid. III. 446. Philost. Icon. II. p. 830. Juvenal. VI. 440. Lucan. VI. 427. This proverb is in Menander, Fragm. p. 24. edit. of Le Clerc. —In Callim. Fragm. of Bentl. See Steph. Biz. l. c. and Suidas, at the word, *Δωδωναίον χαλκειον*.

## C H A P. XI.

## Of the DELPHIC ORACLE.

I. **T**HE Delphic oracle was the most (1) famous of them all. It gave its answers at Delphi, a city of (2) Phocis. In that city was the famous temple of (3) Pythian Apollo, enriched with treasures and (4) offerings. The place in which the oracles were delivered, was called, (5) The Pythian; the priests who delivered them, (6) Pythia; and the games in honour of Apollo, (7) The Pythian Games.

II. Different origins are given to the word, Pythian. Etymologists derive it from the serpent (8) Python, or from the verb, (9) *πυθεσθαι*, to consult, or from (10) *πυθεσθαι*, to rot; but its true root is *πυθα*, which is a name of the city of (11) Delphi.

III. This oracle was very ancient. It flourished about a hundred years before the

(12) Trojan war. The Goddess Themis first gave the oracles here. But she resigned that privilege to (13) Apollo.

IV. Some authors have asserted that a flock of goats gave rise to this oracle. They tell us that on mount Parnassus there was a deep cave, the entrance to which was narrow; that the goats, when they approached this entrance, began to skip and scream; that the goat-herd, while he was surprised at that prodigy, found himself seized with a kind of fury, a divine enthusiasm, which opened futurity to his view; that a tripod was placed at the opening of the cavern, and a temple built (14) there.

V. To the following particulars, however, we may give credit.—In the sanctuary of the temple there was a deep cave, from which a cold exhalation issued that mounted high into the (15) air.

VI. At the opening of this cave there was a tripod, which was called (16) *χρηστηριον*, and (17) *προφητικον*.

VII. The word tripod, tripus, is not of Hebrew etymology, as a learned (18) critic would have it; it is derived from the (19) Greek.

VIII. This tripod had a cover, of a circular form, with (20) holes. Its Greek name was (21) *ολμος*.

IX. On this cover the priestess sat, who, therefore, had the epithet, (22) *Ενολμος*. She intoxicated herself with the vapour which exhaled from the bottom of the cave; and with dishevelled hair, and a foaming mouth, she enounced her (23) oracles.

X. The Pythia was, at first, a young girl. In later times she was a woman of fifty years of (24) age.

XI. The first, and the most famous of the Pythias was Phemonoë.—Oracles were first delivered by her in (25) hexameter verses.

XII. People were permitted to consult this oracle only in one month of the year; and that month was termed, *Βυσιος*, or,  
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more properly, Πυσιῶ, from the verb, Πυθαινομαι, to consult. But in after-times it was consulted once (26) every month.

XIII. They who consulted the oracle were obliged to bring great (27) presents; and this temple was, therefore, richer than any (28) other.—Whence came the proverb, χρηματα Αφητορῶ, the wealth of Apollo, implying great (29) wealth.

XIV. They who came to consult this oracle, offered sacrifices to (30) Apollo. The care of these sacrifices was committed to five priests, called Ὀσίοι, i. e. The holy, who were the ministers of the prophetesses, and shared with them the religious functions. The chief of these priests was called (31) Ὀσιωτηρ. There were likewise conductors, (32) Περιηγηται, and a priest who was called by a name of Apollo, Αφητωρ.

XV. They who came to consult the oracle walked with (33) crowns on their heads.

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XVI. They gave in their questions (34) written and (35) sealed.

XVII. The answers were delivered in (36) Greek ; commonly in (37) hexameter, sometimes in (38) iambic verses.

XVIII. But in the latter times the oracle spoke in prose, and seldom in (39) verse.

XIX. The language of these oracles was generally obscure and equivocal, (40) λοξοι. Whence Apollo had the surname, (41) Λοξίας.

XX. These oracles were deemed infallible. Thence came the proverbial expression, (42) τα εκ τριποδος.

XXI. We read, however, that the Pythia sometimes took bribes.

XXII. At length the oracle ceased. But (43) when, and how, is yet an undetermined (44) problem. It is said that it began to be (45) silent in the reign of Nero. It gave answers, however, after that time ; and even in the days of (46) Julian the Apostate.

## NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. XI.

(1) Strabo. IX. p. 288. Cic. de Div. I. 19. Liv. XXVII. 48. Justin. XXIV. 6.

(2) Strabo, IX. p. 287.

(3) Strabo, *ibid.*

(4) Hom. *Il.* I. v. 404. Strab. l. c. p. 288. Ælian. V. H. VI. 9. Pausan. Phocic. IX.

(5) Subaudi—oracle. As in Greek, Aristoph. Equ. 220, has, Πυθεικον, subaudi—μαντειον.

(6) Nepos, I. 1. In Greek, Πυθια, subaudi, Ίερεια. Pausan. Corinth. xxvi. p. 171. She is likewise called, Φοιβας, Pollux. Phœbas, Lucan, V. 128. An appellation which Ovid gives also to Cassandra. Ovid. Trist. II. 400. Lycophron. calls her Φοιβαστρια.

(7) Subaudi—games. As in Greek, Πυθιοι; subaudi αγωνες. Pausan. Corinth. XXXII. p. 186. And, πυθια; subaudi—αγωνισματα. Pausan. Phoc. XXXVII. p. 893. Ovid. Met. I. 446.

(8) Macrob. Saturn. I. 17.—Ovid adopts this etymology. Met. I. 446. See Hygin. Fab. 140.

(9) Strab. IX. p. 289. Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 39.

(10) Or from Πυθειν, σπτιν, putrescere. Macrob. l. c. Suidas, at the word, Πυθω, adopts this etymology; and founds it upon the rotting of  
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of the serpent Python in that country. See Pausan. Phocic. VI. p. 812. Casaub. ad Strab. IX. p. 289.

(11) The city of Delphi is called Pytho by Callim. H. in Del. v. 90. Spanheim. 383. Hesiod likewise gives it the same name, Theog. 449. So does Homer, Od. 9. 80. See Schol. Pausan. Phocic. VI. and Dikinson, Delph. Phœniz. c. 1. and 2. where we find other etymologies. See likewise, Heinsius in Aristarch. c. 1.

(12) Strabo, l. 9. p. 287. to prove the antiquity of this oracle, goes as far back as to Agamemnon, who, according to Homer, consulted it, Od. 9. 79. See Tzetz. ad Lycoph. 208. But it existed in the time of the Argonauts; as may be proved by Apollon. Rhod. IV. 536. And if any credit is to be given to the fabulous writers, the oracle of Themis, to which succeeded that of Apollo, existed in the time of Deucalion. Ovid, Met. I. 367.

(13) Pausan. Phocic. V. p. 808. Muncker, ad Ovid. Met. I, Schol. Pindar, *υποθ. Πυθίων.*

(14) Diodor. Sic. XVI. c. 26. p. 427. Plut. de Orac. Defec. p. 433. Pausan. Phocic. VI.

(15) Justin. XXIV. 6. Strabo, IX. p. 288. Longin. *Περί ψευδ. c. XIII.*

(16) i. e. Prophetic. Eurip. Jon. 1320.

(17) Schol. Pindar. p. 157. See Barnes. ad Eurip. Jon. 463.

(18) Stephen the Monk, in Var. Sacris, p. 1010.

(19) This is clear from the words of Diodorus Siculus, XVI. 26.

(20) Pollux, X. 23. 81.

(21) Schol. ad Aristoph. Plut. v. 9. and Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Del. 90. p. 389.

(22) The Pythia was also called, *Εγγαστριμύθη*—ventriloqua—from *γαστρα*, or *γαστρα*, which has the same signification with *άλμης*. See Lakem. p. 313. and 504.

(23) We meet with this description in the Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 39. See Origen, contra Cels. VII. and Barth. ad Stat. Thebaid. I. 697.

(24) She was even upwards of fifty. See Diodor. Sic. XVI. 26. who gives a reason for this change of the priestess's age,

(25) Pausan. Phocic. v. p. 809.

(26) Plut. Quæst. Græc. p. 292.

(27) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Apoll. It is, however, more probable, that the presents were proportioned to the circumstances of the votaries. For the poor Chremylus offered little; Aristoph. in Plut.—But Cresus made rich presents. Herodot. I. p. 20.—Strabo, IX. p. 289.

(28) Cic. de Div. I. Justin. XXIV. 6. Eurip. Iph. in Taur. 1275. Strabo, l. c.

(29) This proverbial expression is taken from  
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Homer. Il. I. v. 404. See Strabo, IX. p. 289, and Ælian. V. H. VI. 9.

(30) Plut. de Orac. Defec. p. 437.

(31) Plut. Quæst. Græc. p. 292.

(32) Their office was, to take all those who came to consult the oracle, through the temple, and show them its curiosities. Plut. de Pyth. Orac. pag. 397.

(33) Æschyl. Xonφ. v. 1035. Eumen. v. 40. Liv. 23. 11. Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. 21.

(34) Aristoph. Schol. ad Plut. 39.

(35) Plut. de Orac. Def. p. 134.

(36) Cic. de Div. II. 56.

(37) Schol. ad Eurip. Orest. 1094. Aristoph. ad Nub. 144. Pausan. Phocic. V. p. 809.

(38) Pausan. Messen. IX. p. 301. and Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. 144.

(39) Plutarch has written a treatise on the cause of this change.

(40) Cic. de Div. II. 56. Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. 8. Potter ad Lycoph. 14.

(41) Aristoph. Plut. 8. Equ. 1044. Schol. Eurip. ad Orest. 165.

(42) Eurip. Electr. 399. Cic. de Div. I. 19. Æschyl. Xonφ. 557. and 901.

(43) We meet with a like expression in Terence, Andrian, IV. 2. 15. Cic. ad Brut. Epist. 2.

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(44) Cic. de Div. II. 57. Pausan. Lacon. IV. p. 212. Nep. Lyfand. c. III.

(45) It had fallen into great contempt in the time of Cicero. De Div. II. 57. Strabo informs us that the oracles were neglected in his time. XVII. p. 555.—Delphis oracula cessant. Juvenal, VI. 555. See Lucan. V. 112. Plut. de Defect. Orac. p. 411. Euseb. Præpar. Evang. V. p. 205. Interpret. Juvenal, ad l. c. On the question, Whether the oracles were silent after the birth of Christ? See Casaubon, Antibar. Exercit. I. 12.

(46) The reason of its silence was, either that men grew less credulous, Cic. de Divin. II. 57. and Min. Fel. p. 26.—Or that the Romans restrained their inquiries to their Sibylline books, their haruspices, their auspices, and their astrological observations; or that the kings, dreading future events, imposed silence upon the oracles. Lucan. V. 112. See Cic. de Div. II. 57. Plut. de Orac. Def. Many have attributed this silence to the progress of Christianity.

(47) Yet Suetonius says it answered Nero. In Neron. c. 40. See Themistius, Orat. XIX. They who assert that the oracles were then silent, vouch the authority of Lucan, v. 113. and of Juvenal, l. c. See Xiphilin. p. 523.

(48) Theodoret. Hist. Eccles. III. 21. Fontenelle. Hist. des Oracles.

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## C H A P. XII.

Of the ORACLE of TROPHONIUS.

I. **T**HIS famous oracle of Trophonius was in the neighbourhood of Lebadaia, a city of (1) Bœotia, near to which was a wood, and the (2) oracle, on an eminence that overlooked the wood.

II. It takes its name from Trophonius, the brother of (3) Agamedes, who lived near Lebadaia, in a subterranean dwelling, where he pretended to the faculty of predicting future events. He died in that cave, and after his death he was deified as an (4) oracular God.

III. This oracle owed its fame to one Saon, mentioned by (5) Pausanias.

IV. It was in a cave; and from its situation took the name of (6) Καταβάσιον.

V. Peculiar ceremonies of purification were to be performed by the person who came to consult the oracle. He was to offer

fer appointed sacrifices; he was to anoint himself with oil, and bathe in a certain river. After these preliminaries, clothed in a linen robe, and with a honeyed cake in his hands, he descended into the cave by a narrow (7) passage.

VI. It was in this cave that futurity was disclosed to him, by sight, or by (8) hearing.

VII. He came out of the cave by the same narrow passage, but walking (9) backwards.

VIII. He came out of it astonished, melancholy, and (10) dejected. This situation of mind gave rise to the Greek proverb—(11) *ΕΙΣ ΤΡΟΦΩΝΙΟΝ ΜΕΜΑΝΤΕΥΕΤΑΙ.*

IX. The priests placed the person who had consulted the oracle on an elevated seat, called the seat of Mnemosyne; where he gave them an account of what he had seen and (12) heard.

X. His companions then conducted him to the chapel of *good genius*, or *good fortune*, where by degrees he recovered his usual composure and (13) cheerfulness.

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## NOTES to CHAP. XII.

(1) Liv. XXV. 27. Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. 508.

(2) Pausan. Bæot. c. XXXIX. p. 791.

(3) Pausan. Bæot. c. XXXVII. p. 785.

(4) Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. 508. But he is here opposed by the Scholiast of Pausanias. Bæot. c. XXXVIII. p. 786.

(5) Bæot. c. XL. p. 793.

(6) Suidas, at the word Trophonius.

(7) We meet with all these particulars, and more, in Pausan. Bæot. XXXIX. p. 789. See Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. 508. Lucian. Dialog. Mort. p. 267. Philostrat. Vit. Apollon. VIII. 19.

(8) Pausan. Bæot. XXXIX. p. 791.

(9) Pausan. l. c.

(10) Pausan. l. c. p. 792. and Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. 508.

(11) To give the idea of a melancholy person, this proverbial expression was used—He has been consulting the oracle Trophonius. Schol. Aristoph. l. c.

(12) Pausan. l. c. p. 752. See Hemsterhus. ad Lucian. Dialog. p. 63.

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## C H A P. XIII.

Of the other ORACLES of GREECE.

I. **B**ESIDES the three principal oracles of Greece which we have described, that of Amphiaraüs was of considerable note, ranked by Herodotus with the five celebrated Grecian oracles which (1) Cræsus consulted.

II. It was at (2) Oropius in Attica. The name of Amphiaraüs was given it, because Amphiaraüs, the son of (3) Æclea, a man skilled in (4) magic, and the interpretation of (5) dreams, and who, after his death, was worshipped as a God, gave (6) oracles there in a temple erected to his (7) divinity.

III. They who consulted this oracle (8) purified themselves, (9) sacrificed, (10) fasted twenty-four hours, (11) abstained from wine for two days, and then offered a ram to Amphiaraüs, on the skin

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of which their destiny was showed them while they were (12) asleep.

IV. Near the temple was the fountain of Amphiaraüs, which was deemed sacred, and the water of which was not allowed for common and profane (13) uses.

V. Besides this oracle, there was at Delos the oracle of (14) Delian Apollo; in Milesia, that of the (15) Branchides; with others less famous, of which we need not take particular (16) notice.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XIII.

(1) Herodot. I. p. 19.

(2) Pausan. Attic. c. 34. p. 83. Kuhnus, ad Pausan. l. c. Barth. ad Stat. Theb. I. 399.

(3) Hom. Od. O. v. 243. Apollodor. III. 6. 2.

(4) Diodor. Sic. IV. 67. Apollodor. l. c.

(5) Pausan. Attic. XXXIV. p. 84. Philostr. Icon. I. 27. p. 802.

(6) Pausan. l. c. p. 83.

(7) Pausan. l. c. p. 84.

(8) Pausan. Attic. l. c.

(9) Idem.

(10) Philostr. Vit. Apollon. II. 37. p: 90.

(11) Philostr. l. c.

(12) Pausan. l. c.

(13) Pausan. l. c.

(14) Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Del: 90.  
P. 384.

(15) Herodot. I. p. 19. and 72. Conon. Narrat. 33. p. 273. Plin. v. 29. Mela, I. 17. Jamblich. de Myst. III. 11. Strab. XIV. p. 436. 40. XVII. p. 560.

(16) See, on the number of oracles, Fabricius, Biblioth. Græc. I. 17. 4. The author has omitted, for instance, the oracle of Colophon, or Clarian Apollo, mentioned by Tacitus. Ann. II. 54. Plin. II. 103. Jamblich. de Myst. III. 11.

## C H A P. XIV.

## Of the DIVINATIONS.

I. **A**FTER having given a summary account of the oracles, we shall now proceed to the other divinations; of which the following were the (1) principal.

II. The divination by the singing and flight of birds, (2) *οιωνισικη*. In this pretended science, the right was looked upon as propitious, and the left as (3) unfortunate. They who professed this kind of divination were called, (4) *οιωνοσκοποι*.

III. Divination by dreams.—The professors of this divination were called (5) *ονειροπολοι*, and (6) *ονειροσκοποι*.

IV. Divination by sacrifices, or by the inspection of victims—(7) *ιερομαντεια*, (8) *ιεροσκοπια*, in Latin, (9) extispicium.—They who practised this art were called, (10) *ιεροσκοποι*.

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V. In this kind of divination was included the divination by the fire of sacrifices, (11) *πυρομαντεία*—by the smোক, (12) *καπνομαντεία*; by the wine, (13) *οινομαντεία*.

VI. The divination by lot, (14) *κληρομαντεία*; in which was included the divination by charms—(15) *σιχομαντεία*; and the divination by the wand, (16) *ραβδομαντεία*.

VII. There were yet other *magical* divinations; as, the divination by the *dead*, (17) *νεκρομαντεία*—to which we must refer the (18) *σκιαμαντεία*—and the (19) *ψυχομαντεία*.

VIII. The hydromancy, or the divination by (20) water.

IX. The (21) ornithomancy, or the alectriomancy; the divination by the cock.

X. The koskinomancy, or divination by the (22) sieve.

XI. There was another sort of divination, in which they fancied that *dæmons* spoke from the belly or the breast of men. The divines of this kind had the names of

(23) εγλασφιμυθοι, (24) ζερνομαντες, (25) ευφυκλεις, and (26) πυθωνες.

## NOTES to CHAP. XIV.

(1) Divination is termed in Greek, *μαντικη*. See Jamblich. de Myst. III. 1. and Th. Galè, p. 214. Cic. de Div. defines divination. See Xenophon. *Απομνημ.* I. 1. § 3. Fabric. Bibliogr. Antiq. c. 12. p. 415. and Josephus apud Galeum, ad Jamblich. de Myst.

(2) The augural art. See Suidas, at the word, *Οιωρισκη*. and Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Pallad. p. 618. Jamblich. de Myst. III. 16. p. 80. Plut. de Solertiâ Animi, p. 975. Jamblich. thus defines this divination—*Τεχνη της θηρας τε μελλοντος δι' ορνιθων*—The art of inquiring into futurity by birds. De Myst. III. 15.

(3) Cic. de Div. II. 39. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Pallad. 124. Hom. *Ιλ. Μ.* v. 239. explains the right and the left in this divination.

(4) They were likewise styled *Θεοπροποι οιωρισται*. Hom. *Ιλ.* v. 70. *οιωνοπολοι*, *Ιλ. Α.* 69. Pausan. Attic. 34. *αγαθοι διαγνωναι πτησεις ορνιθων*—Skilled in distinguishing the flights of birds.

(5) Hom. *Ιλ. Α.* 63. Pausan. Attic. 34. defines

finds them—*Αγαθοί ονειράτα ἐξηγησασθαι*—Skilled in interpreting dreams. And, *Eliac. c. 23. Ετυπιων ἐξηγῆται*—Interpreters of dreams.

(6) Consult, on the origin of divination by dreams, *Justin. 36. 2. Æschyl. Prometh. v. 484. Jamblich. de Myst. III. 2. p. 60.* takes great pains to evince the excellence of this art. See, on the different kinds of dreams, *Macrob. Som. Scip. I. 3.* and on the veracity of dreams, *Broukhuf. ad Tibull. III. 4. 7.*

(7) *Diodor. Sic. I. 53.* calls it sacrificial divination. See *Æschyl. Prometh. v. 492.*

(8) *Diodor. Sic. I. 70.* uses the word *ἱεροσκοπιῖσθαι.*

(9) *Suet. Nero. 56. Cic. de Div. II. 12.* See *Mauffac. ad Plutarch de Flum. p. 17, 18.*

(10) Homer calls them *Θυοσκοῦς*, *Il. Ω. 221. Dion. Halic. II. p. 93. l. 5. Pausan. Attic. XXXIV. p. 84.* defines them—*Αγαθοί διαγινῶναι σπλαγχνῶν ἱερῶν*—Skilled in reading destiny in the entrails of victims. See *Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. II. 31. Eustath. ad Il. Ω. 221. Alex. ab Alex. v. 25. Interpr. ad Minuc. Fel. c. 27. Casaub. ad Strab. XVI. p. 524.*

(11) *Æschyl. Prometh. v. 497.* and *Barnes, ad Eurip. Helen. 752.*

(12) *Gale ad Jamblich. de Myst. III. 28. Ovid. Trist. V. El. 5. v. 26. Barth. ad Stat. Theb. IV. 412.*

(13) Eustath. ad Od. p. 1470. edit. Rom. Le Clerc, Genes. XLIV. 5.

(14) It consisted in a throw of the dice, the fortuitous combination of which they took for the answer of the Gods. Pausan. Achaic. XXV. p. 590. describes it. See Suet. Tib. XIV. Calig. LVII. Cic. de Div. II. 41. Val. Max. I. 3. Schwartz. Diff. de Sortibus Poeticis, § 4.

(15) Casaub. ad Spartian. Hadrian. c. 2. Schwartz. Diff. de Sortibus Poeticis. Trotzius ad Herm. Hug. de primâ scribendi Origine, p. 240.

(16) Jamblich. de Myst. III. 17. and Galé, ad h. l. p. 238. Herm. Hug. de primâ scribendi origine, c. XXVI. p. 238.

(17) We meet with this word in Cicero. Tusc. I. 16. Hesychius terms it likewise, Νεκυομαντεία. Gregor. Naz. in Julian. Orat. III. calls it Ψυχαγωγία. We have a specimen of this kind of divination in Homer, Od. A. 24. and that book seems for this reason to have been formerly entitled, Νεκυία. See Ælian. V. H. XIII. 14. Broukhuf. ad Tibull. I. 2. 45. and 49. Stat. Theb. IV. 413. and Barth. ad h. l. Philostr. ad Apollon. IV. 15. There were in Greece particular places in which the souls were evoked, and which were called, νεκυομαντήια. Herodot. V. p. 369. Pausan. Bæot. c. XXX. p. 769. or, νεκυομαντεία. Strab. XVI. p. 524. or ψυχομαντεία. Kuhn. ad Pausan. c. XVII. p. 252. Whence

comes the verb, ψυχαγωγειν—To evoke souls. Aristoph. Av. 1554. The priests of this superstition were called, ψυχαγωγοι.

(18) When the dead appeared in an ærial form, like shadows. Potter, II. 18.

(19) We find this word in Cic. de Div. I. 58. The places where the manes were evoked, were termed Psychomantia. Fabricius, Bibliogr. Antiq. p. 427. 'is wrong in understanding this word as applied to the art itself.

(20) Ὑδρομαντεία, mentioned by Pliny, XXXVII. 11. and Pausan. Lacon. XXIII. p. 270. whence is derived Strabo's word, υδρομαντείας, L. XVI. p. 524.

(21) Ορηις is used by Aristophanes for αλεκτρων, Vesp. 811. Zonaras speaks of this divination, T. III. Annal. p. 28. See Herm. Hug. de primâ scribendi Origine, c. 26. p. 239.

(22) Theocrit. III. 31. Lucian, T. I. p. 753. Pseudon. Ælian. Hist. Animal. VIII. 5.

(23) Plut. de Orac. Def. p. 414.

(24) Pollux, II. 4. 162. says that they are so called by Sophocles.

(25) Aristoph. Schol. ad Vesp. 1014.

(26) Plut. l. c. See Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Del. v. 90. p. 383. Dickinson, Delph. Phæniz. c. 9. p. 91. and the authors cited by Fabricius, Bibliogr. Antiq. c. 12. p. 420. and Fæsius, Œconomia Hippocratis, p. 174.

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## C H A P. XV.

## Of P R E S A G E S.

I. **T**HERE were different kinds of presages. Some were taken from the person himself, whose good or bad fortune they were supposed to portend; some from external objects; and others were inferred from words. Their general term was, (1) *συμβολα*.

II. The presages taken from the person to whom they were supposed to relate, were, 1<sup>o</sup> Palpitations, (2) *παλμοι*, in the heart, or the eyes.—2<sup>o</sup> (3) *βομβος*, a ringing in the ears.—3<sup>o</sup> (4) *Πταρμος*, sneezing.

III. Presages were likewise taken from external objects: an uncommon (5) splendour, for instance, seen any where—an unforeseen (6) accident—a monstrous (7) birth—an ominous meeting, as meeting a (8) weasel,

weasel, &c.—were so many presages from which future events were inferred.

IV. Presages were also drawn from words; as they were favourable or the reverse, good or bad (9) conclusions were made from them. The favourable words were termed, (10) *οπται*, (11) *κληδονες*, and (12) *φημαι*.

V. The words of bad presage were called, (13) *κακαι οπται*, and (14) *δυσφημαι*.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XV.

(1) Xenoph. *Απομνημ.* I. 1. § 3. Aristoph. *Av.* v. 722. Plut. *Æmil.* calls the presages, *οιωνα*, p. 473.—*Κληδων* was of the same signification. The knowledge of presages was called *Κληδονισικη*. See Pontan. ad Macrob. *Somn. Scip.* I. 12. Barth. ad Claudian. in *Eutrop.* I. 125.

(2) Theocr. *Idyl.* III. 37. and Casaub. ad h. l. Plaut. *Pseudal.* I. 1. 105. and Taubman. ad h. l. Suidas, at the words, *Παλμικον οιωνισμα*. We are told of a book written by Melampus, which was entitled, *Περι παλμων μαντικη, προς Πτολεμαιοσ βασιλια*.

*βασιλεια*.—The presages of palpitations, addressed to king Ptolemy.

(3) This word, with the signification given it, seems to be taken from the ode of Sappho in Longinus, Sect. 10.—*Βομβηυσιν τ' ακοαι μοι*, which Catullus renders—*Sonitu suopte tinniunt aures*. See Aufon. Lect. I. 16. Plin. XVIII. 2, calls it, *Tinnitus aurium*. Cels. VI. 7. p. 8. *Sonitum aurium*.

(4) Theocrit. VII. 96. and Schol. ad h. l. Aristot. Probl. Sect. XXXIII. 5. 7. and II. See Ouzelius ad Min. Fel. octav. c. 26. p. 268.

(5) Hom. Od. T. v. 36. lib. I. 39. 41.

(6) Pausan. Messen. XIII. p. 311. Plut. Camill. p. 132. Diod. Sic. XVII. 10. p. 494.

(7) This is evident from the Romans. See Julius obsequens de Prodigis, c. 96. Plin. VII. 16. Phædr. III. 3. Broukhuf. ad Tibull. II. 5. v. 80. It is likewise evident from the Greeks. Plut. Conviv. Sept. Sap. p. 149. gives us almost the same anecdote of Thales which Phædrus relates of Æsop, III. 3.

(8) Theophrast. Charact. Ethic. c. 17. and Casaub. ad h. l. Plaut. Stict. III. 2. 7. Terence, Phorm. IV. 4. 16. Aristoph. Concion. v. 787. Horace, Od. III. 27.

(9) Examples of good presage are to be met with in Herodotus, IX. 90. in Plutarch, Paul. Æmil.

Æmil. p. 473. and of bad presage in Euripides, Phœniss. 1500. and Jon. 1189.

(10) Perhaps the right word is *οσσαί*. Hecyph. *Οσσα, κληδων, και Φημη, οσσαῖσθαι, κληδονισασθαι.*

(11) Pausan. Bœot. c. XI. p. 733.

(12) Euripid. Jon. 99. Aristoph. Vespr. 860.

(13) Perhaps, *κακαι οσσαί*, verba male ominata, or nominata, in the language of Horace, Od. III. 14. v. 11.

(14) They were likewise termed, *βλασφημιαί*. Euripid. Jon. v. 1189. and Hecub. v. 182. *φροισια κακα*—mala procemia. Suidas calls them likewise, *δυσκληδονισα, δυσωνυμια*. See Casaubon. ad Theophr. Charact. Ethic. c. 19.

CHAP.

## C H A P. XVI.

Of the FESTIVALS of the GREEKS.

I. **T**HE Grecian festivals and games were likewise acts of religion. I shall treat of them concisely, and I will begin with the festivals.

II. The festivals were instituted in honour of the Gods; to thank them for some important benefit, and to celebrate their (1) praises; or in memory of the dead who had done signal services to their (2) country.

III. In the early times there was but a small number of festivals. There were but a very few more than those which were celebrated after the harvest, and the (3) vintage.

IV. But afterwards their number augmented with that of the Gods; particularly among the Athenians, who worshipped more deities than any other people of (4) Greece.

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V. Gaiety, mirth, and pleasure were characteristics of these (5) festivals.

VI. The principal ones (for it would be tedious to take notice of them all) were—The feasts of Adonis—*Αδωνια*—in honour of Venus and Adonis. They lasted (7) two days: the first day was celebrated with mourning, and the second with (8) joy.

VII. The Anthesteria, *Ανθεστηρια*, were celebrated at Athens, in honour of Bacchus, for three days, viz. on the eleventh, twelfth, and thirteenth of the month Anthesterion. The first day was called *πιθαγυια*; the second *χοες*, and the third, (9) *χυτροι*.

VIII. The Apaturia—*Απατουρια*, in honour of (10) Bacchus. This word is derived from *απατη*; because this festival was instituted in memory of the art or stratagem by which Melanthes, king of Athens, conquered Xanthius king of (11) Bœotia. Others make the word *Απατουρια* of the same import with *ὀμοπατουρια*; because

cause the fathers assembled during this festival to write the names of the children on the table of the (12) Curii.

IX. It was celebrated for (13) three days, and began on the twenty-second of the month (14) Pyanepsion.

X. The first day was called *δορπεία*, on account of the feasts on that day. For (15) *δορπ* signifies a feast.

XI. The second day was called *αναρῆσεις*, from the sacrifices in honour of Jupiter Phratrian, or the protector of the tribes, and of Minerva, to which deities this day was (16) consecrated.

XII. The third day was called *κουρευτις*, from *κουρα*, tonsio; because on that day the children were shaved before their names were inscribed in the public (17) registers.

XIII. The Brauronia—*Βραυρωνία*, or the festival of (18) Brauronian Diana, so called from (19) Braurona, a town of Attica.

XIV. This festival was celebrated (20) every fifth year.

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XV. Its object was to consecrate to Diana the young girls, clothed in a (21) yellow robe. This ceremony was called *αρκτησειν*, from *αρκτη*, which was the name of a girl consecrated to (22) Diana. It was likewise termed *δεκατσειν*, because the girls thus consecrated were about (23) ten years of age.

XVI. The Daphnephoria—*Δαφνηφορια*, were festivals which the Bæotians celebrated every ninth year in honour of Apollo. A branch of olive was carried in procession, adorned with flowers and wreaths of laurel, with a globe of brass at the top of it, to which were fixed other small globes; and in the middle there was a globe less than the first. The brazen globe represented the sun, the central globe the moon, and the small globes, the (24) stars.

XVII. The Dionysian feasts—*Διονυσια*, were celebrated in honour of (25) Bacchus, and with more solemnity at Athens than in any other part of (26) Greece.

XVIII. In this festival they carried a vase

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full of wine, adorned with vine-branches; after the vase, a kid, and a basket of figs; and after them, the (27) Phallus.

XIX. They who celebrated this festival were clad with skins of (28) mules, crowned with (29) ivy, and (30) vine, and carried (31) thyrsuses, (32) flutes, and (33) cymbals: some conducted (34) Silenus, Pan, and the Satyrs; others mounted on (35) asses, strayed over hills and through (36) deserts, leaping, and (37) crying with a dreadful howl, (38) *Ευοισαβοι, Ευοι Βαρχε, ιω Βαρχε*.

XX. There were two kinds of Dionysia; (39) the great festival, which was likewise called (40) *Διονυσια κατ' ασυ*, because it was celebrated in the (41) city, in the (42) spring, with (43) public games.

XXI. The (44) less pompous festival was called (45) *Διονυσια κατ' αγρους*, because it was celebrated in the country. (46) It fell in autumn.

XXII. The feasts of Eleusis, *Ελευσινια*, were the (47) most solemn of all. They were celebrated by the (48) Athenians and the other (49) Greeks (50) once in five years.

years. Cicero calls them (51) *Μυστηρια*, and *Initia*. They are likewise termed (52) *Τελεται*.

XXIII. They too were divided into the (53) Great, and the Little. (54) The Great were in honour of Ceres; the Little in honour of Proserpine.

XXIV. (55) The little festival was preparatory to the great one.

XXV. They who were admitted to the little Eleusinia were called (56) *Μυσαι*; and they who were admitted to the great, (57) *Εποπται*.

XXVI. He who initiated to the mysteries had the title of (58) Hierophantes.

XXVII. The initiation had its peculiar (59) ceremonies.

XXVIII. The Hierophantes had three colleagues; a (60) torch-bearer, *Δαδουχον*; a herald, (61) *Κηρυκα*, and a minister, (62) *τον επι Βωμω*.

XXIX. Some of the magistrates likewise assisted at these ceremonies; one of the archons, named (63) *Βασιλευς*; and four deputies,

deputies, *Επιμεληται*, who were to take care that (64) order should be observed.

XXX. The dress in which one had been initiated, was deemed sacred; when it was worn out, it was consecrated to Ceres and (65) Proserpine.

XXXI. The feasts of Eleusis lasted nine days, from the fifteenth to the twenty-third of the month (66) Boédromion. During that time it was not lawful to (67) seize criminals, or to commence any suit. He who disobeyed these prohibitions was fined a (68) thousand drachmas.

XXXII. The ladies were not permitted to ride in a chariot at the Eleusinian festivals. They who were disobedient to this regulation, payed a fine of (69) six thousand drachmas.

XXXIII. The Thesmophoria, or the feasts of (70) Ceres the legislatress, were celebrated in many (71) cities of Greece; but with more solemnity at (72) Athens than in any other place.

XXXIV. These sacrifices were celebrated  
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by free women, and (73) matrons of the first quality, clothed in a (74) white robe. Some days before they entered upon these ceremonies, they were obliged to live in extreme (75) continence. That they might be the less tempted to violate this law, they put (76) agnus castus into their bed. They were expressly forbidden to eat (77) pomegranates.

XXXV. On the eleventh day of the month (78) Pyanepsion, women walked in procession towards Eleufis, carrying on their heads the books in which the laws were (79) written; a ceremony from which that day was called (80) *Arrodos*.

XXXVI. On the fourteenth day the solemnity began, which lasted to the (81) eighteenth.

XXXVII. The sixteenth day was called (82) *Νηστια*: for on that day they fasted, (83) lying upon the ground, to express their (84) humiliation.

XXXVIII. The *Ofchophoria*, or festival of (85) branches was so called, because in

that festival they carried branches, to which bunches of grapes were hung, named (86) *Οσκαί*.

XXXIX. The Panathenea were instituted by Erecthon in honour of Minerva, and were at first called, (87) *Athenea*: but Theseus, who restored and improved them, gave them the name of (88) *Panathenea*.

XL. They were divided into the *little* and the *great*; the *little* were celebrated every year; the (89) *great* every five years.

XLI. In the little panathenea there were three contests, at which ten men presided, chosen from the ten tribes;—horse-racing, wrestling, and (90) music. The horse races were by night, with a (91) flambeau in the hand.

XLII. The prize of the victor was a (92) vase filled with oil, and a wreath from the olive-trees which grew in the Academy, which were sacred to Minerva, and called, (93) *Μοριαί*.

XLIII. There were the same contests in the great Panathenea, but with more (94) pomp. (95) The *Peplum Minervæ*

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was carried in procession, on which were represented in embroidery, the giants, the heroes, and (96) men famous for their courage, At this festival they likewise sung (97) verses from Homer.

## NOTES to CHAP. XVI.

(1) The Thesmophoria and feasts of Eleusis were instituted in honour of Ceres, to thank her for the laws which she had given the Greeks, and for having instructed them in agriculture. Diod. Sic. V. 68. p. 336. Cic. de Leg. II. 14. Macrob. Saturn. III. 12. Plat. de Legib. II. Athen. VIII. p. 363. Strabo, IX. 642.

(2) Such were the feasts in honour of Theseus, *Θησσια*, and those in honour of Hercules, *Ἡρακλεια*. Aristoph. Ran. 664.

(3) Homer calls them *Θαλυσια*. Il. I. v. 530. Eustathius remarks, that by some rhetoricians they are termed, *Συγκομισθηρια*. See Theocrit. Idyll. VII. Aristot. ad Nicom. VIII. 11.

(4) This has been proved, c. II. § 3. For that reason, Xenophon observes, this people had more festivals than any of the other Greeks. De Reb. Atheniens.

(5) Spanheim. ad Aristoph. Ran. 392. Macrob. Saturn. I. 116. Pausan. Messen. c. 27. p. 344. Plut. Quæst. Rom. p. 289. Hence these expressions, *οφθαλμων πανηγυρις, ιορτη οψεως*—The pomp of the eye, the feast of the sight;—which are likewise used by Ælian, III. 1. and XIII. 1.

(6) Musæus de Hero et Leandr. v. 43. Aristoph. Schol. Pac. 419.

(7) Plut. Nicia, p. 532. Macrob. Sat. I. 21.

(8) Lucian, de Deâ Syriâ, p. 688. St. Cyrillus, St. Jerom, and other fathers, are of opinion that Ezechiel alludes to this feast, VIII. 14. See Deylingii Diff. de Fletu super Thammuz. and Bannier, Hist. du Culte d'Adonis. Mem. de l'Acad. des Bell. Lett. T. IV. p. 136.

(9) Aristoph. Schol. ad Acharnan. 960. Plut. Sympos. III. Athen. X. 10. p. 437. Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. II. 41.

(10) See Proclus, Tim. Comment. I. But it appears that this festival was instituted in honour of many Gods. 1° Of Jupiter. Schol. Aristoph. Acharn. 146. 2° Of Minerva, *ibid.* 3° Of Bacchus, Aristoph. *ibid.* 4° Of Vulcan; Harpocr. at the word *λαμπας*. 5° Of Diana; see Hesych. at the word, *κουρευτις*. 6° Of Ceres; Herodot. Vit. Homeri.

(11) Conon. Narrat. 39. p. 282. Suidas, at the words *Ξανθιος, Μελανθιος, and Απατουρια*. Polyan. Strateg. I. 19.

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(12) Schol. Aristoph. Acharnan. 146. We find another remarkable reason in Potter, p. 392.

(13) Suidas, at the word, *Απατουρια*, and Schol. Aristoph. l. c.

(14) Theophrast. Charact. c. 4. *Περι αδολογησιας*. Vid. Petit. ad Leg. Attic.

(15) Schol. Aristoph. Achernan. 146. Xenoph. Hist. Græc. l. 1. Herodot. Vit. Homeri.

(16) Schol. Aristoph. Pac. 890. The word, *Αναρρυσις* is derived from *αναρρυσιν*, which is of the same signification with *σφαξιν*, to immolate, according to the explanation of Hesychius; or, from *ανα τρυσιν*, to turn upwards; for, as we have already observed, in the sacrifices made to the celestial Gods, the head of the victim was so pulled backwards that its eyes might look towards heaven. Hom. Il. A. 459. and Schol. ad h. l. Hence the Scholiast of Aristophanes uses indifferently the word, *αναρρυσις*, and *αναθυσις*.

(17) Hesych. *Κουριωτις*, Aristoph. Schol. Acharn. 146. and the authors cited by Vales. ad Harpocrat. p. 123.

(18) Hesych. at the word, *Βραυρωνια*.

(19) Pausan. Attic. c. 23. p. 55.

(20) Pollux. VIII. 9. 31.

(21) Aristoph. Lyfistr. v. 644.

(22) Harpocrat. at the word, *αρχτωσαι*; and Aristoph. l. c.

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(23) Hesych. at the word, Δεκατηνθια; and Suid. at the word, Απειρος.

(24) Procl. Chrestomathia. Pausan. Bæot. c. X. p. 730. Eustath. de Ismen. Amor. l. 8. and 9. describes a like festival in honour of Apollo and Daphne.

(25) Hesych. at the word, Διονυσια, which is derived from Dionysus, Bacchus. These feasts are likewise called Orgia, and Βαρχια, words for feasts of Bacchus in general.

(26) This it is easy to prove.—1° For the Athenians reckoned their year from the first day of these feasts. See Suid. Διονυσια. 2° For the principal Archon superintended the Dionysian feasts. Poffux, VIII. 3° For the priest of Bacchus had the most honourable feat at the public shows. Schol. Aristoph. Ran. V. 299.

(27) Plutarch gives us a detail of all these particulars. De Cupidit. Divit. p. 527. D.

(28) Schol. Euripid. ad Phædrit. v. 789. Bacch. v. 111. 833. and 695. Aristoph. Ran. 1242. Lucian, Bacchus; et de non temerè cred. cal. 417.

(29) Eurip. Bacch. V. 81. 106.

(30) Philostr. Icon. I. 18. p. 791. and I. 19. p. 793. Ovid. Met. VI. 587. Brotkhus. ad Tibul. III. 6. v. 1. Hom. H. in Dionys. v. 35. Ovid. Met. III. 666. Barth. ad Stat. Theb. II. p. 294.

(31) Eurip. Bacch. v. 80.

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(32) Catull. Carm. 61. v. 261. Virg. Æneid. XI. 737. Ovid. Met. III. 533. IV. 391. Eurip. Bacch. 127. 160.

(33) Eurip. Bacch. 59. 124. 156. 513. Liv. XXXIX. 8.

(34) Diod. Sic. IV. 3. 4. 5. p. 211. Ulpian. ad Midianam, p. 194. Plutarc. Antonic. Petau ad Synes. p. 27.

(35) According to the custom of Silenus, Perizon, ad Ælian. III. 18.

(36) Eurip. Bacch. v. 222.

(37) Idem. v. 62. 76. 115.

(38) Idem. v. 141. and v. 576. where Bacchus himself cries to the Bacchantes—*Ἰὼ Βακχαι;*—and v. 582. where the chorus cries to Bacchus—*Ἰὼ, Ἰὼ, Δεισπετά, Δεισπετά.* See Aristoph. *Θεσμοφ.* 1003. and Schol. ad 999. *Καὶ εἶθον, τοὶ, καὶ σαβαί,* ad Av. v. 874.

(39) Ulpian. ad Demosth. Orat. contra Sept. Palmer. Exercit: p. 505. and 617.

(40) Æschin. contra Ctesiph. p. 284. edit. Bas. 1672.

(41) Schol. Aristoph. Acharn. v. 503.

(42) Idem. l. c.

(43) These games were celebrated, because at that time people came from all the islands, and the other parts of Greece, with the tribute to Athens. Hence the town was filled with a crowd of strangers, to whom plays and other amusements were presented in honour of Bacchus.  
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Palmer. Exercit. p. 618. See Procœm. Comœd. Aristoph. in Av. and Serv. Petit. Miscell. I. 10. Perizon. ad Ælian. II. 13. n. 16.

(44) Palmer. Exercit. p. 505. Casaub. ad Athen. IV. 15. p. 445.

(45) Theophrast. Περὶ ἀγρονομίας.

(46) Palmer, l. c. says they were likewise called *Ληναία*. They were celebrated yearly in winter. Aristoph. Schol. ad Av. 201. 377. Scalliger de Emend. Temp. I. p. 29. edit. L. B. an. 1598.

(47) Aristot. Rhetor. II. 24. Zosim. IV. 3.

(48) Philostr. Apollon. IV. 6. S. Aug. de Civ. Dei, VII. 20.

(49) Pausan. Phocic. c. 31. p. 876. By the Celæans, for instance; Pausan. Corinth. c. 14. p. 142. The Phéneates; Pausan. Arcad. c. 14. and others.

(50) Some are of opinion that this festival was celebrated every year, and not every five years. Ant. Van Dale, Diff. VIII. ad Marmora, c. 2.

(51) Cic. de Leg. II. 14.

(52) Socrat. Paneg. 6.

(53) Schol. Aristoph. Plut. v. 1014. and 846.

(54) Idem. Plut. v. 846.

(55) Aristoph. Schol. ad Plut. v. 846. Clem. Alex. Strom. V. p. 429. Polyæn. v. 17.

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(56) Suidas, at the word *εποπτης*. Casaub. Athen. VI. 15. As the little festival of Eleufis was preparatory to the great one, fo Euripides thinks fleep preparatory to death,—and calls it, *τὰ μικρὰ τὸ θανάτῳ μυστηρία*—The little mysteries of death.

(57) Item. *Εφοροί*. Suidas, l. c.

(58) Hefych. *Ἱεροφάντης*. Suid. Diog. Laert. VII. 186. Philostr. Apollon. IV. 18. fays, that the hierophantes admits to the participation of facred things—*παρεχθιν τὰ ἱερά*, reveals the mystery of Eleufis—*τῶν Ἐλευσινῶν ἀνοίξει*. Tacitus; Hift. IV. 83. calls the Hierophantes, Antiftes Cereemoniarum Eleufiniarum. He had likewise the title of *Myftagogus*. Whatever more deferves to be known concerning the Hierophantes, the reader will find in Meurfius. Eleufin. c. 13.

(59) Schol. Ariftoph. Plut. 846. and 1014. Arrian, Epictet. III. 21. The initiation, for inftance, was performed by night: Ariftoph. Schol. Ran. 346. It was performed in a chapel which Ariftophanes calls; *Μυσθόδοκον δόμον*. Nub. v. 302. Thofe who were to be initiated, wore a wreath of myrtle on their head. Schol. Ariftoph. Ran. v. 333. More particulars are to be met with in Meurf. Eleufin. c. 9.

(60) Him who carried the torches in the feaft of Eleufis. Athenæus mentions him; I. 18. p.

121. Plutarch. Alcib. p. 202. E. and Aristid. p. 321. D.

(61) Plutarch. Alcib. l. c. He was likewise called Ἰεροκρηξ. Suid. and Spon. Itiner. p. II. pag. 216. Meurf. l. c. We find in Gruter, p. 27. N. 4. the following inscription—Hieroceryx, D. S. I. M. i. e. Deæ Sanctæ Isis Matris, or, Dei Solis Invisiti Mithræ.

(62) The Hierophantes represented the father of the Gods; the Daducus, the sun; the Ceryx, Mercury; and the ὀπί βωμῶν, the moon. Euseb. Præpar. Evang. III. 12. f. 117.†

(63) Hefychius defines Βασιλευς, an archon who presided at the Athenian mysteries. Pollux, VIII. 8. 3.

(64) Pollux, *ibid.* See Harpocrat. Suid. and Alciat. Parerg. II. 29.

(65) Schol. Aristoph. Plut. 846. 843. Dempst. ad Antiq. Rom. p. 328.

(66) Polyæn. III. c. XI. N. 2. ex Reffitut. Meurf. See, on the month Boedromion, Theophr. Charac. cap. *πρὸς Ἀδελφούς*. Plut. Demetr. fol. 900. Meurfius gives us the names of these nine days. Eleusin. 22. 30.

(67) Demosth. in Midiana, p. 409. C.

(68) Andocid. *πρὸς μυστηρίων*. p. 238.

(69) Plut. Tom. II. X. Orat. Vit. Lycurg. p. 842. A. See Petit. ad Leg. Attic. p. 35. Ælian. V. H. XII. 24.

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(70) Phurnut. de Nat. Deor. XXVIII. p. 212. Hygin. Fab. 47. 274. 277. For Ceres was thought to have been the first who gave laws to mankind. Diod. Sic. I. 14. p. 13. and v. 68. p. 336. Hence Virg. Æn. IV. 58. gives to Ceres the epithet, Legifera.

(71) At Lacedæmon, for instance; Hesych. Τρημορῶς—at Thebes, in Bæotia—Plut. Pelopid. p. 280.—at Miletus in Ionia, Parthen. Erot. VIII. p. 358.—at Megara, Pausan. Attic. c. 42. p. 102.

(72) Schol. Theocrit. ad Idyll. IV. 25.

(73) Isæus, Orat. περὶ τῆς Κικερῶνος κληροῦ, p. 511. Theocrit. Schol. Idyll. IV. v. 25.

(74) Ovid. Met. X. 431. Fast. IV. 619.

(75) Clem. Alex. Strom. IV. p. 381. Edit. L. Bat. 1616. Ovid. Met. X. 431.

(76) The Agnus Castus, or Salix Amerina, or Conyza, Cnyza, is said to be a plant which deadens amorous desire. See Hardouin ad Plin. XXIV. 9. Ælian. Hist. An. IX. 26. Theocrit. Schol. Idyll. IV. 25.

(77) Clem. Alex. Protrept. p. 10. A.

(78) Hesych. at the word, Ἀνοδος.

(79) Schol. Theocrit. Idyll. v. 25.

(80) Ascensus. Hesych. l. c.

(81) So we find in Aristophanes. Thesm. v. 86. See Plut. Vit. Demosth. p. 860. B. Athen. I. II. c. XVI. p. 307. F.

(82) Athen. VII. 16. p. 307.

(83) Plut. de Isid. et Osirid. p. 378. D.

(84) Phurnutus assigns different reasons for this, Fast. de Nat. Deor. CXXVIII. p. 210.

(85) Plut. Theseus, p. 10. where we likewise find that this feast was instituted by Theseus.

(86) Athen. XI. c. XIII. p. 495. F. He says it was a vine-branch loaded with grapes.

(87) Harpocrat. Παναθηναια. Pausan. Arcad. c. II. p. 600. Apollod. III. 14. § 7. They were the Quinquatrus, or Quinquatria, of the Romans.

(88) Pausan. l. c. Plut Theseus. p. 11. A. Schol. Aristoph. Nub. 385.

(89) Harpocr. and Suidas, at the word, Παναθηναια. Thucyd. VI. 56. likewise mentions the great Παναθηναια. See Periz. ad Ælian. XI. 8.

(90) Pollux Onomast. VIII. 9. 93. p. 912.

(91) In this contest he was the victor who could carry a lighted flambeau to a place pitched upon, without its being extinguished. Pausan. Attic. c. XXX. p. 76. Interpr. ad Sat. Pers. VI. v. 61. Lucret. II. v. 71. Varr. de R. R. III. 16. This contest is called, Λαμπας, λαμπαδος αγων. Hesych. Λαμπαδηδρομια. Schol. Aristoph. Ran. v. 131. We have an elegant description of this contest in A. ad Herenn. IV. c. 46. This kind of contest was likewise practised in a feast of Vulcan, termed ΗΦαιστιαια; and

in that feast, it was a Lampadophoria on foot and horseback. See, on the ceremony of the Lampadodromia, and on the Lampadarchi, who presided over it, Ant. Van. Dale, Diff. VI: ad Marmora, p. 504. It appears, that in the Eleusinian feasts there was likewise another kind of emulation; and that they strove who should light the largest flambeau. See Theophrast. Charact. Ethic. c. IV. *περι αδολισχίας*: et ad h. l. Casaub. p. 143. Christ. Burnings collects from this passage of Theophrastus, that, on the fifth day of the celebration of the mysteries, they ran with flambeaux, and that he who could carry the largest, got the reputation of a robust and courageous man. But this is a strained interpretation. Theophrastus neither speaks of the fifth day of the mysteries, nor of running, nor of the reputation of a robust and courageous man.

(92) *Κεραμὸν ἐλαίου*—Schol. Aristoph. Nub. v. 1001. and *ὕδρια ἐλαίου πλήρης*—a pitcher full of oil. Schol. Pindar. Nem. Od. X. v. 65. See Periz. ad Ælian. III. 38.

(93) Suidas, at the word, *παναθηναϊαι*, takes notice only of the wreath. Lucian says, they gave the victor; not a crown, but oil of those *μοριπι*. De Gymn. p. 273. Schol. Soph. Æd. Col. v. 689. and Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. 1001.

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(94) Demost. de Coronâ, mentions the wrestling, and Xenophon, Sympos. the horse-races.

(95) Plato, Euthyphron. Plaut. Mercat. I. 1. 67. Virg. Cir. v. 29.

(96) Eurip. Hecub. v. 468. Schol. Aristoph. Equ. v. 563. Virg. Cir. v. 29. Hence came the proverb, ἀξιότις πεπλῦς—worthy of the pepulum; to express a brave man.—The pepulum was a white robe without sleeves, on which were embroidered in gold the exploits of Minerva, Jupiter, the heroes, &c.

(97) Ælian. V. H. VIII. 2. Lycurg. Adv. Leocrat. p. 181.

**CHAP.**

## C H A P. XVII.

## Of the GRECIAN GAMES and COMBATS:

I. **T**HE games of the Greeks were termed (1) *αγῶνες*. Their exercises were; running, (2) *δρομί*; the discus, *δίσκος*; leaping, *άλμα*; boxing, *πυγμαχία*; wrestling, (3) *παληή*. These five combats were expressed by the general name, (4) *πενταθλον*, quinquertium: But some antiquarians put the contest of the javelin, *ακοντιον*, in the place of (5) boxing.

II. The combat of running was performed in a space of ground, called (6) *stadium*. The stadium was a hundred and twenty-five paces. It is likewise called (8) *αὐλή*.

III. There were (9) four kinds of races—The (10) *στάδιον*, the (11) *διαυλή*, the (12) *δολιχέ*, the (13) *ὀπλιτής*; whence are derived the names which were given to the runners—(14) *στάσιοδρομοί*, *διαυλοδρομοί*, *δολιχοδρομοί*, and *ὀπλιτοδρομοί*.

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IV. The *σαδιοδρομοι*, were they who ran once over the (15) ground; the *διαυλοδρομοι*, they who ran (16) twice over it;—the *δολιχοδρομοι*, they who ran over it six or seven (17) times—the *ὅπλιτοδρομοι*, they who ran over it in (18) armour.

V. The stadium had two boundaries—the first, where the course began; the second, where it terminated.

VI. The first was termed, in Latin, (19) Carceres; in Greek, (20) *αφεις*, (21) *βαλεις*, (22) *γραμμη*.

VII. The second was termed in Latin, (23) Meta; in Greek, (24) *τελ*Ⓞ, (25) *τερμα*, (26) *γραμμη*, and *ακρα γραμμη*, and (27) *σροπ*Ⓞ.

VIII. Many combatants ran at once (28) on the stadium.

IX. To endeavour to come up with one's rival, was expressed in Greek by the word, (29) *διωκειν*; to come up with him, by (30) *καταλαμβανειν*.

X. He who first reached the goal received a prize, which in Greek was named,

*αθλον*,

αθλον, and (31) βραβειον. It was adjudged and decreed by the presidents of the games, who were called (32) βραβευται.

XI. Those prizes were crowns of little value; of (33) olive, of (34) pine, of the (35) apple tree, or of (36) parsley.

XII. To be one of the last in the race, and consequently, to go without the prize, was expressed in Greek, by the words,—  
ὑσερεῖν, (37) ὑσερεῖσθαι, (38) καταλειπεσθαι.

## NOTES to CHAP. XVII.

(1) Nicoph. Schol. ad Syn. de Infomn. p. 428. Lut. Par. 1623. calls them ολυμπιακας αγωνας.

(2) We find in Pausanias, δρομυ αγων. Lacon. XIII. p. 239. Eliac. I. c. i. p. 376. It is likewise called, ποδωκινη. Anthol. I. I. Epigram. ult.

(3) Virgil speaks of these games, Æn. III. v. 281. Exercent patrias, oleo labente, palæstras, nudati focii. These are the five exercises described by the Schol. ad Anthol. II. I. Epigr. 7. The interpreter of Synesf. enumerates, πυγμανη, παλην, δρομον, ακοντιον, και δισκον. He omits leap-

ing, *άλμα*. Plautus speaks of some of these exercises, *Bacch. I. 1. 33*. Of more, *Mostell. I. 2. 73*. See *Brodæum ad Anthol. I. 1. Epigram. ult. and Interpr. Fest. in Pentathlum*.

(4) Lucian terms them in general *γυμνασματα, γυμνασία, γυμνασμάτων αγώνες*. *De Gymn. pag. 272*. *Aristoph. αγώνες γυμμηκοί. Plut. 1164*. *Quintilian, II. 21. Artes, aut exercitationes Palæstricæ. Idem. II. 8. 7. Sacra Certamina. Plut. de Musicâ, 1140. D. Πενταθλον. Festus, Quinquertium. The Schol. Aristoph. Av. counts eight αγωνισματα.*

(5) *Simonid. Anthol. I. 1. Epigr. ult. in the place of boxing, puts the contest of the javelin, ακοντα, ακοντισμα.*

(6) Hence *Pausanias, Messen. IV. p. 288. calls this combat, αγωνισμα σταδιου; and says of one who had conquered in running—ενικα σταδιου δραμων—he conquered in running the stadium. Attic. XLIV. p. 106. The runners were called στασιοδρομοι, according to the same author, Eliac. II. 20. p. 503. Auth. ad Herenn. calls this combat, Olympiacum cursum.*

(7) *Plin. II. 23. Censorinus, it is true, thinks the Olympic stadium shorter than the Italic, and longer than the Pythic. He makes the Italic stadium six hundred and twenty-five feet, or a hundred and twenty-five geometrical paces, which are the same length. Other authors, however,*

however, are of opinion, that these three stadia are equal.

(8) Every rectilinear figure, like the stadium, we term, *αυλον*. Athen. v. 3. p. 189.

(9) We find all these names in the Schol. Aristoph. Av. 293.

(10) The course, of 125 paces.

(11) This same course twice run over; in making to the goal, and in returning from it.

(12) A space of seven stadia. Schol. Aristoph. Av. Suidas thinks differently. He cites the authority of Lucian. Demost. Encom. p. 686. Spanheim. Callim. p. 553.

(13) Aristoph. Schol. Av. 293. *Qui armatus currit, ac certat.*

(14) Pollux. III. 30. 146.

(15) Aristoph. Schol. ad Av. 293. says, *οι γαρ ραδιοδρομοι διπλουν ποιοουνται τονδρομον*—For the *ραδιοδρομοι* run a double race.—Here is certainly an error in orthography—We must read *απλουν* instead of *διπλουν*, or *διαυλοδρομοι* instead of *ραδιοδρομοι*.

(16) Schol. Aristoph. Ibid.

(17) They who ran over it seven times, according to the Scholiast of Aristophanes. Six times, say the Authors of Obs. Miscell. vol. IV. p. 3. and they are supported by the authority of Plato, of Æschines, and the Anthologia.

(18) Schol. Aristoph. l. c.

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(19) Auth. ad Heren. IV. 3. Varr, de R. R. I. 3. Cic. de Senect.

(20) Pollux. III. 30. 147.

(21) Schol. Aristoph. Equ. v. 1156. Vesp. 546.

(22) Schol. Aristoph. Acharn. 482. It is likewise called, ἀφειρησιζ. Schol. Aristoph. Vesp. 546.—and—ὕσπληγξ. Pollux. l. c. Anthol. I. 1. Lucian. De non temerè Cred. Cal. p. 413.

(23) Varro de R. R. I. 3. Cicero calls it also, Calx, Tuscul. Quæst. I. 8.

(24) Pollux, III. 30. 147.

(25) Ibid.

(26) Pindar Pyth. Od. 9. v. 208. Eurip. Antig. v. 29. Electr. 955. Jon. 1514. calls it likewise σαθμνη. Hence the metaphor used by Horace—Mors ultima linea rerum. Ep. I. 16. v. 79. It is termed, καμπη, by Euripides. Electr. 659.

(27) Paul. ad Philip. III. 14. Ramires, de Prado Pentecon. c. 50.

(28) This is evident from Anthol. II. Epig. 5. of Nicearchus. Those who ran together were called, συναγωνισται, αντιπαλοι, &c.

(29) 2 Cor. iv. 9. See Lamb. Bof. ad Rom. ix. 30. Hesych. at this word.

(30) 1 Cor. ix. 24. Lamb. Bof. l. c. Phil. iii. 12. To this Lucian alludes, Hermotim. 564,

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(31) Schol. Pind. Olymp. Od. I. See Interpret. ad 1 Cor. ix. 24.

(32) Pollux. III. 30. 145. Theodoret. ad Coloff. ii. 18. They were likewise termed—*αγωνοθεται*—*αγωνων διαθεται*—*ατλοτεται*. Pollux, III. 30. 140. *Αθλοθετης*, Anthol. I. 2. Ep. Bud. ad Pandect p. 84. Edit. Ascans. See the authors cited by Paschal, de Coron. VI. 11. The Latins styled them—*Magistros ludorum gymnico-rum*—*Magistros certamini præpositos*. Suet. Ner. 12. He also uses the Greek word, *Brabeutes*, Ner. 53.

(33) *Εκ κοτιων*. Pausan. Eliac. Prior. VII. p. 392. Aristoph. Plut. 586. Paschal. de Coron. VI. 18 p. 399. Plin. 15. 4.

(34) Lucian. de Gymn. p. 272. Plin. XV. 10.

(35) The victor was crowned with branches of the apple-tree, loaded with their fruit. Palmer. Exercit. ad Auct. Gr. p. 549.

(36) Pindar. Olymp. 13. v. 45. Lucian. de Gymnast. p. 272. Plin. XIX. 8. Juvenal, VIII. 226. We must observe, that these crowns were not only the reward of the runners, but likewise of the other combatants.

C H A P.



## C H A P. XVIII.

## Of the D I S C U S.

I. **T**HE discus was a sort of (1) round quoit, (2) three or four inches thick, (3) heavy, of stone, brass, copper, or (4) iron; it was called (5) *σολῶ*.

II. The word disk, comes from the verb *δισκειν*, for *δικειν*, (6) *jacere*; for these (7) quoits were lanced into the air.

III. The disk was lanced from a (8) thong, which was put through a hole made in the (9) middle of it. He who lanced it, held one of his hands near his breast, the other balancing the disk a while, which was thrown with a (10) circular motion.

IV. To throw the disk, is, in Greek,—  
 (11) *Δισκοις γυμναζεσθαι*—(12) *εριζειν περα  
 δισκου*—(13) *δισκευειν*, (14) *δισκου ριπτειν*—  
 (15) *δισκου βαλλειν*—(16) *δισκοβολειν*—  
 whence comes the word, *δισκοβολῶ*, the  
 name

name which was given to the combatants.

V. The (17) victor was he who threw his disk farthest.

VI. The Lacedæmonians are said to have been the inventors of this (18) healthful (19) exercise.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XVIII.

(1) Stat. Theb. VI. 648. calls it, *Lubrica Massæ Pondera*, and v. 656. *Orbem*. See Ovid. Met. X. 184.

(2) We are informed by those who have seen marble-statues of men throwing the disk, that it is of this thickness.

(3) Hence the expression of Statius—*Jaculabile Dextræ Pondus*, l. c. v. 658. and—*Molem prægravidam*, v. 700. See the description of the disk; Lucian. Gymn. p. 289.

(4) Eustath. O $\delta$ .  $\Theta$ . v. 186. p. 301. Edit. Bas.

(5) Hom. *I.*  $\Psi$ . v. 826.

(6) The author of this remark is Eustathius; ad *I.* B. v. 281. p. 260. Eustath. ad O $\delta$ .  $\Delta$ . p.

301. line 20. Euripides uses the word *δικειν* for *βαλλειν*, or *καταβαλλειν*. Bacch. v. 600.

(7) Ovid. Met. X. 178. Stat. Theb. VI. 681. Horat. Sat. II. 2. v. 13.

(8) This thong was called, by the Latins, *Amentum*. Eustath. Od. Θ. v. 186. calls it *καλωδιον*.

(9) This we may infer from the words of Eustathius, l. c.

(10) This is inferred by Hier. Mercurial. de Arte Gymnaf. II. 12. p. 123. from the verse of Propertius, III. 12. 10. *Missile nunc disci pondus in orbe rotat*. The manner of throwing the disk is well described in Philost. Icon. I. 24. p. 798.

(11) Lucian. Dial. p. 209.

(12) Ælian. V: H. I. 24. Philostrat. Icon. I. p. 799.

(13) Philostrat. Ep. 44. et Icon. XIV. p. 886. Homer uses the word *δισκειν*. Od. Θ. v. 188.

(14) Lucian has this expression, *αναρριπτειν τον δισκον εις το ανω*. Deor. Dialog. p. 209. *Δισκον ριψαι*. Hesych. at the word, *δισκουσαι*. Homer uses the word, *ριπτειν*. Il. Ψ. v. 842.

(15) Qu. Smyrnæus, IV. 437. 445.

(16) Plin. XXXIV. 8. Quint. II. 13. 10. Pollux. III. 30. 151.

(17) Lucian. Gymnaf. p. 289. Hom. Il. Ψ. v. 841,

v. 841. Od. 9. v. 192. Stat. Theb. VI. 713.  
Q. Smyrn. IV. 445.

(18) Lucian praises this exercise, which, he says, strengthens the muscles and the nerves. *Gymnaf.* p. 298.

(19) Hence Martial calls the disk, *Discus Spartianus*, XIV. 164. Pausanias gives the invention of it to Perseus. *Corinth.* XVI. p. 146.

CHAP.

## C H A P. XIX.

## Of LEAPING.

I. **L** *LEAPING*, in Greek, *άλμα*, from the verb, *άλλεσθαι*, was sometimes performed with the (1) hands empty; sometimes with weights of lead, which were termed, (2) *άλτηρες*. They carried these weights either in their hands, or on their heads and (3) shoulders.

II. The place from which they jumped was called (4) *βατηρ*, *limen*.

III. The bound which they were to reach in jumping was called (5) *εσκαμμενα*; whence arose the proverbial expression, *πηδᾶν ὑπὲρ τα εσκαμμενα*—to leap beyond the bounds—which characterized an (6) extravagant man.

IV. The measure, or the rule to be observed in leaping was termed (7) *κανων*.

## NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. XIX.

(1) Aristot. de Animal. Incessu. c. 3. and Problem. Sect. 5. N. 8.

(2) Aristot. l. c. Mart. XIV. 49. The *halteres* are masses of lead or stone, which they hold in their hands, and which they throw into the air to augment the elasticity of the body in leaping. Lucian. Gymn. p. 289. calls them *μολυβδινὰς χειροπλαθεις*—i. e. masses of lead of a size which fills the hands. See Juvenal, VI. 421. Senec. Epist. XV. LVIII.

(3) See Mercurial. II. 12.

(4) Pollux, III. 30. 151.

(5) Pollux, III. 30. 151. It was likewise called *σκαμμα*, a ditch; from the verb *σκαπτω*, *fodio*.

(6) Lucian. Gall. uses this expression, p. 164.

(7) Pollux, III. 30. 151.—*το μετρον τι πιδημα-  
τῶ κανων*.—The *κανων* is the measure of leaping.

CHAP.

## C H A P. XX.

## OF BOXING.

I. **BOXING** is, in Greek, *πυγμα*. The combatant in this contest was called (1) *πυκτης*; or (2) *πυγμαχος*; whence were formed the words; (3) *πυκτευεν*, *πυκταλιζειν*.—The root of all these words is, *πυξ*, *pugno*, *vel pugnīs*,

II. For the combatants at first used only their (4) fists; afterwards they used the (5) *cestus*,

III. The *cestus* was a thong of the hide of an ox (6) newly killed, with a mass of (7) lead, (8) brass, or (9) iron at the end of it; it was tied round the (10) arm. Its Greek name is *ιμας*, or *ιμας βοειος*, because it was of the hide of an ox.

IV. The great art in this combat was to elude the blows of your adversary, by (11) stooping dextrously, and to avoid striking yourself with your own (12) *cestus*.

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V. The great aim of the combatants was, to strike and maul the faces of their (13) adversaries. These blows given on the face were called (14) ὑπωπιοί.

VI. He who yielded the victory to his antagonist, acknowledged his defeat by letting his wearied arms (15) fall, or by (16) sinking to the ground.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XX.

(1) Pollux, III. 30. 150. The Latins used the word, *pyata*. Phædr. IV. 24. 5. But according to the remark of Gudius on this passage, the word *pyata* signifies the combatant conquered, or crowned. Eustathius is very particular on the etymology of this word, ad Iλ. Ψ. p. 1444. l. 2.

(2) Hom. Od. Θ. v. 246. and Eustath. ad Iλ. Ψ. p. 1444.

(3) Eust. ad Iλ. Ψ. v. 653. p. 1444.

(4) Mercurial. III. 9. who distinguishes the combat of the cestus from that of boxing; but I think he is mistaken.

(5) The combatants are armed with the cestus



as soon as they engage, in Homer. *Il.* v. 684. Apollon. Rhod. II. 50. Virgil. *Æneid.* v. 400. Val. Flacc. IV. 250. Stat. Theb. VI. 720.

(6) Apollon. II. 52. Val. Flacc. IV. 250. call the cestus—*crudis durata volumina tauris*. We find a description of this combat in Mercurial. II. 9. and in Zornius, *Biblioth. Antiq. Exerc.* p. 904.

(7) Virg. *Æneid.* V. 404. Stat. Theb. VI. 729.

(8) Theocrit. XXII. 3. and 80. Val. Flacc. IV. 253.

(9) Hom. *Il.* v. 684. Apollon. Rhod. II. 52.

(10) Theocrit. l. c. and v. 80. He calls them *σπειρας βοειας*.

(11) Virg. *Æneid.* V. 437. Q. Smyrnæus, IV. 348. Theocrit. XXII. v. 120. Stat. Theb. VI. 767. Petau ad Themist. Orat. IV. p. 548.

(12) Lambert. *Bof. Exerc.* ad 1 Cor. ix. 27. and the authors he cites.

(13) Theocrit. XXII. p. 110. Anthol. II. 1. Ep. 1. More particulars are to be found in Lambert Bos, l. c.

(14) Aristoph. *Vesp.* v. 1377. and Schol. Pac. 540. The learned commentators, ad 1 Cor. ix. 27. especially Lambert Bos.

(15) Philo de Sacrific. Abel et Cain, p. 103. Edit. Colon. Allobrog. 1613. Theocrit. XXII. 129.

(16) Mercurial. II. 9.

CHAP.

## C H A P. XXI.

## O f W R E S T L I N G.

I. **T**HE exercise of wrestling, in Greek, *παλη*, was performed in the *xystus*; i. e. under a (1) covered portico, where two (2) naked wrestlers, anointed with (3) oil; and rubbed over with (4) dust, their arms (5) intertwined, endeavoured to bring each other to the ground:

II. It was the (6) oldest of all the exercises.

III. The origin of this word is (7) uncertain. But it is most probably derived from *παλλειν*, to move; for the wrestler is in continual motion.

IV. In early times the combatant availed himself merely of his size and strength. It is said that Theseus was the first who improved this exercise into an (8) art.

V. (9) *θλιβειν*, (10) *κατεχειν*, (11) *κατά-*  
L 2 *βαλλειν*,

καλλειν, (12) ῥηξαι, were words applied to wrestling.

VI. He who brought his antagonist thrice to the ground, was the the complete (13) victor. Hence to conquer at this exercise was expressed by τριαξαι, and αποτριαξαι; and to be vanquished, by (14) αποτριαχθηναι.

VII. The conquered combatant publicly acknowledged his defeat with his voice, and by holding up his (15) finger.

VIII. There were two kinds of wrestling; one in which the combatants wrestled on their feet, and erect; and which was termed, (16) ὀρθοπαλη: another, in which they contended, rolling on the ground. This was called, (17) ανακλινοπαλη, volutaria.

IX. The pancratium comprised boxing and (18) wrestling.

## NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. XXI.

(1) Hesych. and Suid. at the word, *Ευσοί*. Vitruv. v. 11. and Not. ad Sueton. August. 45.

(2) Virg. *Æneid*. III. 281. Stat. Theb. VI. 832. Ovid. *Met*. IX. 32. Lucian. *de Gymn*. p. 270. It was for this reason that Augustus prohibited women from being present at this combat. See Zeibich. *Athleta. Παράδοξος*, p. 131.

(3) Spanheim. ad Callim. p. 560. Ovid. *Heroid*. XIX. 11. Theocrit. *Idyll*. II. v. 51. Diog. Laert. Anacharf. Lucian. *de Gymn*. p. 270. This oil was called ceroma, *κηρωμα*. See Juvenal, VI. 246. III. 68. Martial. XI. 48. Plutarch seems to call the place where they wrestled by this name, in his treatise, *An Seni gerenda sit Resp*. But in *Sympos*. II. *Probl*. 4. p. 658. he means the oil. See Martial, VII. 31. Plin. XV. 4. XXVIII. 9.

(4) Ovid. *Met*. IX. 35. Stat. Theb. VI. 846. Lucian. *de Gymn*. p. 270. Hence, *ακουιτι νικᾶν*—To conquer with ease. Herodian. VIII. 6. Gell. V. 6. Martial, VII. 66. Epictet. *Enchir*. c. 35. This dust was taken from a conistenum, i. e. a place where it was kept. See Plutarch. *Sympos*. II. *Probl*. 4. p. 638. C. Vitruv. V. 11.

(5) Lucian. de Gymn. p. 270. Ovid. Met. IX. 57. Stat. Theb. VI. 859. Hom. Il. Ψ. 711. Plutarch. Sympos. II. Probl. 4. p. 638. F.

(6) Plutarch. l. c.

(7) Plutarch. Sympos. II. Probl. 4. p. 638.

(8) Pausan. Attic. c. XXXIX. p. 94.

(9) 2 Cor. iv. 8. Aristot. Rhet. I. 5. § 36.

(10) Aristot. l. c. To that St. Paul seems to allude, Rom vii. 6. The μεσον εχειν of Aristoph. alludes to the same. Nub. 1043. Lucian, de Gymnas. uses the words συνεχειν, and αντιλαμβανεισθαι. p. 289.

(11) Hom. Il. Ψ. 727. Q. Smyrnaeus, IV. 230. 2 Cor. iv. 9. See Spanheim. Julian Orat. p. 262.

(12) See a passage of St. Chrysost. cited by Spanheim. l. c. and Hesych.

(13) Spanheim. Julian. Orat. I. p. 261. Casaub. ad Theocrit. Schol. ad Æschyl. Eumenid. v. 592.

(14) Suidas, Hesych. Pollux, Æschyl. Agamem. v. 179. Whence the victor was likewise styled, τριακτηρ. Æschyl. Agamem. 180.

(15) Græv. Præf. ad VI. Tom. Antiq. Lips. Saturn. II. 21. Hence the proverbial expression—αιρει δακτυλον—raise your finger—importing—own your defeat.

(16) It is likewise termed—ορθια παλη. See Mercurial. II. 8.

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(17) Martial, XIV. 199.

(18) Aristot. Rhet. I. 5. § 36. Nicoph. Schol. in Synes. p. 426. Πανκρατιον συνθετον εκ πυγμας και παλης.—The pancratium is, boxing and wrestling.—Plutarch. Sympos. II. qu. 4. p. 638. asserts the same. Lucian de Gymn. p. 272. expresses himself clearly on this particular—το δε παιειν αλληλως ορθοσαδην πανκρατιαζειν λεγομεν—To annoy each other erect is the pancratic exercise, It appears by this passage of Lucian, that the pancratium was, erect wrestling and boxing. However, it is very probable that the two kinds of wrestling were included in the pancratium; though Potter is of a different opinion. This subject is particularly discussed by Zeibichius, Athleta, παραδοξος, p. 22. and 155. The words πανκρατιασης and παναθλος, have not then the same signification, though they are confounded by many critics, and among the rest, by Casaubon, and Polyb. pag. 907. where πανκρατιασης is translated by the Latin word, quinquertio. See Gell. XIII. 27. See also, Plutarch, Quæst. Roman. II. 4. and Quintil. Instit. Orat. II. p. 9.

## C H A P. XXII.

Of the four solemn GAMES of GREECE.

I. **T**HERE were four solemn games in Greece, consecrated by religion, and on that account called (1) *αγῶνες ἱεροί*. They were, the Olympic, the Pythian, the Isthmian, and the Nemean games, which only differed from each other by the places in which they were (2) celebrated.

II. The Olympic games were celebrated in honour of (3) Olympian Jupiter, at Olympia, a city of (4) Elis, from which they took their name.

III. Their origin is attributed to (5) Hercules, one of the (6) Idæi Dactyli.

IV. They returned every (7) five years, and lasted (8) five days.

V. These games were omitted a short time after their first institution, but were afterwards

afterwards renewed by (9) Iphitus; and from the time when he restored them, the Greeks counted the first (10) Olympiad.

VI. The people of (11) Pisa, or (12) Elis, had the care of these games; but commonly the (13) Eleans.

VII. There were public officers appointed to conduct the games, and to seize those who should disturb the celebration of them. They were called *αλυται* by the Eleans, among whom they exercised the same function with that of the *ραβδαχοι*, lictors, in the other states (14) of Greece. The chief of these Alutæ was called (15) *αλυταρχης*.

VIII. In the more ancient times, women were not permitted to see these (16) games. But afterwards there were even female combatants; and history mentions some women who gained the (17) prize.

IX. He who chose to be a competitor at these games, and gave in his (18) name, was to prepare himself (19) ten months beforehand. Nine months were employed  
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in the easier exercises; but during the tenth month he inured himself to labour and fatigue, and practised (20) regular combats.

X. People branded with any infamy, or their friends, or relations, were not allowed to combat at these (21) games.

XI. The matches at these combats were determined by lots in the following manner. A certain number of balls were put into a silver vase, termed (22) *Καλπις*, on each of which a letter of the alphabet was written. They who drew the same letter were to be antagonists to each other. If the number of combatants was unequal, he who drew the odd ball was to contend, the last, with the conqueror; and he was, for that reason, styled (23) *εφεδρῶς*.

XII. Besides the games we have mentioned, boxing, running, &c.—there were others—(24) horse-racing, and (25) chariot-racing; (26) *ἵππων κελητων*, (27) *απηνης*, (28) *καλπις*, (29) *συνωριδῶς*, &c.

XIII. There were likewise mental as well as corporeal contests at these games. The prize of (30) eloquence, of (31) poetry, and the other fine (32) arts was disputed.

XIV. The prize of the victor in each of these combats was a wreath of wild olive, termed in Greek, (33) *κοτινὸν*.

XV. A prize of small value was chosen that the combatants might be only animated with courage and glory, and not stimulated with the sordid hope of (34) gain.

XVI. In fact, the glory of the conquerors was inestimable and (35) immortal. Statues were erected to them at Olympia, in the wood consecrated to (36) Jupiter. They were likewise conducted in triumph to their country, on a (37) car drawn by four horses.

XVII. These solemn games not only drew together (38) all Greece, but likewise foreign nations, who resorted to them in crowds,

crowds, from the extremities of Egypt, from Libya, Sicily, and other (39) countries.

## NOTES to CHAP. XXII.

(1) See Epigramma Archiæ in Anthol. I. 1. Pollux, III. 30. 153. is very clear on this subject. Pindar. Nem. Od. 2. v. 5. They are also called *iera aethla*. Pindar. Olymp. Od. 8. v. 84. and Od. 13. v. 20. Hence they who gained the victory in these combats were styled *Hieronica*. Suet. Nerv. c. 24. and 25. These same combats are likewise called *σεφανιται αγωνες*. Lycurg. Adv. Leocrat. p. 138. Xenoph. Memorab. III. 7. p. 129.

(2) See Schol. Græc. Brodæus, ad Anthol. I. 1. c. 1. Epigram. 1, Thom. Magist. (Prolog. ad Pind.) de Vitâ Pindari.

(3) Pindar. Olymp. Od. 2. v. 22. Od. 3. v. 30. Stephens, at the word, *Ολυμπια*. Lucian. Icaromen. p. 205.

(4) Strabo, VIII. p. 244. Xenoph. Hist. Græc. VII.

(5) Plut. Thef. p. 11. E. Pind. Nem. Od. XI. v. 34. Stat. Theb. VI. 5.

(6) Strabo, VIII. p. 245. Aliis auctorem horum ludorum facientibus Herculem, unum ex Idæis

Idæis Daçtylis. Diod. Sic. V. 64. p. 333. Pausan. Eliac. VI. p. 391. Consult, on these Idæi Daçtyli, Strabo. l. X. p. 326. Pollux, II. 4. Segm. 156. Diod. Sic. V. 64. p. 333.

(7) Tzet. Chiliad. Hist. I. 21. Suid. Ολυμπια.

(8) From the eleventh to the fifteenth of the month *Εκατομβαιων*. See Schmid. ad Pind. Proleg. in Olymp. p. 8. A.

(9) Plut. Lycurg. p. 39. Pausan. Eliac. Prior. IV. p. 383. and c. VIII. p. 394. Solin. Polyb. c. 2.

(10) Pausan. Eliac. Prior. c. VIII. p. 394. Solin. l. c.

(11) Strabo, VIII. p. 245. l. 25.

(12) Strabo, l. c. l. 8.

(13) Strabo, l. c. l. 27. Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. X. 1.

(14) Etymol. M. at the word *Αλυταρχης*.

(15) Etymol. l. c. Pasch. de Coron. VI. 11. p. 732. See Cujac. Obs. II. 13.

(16) Pausan. Eliac. Prior. XXIV. p. 441. Schol. Pindar. Procem. Olymp. 7. Ælian. V. H. X. 1. and the authors cited by his commentators at that passage.

(17) Pausan. Lacon. VIII. p. 222.

(18) The names of the candidates were registered by the Hellanodici. These Hellanodici were the judges of the combats. Οἱ κριταὶ οἱ καθημενοὶ

καθημενοι εις τας αγωνας. Hesych. See Zeibich. Athleta, παραδοξος, c. V. § 5. Periz. Ælian. V. H. IX. 31. and X. 1. Paschal. de Coron. VI. 10. p. 367.

(19) Pausan. Eliac. Prior. c. XXIV. p. 441. Zeibich. Athleta, παραδοξος, VII. § 1. p. 162.

(20) Epictet. c. XXXV. et ad h. l. Wolf. Casaub. and the authors cited by Paschal. de Coron. VI. 6. p. 354.

(21) Xenoph. de Rep. Lacedæm. Philostr. Apollon. V. c. 43. p. 227.

(22) This vase may be termed in Latin, urna.

(23) Lucian. Hermot. p. 535. uses the word, φερεινιν. Aristoph. Ran. V. 804. has the word, φερξος, which, by his interpreter is translated, tertarius. See Spanheim. Callim. pag. 419. Spanheim. ad Aristoph. Ran. d. l.

(24) Ἰπποδρομια, or αγων ιπποδρομιας. Pausan. V. c. 8. p. 393.—where it is said that this contest was introduced by Iolais.

(25) Paus. Eliac. Prior. c. VIII. p. 394. where we find that Pagondas the Theban gained the prize at horse-racing.

(26) Plut. Alex. Mag. p. 666. A. Ἴπποι κεληταις, were horses managed by a single horseman. Pausan. Eliac. Prior. c. VIII. p. 394. Gell. X. p. 25.

(27) Paus. Eliac. Prior. c. IX. p. 395. Ακνηη was a sort of car drawn by two mules. Hence Homer,

Homer, *Od.* 2. v. 72. calls this car *ἀμαξὸν ἡμιότιον*—*currum mulinum*.—And the contest itself is styled by Pollux, *αγωνισμα κελπητων*. VII. 30. 186. See Kuhn. and Hemsterhus. ad h. l.

(28) Paus. *Eliac. Prior.* IX. p. 395. Pollux, VII. 33. Segm. 186. informs us, that the contest with saddled horses was termed *κελλη*.

(29) Paus. *Eliac. Prior.* c. VIII. p. 395. We are told by the Schol. *Aristoph.* ad *Nub.* v. 15. that a car drawn by four horses was called *Συνωρις*.

(30) Isocrates spoke his panegyric at the Olympic games, which was a work of ten years. *Philostr.* Vit. *Sophist.* I. 17. p. 505. Georgias the Leontine gave likewise a fine specimen of his eloquence at the same games. *Pausan.* *Eliac. Post.* XVII. p. 495. For these games the Sophists composed those discourses which were called *Ἐποδείξεις*, Specimina—They were likewise intitled—Olympic discourses—*Ολυμπικοὶ λόγοι*—See *Cresfollius*, III. 6.

(31) *Ælian.* V. H. II. 8. says, that in the ninety-first Olympiad, Xenocles disputed tragical merit with Euripides, and conquered him. *Philostr.* in *Apollod.* IV. p. 163. says that hero defeated his antagonists in the same kind of contest: but *Apollonius*, *ibid.* v. 7. seems to deny that the palm of tragedy was ever contended for at the Olympic games.

(32) The prize of history was likewise disputed.

ed. Thucydides. when a boy, heard Herodotus read his history at the Olympic games. Suidas, at the work, *Θουκυδιδης*.

(33) Anthol. l. 1. c. 1. Epigr. 1. Aristoph. Plut. V. 586. where the dispute on this point is mentioned—Some insisted that the Olympic crown was of wild olive; others, that it was *ελαια καλλιγεφαιρα*, of the beautiful or cultivated olive. See Hemsterhus. and the authors he cites.

(34) Lucian. de Gymn. p. 273. This reason is there given by Solon, in his defence of the Gymnasium of the Greeks against the objections of Anacharsis.

(35) Cic. Tusc. Quæst. I. 46. II. 17. Orat. pro Flacco, c. 13. says, that the Olympic victories were more glorious than the Roman triumphs. Lucian de Gymnas. p. 273. makes Solon say, that the conqueror is equal to the Gods—*ισοθειον*. See Nepos, in Præfat. Horat. Od. I. 1. v. 6. Pindar. Olymp. Od. I. Stroph. Δ. v. 16. 17.

(36) Consult, on these statues erected to the conquerors, Lucian, pro Imaginibus, p. 20. and on Jupiter's wood, called *ελτης*, Schmid. ad Pindar. Olymp. Od. X. Stroph. Γ. v. 5. p. 271. Pausan. Eliac. Prior. X. p. 397.

(37) Vitruv. in Præfat. l. IX. de Architect. The conquerors had likewise a great many privileges,

vileges, a detail of which is given us by Paschal, de Coron. VI. 6. 7. and 8. Yet Agesilaus, in Plutarch. Apophth. Lacon: p. 212. thinks the object of these combats was rather gain than glory.

(38) Lucian. de Gymn. p. 274. Diod. Sic. IV. c. 55. p. 256. Hence was given to these games the name *παινησεις*.

(39) This is evident; for we find Egyptians and inhabitants of Greece and Sicily among the Olympic conquerors, of whom Laur. Rhodmann. has added a list to the Chronology of Diod. Sic. See Schmid. Prolegom. ad Pindar. Thus Hiero, king of Syracuse in Sicily was conqueror in the seventy-third Olympiad, as we see in Pindar, Olymp. See Pausan. Eliac. Prior. VIII. p. 394. Hence Pindar styles Olympia; *παινονος χωρα*. Olymp. Od. VI. Epod. Γ. v. 14. See Palmer. Exercit. in Auct. Græc. p. 553. et ad Lucian. Hermotim. p. 590.

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## C H A P. XXIII.

## Of the PYTHIAN GAMES.

I. **T**HE Pythian games were celebrated in honour of (1) Pythian Apollo, at (2) Delphi, a city which was likewise called (3) *Ιτυθω*, from which name these games had their appellation.

II. In early times these games were celebrated every (4) nine years; and that period was called, *εννεατηρίς*; because they returned at the ninth year, after the complete revolution of eight years.

III. They were afterwards celebrated every five years; and that period was called (5) *πεντεατηρίς*. With this change these games were renewed by the (6) Amphictyons, after they had been omitted for some time.

IV. The same Amphictyons added the contest of the (7) flute to that of the lyre, which had been appointed in ancient times.

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V. In the contest of the flute they played the (8) Pythian *πομπή*, in memory of Apollo's victory over the serpent (9) Python. This mode had five parts, (10) *ανακροσεις, εμπειρα, κατακελευσμοι, ιαμβοι και δακτυλοι, συριγμοι*. According to some antiquarians it had six, *πειρα, ιαμβοι, δακτυλοι, κρητικοι, μητροι*, (11) *συριγμα*.

VI. Sometimes they danced to the sound of the lyre, and the dance was divided into five parts, termed, (12) *πειρα, κατακελευσμοι, ιαμβικοι, σπονδειοι, καταχορευσις*.

VII. The combats at the Pythian were the same with those at the (13) Olympic games. Horse-races and chariot-races made a (14) part of the former as well as of the latter. At the Pythian games there were likewise prizes for (15) intellectual merit.

VIII. These games were celebrated on the sixth day of the month called *Βυσιοι* by the Delphians, and (16) *Θαργηλιων* by the Athenians; part of which month fell in April, and part of it in May.

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IX. The prize at these games, we are told, when musical excellence was only disputed, was of (17) silver or gold. But when the Gymnastic combats were added, a (18) crown of laurel was made the prize, a branch of (19) palm, of (20) beech, (21) or some fruits.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XXIII.

(1) They were instituted by Apollo himself, according to Ovid, *Met.* l. 445.—or, by Diomedes, in honour of Apollo, as Pausanias asserts. *Corinth.* c. XXXII. p. 186. *Clem. Alex. Exhort. ad Græc.* calls these games *παιγυρια φεως*. p. 21. C.

(2) Plutarch. *Περί Φυγης*. p. 604. C. In *Demetr.* p. 908. They were also celebrated at Athens and other places. See Spanheim. *Callim.* p. 318.

(3) Pausan. *Phocic.* c. VI. p. 812. *Callim. Hymn. in Apollin.* v. 100. See Schmid. *Prolegom. in Pindar. Pyth.* and Pindar himself, *Olymp.* Od. XII. *Epod.* v. 8. The prizes were contended for in a plain of the Chiræan or Cirrhæan field, near the city of Delphi. *Pind. Pyth.*

Pyth. Od. VI. Antistr. A. v. 8. 9. and Od. X. Epod. A. v. 3. 4. See Spanheim. Callim. H. in Del. v. 178. p. 437.

(4) Plutarch. Quæst. Græc. p. 293. B. C. Schmid. in Prolegom. ad Pind. Pyth. p. 4.

(5) Schmid. in Proleg. ad Pind. Pyth. p. 4.

(6) Pausan. Eliac. Post. XIV. Strabo, IX. p. 290. and 288. The Amphictyons constituted the general assembly of Greece. Cic. de Invent. II. 23. That assembly decided on public affairs of great importance. Tacit. Ann. IV. 14. Livy styles it, *Conventus Pyliacus*, XXXIII. V. Strabo gives a particular account of it, IX. p. 289. See Harpocrat. at the word. Van Dale, Diff. VI. Schmid. in Proleg. ad Pindar. Pyth. and Pausan. Phocic. VIII. p. 815.

(7) Strabo, IX. p. 290. Pausan. Phocic. VII. p. 813. Plutarch. Sympos. V. Probl. 2. p. 674. Schmid. Proleg. ad Pind. Pyth. p. 7.

(8) i. e. *Modum Pythicum*.

(9) Strabo, IX. p. 290. Pollux, IV. 10. 84.

(10) These are the parts of the Pythian nome, enumerated and explained by Strabo, IX. p. 290. only he has the word, *σπειγγες*, instead of *σπειγγα*. In all these parts they celebrated the victory gained by Apollo over the serpent Python.

(11) This enumeration of the parts of the Pythian nome are to be found in the *Ἱεροθεῖς Πυθίων*

*θύων*, prefixed to the Pyth. of Pindar. Pollux's are very different from these two divisions, Franç. Louisian. Parerg. II. c. XI. shows that Ovid alludes to this division of the Pythian nome, Met. I. 438.

(12) Pollux, IV. 10. 84. treats these five parts as divisions of the mode relating only to the flute; he makes no mention of the dance to the lyre. Scaliger. Poetic. I. 23. is the only author who speaks of this dance. Pollux, it is true, mentions a dance to the sound of the flute; but the five parts enumerated by our author seem rather to relate to the song than the dance.

(13) Pausan. Phocic. c. VII. p. 814. Schol. Pind. Proleg. ad Pyth.

(14) Pausan. l. c. Schol. Pind. l. c.

(15) Plutar. Sympos. V. Probl. 2. p. 674. Plin. VII. 37. says, that Apollodorus distinguished himself at these games, by his skill in grammar, and that he received great honours from the Amphictyons.

(16) Schmid. Proleg. ad Pyth. p. 12. See Plutarch. Sympos. VIII. 1. p. 717. and Quæst. Græc. p. 292.

(17) This is not indisputably evinced. Schmid. Proleg. ad Pyth. asserts it, but does not prove it. Paschal. de Coron. VI. 25. p. 431. grounds his affirmation on two passages of Pindar, in which these crowns are called, *fulgidæ*. Od. II. Stroph.

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A. v. 10. and Od. III. Stroph. A. v. 8. but those passages are not decisive. Pausan. Phocic. VII. p. 814. says, that in the latter Pythian games, prizes of any value were abolished, and that, instead of them, the conquerors were rewarded with wreaths. And afterwards he speaks of a brazen tripod which Echembrotos won at the games of the Amphictyons.

(18) Pausan. l. c. VII. 815. Ælian. V. H. III. 1.

(19) Plut. Sympos. VIII. Probl. 4. p. 723. See Palmer. ad Lucian. Gymnas. p. 272. and Exercit. p. 549.

(20) Ovid. Met. l. 449. Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. III. 1.

(21) Lucian, de Gymn. p. 272. and Palmer, ad h. l.

## C H A P. XXIV.

## Of the N E M E A N G A M E S.

I. **T**HIS appellation is taken from (1) Nemea, a city and sacred wood of (2) Argia, situated between Cleonæ and (3) Phlius.

II. These games were triceteral, i. e. they were celebrated every (4) three years, on the twelfth day of the month called (5) Πανεμια by the Corinthians, and (6) Boedromion by the Athenians.

III. At these games (7) funeral honours were paid to the memory of (8) Opheltes, named likewise (9) Archemorus, to whom they were at first consecrated. But Hercules afterwards consecrated them to (10) Nemean Jupiter.

IV. There were likewise at these games contests of every kind, Gymnical, and (11) Equestrian.

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V. The presidents of these games were chosen from Corinth, Argi, and (12) Cleonæ.

VI. The prize was at first a wreath of (13) olive, afterwards (14) one of parsley.

NOTES to CHAP. XXIV.

(1) Pausan. Corinth, XV. p. 144. and Schol. ad Pind. Nem. in Prolog.

(2) Strabo, VIII. p. 260.

(3) Id. l. c. and Plin. VI. 6.

(4) Schmid, in Proleg. ad Nem. p. 4. §.

(5) Schol. Pindar. quartâ Hypoth. Nem.

(6) That the month Πανεμῶς was the same with the Boedromion of the Athenians is proved by a letter of Philip, Demosth. de Coron. But as the month Boedromion answers to our month of August, (Van Dale, Diff. VIII. Antiq. p. 595.) and as Pausanias, Corinth. XV. p. 144. says, that the Nemean festival was celebrated in winter, a difficulty arises of which I should wish to see the solution.

(7) Hence they were called ἀγῶν ἐπιταφίῳ. Schol. Pind. Proleg.

(8) Apollod. III. 6. § 4. p. 175. Ælian is not of this opinion. V. H. IV. 5. See Periz. Not. in h. l.

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(9) See Schol. ad Pind. Argum. Nemeot.

(10) That these games were consecrated to Nemean Jupiter is proved from Pindar. Nem. Od. III. Stroph. Δ. v. 4. and Schol. ad h. l. But the Scholiast ad Nem. Hypoth. 5. adds, that Hercules, after he had slain the Nemean lion, made many changes in these games, and consecrated them to Jupiter.

(11) Pausan. Eliac. Post. XVI. p. 491. Corinth. XV. p. 144. Schol. Nem. Pind. Hypoth. 2. Pind. Od. 5. Nem. Stroph. A. v. 9.

(12) Schol. Pindar. in Hypoth. 3. ad Nem.

(13) Schol. Pind. I. c.

(14) Pausan. Arcad. c. 48. p. 697. Lucian. Gymn. 272. Plin. XIX. 18. Schol. ad Pind. Isthm. Od. II. Epod. A. v. 7. Paschal, de Coron. VI. 26. p. 435. inquires into the causes why the conquerors at the Nemean games were crowned with parsley.

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## C H A P. XXV.

## Of the ISTHMIAN GAMES.

I. **T**HE Isthmian games were celebrated in the Isthmus of Corinth, (from which they took their name), at the temple of Isthmian Neptune, surrounded with a thick forest of (1) pine.

II. They were at first instituted in honour of Palemon or of (2) Melicerta : but the celebration of them was omitted for some time. They were renewed, improved, and dedicated to Neptune by (3) Theseus.

III. The Eleans were the only people of Greece who were admitted to these (4) games.

IV. These games were trieterical, i. e. they were celebrated every (5) three years; though some authors say, every (6) five, or every four years.

V.

V. The combats at these games were of every kind, as at the other (7) sacred games.

VI. The prize was at first a crown of (8) pine, afterwards of dry (9) parsley; and at length the crown of pine was (10) resumed.

VII. The presidents of these games were at first Corinthians; afterwards, inhabitants of (11) Sicyon.

VIII. These games were held in great (12) veneration on account of the (13) religion by which they were consecrated, and on account of their (14) antiquity.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XXV.

(1) Strabo, VIII. p. 262. Pausan. Corinth. I. II. p. 111.

(2) Pausan. Attic. c. XLIV. p. 108. Schol. Aristoph. Vesp. p. 1404. Ovid. Met. IV. p. 531.

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(3) Plutar. Thef. p. 11. Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 606.

(4) Pausan. Eliac. II. III. p. 458. and XLVI. p. 491. He gives the reason for this exclusion of the other states. Eliac. I. II. p. 378.

(5) Pind. Nem. Od. VI. Epod. B. v. 6. and Schol. ad h. l.

(6) Plin. IV. 5. Solin. c. 13. Auson. Idyll. 25. Paschal, de Coron. VI. 27. infers from Xenophon, Hist. Græc. IV. p. m. 410. that these games were celebrated every year.

(7) This is proved by a passage of Diogenes in Dion. Chrysostom.—De Isthm. Orat. 9.—Ego multos vici præclaros antagonistas, non cujusmodi sunt ista mancipia quæ hîc (in ludis Isthmicis) quidem luctâ, disco, cursu vincunt; sed longè acriores, paupertatem, &c.

(8) Pausan. Arcad. c. XLVIII. p. 669. Lucian. de Gymnas. p. 272. Plin. XV. 10.

(9) Pindar, Olymp. Od. XIII. Antistroph. B. v. 1. Hence he gives parsley the epithet, Corinthia. Nem. Od. IV. Antistr. Δ. v. 13. See, de Apio Sicco.—Schol. ad Pind. Isthm. Od. 2, Epod. A. v. 7. Laur. Beger. in Examine dubior. quorund. p. 9. Diodor. Sic. XVI. 80. p. 470. Schmid. Comment. ad Pind. Olymp. p. 312.

(10) Plut. Sympos. V. Probl. 3. p. 676.

(11) Pausan. Corinth. c. 2. p. 114.

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(12) They were continued even after the destruction of Corinth, Pausan. Corinth. c. II. p.

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(13) They were consecrated to Neptune, as we have already observed.

(14) The Scholiast of Pindar asserts that the Isthmian were much more recent than the Pythian games. But Schmid evidently proves the contrary. Proleg. in Isthm. p. 4.

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## C H A P. XXVI.

## Of TIME.

I. **A**S, in the description of the festivals, and sacred games of the Greeks, we have often had occasion to distinguish months and days, it will be proper, before we treat of their civil government, to explain their manner of dividing time.

II. It was divided into years, months, and (1) days.

III. The Athenians began their ancient year after the (2) winter solstice, and their year, as it was afterwards settled, with the first new moon after the (3) summer solstice.

IV. Their year had twelve months, consisting of thirty and twenty-nine days alternately; the months of thirty days always (4) preceding those of twenty-nine. The former were termed *πληρεις*, and *δεκαθινοι*.

καρῶνοι. The latter, κοίλοι, and (5) ἐναΐφθινοι.

V. These are their names:

1. The month of *Hecatombaion*, of thirty days, began with the new moon after the (6) summer-solstice, and corresponded with the latter half of our month of June, and the former half of our month of July. It took its name, *Hecatombaion*, from the (7) hecatombs which were then sacrificed.

2. The month *Metageitnion*, of twenty-nine days, so called from *metageitnia*, sacrifices which were then offered to (8) Apollo.

3. The month *Boedromion*, of thirty days, owes its name to the festival, (9) *Boedromia*.

4. The month (10) *Maimacterion*.

5. ——— (11) *PyanepSION*.

6. ——— (12) *Anthesterion*.

7. ——— (13) *Poseideon*.

8. ——— (14) *Gemelion*.

9. ——— (15) *Elaphebolion*.

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10. The month (16) Munychion.

11. ——— (17) Targhelion.

12. ——— (18) Scirophorion.

VI. The month was divided into three (19) decades; the first of which was called the decade of the (20) beginning; the second the decade of the middle; and the third, the (21) decade of the end.

VII. The first day of the first decade was termed (22) *νεομηνια*, the second, *δευτερα ισαμενες*, the third, *τριτη ισαμενες*.

VIII. The first day of the second decade was called, (23) *πρωτη μεσεντ*, or (24) *πρωτη επι δεκα*, the second *δευτερα μεσεντ*, or, *δευτερα επι δεκα*, &c.

IX. The first day of the third decade was called, (25) *πρωτη επ' εικαδι*; the second, (25) *δευτερα επ' εικαδι*, &c.

X. They likewise counted their days by inversion—(26) *φθινοντ δεκατη*—*φθινοντ εννατη*—and so of the rest, to the last, to which Solon gave the appellation of (27) *ση και νεα*—The old, and the new, because one part of that day belonged to the old,

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and the other to the new, moon. But after the time of Demetrius Poliorcetes, the last day of the month was termed, from his name, (28) Δημητριάς.

## NOTES to CHAP. XXVI.

(1) See Diog. Laert. I. in Vit. Cleob. Sect. 91. Ænigm. Cleobul.

(2) See Scalig. Canon. Isagog. III. p. 224. and Fabric. Monolog. p. 50.

(3) So we are informed by Plato, de Leg. VI. See Scalig. Canon. Isagog. III. p. 224. Salmas. Exercit. Plin. p. 315.

(4) See Theod. Gaza, *περι μηνων*; chapter, *περι Ἑρμηνείας των μηνων*, p. m. 115.

(5) See Gaza, l. c. chapter—*Πως αριθμηθενται τα μηνια ημερας*, p. m. 136. Gyraldus de Annis et Mensibus. p. 585. Cenforin. de Die natali, c. XX.

(6) See Salmas. Exerc. Plin. p. 315. Scalig. de Emend. Temp. I. p. 28.

(7) Harpocrat. at the word, *Εκατομβαιων*.

(8) Harpocrat. at the word, *Μετασειτων*. Plutarch. de Exilio, p. 601. B.

(9) Harpocrat. at the word, *Βονδρομα*. Plutarch. Thes. p. 12. F.

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(10) See Harpocrat. at this word. He derives it from Jupiter Maimactès, i. e. impetuous; because this month is commonly rainy and boisterous. Harpocratio makes it the fifth month of the year, and Gaza the fourth.

(11) Harpocrat. at the word, Πυρρῆιον.

(12) Harpocratio makes it the eighth month, and gives, at this word, its etymology. Our author follows Gaza; but Petau, and others, are of Harpocratio's opinion.

(13) According to Gaza, it is the seventh: but Harpocratio makes it the sixth, with whom Petau and Scaliger agree.

(14) So called from Gamèlia, sacrifices in honour of Juno, who presides over marriage. See Hesych. at this word.

(15) From the Elaphebolia, a festival celebrated in this month. See Gyrald. de Mensibus, p. 575.

(16) From the Mynychia, sacrifices in honour of Diana. See Harpocrat. at this word.

(17) See Harpocrat. at this word. Periz. ad Ælian. II. 25.

(18) See Harpocrat. at the word, Σκιρον.

(19) See Pollux, I. 7. 63. Theod. Gaza, περί μηνων, p. 134. Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. 25. Kust. ad Aristoph. Nub. v. 1129.

(20) Μνησ isαμινι—ισασθαι, here, signifies, exoriri. Homer uses it in this sense, Od. E. v. 162.

(21)  $\Phi\theta\iota\sigma\tau\epsilon\tau\epsilon\varsigma$ —See the authors already cited, l. c.

(22) The Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 1132. makes *νεμεσια*, synonymous with *ειν και νεα*.—but he is wrong. See Spanheim. ad h. l.

(23) Pollux, I. 7. 63.

(24) Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 1129.

(25) Pollux, I. 7. 63.

(26) Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 1129.

(27) Plutarch. in Solon, p. 92. Diog. Laert. I. 57.

(28) Plutarch. Demetr. p. 894. B. Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 1129.

PART

## P A R T II.

## Of the CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

## C H A P. I.

## Of the REGAL AUTHORITY.

I. **M**OST of the Grecian states were at first governed by (1) kings, who were chosen by the (2) people, to decide private (3) quarrels, and to exercise a power which was limited by (4) laws. They commanded the (5) armies in time of war, and presided over the (6) worship of the Gods, &c. &c.

II. This royalty was (7) hereditary.

III. Yet the son did not always succeed the father. If the vices of the heir to the

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· crown had rendered him (8) odious to the people, or if the oracle had commanded them to choose another (9) king; he was deprived of the right of succession.

IV. The veneration, however, which they had for their kings differed little from divine (10) homage; for they imagined that they held their sovereignty by the (11) appointment of Jupiter.

V. The chief ensign of majesty was the sceptre—(12) *σκηπτρον*, termed also, (13) *ῥαβδος*, and by the poets, (14) *δορυ*. In ancient times it was only the (15) branch of a tree, sometimes adorned with (16) studs of gold. The top of the sceptre was ornamented with some figure, commonly with that of an eagle, the emblem of Jupiter's dominion, to whom that (17) bird was consecrated.

#### NOTES to CHAP. I.

(1) Aristoph. Polit. l. 2. Dionys. Halic. Archæol. p. 326. l. 46. Pausan. Bæot. l. p. 712.

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(2) Aristot. Polit. III. 14. Thucyd. I. 9. says that Atreus ascended the throne of Mycenæ, by the choice of the people—*Βελομενων των Μυκηναίων.*

(3) Hence Homer styles kings, *Δικασκολυς*—Judices. Il. V. 238. and in another place, *Θεμισαπολυς*—In justitiâ occupatos. See Spanheim: ad Callim. v. 3. and Dionys. Halicarn.—Archæol. V. p. 337. Hesiod. Θ. 85. and Le Clerc, ad h. l.

(4) Thucyd. I. 13. says, that the power of kings was circumscribed by fixed and invariable laws—as he is explained by Lamb. Bos. Obs. Crit. c. III. See Dion. Halicarn. Archæol. V. p. 337. Spanheim. ad Julian Orat. I. p. 127. Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. II. 20.

(5) Aristot. Polit. III. 14.

(6) Aristot. l. c. Hence, after the abolition of royalty, there remained in many states of Greece, kings of the sacrifices.

(7) Thucyd. l. I. c. 13. calls it *Βασιλειαν πατρικην*—i. e. according to the interpretation of the Scholiast—*απο των πατριων παραλαμβανομενην, κατα διαδοχην γενεας*—Succeeded to, on the death of the fathers, according to the order of birth. See Aristoph. Polit. III. 14.

(8) We have instances of this exclusion in the sons of Tēmenas, who were not allowed to succeed their father on account of the parricide

with which they were polluted. See Apollod. II. 8. § 5. p. 145.

(9) Eustath. ad Od. Γ. v. 215. p. 122.

(10) Homer calls them, *Αγχιθιοι—Διογενειῖς—* Διι Φιλοι—*Διοτρεφειῖς*—and even—*Θιοι*. See Hom. Ιλ. Κ. 33. Hesiod. Θ. 80.

(11) Hom. Ιλ. Α. 279. Β. 205. Ι. 98. Callim. H. in Jov. v. 79. and Spanheim. ad h. l.

(12) Eustath. ad Ιλ. Α. v. 15. p. 19. l. 15. Hence kings are often styled, *Σκηπτυχοι*, as in Homer, Ιλ. Α. 279.

(13) In the Etymolog. the word, Sceptrum, is interpreted by *βασιλικην ραβδον*.

(14) Pausan. Bæot. c. XL. p. 795. Eurip. Hecub. v. 9. Hippol. 975. Justin. XLIII. 3.

(15) Hom. Ιλ. Α. 235. Virg. Æneid. XII. 210.

(16) Hom. Ιλ. Α. 246.

(17) Aristoph. Av. v. 510. and Schol. ad h. l.

(18) Schol. Aristoph. ad Av. v. 1354.

## C H A P. II.

Of the ATHENIAN STATE under  
its KINGS.

I. **T**HE form of government at Athens was often changed. That state experienced the (1) different effects of royalty, tyranny, aristocracy, and democracy.

II. In its remotest period it was governed by kings, the first of whom was (2) Cecrops the Egyptian. It is indeed asserted, that Ogyges was the most ancient king of (3) Attica; but the (4) time of Cecrops is the highest date of Athenian history and chronology.

III. After him there was a succession of (5) sixteen kings at Athens: Erectheus, the Sixth, was (6) very famous. Theseus, the Tenth, enlarged and adorned the city; and was, on that account, honoured with  
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the title of the second founder of Athens. He incorporated with their fellow-citizens the Athenians, who were before dispersed in (7) towns and villages.

IV. He divided the people into three classes—the nobles—the labourers—and the (8) artizans.

V. Theseus, in this division of the Athenians, seems to have followed the plan of the republic of Egypt; where the people were likewise divided into (9) three classes.

VI. The seventeenth and last king of the Athenians was (10) Codrus, the son of (11) Melanthus, who, in his war with the Dorians, deliberately forfeited his life for the (12) safety of the state.

#### NOTES to CHAP. II.

(1) See Ælian. V. H. V. c. 13. Strabo, IX. p. 874.

(2) See the Oxford Marbles, p. 2. Apollod. III. 13. p. 221. styles Cecrops, *Αυτοχθoνς*; but  
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Th. Gale, ad h. l. p. 85. proves that he was an Egyptian. See Euseb. Chron. p. 26.

(3) The authors of most credit who make Ogyges king of Attica, are, Eusebius, Chron. p. 24. Cedrenus, and Paul Orosius, whose passages relating to that point are cited by Scaliger, ad Euseb. p. 20. But Pausan. Bæot. c. V. p. 19. Varro, de R. R. III. 1. and others, assert that he was king of Thebes, and not of Attica. The poets only apply the epithet Ogygius to what relates to Thebes, or to any thing extremely ancient. See Barth. ad Stat. Theb. V. v. 518. p. 251. Burman. Met. Ovid. III. 713. and Spanheim. ad Callim. p. 8.

(4) Eusebius and the Oxford Marbles begin with him.—Hence, Socrates, speaking of the remotest ancestors of the Athenians, goes no higher than the time of Cecrops. Xenoph. Memorab. III. 5. § 9.

(5) We find their names on the Oxford Marbles; but more completely, in Eusebius Chron.

(6) He was famous chiefly for two things. 1° For his having entertained Ceres. See Stephens, at the word, *Ερεχθία*.—2° Because the art of agriculture was invented in his reign. There were yet other causes of his celebrity, of which we find a detail in Diod. Sic. I. 49. p. 25. and in Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. V. 13. See Justin. II. 6. Cic. pro Sext. c. XXI. Celf. Ernest.

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ad Xenoph. *Ἀπομν.* III. 5. § 10.

(7) Thucyd. II. 15. Diod. Sic. IV. p. 264.  
Strabo, IX. p. 275. Plut. Thef. p. 1. and 10.  
Cic. de Leg. II. 2. Valer. Max. V. 3.

(8) See Plutarch. Thef. p. 11. C. D.

(9) Diod. Sic. I. 28. p. 25.

(10) Vell. Paterc. I. 2. Justin. II. 1.

(11) Pausan. Attic. c. XIX. p. 45. Conon.  
Narrat. 39.

(12) Euseb. Chron. p. 33. Pausan. Achaic.  
25. p. 588. Justin. II. 6. Val. Max. V. 6. 1.  
Extern. Polyæn. I. 18. p. 36.

CHAP.

## C H A P. III.

Of the A T H E N I A N S T A T E under  
the A R C H O N S.

I. **C**ODRUS was the last of the (1) A-thenian kings. After his death, the state was governed by (2) perpetual archons instead of kings.

II. They had not an absolute, nor a regal power: they were, (3) *υπευθυνοι*—subjected to the laws.

III. As there was very little difference between the first kings and the perpetual archons (for they were magistrates for life) they were sometimes styled *βασιλεις*, and their office was termed—(4) *βασιλευειν*.

IV. There were thirteen of these (5) perpetual archons. The first was Medon, the son of Codrus, from whom the family of the (6) Medontidæ descended. The last was Alcmaeon, the son of (7) Æschylus.

lus. This form of government lasted (8) three hundred and fifteen years.

V. After the death of Alcmaeon the dignity of Archon ceased to be perpetual; and was limited to the term of (9) ten years.

VI. There were seven of these latter archons. The first was (10) Charops; the last was (11) Eryxias.

VII. Eryxias having been banished from public (12) discontent, the form of government was again changed, and nine archons were entrusted with the administration of public affairs, whose office was not perpetual, nor of ten years, but (13) annual. They were elected by the votes of the citizens; but they could not be chosen without three qualifications, antiquity of family, wealth, and (14) reputation.

VIII. Among these archons there were distinctions of name and function. The first of them was called archon, as chief and president of the (15) body. In digesting their years in their calendar, they distinguished

tinguished them by his (16) name. The second archon was called βασιλευς; the third, πολεμαρχος; the remaining six were styled (17) Θεσμοβηται.

IX. The office of the archon was, 1° To superintend some sacrifices—those of the (18) Bacchanals, for instance, &c.—2° To take cognizance of law-suits betwixt (19) relations—3° To protect orphans, and to appoint their (20) guardians.

X. The office of the king was—1° To inspect some religious ceremonies; as the (21) feasts of Eleufis, &c.—2° To decide in some religious causes; as in accusations of impiety, and in the applications of candidates for the (22) priesthood.

XI. The function of the Polemarch was, 1° The inspection of some sacrifices; those of (23) Diana and of Mars, for instance.—2° The management of war: from this part of his office he took his (24) title.—3° The jurisdiction over strangers; as that

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over the citizens was vested in the (25) archon.

XII. The office of the *Thesmothetæ* was, 1<sup>o</sup> To enforce the execution of justice, and the maintenance of the laws: from this part of their function they took their (26) title.—2<sup>o</sup> To examine and determine some causes; those of calumny, venality of magistrates, adultery, insults, &c. They laid the more weighty causes before (27) superior tribunals.

XIII. Each of these *Novemvirs* had a separate (28) jurisdiction: but they could only convoke the people when (29) all the nine were assembled.

XIV. The three first, viz. the archon, the king, and the polemarch, had, each of them, two assessors, styled in Greek, (30) *παρεδροι*; so that each of the three tribunals had three judges.

XV. These nine archons were, in early times, elected by the suffrages of the people; and the form of government was then  
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aristocratical; for they were chosen from among the citizens who were most distinguished by their (31) birth and their merit.

XVI. These *Novemvirs*, before they entered upon their office, underwent a severe examination in the senate, on their birth, their age, their fortune, and their (32) conduct. They likewise took a solemn oath to observe the laws, and to refuse (33) presents.

XVII. As these archons, in process of time, were more led by caprice, and prejudice, in their decrees, than by the written laws, seditions arose, animosities, and political evils of every (34) kind. To put an end to this confusion, Draco, a wise and virtuous man, was authorized by the people to make a code of laws, fifty-three years after the establishment of the nine archons.

XVIII. These laws of Draco were remarkable for their (37) severity. They were called (38) *θεσμοι*.

XIX. The people being disgusted with

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these laws, and many public (39) dissensions arising in consequence of their rigour, (40) Solon was requested to redress the grievances of the state.

## NOTES to CHAP. III.

(1) Vell. Paterc. I. 2. Justin. II. 6.

(2) Euseb. Chron. p. 33. styles them, *αρχοντας δια βιω*—archons for life. The first of these archons was Medon, and from his name the rest were called, Medontides. Vell. Paterc. I.

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(3) Pausan. Messen. V. p. 292.

(4) Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. V. 13.

(5) Eusebius gives us their names. Chron.

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(6) Pausan. c. V. p. 292.

(7) Euseb. Chron. p. 39. Vell. Paterc. I. 8.

(8) Scalig. Canon. Isagog. II. 2. p. 160.

(9) *Αρχοντων δεκαστιων*—These are the words of Dion. Halic. Archæol. I. p. 68. See Euseb. Chron. I. p. 39. Vell. Paterc. I. 8.

(10) Euseb. I. c. *Καροψ, πρωτος Αρχων δεκαστης*. Vell. Paterc. I. c.

(11) Euseb. I. c. Vell. Paterc. I. c.

(12) It is not clear whether this change of government

vernment took place in consequence of the banishment of Eryxias, on account of some public discontent; or immediately on his death.—*Meurs. de Archont. Athen. VIII. p. 21.*

(13) *Ἐναυσίαν ἀρχὴν*—says Pausan. *Eliac. Post. c. XIX. p. 500.* and *Messen. c. XV. p. 315.* The same Pausanias styles these magistrates, *κατ' ἑαυτοὺς ἀρχόντες.* See *Vell. Paterc. I. 8. Euseb. I. Chron. p. 39.*

(14) *Euseb. Chron. p. m. 155. Εξ Ἐπατριδῶν.* Yet Scaliger thinks they were not always chosen from among the nobles, in *Animadv. p. 74.*—In which opinion he is contradicted by *Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. V. 13.*

(15) *Phil. Περὶ Ἀρχαῶν, p. 351. B. Edit. Francf. an. 1691.*

(16) Hence he is surnamed, *Ἐπώνυμος*, or, *τὸ ἑαυτοῦ ἐπώνυμος Ἀρχὼν*—*Pollux, VIII. 9. 85.* and in Latin, *anni signator.* *Selden. ad Marmora Arundel.*

(17) *Pollux, l. c.* We find in *Sigon.* the reasons why the nine archons were distinguished by these titles.—*De Rep. Athen. I. 15. p. 481.* See *Ælian. V. H. V. 13.* who seems to think there were ten archons. See likewise *Perizon. ad h. l.* and *Baumgarten. Histor. Univers. ex Anglic. in Germanicum Convers. T. V. p. 149.*

(18) *Pollux, VIII. 9. 89.*

(19) The law suits betwixt man and wife; for instance. Plutarch. Alcibiad. p. 195. C.

(20) Demosth. in Macartat. p. 660. A. and Pollux, l. c.

(21) Pollux, VIII. 9. 90. Harpocrat. *Ἐπιμηλητης των μυστηριων.*

(22) Pollux, VIII. 9. p. 90.

(23) Pollux, l. c. p. 91.

(24) Pollux, l. c. says, it was likewise part of his office to order funeral games to be celebrated in honour of the citizens who fell in battle. See Meurf. Lect. Attic. II. 14.

(25) Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 1037.

(26) Harpocrat. at the word, *Θεισμοθεται.* Schol. Aristoph. ad Εκκλησι. V. 290.

(27) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 87. and 88.

(28) See Sigon. de Rep. Athen. IV. 3. p. 538.

(29) All the power which the kings had at first possessed, and afterwards the archons, was so divided among the Novevirs, that all affairs of state were at their disposal.

(30) Pollux, VIII. 9. 92. Harpocrat. at the word, *Παριδρο.* Sigon. de Rep. Athen. IV. 3. p. 539.

(31) Euseb. Chron. p. 155. *Μετα της βασιλευς Αρχοντες ενιαυσιαιοι ηρθσαν εξ Ευπατριδων*—After the kings, annual archons were chosen from among the nobles.—Plutarch. Solon. p. 85. D. says

says that Solon was chosen archon by the people. But afterwards, the archons were nominated by lot; the lots were beans. See Meurs. de Archontib. c. IX. p. 30. and particularly, Periz. ad Æliam. V. H. VIII. 10.

(32) Pollux, VIII. 9. 85. and 86. This examination is termed, *αναξιωσις*. See Kuhn. and Sigon. de Rep. Athen. IV. 3. p. 535.

(33) Pollux, l. c.

(34) I question whether any author has asserted that the laws of Draco took their rise from these causes. Our author seems only to have imagined them. However, they are not improbable ones, especially if we consider the severity of Draco's laws, and that such causes have given rise to most legislations. See Tacit. Annal. III. 26. Sigon. de Rep. Athen. I. 5. p. 480.

(35) It is not surprising that authors differ in this point. Suidas, at the word, *Δρακων*, asserts, that he published his laws in the first year of the thirty-ninth Olympiad. And if we suppose, with Eusebius, that the archons were instituted in the twenty-fourth Olympiad, fifty-seven years elapsed from the establishment of the archons to the publication of Draco's laws.

(36) Gell. Nort. Attic. XI. 18.

(37) Aristot. Polit. II. 10. Two witty expressions are recorded on the severity of these laws; one of Herodicus, in Aristot. Rhet. II.

23. § 100. Another of Demades, Plutarch, Solon. p. 87. E. To these we may add the witty remark of Draco himself on his laws. Ibid.

(38) The cause of this appellation was the title of the laws, which was as follows.—Θεσμῶν αἰωνῶν τοῖς Ἀθηναῖσι νομοθετοῖς, Κυρίοις τε τῶν πάντων χρόνων—The eternal *code* for the inhabitants of Attica, and for its governours. See Porphyry, περὶ ἀποχρῆς.—IV. p. 179. Meurs. Solon. XIII. and Hist. Univers. ex Angl. in Germ. Convers. T. V. § 265. p. 155.

(39) Plutarch. Solon. p. 84. A. Thucyd. I. 126. Schol. ad Aristoph. Equ. 443. Plut. Solon, p. 84. F. and Meurs. Pisistr. c. III. p. 11.

(40) Plut. Solon. p. 85. C.

CHAP.

## C H A P. IV.

Of the ATHENIAN GOVERNMENT  
under SOLON.

I. **S**OLON being chosen archon, and (1) vested with the legislative power, abrogated, on account of their too great severity, all the laws of Draco, except the laws against (2) murder; this change took place in the (3) forty-sixth Olympiad.

II. Thus the form of government was once more new-modelled. The power of the nine archons was considerably (4) circumscribed; and the lowest of the people were permitted to hear (5) public causes: in short Solon is deemed the first institutor of (6) democracy.

III. He began his political reformation by publishing a *Seisachthæa*—(7) *Σεισαχθῆα*, that is, a (8) remission of debts.

IV. To facilitate likewise the payment

of debts, he made the mina pass for a (9) hundred drachmæ, which before was only worth seventy-five.

V. He let the people remain divided as formerly into four tribes, subdivided, each of them, into three curiæ, each of which comprised thirty families. He likewise let the division of the whole city into (10) δήμους, remain.

VI. But he introduced a new division of the people. For he divided them by the census, i. e. according to their rank and fortune, into four classes.—1° Those who had land that yielded fifty measures.—Πεντακοσιμεδωνες.—2° The Knights, Ἴππεις; —3° The Zeugitæ, Ζευγίτας.—4° The Slaves, (11) Θητας.

VII. The slaves, who were the refuse of the people, and who were more numerous than the three other classes, were admitted to trials and public assemblies as the (12) rest of the people.

VIII. He formed a senate of four hundred

hundred persons, to whom all affairs of (13) state were referred.

IX. (14) New senators were nominated by lot every year; and from these senators, Prytanès, who presided over the (15) senate by turns.

#### NOTES to CHAP. IV.

(1) Plutarch. Solon. p. 85. D.

(2) Plutarch. Ibid. p. 87. D. E. Ælian. V. H. VIII. 10.

(3) Cyrill. in Julian. l. I. p. 12. D. In the third year of that Olympiad, according to Diog. Laert. l. 62.—or in the second, according to Eusebius.

(4) Sigon. de Rep. Athen. l. 5. p. 482.

(5) Plutarch. Solon. p. 88. A.

(6) Sigon. l. c. Aristot. Polit. II. 12. It appears, however, from the passage of Plutarch, above cited, that Solon rather strengthened than instituted democracy. It is likewise proved—  
1° By Solon's being appointed by the people to make them laws.—2° By the verses which are said to be Solon's, and which are to be found in Plutarch. Solon, p. 88. B.

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(7) Plutarch. Solon, p. 86. D.

(8) Plutarch interprets the word, *Συσαχθῆαι* — *χρῶν ἀποκοπή*—a remission of debts. Some learned men, however, think the word means, not a total remission of debts, but a reduction of usury, and an augmentation of the value of money. Plutarch. Solon, p. 86. D. See also on this subject, the anonymous author, *περὶ ἀγῶν*, Opusc. Mythol. Th. Gale, p. 96.—But what Plutarch relates (l. c.) of the fraud of Solon's friends, and of the lots which Solon himself sustained, proves this *seisachthæa* was a total remission of debts.

(9) Plutarch. Solon, p. 86. D. Plutarch says, that Solon at once remitted the debts, and augmented the measures of commodities, and the value of money.

(10) We find references to this division before and after the time of Solon. Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 109. enumerates these four tribes. And Segm. III. he adds—Each tribe was divided into three parts; and each of these parts was called, —*τρίτῃς, εἶνος, Φρατρία*—and each curia comprised thirty families—*ἐκαστὴ δὲ εἶνος γένη τριακοντα*—On the division into *δημοί*, see Pausan. Attic. XXXI. p. 76. Strabo, IX. p. 274. Eustath. I. B. v. 363. p. 181. Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 2.

(11) Plutarch. Solon. p. 87. F. Aristot. Polit.

lit. II. 10. Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 129. where all these names are explained,

(12) Plutarch. l. c. Meurf. Solon. c. XIV.

(13) Plutarch. Solon. p. 88. D.

(14) Thucyd. VIII. 66. calls the senate, βελη  
 απο τε κυαμυ : and, Andocides, Orat. I. de Myst.  
 p. 220. ἡ βελη, οἱ πεντακοστοι, λαχοντες τω κυαμυ.—  
 The bean determined who should compose the  
 senate of five hundred. See Sigon, de Repub.  
 Athen. II. 3.

(15) Sigon. l. c. p. 492.

CHAP.

## C H A P. V.

Of the ATHENIAN STATE under  
PISISTRATUS and his SONS.

I. **T**HE republic having continued in this form for (1) about eighty years, Pisistratus usurped the (2) government of the state. Solon died (3) the year following.

II. Pisistratus annihilated the (4) power of the people.

III. He lost and regained the tyranny twice in the space of (5) sixteen years.

IV. After the death of Pisistratus, his sons Hippias and Hipparchus succeeded to his (6) unlimited power. Hipparchus was killed by (7) Harmodius and Aristogiton. And Hippias was banished by the people. Thus ended the (8) tyranny.

## NOTES to C H A P. V.

(1) This is uncertain. If we suppose with Scaliger, ad Euseb. p. 81. that Solon was chosen

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sen archon in the third year of the forty-sixth Olympiad—or, with the Oxford Marbles, and Plutarch, that Comias was archon when Pisistratus made himself tyrant of Athens; or, that Comias was archon in the first year of the fifty-fifth Olympiad—Any one of these suppositions being admitted, we shall find that the form which Solon gave the republic of Athens lasted longer than eighty years. See Perizon. *Ælian*. V. H. III. 21.

(2) Plutarch. l. c. *Ælian*. V. H. VIII. 16. and the authors cited by Meursius. Solon. c. 27.

(3) The learned differ with regard to the time that Solon survived his republic. See Meurf. Solon, c. 30.

(4) Herodot. I. p. 24. 25. Plutarch. Solon, p. 94. E. Polyænus, l. 21. § 1. His tyranny was gentle, if we may believe Phædrus, l. 2. See Meurf. Pisistrat. VI. p. 35.

(5) Aristot. Polit. V. 12.—We find in Herodot. I. p. 25. Polixen. I. 21. Valer. Max. I. 2. Extern. 2. and in Herodot. I. p. 26.—how he was banished and recalled the first and second time.

(6) Thucyd. I. 20. and VI. 54. See Perizon. ad *Ælian*. VIII. 2.

(7) Herodot. V. p. 351. Thucyd. VI. 57.

(8) Herodot. V. p. 354. Thucyd. VI. 59.

## C H A P. VI.

Of the ATHENIAN STATE under  
CLISTHENES.

I. **T**HE Pisistratidæ having been banished eighty-six years after the establishment of the laws of Solon, the form of government was again changed by Clisthenes, who began his project by gaining the people, that he might oppose them to the (1) nobility, of whom Isagres, the son of Tisamenes, was the favourite.

II. He divided the people into ten tribes, (a division which continued ever after) and gave the democracy yet more strength than it had obtained from (2) Solon.

III. He increased the number of senators to five hundred. Before they were but four hundred. (3) Fifty senators were now taken by lot from each of the ten tribes, to which he had given (4) new names.

IV. At the head of the senate were fifty Prytanès, instead of the (5) forty who had presided

presided over it formerly. And it was from their title that the time during which each tribe presided was termed, (6) Πρυτανεια.

V. The senate had nine presidents beside the Prytanès : they were called, (7) Προεδροι.

VI. The office of the Prytanès was, to appoint days for the meeting of the senate, and the assemblies, to convoke, and to dismiss them; and to make a report of public affairs to the (8) senate.

VII. The chief of the Prytanès was called (9) Επιστατης.—His authority in the senate was absolute; but it lasted only for a (10) day.

VIII. If any of the senators was guilty of a crime, the senate prohibited him the exercise of his office, and expelled him from their body. His sentence was written upon leaves: hence the execution of it was termed—(11) Εκφυλλοφορησαι.

IX. Pericles turned this form of government into (12) anarchy and confusion.

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## NOTES to CHAP. VI.

(1) Herodot. V. p. 355.

(2) Herodot. l. c. Aristot. Polit. III. 2. Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. XIII. 24.

(3) Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 3. p. 491. Pollux, VIII. 5. Segm. 19. and 155. speaks of the senate of five hundred—*Βουλῆς τῆς τῶν ἑντακκοσίων.*

(4) Pollux, VIII. 9. 109. Herodot. l. c. and Kuhn. Not. ad Polluc. n. 31.

(5) Harpocrat. at the word, *Πεντανίς.*

(6) Pollux, l. c. Segm. 115. and Harpocrat. at the word *Πεντανίαις.*

(7) Potter. Archæolog. Græc. Lib. I. c. 17.

(8) Pollux, l. c. Segm. 95. Demosth. contra Timocrat. Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 4. Perizon. ad Ælian. IX. 39.

(9) Pollux, l. c. Segm. 96. Suid. at the word, *Επισανίς.*

(10) Eustath. Od. P. p. 641. l. 47.

(11) See Harpocrat. at the word, *Εκφυλλοφορησαι.* Valef. in Not. p. 56. Meurf. Lect. Attic. III. 19.

(12) Aristot. Polit. II. 12. Plutarch. Pericl. p. 155. 157. 161. 169. Aristoph. Achurn. v. 496.

CHAP.

## C H A P. VII.

Of the STATE of the REPUBLIC of  
ATHENS under the GOVERNMENT  
of the FOUR HUNDRED, and under  
the THIRTY TYRANTS.

I. **P**ERICLES dying in the (1) eighty-  
eighth Olympiad—Alcibiades, af-  
ter his death, being banished from the (2)  
city—Nicias being killed, and his army  
cut to pieces, in (3) Sicily—the govern-  
ment was entrusted to four hundred of the  
(4) principal citizens.

II. But those new magistrates having  
proved (5) tyrants, they were deposed in  
four months, and were succeeded by five  
thousand citizens, to whom the administra-  
tion of public affairs was (6) committed.

III. At length, in the ninety-third O-  
lympiad, Lyfander made himself master of  
Athens, and established (7) thirty tyrants

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there who were grievous oppressors of the state; but three years after, they were banished by (8) Thraſybulus.

IV. After the expulsion of these thirty tyrants, they created, without any interregnum, in the second year of the ninety-fourth Olympiad, ten magistrates, who were charged with the (9) public administration. They were eminently styled, (10) Οἱ δέκα;—and each of them was called (11) Δεκαρχοί.

V. These magistrates having likewise abused their power, were banished in their turn; and the government became again (12) democratical.

#### NOTES to CHAP. VII.

(1) If the Peloponnesian war was begun in the eighty-seventh Olympiad, as Eusebius asserts, in Canon. Chron.—if it was begun even at the commencement of that Olympiad, which is Dodwell's opinion—Annal. Thucyd. pag. 61.—and if, according to the testimony of Thucydides, Pericles flourished two years and a half

half after the beginning of that war; it evidently follows that Pericles died in the same eighty-seventh Olympiad.

(2) Or having gone voluntarily into exile—which he once did, according to Thucydides, VI. 61. twice, according to Corn. Nep. Alcib. c. VII. and Plut. Alcib. p. 211.

(3) Thucyd. VII. 86. This happened in the fourth year of the ninety-first Olympiad.

(4) Thucyd. VIII. 63. 67. 70.

(5) Thucyd. VIII. 70. Senec. de Tranquill. c. 3.

(6) Thucyd. VIII. 97.

(7) Plutarch. Lyfand. p. 441. E. Diod. Sic. XIV. c. I. 7. 33. and Xenoph. Hist. Græc. II. p. 359.

(8) Corn. Nep. Thraſyb. c. I. Xenoph. I. c. p. 370.

(9) Xenoph. Hist. Græc. II. p. 471. Diod. Sic. XIV. 34.

(10) Xenoph. I. c.

(11) Harpocr. at the words, Δικα, and Δικαρχος.

(12) Diod. Sic. XIV. 34. Xenoph. Hist. Græc. II. towards the end.

## C H A P. VIII.

Of the STATE of the REPUBLIC  
of ATHENS, from the TIME of  
ALEXANDER the GREAT to that  
of SYLLA.

I. **T**HIS popular government subsisted at Athens till the death of Alexander the Great. The city was then taken by Antipater; and an oligarchy was established, composed of nine thousand of the richest citizens.

II. Antipater dying at the expiration of four years, (3) Cassander made himself master of the city, and gave the Athenians for their governour (4) Demetrius (5) Phalerèus, a (6) learned man, who, notwithstanding the important (7) services he did them, and for which he was rewarded with (8) distinguished honours, was afterwards banished by them for not having shown himself very favourable to (9) liberty.

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III. But Demetrius Poliorcetes restored to the city its ancient liberty, and to the people their (10) power. In memory of the benefits he conferred upon them, they paid divine honours to him as well as to (11) Antigonus.

IV. The Athenians maintained this state of independence almost to the time of (12) Sylla, some momentary (13) checks excepted, which their liberty suffered.

#### NOTES to CHAP. VIII.

- (1) Diod. Sic. XVIII. p. 18.  
 (2) Idem. Ibid. This form of government was called Πλυτοκρατια.  
 (3) Diod. Sic. XVIII. p. 74. Pausan. Attic. XXV. p. 60.  
 (4) Επιμελητην. Diod. Sic. l. c. Τυραννον. Pausan. l. c.  
 (5) Diod. Sic. and Pausan. l. c.  
 (6) Pausan. l. c. Laert. V. 80.  
 (7) Diod. Sic. l. c. Strabo, IX. p. 274. Excerpta Peiresc. p. 52. Laert. V. 75.  
 (8) The people decreed him three hundred statues. Strabo, IX. p. 274.—Three hundred  
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and sixty, according to Diog. Laert. in Demetr. VI. p. 75. Plin. XXXIV. p. 6.

(9) Nepos, in Phocion. c. 3. Different reasons are given for his banishment, by Strabo, l. c. Laert. v. 76. Cic. de Fin. v. 19. But our author is supported by Pausanias. Attic. XXV. p. 60. Phædr. V. Fab. I. Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. III. 17.

(10) Diod. Sic. XX. 46. p. 781.

(11) Idem. Ibid. 47. p. 782. Pausan. Attic. XXV. p. 60. Plutarch. in Demetr. p. 892.

(12) Pausan. Attic. c. XX. p. 47. Appian. de Bell. Mithridat. p. 322. 332. Plutarch. in Syllâ, p. 460.

(13) The hostilities, for instance, of Philip of Macedon. Liv. XXXI. p. 24. 26. and 30.

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## C H A P. IX.

Of the ATHENIAN STATE under the  
the ROMANS.

I. **T**HE Athenians having been the allies of Mithridates in the war which that prince undertook against the (1) Romans, Sylla, to be avenged of them, besieged their city, took it by storm, ravaged it without mercy, and reduced it to a deplorable (2) condition.

II. But Athens, after the death of Sylla, rose again as it were from its ashes, by the generosity of the Romans, who restored to it its (3) liberty.

III. Adrian, among others, granted favours of all kinds to the Athenians; gave them equitable laws, and honourable privileges; not to mention the many ornaments with which he embellished their (4) city.

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IV. The Athenians likewise received many favours from his successors—from (5) Marcus Antoninus Pius, and (6) Marcus Antoninus the Philosopher.

V. They were also protected by Valerian, who permitted them to repair their (7) walls.

VI. But in the time of the emperor Gallian, the Goths took and (8) pillaged their city.

VII. At last, in the year of Christ, 1455, the Turks so effectually spoiled it of its ancient grandeur, that it is not now a city, but a little town, of which they are still masters. Its modern name is *Setines*.

#### NOTES to CHAP. IX.

(1) Plutarch in Syllâ, p. 458. E. Appian, de Bell. Mithridat. p. 322. Pausan. Attic. c. XX.

(2) Plutarch. Appian. Pausan. l. c. Flor. III. 5. Vellei. II. 23. Strabo, IX. v. 274. Yet, if we give credit to the two last authors,  
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Sylla treated the Athenians rather with clemency than rigour.

(3) This fact we find in Strabo, IX. p. 274. See Meurf. de Fort. Athen. who proves by many authorities, that the Athenians enjoyed their liberty to the time of Vespasian.

(4) Pausan. Attic. c. XX. p. 48. c. XVIII. p. 42. Meurf. de Fortun. Athen. X. p. 104. Xiphilin. in Adrian. Spartian. in Adv. XIII. and XX. Cassiodor. Chron. in Adrian.

(5) See an ancient inscription. Oper. Gruter. p. 177.

(6) Xiphilin. M. Anton. Philosoph. p. 371.

(7) Zosim. B. I. c. 29. Zonar. XII. 23. p. 629.

(8) Zonar. XII. 26. p. 635.—says, the Scythians.



See a very able dissertation on  
the Grecian Courts of Justice, in  
N<sup>o</sup>. 67 of the Quarterly Review.  
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## C H A P. X.

Of the A T H E N I A N A S S E M B L I E S,

I. **T**HE assembly, in Latin, concio, and in Greek, εκκλησια, was a meeting of (1) all the people, with whom, when convoked according (2) to law, the general administration of affairs was lodged, by a (3) regulation of Solon.

II. The assembly was empowered to take cognizance of the acts of the (4) senate, to make (5) laws, to appoint (6) magistrates, to declare (7) war, &c.

III. The place where the people assembled was either the public (8) square, or the πρυξ, a square near the (9) citadel; or the (10) theatre.

IV. These assemblies were either *ordinary*, and called εκκλησιαι, or (11) εκκλησιαι κυριαι; or *extraordinary*, and called κατεκκλησιαι, and (12) συκλητοι εκκλησιαι.

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V. The ordinary assemblies were held (13) thrice in a month, on appointed days, which (as the law directed) were fixed by the Pritanès, with the approbation of the (14) senate.

VI. The extraordinary assemblies were convoked by the (15) Prytanès, on events of great (16) importance, and with the consent of the (17) senate. They were sometimes summoned by the *Στρατηγοί*, when matters of (18) war were to be debated.

VII. As there were many citizens who went to this assembly against their will, and were very dilatory in attending it, on account of the disagreeable affairs which were sometimes to be debated, there were public officers to compel them to go to it, who extended a cord dyed with red, in the place where the assembly was held; and those who were marked with that colour paid a (19) fine.

VIII. The presidents of the assembly  
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were the Assessors, the Epistates, and the (20) Prytanès.

IX. Before the assembly entered upon business they sacrificed a young hog, as an atonement for the (21) people.

X. A public crier then addressed to the Gods the (22) prayers of the people, and enjoined (23) silence.

XI. The Prytanès and the Assessors then laid before the assembly the subject on which they were to deliberate: and if any decree had before been passed on that subject, the crier, after the decree was read, gave notice, that they who chose to speak might offer their (24) sentiments.

XII. They only had the right of speaking in the assembly who were above (25) fifty years of age. They who were branded with infamy, and they who led an immoral life were likewise (26) excluded from that privilege.

XIII. The people gave their suffrages  
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by stretching forth the hand, by (27) χειροτονια.

XIV. The decree of the senate, thus ratified by the people, was called ψηφισμα, and took the force of a standing law. But before it had this public approbation, it was termed προβλευμα, and had only the validity of a law for (28) one year.

XV. On the ψηφισματα were written the names of the orator, or senator, who had given his opinion, and the name of the tribe to which the (29) Prytanis belonged.

NOTES to CHAP. X.

(1) Ammonius—Εκκλησιαν ελεγον οι Αθηναιοι την εσπερον των κατα την πολιν—The Athenians call the general assembly of the inhabitants of their city, εκκλησια.

(2) It was legally convoked, when it was convoked by a magistrate who had a right to call it, in a convenient place and time. See Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 4. p. 496.

(3) Demosthen. Orat. contra Neæram, p. 529. says, the people of Athens are masters of

whatever is in the city, and may dispose of it as they please. Yet it is to be doubted whether Solon enlarged the rights of the assembly more than Clithènes, Aristides, and Pericles; or rather it is not at all doubtful. See Aristot. de Rep. Athen. II. c. 12. and III. c. 2.

(4) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 95. Potter de Leg. Attic. Lib. III. Tit. I. Petit. p. 216.

(5) Demosth. in Timocrat. p. 464. Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 4. p. 501. Petit. p. 97.

(6) Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 133. Æschin. contra Ctesiphont. p. 278. Sigon. l. c. p. 531.

(7) Thucyd. l. c. 139. c. 145. Sigon. l. c. II. 4. p. 502. On the other rights which the assembly of the people had, consult, likewise, Sigonius de Rep. Athen. II. 4. p. 501.

(8) Harpocrat. at the word, Πανδημιῶν Αφροδιστη.

(9) Thucyd. VIII. 97. Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 42.

(10) Thucyd. VIII. 93. Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 133.

(11) Harpocrat. at the word, Κυρια εκκλησια. Pollux, VIII. 19. Segm. 95. Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 19. Petit. p. 196.

(12) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 116. Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 19. Petit. p. 204.

(13) So says Ulpian, in Timocrat. p. 227. et in Orat. de falsâ Legatione, p. 100. But in the Attic

Attic Calendar of Petit, it appears, Leg. Attic. p. 197. that the common assembly was held four times every Prytaneum, that is, in the space of thirty-five days; which agrees with what we are told by Aristotle. See Harpocrat. at the word, *Κυρια εκκλησια*:

(14) Harpocrat. l. c.

(15) Demosth. de Corona, and the authors cited by Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 4. Petit. p. 204.

(16) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 19.

(17) For the Prytanès are, according to Harpocratation, *οἱ διοικῶντες ἀπαντὰ τὰ ὑπο τῆς βουλῆς τατομενα*—Those who carry into execution the orders of the senate.

(18) Demosth. de Coron. p. 323. Petit. p. 204.

(19) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 22. Pollux, VIII. c. 9. Segm. 104. Sigon. l. c. p. 498.

(20) Pollux, VIII. c. 9. Segm. 95. and 96. Harpocrat. at the word, *Προεδροι*. Sigon. l. c. p. 498.

(21) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 44. Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 104. Harpocrat. at the word, *Καθαρισιον*.

(22) Demosth. contra Timocrat. p. 464. Petit. p. 206.

(23) Aristoph. Thesm. v. 302. and Schol.

(24) Pollux, VIII. c. 9. Segm. 95. Harpocrat.

crat. at the word, Προεδροι. Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 4. p. 499.—and the passages of Demosthenes and Æschines, cited by Petit; p. 206.

(25) Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 330. Petit; ad Leg. Attic. p. 209.

(26) Æschin. in Timarchum, p. 174. Sigon: de Rep. Athen. II. 4. p. 500. Petit, l. c. p. 205. Kuhn. ad Polluc. VIII. 9. Segm. 104. p. 61.

(27) Vales. ad Harpocrat. p. 75. Sigon: l. c. p. 501.

(28) Ulpian. ad Orat. contra Aristocrat. p. 219. Petit. I. p. 121. Sigon. l. c. p. 501.

(29) See the authorities cited by Sigon: de Rep. Athen. II. 4. p. 501. and Demosth. de Coron. p. 316.

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 Lyrias, Isocrates, Lycurgus, and Demosthenes concur in love & veneration of this most excellent Tribunal, which was composed of men who had borne the highest offices of the State, & who, by birth, as well as dignity, form'd the real aristocracy of Athens. In this single Court of Athens, (the Areopagus) all attempts to move the feelings, instead of the reason, were guarded against. By using its powers, Pericles opened a  
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CHAP. XI.

Of the principal TRIBUNALS of ATHENS.

I. **T**HE <sup>\*</sup>Arcopagus<sup>\*</sup> was an (1) Athenian court of justice, called in Greek; (2) *Ἀρειο Πάγος*—the Hill of Mars.

II. This tribunal took its name from Mars, because it is said that Mars was the first who appeared there to (3) plead his cause.

III. The tribunal before which Mars had pleaded was at the top of the hill.

IV. Opposite to the tribunal were two stones, one named *αἰσθητάς*, another *ὑπερώς*. On the one sat the accused person, on the other the (5) accuser.

V. On two pillars that stood by the tribunal were engraved the laws which dictated to the Arcopagites their (6) decisions.

VI. The senate which assembled here was called, from the name of the place,

\* *Arcopagus corripit penultimam; quicquid manulli, in tantâ luce, etiamnum cœcutiant!* Labbe. in app. Cath. Ind.



(7) *Ἀρειοπαγοί*; and the senators were called, (8) *Ἀρειοπαγίται*.

VII. In the early times, any citizen might be admitted a member of this tribunal, provided he was just, virtuous, and (9) religious.

VIII. But afterwards, by a regulation of Solon, one could not be received by the Areopagus who had not been (10) archon.

IX. It was the most grave, the most severe, and the justest tribunal of (11) all Greece.

X. All great crimes were within the cognizance of the (12) Areopagus; such as— (13) robberies, (14) malicious plots, (15) wilful wounds, (16) poisonings, (17) setting fire to places, and (18) homicides. Its jurisdiction extended even to matters of religion. Whoever showed a contempt of the Gods, or introduced new deities, and new religious ceremonies, was severely punished by this (19) tribunal.

XI. (20) Death was the punishment for  
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the greater crimes; and for the less, a fine, which went to the public (21) treasury.

XII. The meetings of these judges were held at first only on the three last days of (22) every month; but afterwards they were more frequent, and almost (23) daily.

XIII. When the magistrates were assembled, a crier ordered the people to remove to some distance, and enjoined them (24) silence.

XIV. Then he of the archons who had the title of king, took his place among the (25) judges.

XV. But first of all solemn (26) sacrifices were offered.

XVI. The accuser, and the accused, took each an oath at the foot of the altar, laying their hand on the flesh of the immolated (27) victim.

XVII. Then the accused person mounting the stone named *αυαϊδεϊστος*, and the accuser the stone named (28) *ὑβριςτος*, they

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pleaded, the one after the (29) other, either in person, or by their (30) patrons.

XVIII. At first every one (31) pleaded his own cause; but afterwards ten citizens were drawn by lot to be the patrons of this (32) tribunal.

XIX. Neither the insinuating openings of causes, nor the other resources of eloquence were allowed these (33) orators.

XX. The judges, after having heard the two parties, gave their opinions (34) privately.

XXI. To effect this privacy, black and (35) white flints were made use of; and that the judges might distinguish them in the dark, holes were made in the black, but not in the white: with the white they acquitted, with the black they (36) condemned.

XXII. These flints were put into urns, of which there were (37) two.

XXIII. The one was of brass, and was termed the urn of mercy, ελεε; the other was of wood, and was termed the urn of death,

death, *ἄνατον*. The white flints were put into the former, and the black into the (31) latter.

XXIV. If the number of the white was greater, a short line was drawn in a wax tablet with the nail; and a long one if the (39) black were more numerous.

XXV. If the number of flints was equal in the two urns, the crier threw a supernumerary one into the urn of mercy, which was termed the flint of (40) Minerva.

XXVI. The criminal, immediately after his condemnation, was loaded with chains, and led forth to (41) punishment.

XXVII. But before sentence was passed, the accused person was not in chains, and had it in his power, if he despaired of his cause, to avoid punishment by going into (42) exile. If he went into exile, his goods were (43) confiscated.

XXVIII. This was the oldest tribunal of (44) Greece. The learned are not agreed on the time when it was established; some

say it was instituted by Solon; but they are mistaken: the court of Areopagus existed before Solon; he only enlarged its (48) authority.

XXIX. But Pericles greatly diminished its (49) power; though he did not annihilate the tribunal: it existed long after his (50) time.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XI.

(1) So it is called by St. Jerom. Epist. ad Tit. c. 1. Solin. c. 13. terms it, *Locum Judicii*, and Juvenal, Sat. IX. v. 102. calls it, *Curiam Martis*.

(2) So it is called in Acts xvii. 19. and in other places. Xenophon, *Απομνημ.* V. § 20. and other authors call it, *την εν Αρειω παγω βυλην*—The council in Mars's hill.—Demosth. *Aristocrat.* p. 437. calls it, *το εν Αρειω παγω δικαστηριον*—The tribunal in Mars's hill.

(3) Pausan. *Attic.* c. XXVIII. p. 68. Meurs. in *Arcopag.* c. I. p. 3.

(4) Holsten. ad Steph. *Byzan.* at the words, *Αρειω παγω.*

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(5) Pausan. Attic. c. XXVIII. p. 68. Hadr. Jun. Animadv. I. 3. p. 6.

(6) Lysias, de Cæde Eratosthen. p. 7: et in Andocid. p. 48.

(7) We more frequently meet with, Ἀρειοπαγεῖς, in two words, or, ἢ ἐν Ἀρειοπαγεῖ βουλῇ — or, ἢ ἐξ Ἀρειοπαγεῖ βουλῆ.

(8) Lucian, de Gymnas. p. 281.

(9) That there was an Areopagus before Solon, we are convinced by the Oxford Marbles, n. 5. 6. 26. But from what class of citizens the Areopagites were taken before the time of Solon, we are not certainly informed. Meurs. Areopag. c. III. is almost of the same opinion with our author; but he supports it not with any authority. See Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. v. 15. and Sigon. de Rep. Athen. II. 5. p. 507.

(10) Plutarch. in Solon. p. 88. De Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 118. and Meurs. l. c.

(11) Lysias in Andocid. p. 48. Xenoph. Apomnem. III. 5. § 20. Senec. de Tranquill. c. 3. Pausan. Messen. V. p. 290. Gell. XII. 7. Cic. ad Attic. I. 14. Suidas, at the word, Ἀρειοπαγίτης.

(12) Maxim. Proleg. ad Dionys. Areopag.

(13) Cic. de Divinat. I. 25.

(14) Harpocrat. and Suidas, at the word, Βουλευσις.

(15) Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 117. Lucian. Timon. p. 145.

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(16) Pollux, l. c. Ælian. V. H. V. 18. Gell. XII. p. 7.

(17) Pollux, l. c. Lucian. de Gymnas. p. 281.

(18) Ælian. V. H. V. 15. Pollux, l. c. Hesyech. at the word, Δικαστηρια.

(19) Demosth. in Neær. B. 528. C. Hence Justin. Martyr, Orat. I. ad Gr. p. 24. says, that Plato durst not publish his opinions of the deity for fear of *the Hemlock*, φοβου το κωνιου—that is, for fear of the Areopagus. This likewise throws great light on a passage of the Acts of the Apostles, xvii. 19

(20) Ælian. V. H. V. p. 18.

(21) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 99.

(22) Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 117.

(23) Lucian. Bis accusato, p. 221.

(24) Æschyl. Eumenid. v. 561. and Schol.

(25) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 90. Antiphon. Orat. XVI. p. 157.

(26) Demosth. in Aristocrat. p. 438. B.

(27) Demosthen. l. c. Antiphon. Orat. de Cæde Herod. p. 94.

(28) Pausan. Attic. c. XXVIII. p. 68.

(29) Lucian. de Gymnas. p. 281.

(30) Lucian. l. c.

(31) Sext. Empir. Advers. Mathem. II, p. 304.

(32) Lucian. l. c. and Bis Accusat. p. 223.

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Harpocrat. at the word, *Συνηγοροί*. Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 689.

(33) Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 117. Lucian. de Gymnas. p. 281. To this prohibition Quintilian alludes, VI. 1. § 7: and II. 17. See Themist. Orat. 16. Apul. Miles. X. p. 214.

(34) Demosth. in Aristogit. p. 493. C. Macrobian. Saturn. VII. 1. Juvenal. IX. 102. Thence the proverbial expression—*Και Ἀρειοπαγίτη σιωπηλωτέρῳ, ὡς σιγαλωτέρῳ*—More silent even than an Arcopagite.

(35) Ulpian in Timocr. p. 239. A. Ovid. Met. XV. 41. Plutarch. in Alcibiad. p. 202. D.

(36) Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 123: But Meursius, in Arcopag. c. VIII. p. 59. does not think that passage refers to the Arcopagus. See Lucian in Bis Accusat. p. 237. Aristoph. Schol. ad Vesp. v. 981.

(37) Aristoph. Vesp. v. 981. and 685, and 750. and Schol.

(38) Aristoph. Schol. ad Vesp. v. 981. and 985, where those urns are termed *αμφορείς*, and *καδοίχοι*. See Flor. Christ. ad h. l.

(39) Schol. Aristoph. Vesp. v. 106.

(40) Aristid. Orat. in Minervam. Julian. Orat. III. p. 114. D. To this Philostr. alludes, in Vit. Sophist. II. 3. p. 568. See Lucian, in Reviviscent, p. 401. and Lambin, ad Cic. Orat. pro Milon. c. 3.

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(41) This undoubtedly was customary. See Lycurgus. Orat. Adv. Leocrat. p. 134. But was it always the custom? This is at least doubtful. It is evident from the oration of Demosthenes against Conon, p. 730. that criminals were likewise sentenced to banishment by the Areopagus. I shall not take particular notice of the objections to this assertion of our author, which are to be found in Meursius, Areopag. c. IV. and in Ælian. W. H. V. 18.

(42) Demosth. in Aristocrat. p. 438. B. Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 117.

(43) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 99.

(44) Demosthenes, Orat. In Aristocrat. p. 438. C. acknowledges the antiquity of this tribunal by doubting whether he should refer its origin to the heroes, or to the Gods themselves.

(45) Meursius in Areopag. c. III. p. 11. Plutarch. in Solon. p. 88. D. E.

(46) Plutarch. l. c. Cic. de Offic. I. 22.

(47) Aristot. Polit. II. 10. Oxford Marbles, n. 5, 6. and 26.

(48) Perhaps by prohibiting those from a seat in the Areopagus who had not been vested with the dignity of archon. Plutarch. in Solon, p. 88. It is certain, however, by a passage of Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 125. that Solon gave the Areopagites a rank superior even so that of  
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the Ephetæ; if we are to read in that passage, *προκατασσει*, and not *προσκατασσει*.

(49) Plutarch. in Pericl. p. 155. E. and P. 157. A. Aristotle, Polit. II. 10. Diod. Sic. Lib. XI. c. 77. p. 59. We there find that Pericles was assisted by Ephialtes in lowering the authority of the Areopagus.

(50) Cicero mentions it—ad Fam. XIII. 1. Luke, Act. xvii. 19. Besides, under the emperors Gratian and Theodosius, Rufus Festus is styled proconsul of Greece, and Areopagite—Inscript. Grut. n. 7. p. 464. which plainly contradicts the opinion of Meursius, that the Areopagus was abolished in the reign of Vespasian. Meurs. Areopag. c. III. p. 16. Reinesius remarks, with regard to the inscription which we have cited, that it is probable that this Festus is he whom Valens sent to govern Asia in quality of proconsul—Zozim. IV. and that Ammianus Marcellinus calls him Festus Tridentinus. Lib. XXIX. p. 167. He afterwards thinks it more probable that Rufus Festus Avienus is the person meant in the inscription, and that he is perhaps the same whom Ammianus mentions. The passage of Ammianus is, Lib. XXIX. p. 563. and Valois makes the same conjectures with Reinesius, on Festus Tridentinus. The passage of Zosimus is B. IV. c. 15.

## C H A P. XII.

Of the JURISDICTION of the ΕΡΗΤÆ.

I. **T**HIS was another very severe tribunal, which was likewise called, (1) *το δικασηριον επι Παλλαδιω.*

II. It is said to have been instituted by (2) Demophoon.

III. In the early times it was not required that he should be a native of Attica who was to sit at this tribunal; the Argians were likewise admitted to that (3) honour.

IV. But Draco afterwards excluded the Argians, and only admitted the (4) Athenians.

V. These judges, who were fifty-one in (5) number, and at least fifty years of (6) age, took cognizance of involuntary murders,—*περι ακουσιων φονων.*

VI. The only alteration which Solon made

made in this tribunal, was, that he took from it the cognizance of some important causes, which he transferred to the Areopagus, to increase the (7) authority of that court.

VII. The judges were called *Εφεται*, from the verb, *εφειναι*—to appeal; because appeals were made from *inferiour* tribunals to (8) *this*.

VIII. These judges were the most respectable persons of the ten tribes, from each of which five citizens were chosen of an irreproachable life, to whom one drawn by (9) lot was added.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XII.

(1) Demosth. contra Aristocrat. p. 438. C. Harpocrat. at the word *Εφεται*. Hesych. at the words *Επι Παλλαδιω*.

(2) Pausan. Attic. c. XXVIII. p. 69. Harpocrat. at the words, *Επι Παλλαδιω*. But Pollux, VIII. 10. Segm. 125. gives the origin of it to Draco. These authors, so opposite in appearance, are

are reconciled by Cl. Jo. Tob. Krebsius, *Diff. de Ephetis Atheniensium*.

(3) Harpocrat. at the words, *Επι Παλλαδίου*.

(4) Pollux. VIII. 10. Segm. 124. 125. Sigon. *de Rep. Athen.* III. 3. p. 519.

(5) Pollux, l. c. Demosth. *Orat. Adv. Macart.* p. 666. A.

(6) Suid. at the word, *Εφεται*.

(7) Demosth. *Orat. Adv. Macart.* p. 666. and *Adv. Aristocrat.* p. 443. C. Pollux, l. c. Sigon. *de Rep. Athen.* III. 3. p. 519. Plutarch. *Solon.* p. 88.

(8) Pollux, l. c. Krebsius, *Diff. cit.*

(9) All these particulars are taken from the Schol. Aristoph. *ad Plut.* v. 277. and by that authority Sigonius is supported—*De Rep. Athen.* III. 3. p. 519. The opinion of Sigonius our author follows here. But as the objections of the author of the dissertation already cited are weighty, it is better to own one's ignorance than obstinately to rely upon assertions which are contradicted by reason.

## C H A P. XIII.

## Of the HELIASTIC JURISDICTION.

I. **T**HIS was a very famous tribunal at Athens. It was called (1) Ἡλιαία, or (2) Ἡλιαῖον.

II. It was so termed, because it was exposed, in open air, to the rays of the (3) sun.

III. To *judge* at this tribunal, was, for the same reason, in Greek, (4) Ἡλιαῖον; and the name of the judges was, (5) Ἡλιαῖαι.

IV. The number of the judges was not always the (6) same; it was greater, or smaller, as the causes were more or less (7) important.

V. (8) Lots determined who those judges should be; and before they entered upon their office, they took a most sacred (9) oath in a most solemn manner.

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VI. As to the manner of bringing a cause before this court, I here give the substance of it.—He who wanted to lodge an action against any one, asked leave of the (10) Thesmothetæ so to do; after having obtained it, he summoned the other party by a kind of bailiff, called κλητηρ, (11) apparitor.—This was called in Greek, (12) προσκαλεῖσθαι—He then presented his suit to the magistrates in (13) writing.

VII. When the judges were met, the magistrates went to the court, with the suits, or petitions of the plaintiffs, and authorised the judges to try the several causes—which in Greek was termed, (14) εισαγειν δικας εις το δικασηριον—lites inducere in forum—whence this other expression was derived—δικη εισαγωγικη—lis importata—i. e. (15) introducta in forum.

VIII. When the cause was brought before the judges, the accused person had four ways to elude judgment, or to have it deferred—viz. 1<sup>o</sup> (16) παραγραφη—2<sup>o</sup> (17) ὑπωμοσια

υπομωσια—3<sup>o</sup> (18) αντογραφη—4<sup>o</sup> (19) αντι-  
ληξις.

IX. If the accused person used none of these resources, he and the accuser were obliged to take, each of them, an oath. The accuser's oath was termed, *προμωσια*—and that of the accused, (20) *αντωμωσια*.

X. Besides, each of them was obliged to deposit a certain sum of money, which was termed, *Prytanææ*, or *Parastasis*, or, *Paracatabolè*, or (21) *Ἐρόβηλα*.

XI. After these preliminaries, the plaintiff and the (22) defendant or his (23) patron, were permitted to speak. The time which was allowed each of them to plead was measured by a (24) water-clock.

XII. As much water was allowed for the one as for the (25) other. And to prevent fraud, the pouring of the water into the water-clock was entrusted to a faithful person, who was termed, (26) *Ἐφουδωρ*.

XIII. Hence came the proverb—(27)  
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XIV. The judges, after having heard each party, gave their judgments by little flints, and passed (28) sentence.

XV. When the accused person lost his cause, he was condemned to a fine, or to some other punishment. If the punishment was death, he was put into the hands of eleven (29) executioners, who were called —The Eleven—(30) *οἱ εὑδεκα*.

XVI. When he was only condemned to pay a fine, he was delivered to other officers, named (31) *πρακτορες*, exactores.

XVII. When he was not able to pay the fine, he was thrown into (32) prison.

XVIII. His son too was proclaimed infamous, and was thrown into the same prison, if his father (33) died there.

XIX. The pay of the *Heliastæ* for every cause they tried, was three (34) oboli.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XIII.

(1) Pausan. Attic. c. XXVIII. p. 69. Holsten and Steph. p. 128.

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- (2) Subaudi, Δικαστηριον, Tribunal.
- (3) Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 860. See Ulpian in Timocrat. p. 227. C.
- (4) Aristoph. Lysistrat. v. 381.
- (5) Aristoph. Equ. v. 255. Harpocrat. at the word, Ἡλιαία.
- (6) Pollux VIII. 11. Segm. 123.
- (7) Ulpian, in Timocr. p. 226. B. Petit, ad Leg. Attic. p. 309.
- (8) Petit, p. 309. He grounds his assertion on a passage of Demosth. adv. Aristogit. p. 494. A.
- (9) This oath is termed ὄρκος ἡλιαίων, and is to be found in Demosth. adv. Tim. p. 481.
- (10) Petit, Leg. Attic. p. 314. It appears that this permission was not granted till after an examination termed ἀνακρισις—on which consult Suidas at this word, and Ulpian. Midian. p. 176. A.
- (11) Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 189. Harpocrat. at the word, κλητηρις. Salmaf. ad Jus Attic. p. 858.
- (12) Aristoph. Nub. v. 1280. and, Schol. in h. l. Demosthenes uses likewise the word Καλιῶθαι. Aristocrat. p. 437. B.
- (13) Ulpian. in Midian. p. 172. B. Demosth. Orat. de Cherfon. p. 38. B. calls this accusation, or brief, πινάκιον; and Suidas says it was likewise

termed, *προκλησιν γραμματειον*; i. e. *tabula*, or *libellus*, cui actio inscripta erat.

(14) Sigon. *de Repub. Athen.* III. 4. p. 523. and the authors whom he cites. Harpocrat. at the words, *Ἡγεμονια δικαστηριου*. Lyfias contra Alcibiad. and Orat. *Κατα Νικομαχου*. Demosth. adv. Lacrit. p. 598. B.

(15) Demosth. in Zenothemid. p. 577. C. In Lacritum, p. 598. A. Lyfias in *Pantheonem*.

(16) *Παραγραφη*—was an opposition insisting on one of the following particulars—either that the affair had been judged before—or that it had not been brought before the judges by the magistrates,—or that there was no law relating to the point in question. See Suidas at this word. Ulpian in *Midian*. p. 170. C. Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 57.

(17) *Ἰπωμασια* was an oath taken to obtain a delay. It pleaded, sickness, the death of a friend, or some other misfortune. See Ulpian in *Midian*. p. 170. C. Harpocrat. at this word, and the authors cited by Valesius. See likewise Palmer and Kuster ad *Aristoph. Eccles.* v. 1018.

(18) *Αντιγραφη*—was a recrimination by which the defendant accused the plaintiff. Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 58. and the notes in *Harpocratio*.

(19) *Αντιληξις*—was, when the accused person having not been in court, and consequently having

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ing not heard the bailiff summon him to appear there, thus escaped judgment, and in the space of two months, brought an action in his turn against his accuser. See Sigon. de Rep. Athen. III. 4. p. 524. Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 61. Wolf. in Midian. p. 361. C.

(20) Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 55. explains these two words. See Ulpian. in Orat. de falsâ Legat. p. 100. A. Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 1036.

(21) All these terms are explained by Pollux, VIII. c. 6. Segm. 38. 39. See Sigon. l. c. p. 525. Harpocrat. at these words, Πρωτανεια—Παρασασις—Παρακαταβολη—Επωβελεια—and Kuster and Aristoph. Nub. v. 1134. and v. 1182.

(22) Herald. ad Jus Att. and Rom. VI. 10. p. 3.

(23) Suidas, at the word, Συνηγοριον. Æschin. contra Ctesiphont. p. 302. C.

(24) Aristoph. Schol. ad Acharn. v. 693. Æschin. contra Ctesiph. p. 302. C. Demosth. in Nicostrat. p. 723. B. Lucian often alludes to this custom. For instance, in Revivisc. 395, 403.

(25) It is probable, from a passage of Demosthenes, that this was not always customary. In Macertat. p. 659.

(26) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 113. Kuster, ad Suid. at the word, Διαμεμετρομητη.

(27) i. e. To plead by the water-clock—*Περὶ ὕδωρ αγωνιζισθαι*—as Demosthenes expresses it.—In Macartat. p. 659. A. Cic. de Orat. III. § 34. Ad Clepsydram clamare. From this custom other proverbial expressions are derived, *aquam perdere*, *αλλως αναλισκειν ὑδωρ*—and perhaps this—*aqua hæret*.

(28) Xenoph. Sympof. p. m. 704. Sigon. p. 527. Pollux, VIII. 5. Segm. 16.

(29) *Lyfias κατα των σιτοπωλων.*

(30) The Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 1103. calls them, *Νομοφυλακες, Θεσμοφυλακες, Αρχοντες*. See the Commentaries on Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 102.

(31) Demosth. in Theocrim. p. 510. A. In Aristogit. p. 494. B. They are also mentioned in the Gospel of St. Luke, xii. 58.

(32) Nepos, Miltiad. c. VII.

(33) Nepos, in Cimone, c. I. Demosthenes exclaims against this custom. Epist. III. p. 114.

(34) Their pay was only one obolus, according to Aristophanes—Nub. 861.—Two, according to the Schol. ad Ran. v. 140. and three, according to Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 113. and 5. Segm. 10.

## C H A P. XIV.

## Of JUDGMENTS and ACCUSATIONS.

I. **T**HE judgments were public or private.

II. The public judgments were termed (1) *κατηγοριαί*, and the private, (2) *δικαί*.

III. There were different kinds of public judgments.

1<sup>o</sup> The judgment named *γραφη*, which took cognizance of various (3) public crimes, such as murder, premeditated wounds, setting fire to houses or other possessions, poisonings, ambushes, sacrilege, impiety, debauchery, adultery, calumny, celibacy, and other crimes, relative to military discipline, such as, neglecting to be enrolled, desertion, quitting one's (4) post, &c.

2<sup>o</sup> The judgment called (5) *φασίς* was the detection and information given of concealed crimes.

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3<sup>o</sup> The judgment termed *ενδειξις*, was the process against those who, without having paid their quota to the public treasury, offered themselves candidates to bear offices, and to judge the citizens. Every one was permitted to (6) inform against them.

4<sup>o</sup> The judgment named *απαγωγη*, was the prosecution of thieves and robbers; against whom any one might inform in their absence, or bring them to justice when they were caught (7) *in flagranti delicto*.

5<sup>o</sup> The judgment termed *εφηγησις*, was the discovery of a (8) criminal who concealed himself.

6<sup>o</sup> The judgment named *ανδροληψιον* was the process against those who refused to deliver up a criminal concealed in their (9) house.

7<sup>o</sup> The judgment termed *εισαγγελια*, was the animadverting on those who committed crimes against which there was no positive (10) law.

8<sup>o</sup> There were also many kinds of private judgments adapted to the different  
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private crimes—to abuse, blows, bad treatment of any kind; (11) madness, false witness, and other crimes of this nature, relating to deposits, to commerce, to the letting of houses, to (12) patronage, &c.

### NOTES to CHAP. XIV.

(1) They were likewise termed, *δικαι δημοσιαι*, or, *δικαι δημοσιαι*, subaudi, *διδικασμεναι*. Demosth. in Timocrat. p. 469. B. The public judgments were the judgments established for the maintenance of the public laws; and the public laws were laws enacted against public crimes. See Salmaf. de Modo Usurar.

(2) *Δικαι ιδιαι*, or *ιδιωτικαι*—Private causes—Demosth. Ibid. and Salmaf. l. c.

(3) Harpocrat. at the word, *Γραφη*. Salmaf. de Modo Usurar. p. 108. Herald. ad Jus Attic. p. 195.

(4) These are almost all the crimes enumerated by Sigon. de Rep. Athen. III. 1. p. 509. Consult likewise Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 40.

(5) This word is derived from, *φαινειν*, to show. See Sigon. l. c. Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 47.

(6) See Demosth. in Timocrat. pag. 464. C. Ulpian.



Ulpian. pag. 239. B. Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 1103. Salmaf. de Modo Usurar. p. 779. and Andocid. De Myst. p. 185.

(7) Sigon. l. c. p. 511. Ulpian. in Timocrat. p. 239. B. Lyfias, in Agorat. p. 126. Salmaf. de Modo Usurar. p. 773.

(8) Sigon. l. c. p. 511. Salmaf. l. c. p. 777. Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 50.

(9) Pollux, l. c. Harpocrat. at this word. Salmaf. l. c. p. 212.

(10) Sigon. l. c. p. 495. Harpocraton, at this word. Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 51. Salmaf. l. c. p. 589. Herald. Obs. ad Jus Attic. p. 220.

(11) In Greek, *ωρανοια*. But Sigon. l. c. substitutes, *ωρανοια* — drunkenness. And his reading seems to be supported by a passage of Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 89. But perhaps our author consulted some manuscripts of Pollux, which had the word, *ωρανοια*. This sense, in fact, is confirmed, by a passage of Cicero, de Senect. c. VII.—De Sophocle a filiis in judicium vocato, quod videretur desipere. See Xenoph. Memorab. I. 2. § 49. and Aristoph. Nub. v. 843.

(12) These are all the private crimes enumerated by Sigonius; and his enumeration differs very little from Pollux, VIII. 6. Segm. 31.

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C H A P. XV.

Of the P U N I S H M E N T S used by the  
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I. **T**HE principal, and most usual punishments, (1) were,

1° *Ατιμία*, public (2) infamy.

2° *Δουλεία*, servitude—to which a (3) free-man was reduced.

3° *Στιγματα*—marks which were impressed with a red-hot iron on the forehead, or hands of slaves who had fled from their masters, or committed any other great (4) crime.

4° *Στήλη*—this punishment was—engraving the offence of a criminal in large characters on a (5) pillar.

5° *Δεσμοί*—chains—they were of many kinds. 1. *Κυφών*; this was a wooden confinement, which bent down the neck of the (6) criminal;—it is likewise termed, (7) *κλοι*, and *κλω*.—2. *Χοινίξ*—this was  
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—wooden (8) fetters. It was likewise named, (9) ξυλον—In Attica, (10) καλον, (11) ποδοκακη, and—(12) ποδοσραβη.—3. Σαυς; it was a table, on which (13) malefactors were tied down.—4. Τροχ<sup>6</sup>—a wheel, to which the fugitive slaves, or those who were guilty of theft were tied, and beaten with (14) rods.

6° Φυγη—exile—the banishment of a citizen from his country, without hope of (15) return.—Yet he might be recalled by the same magistrate who exiled him: The goods of exiled persons were confiscated and sold by auction. Their place of exile was not fixed in the (16) sentence passed upon them.

7° *Ostracism* was a peculiar kind of exile, by which a citizen, whose (17) power had grown formidable, was banished from his country for ten years. The suffrages were given upon shells, in Greek, termed οσρακα, whence the word (18) ostracism was formed. The ostracism was not valid without

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six thousand of those (19) shells. This kind of exile, and exile in the general and more extensive sense, were alike in one particular;—in each of the punishments a man was (20) banished from his country. But in other circumstances they differed—  
 1° The goods of the ostracised were neither confiscated, nor sold by auction, as those of the (21) exiled.—2° The ostracised were obliged to reside in a particular place, but the (22) exiled were not. When ostracism was established is not certainly known; some say it was instituted by (23) Hippias, and others, by (24) Clisthenes. Hyberbolus, an abandoned man, was the last on whom the sentence of (25) ostracism was passed, a sentence too mild for his guilt. The Syracusans adopted this punishment from the Athenians; but instead of shells, they used leaves; whence comes the word, (26) *παραλισμῶς*.

NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. XV.

(1) All these punishments are included by Pollux in the general word, τιμματα, servitude excepted.

(2) This punishment is often mentioned in the laws of the Athenians. See Diog. Laert. I. 55. In comparing which passage with Æschin. in Timarch. p. 174. C. it appears that those who had been once disgraced with public infamy, lost the right of haranguing the people, of standing candidates for public honours, and all the other privileges of a citizen. See Sigon. p. 516. and particularly Krebsf. in Commentat. de Stelitis Atheniens. p. 6.

(3) This was the punishment of all those who were sold by law. See Argument. Orat. Demosth. contra Ebulid. p. 535. C. Plutarch, in Solone, p. 91. A.

(4) See Lipsf. Elect. II. 15. Hermann. Hugo, de prima Scrib. Orig. c. 19. cum Observ. Trotzii, p. 189. and Pollux, III. 8. Segm. 79.

(5) Demosth. Philipp. III. p. 49. A. Pollux, VIII. 7. Segm. 73. The reader will find this subject thoroughly treated by Krebsius, Diff. de Stelitis Atheniens.

(6) Aristoph. Plut. v. 458. and Schol. It was so named because it confined the head. In Latin,

Latin, it was termed *cuspus*, if we credit Salmafius—De Modo Usur. p. 814. or rather Suidas.

(7) Suidas, at the word, *κυφον*.

(8) Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 276. Salmaf. ad Achil. Tat. p. 648.

(9) Aristoph. Equ. 393. calls it *ξύλον τετραμερον*, the perforated wood—Lysistr. 681. and Equ. 1046.—*ξύλον πεπτεσυριγγον*—the wood with five holes.

(10) Hesychius calls it *καλι*.

(11) We find *ποδοκακκη*—Taylor, in Orat. I. Lysia advers. Theomnest. p. 81. where Lysias himself explains these words of the law of Solon—*εν τη ποδοκακκη δεδισθαι*—by the following—*εν τω ξύλω δεδισθαι*. See Demosth. in Timocrat. p. 475. B. and Wolf. ad Act. XVI. 24.

(12) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 366. In Latin, *πετυς*. Gell. XX. 1.

(13) Aristoph. Thesmoph. v. 938. and 947.

(14) Schol. Aristoph. Plut. v. 876. terms it likewise, *ξύλοπειδη*.

(15) Suidas, at the word, *οφρακισμ*.

(16) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 851. and ad Vesp. v. 941.

(17) Aristot. Polit. III. 13.

(18) Diodor. Sic. XI. c. 55. p. 41. Plutarch. in Aristid. p. 322. E. In Pericl. p. 157. B. In Alcib. p. 197. A.

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(19) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 851. Plutarch. l. c. and Pollux, VIII. 5. Segm. 20.

(20) Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 941.

(21) Schol. Aristoph. l. c.

(22) Suidas, at the word, *οστρακισμῶς*, and Schol. Aristoph. l. c.

(23) Heraclicid, de Reb. Public. In Meurs. Lect. Attic. v. 18.

(24) Ælian. XIII. 24. Other authors attribute it to others. The reader will find their different opinions in Meursius, l. c. It is probable that it was instituted by Clisthenes. For Diodorus Siculus says, that ostracism was established after the expulsion of the Pisistratidæ; Harpocration, that Hipparchus, a relation of Pisistratus, was the first who was banished by ostracism—and we are told by Aristotle, l. c. that Clisthenes strengthened the democracy.

(25) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 851. Plutarch. in Aristid. p. 322. D. In Niciâ, p. 530. D.

(26) Diod. Sic. XI. c. 87. p. 65. Hesych. at the word, *πιταλισμῶς*.

## C H A P. XVI.

## Of the CAPITAL PUNISHMENTS.

I. **T**HE capital punishments among the Greeks in general, as well as among the Athenians, were—1° (1) *Ειφ*—the sword.—2° (2) *Λιθοβολια*—lapidation.—3° (3) *Κατακρημισμ*—precipitation from the top of a rock.—4° (4) *Καταποντισμ*—drowning in the sea.—5° (5) *Φαρμακον*—poison.—6° (6) *Βαραθρον*—throwing the criminal into a deep pit.—7° (7) *Τυμπανισμ*—beating him to death with sticks.—8° (8) *Βροχ*—hanging.—9° (9) *Πυρ*—burning.

## NOTES to CHAP. XVI.

(1) Pollux, VIII. 7. § 71.

(2) Ælian. V. H. v. 19. Cic. de Offic. III.

II. See Meurs. ad Lycoph. v. 331. Maussac. ad Plut. Geogr. Miner. T. II. p. 11.

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(3) Eurip. Troad. v. 720. Pausan. Phoc. c. II. p. 102. Ælian. V. H. XI. 5. Henel. O-tium Uratislaviense, c. X.

(4) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 1360. Potter, ad Lycoph. v. 239. Wolf. Cur. Philol. ad Matth. XVIII. 6.

(5) Ælian. V. H. I. 16. Plato, in Phæd.

(6) Aristoph. Plut. v. 431, and Schol. Harpocr. at this word; and Vales. p. 30. Mauff. ad Plut. de Flumin. p. 17.

(7) Schol. Aristoph. v. 476. This punishment is minutely discussed by Gataker, in Adversar. Misc. c. XLVI. p. 907. See Wolf. Cur. Philol. ad Hebr. XI. 35.

(8) Pollux, VIII. 7. S. 71. makes *βροχον*, the rope, one of the instruments used by the executioners.

## PART III.

## Of the MILITARY GOVERNMENT.

## CHAPTER I.

## Of the LAND-SERVICE.

I. **I**N the Grecian armies there were—1° Infantry—2° Those who fought on cars—3° (1) Cavalry.

II. There were three kinds of infantry. 1° *Ὀπλιται*, the heavy-armed soldiers. 2° *Ψιλοι*, the light-armed soldiers. 3° *Πελτασαι*, those who carried the buckler called *πελτα*; though they are sometimes comprehended in the *ψιλοι*, and by that term (2) distinguished from the *ὄπλιται*.

III. The custom of fighting on a car seems to have been more ancient among the

Greeks than that of fighting on (3) horseback.

IV. Most of their cars or chariots of war were drawn by (4) two horses.

V. In each car there were two warriors; whence comes the Greek name of a car, (5) *διφρος*.—One was, *ἡνιοχος*—he who held the reins, the charioteer. The other—*παραιβατης*—he who directed the (6) charioteer whither he should drive. The *paræbates*, when he came to a close fight, descended from the (7) car.

VI. The Theſſalians were the moſt famous horſemen of all (8) Greece. We are told that the Lapithæ were the firſt who thought of mounting a horſe. Men on horſeback, before people were accuſtomed to the fight, were deemed (9) prodigies, and gave riſe to the fables of (10) Centaurs, and Hippocentaurs.

VII. Among the Athenians no perſon was admitted into the cavalry, without having previously obtained the conſent of  
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the Hipparchus, the Phylarchus, and of the (11) senate of five hundred.

VIII. Two qualifications were principally required of one who went into the cavalry, viz. (12) fortune and strength.

IX. His horse was to be well broken, bold, mettlesome, tractable, and obedient to his master.—If he had not these qualifications, he was (13) rejected.

X. Trial was made of him to the sound of a bell—(14) κωδωνο; hence is derived the verb, (15) κωδωνίζειν—to try.

XI. Horses worn with long service were suffered to enjoy their ease; they made a mark on their jaw, called in Greek, (16) τροχο, and (17) τρυσιππιον; whence comes the proverbial expression—(18) επιβαλλειν τρυσιππιον.

XII. The horsemen had titles relative to their different arms—as, δορατοφοροι, κονταφοροι, ακροβολισαι, ιπποτοξοται, αμφιπποι, διμαχαι, καταφρακτοι, (19) μη καταφρακτοι.

XIII. The horses of the Cataphracti

were covered with different arms and ornaments—such as—*προμετωπίδα, παρωτία, παρηΐα, προσερνίδια, παραπλευρίδια, παραμηρίδια, (20) παρακνημίδια, (21) ζώματα, (22) φαλαρα.*

XIV. The Athenians were obliged by law to (23) enrol themselves for war when their names were written in a list, called (24) Lexiarchica, i. e. when they were (25) eighteen years of age.

XV. The names of the soldiers who were enrolled were inscribed in the public (26) registers. To enter their names thus, was termed in Greek, (27) *ζατολεγείν, (28) καταλεγείν, καταγραφείν, and—καταγραφήν, ογ, καταλογον (29) ποιῆσθαι.*

XVI. As soon as the young soldier was enrolled, he took a military (30) oath. The state furnished him with his (31) buckler, and his pike.

XVII. The new levies made their first expedition round the territories of Attica, which they were to defend against all incursions;

curfions: thence they were called (32)

*περιπολοι.*

XVIII. The military age lafted forty-two years, viz. from eighteen to (33) fixty.

XIX. Old men, and citizens on the decline of life, and of a weak conftitution; (34) collectors of the public revenue, and (35) infamous perfons, were excluded from military fervice.

XX. Neither were the flaves allowed to ferve in war, except in every imminent and great (36) dangers.

XXI. No citizen of Athens could refufe to (37) ferve; for unlefs a man bore arms for the ftate, he loft the right of giving his fuffrage, and the other privileges of a (38) citizen.

XXII. To prevent defections, marks, termed (39) *σηματα*, were imprinted on the hands of the foldiers.

XXIII. In the ancient times, every foldier ferved at his own (40) expence.

XXIV. The Carians were the firft of the

Greeks who served for pay; a circumstance which drew on them the character of a mercenary, and sordid people; and which gave birth to these proverbial words—(43) *καρικοι*, and *καριμοιροι*.

XXIV. But afterwards all the Greeks made war a trade; and fought for money, not only in defence of their country, but likewise in (43) foreign armies.

XXV. Pericles was the first who introduced among the Athenians the custom of serving for (44) pay.

XXVI. The pay was not always the same. The foot at first had (45) two oboli a-day; afterwards, (46) four. Hence we have the following proverbial expressions—(47) *τετρωβολο βι*—and (48) *τετρωβολο ζειν*.

#### NOTES to CHAP. I.

(1) Ælian. *Tactic.* c. 2. terms them thus in Greek—1° Το *πειζικον*; 2° Το *επ' οχηματων*; 3° Το *εφ' ιππων*.

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(2) Ælian. *Tactic.* c. 2. p. 14. Arrian. *Tactic.* p. 10. Suidas, at the word, *ἑλιται*. See Pollux on the Pelta, I. 10. Segm. 134. Livy, XXXI. 36. calls the Peltaistæ, Cetrati.

(3) Homer's heroes are always mounted upon chariots, and never upon horses. For instance, *Ia. B. &c.* Thus the opinion of Lucretius, *B. V. v. 1296.* is void of probability. See Palæphat. c. I. Hermann. *Hug. de Milit. Equ.* I. 6. p. 37.

(4) Homer, *Ia. E. v. 195.* *Ibid.* T. 400. Virg. *Æneid.* VII. 280. Yet sometimes they were drawn by three. Homer. *Ia. II. v. 471.*

(5) The word *διφρο* is of the same import with *διφρο*. Eustath. *Ia. P. p. 1154.* l. 39.

(6) Eustath. l. c. and *Ia. X. p. 1380.* l. 13.

(7) Homer. *Ia. P. v. 480.* Hermann. *Hug. I. c. pag. 42.*

(8) Xenoph. *de Agefil.* p. 522. Polyb. IV. p. 278. Pausan. *Phocic.* I. p. 799. Justin. VII. 6. Hermann. *Hug. de Milit. Equest.* I. 2. p. 10.

(9) Virg. *Georg.* III. 155. But what we are ignorant of is the name of him who first taught men to ride on horseback. See Brunner, ad *Palæph.* I. p. 89.

(10) *Palæph. Περὶ ἀπιστων,* c. I. Ælian. V. H. IX. 16.

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(11) Xenoph. Hipparc. p. 753. Petit, ad Leg. Attic. p. 550.

(12) Xenoph. l. c. Petit, l. c. p. 552.

(13) Xenoph. l. c. Memorab. III. 3. § 4. Petit, l. c. p. 551.

(14) Schol. Aristoph. ad Ran. v. 78. Suid. at the word, *κωδωνισαι*.

(15) Aristoph. ad Ran. v. 735. Hefych. at the word, *κωδωνισω*. We find another etymology of this word in Ulpian. Orat. de Fals. Legat. p. 105. B.

(16) Hefych. at the words *ἵππον τροχῶν*.

(17) Hefych. at the word, *τροσιππιον*. Kusterus, ad Suid.

(18) Eustath. ad Od. Δ. p. 197. l. 44. and the notes varior. ad Poll. 7. 33. Segm. 186.

(19) All these words are explained by Ælian. in Tact. II. p. 14. See Hefych. at the word, *διμαχαι*, and Pollux, l. 10. Segm. 132.

(20) Frontalia—Aurium, et Maxillarum tegmina—Pectoralia—Laterum tegumenta—Femorum munimenta—Ocreæ. Pollux, l. 10. Segm. 140. where, instead of *παρωτια*, we read, *παρωπια*, tegumenta oculorum. See Achill. Tat. I. p. 49. Gell. v. 5. Apul. in Miles. X. p. 224. and De Deo Socrat.

(21) Strata Equorum. Xenoph. Cyropæd. VIII. p. 190. By the same author they are termed *εποχον*—*περι ἵππιχης*.

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(22) Equorum, equitumque ornamenta. Pollux, X. 12. Segm. 54. That in the word φαλαρα were included ornaments of the riders, Livy leaves us no room to doubt. IX. c. 46. See Hermann. Hug. l. c. II. 3.

(23) See Ulpian. In Olynth. III. p. 29. B.

(24) See Lycurg. adv. Leocrat. p. 146. Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 105.

(25) Ulpian, l. c. says, *eighteen*; and Pollux, l. c. says, *twenty*. But these authors may be easily reconciled.

(26) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equit. v. 1336. Those public registers were termed, καταλογος. —Whence Xenophon, Memorab. III. 4. § 1. has this expression—*εκ καταλογου στρατιωμενος*—one who was appointed to military service from the catalogue.

(27) Plutarch. in Mario, p. 410. A.

(28) Aristoph. in Equit. v. 1064.

(29) Polyb. de Milit. Rom. c. I. § 2.

(30) We have the form of the oath in Lycurgus, adv. Leocrat. p. 146. and in Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 105.

(31) Harpocrat. at the word περιπολος.

(32) Pollux, VIII. 209. Segm. 105. Harpocrat. at the word, περιπολος. Aristophanes alludes to this name. Av. v. 1177.

(33) I cannot be of our author's opinion. For the law in Ulpian, ad Olynth. III. p. 29. B. enjoins

joins soldiers to serve to the age of forty. And Macrobius seems to have that law in view, in *Somn. Scip. I. 6. p. 29.* as Lipsius remarks, de *Milit. Rom. I. Dial. 2.* The additional names of *ληξεις*, or *ηλικιων*, as they are called, make a difficulty, on which names, the reader may consult Harpocrat. at the word, *επωμιμοι*, and Suidas at the same word, and other authors. It appears that this difficulty has brought Lambert Bos into an error, and Sigon. de *Rep. Athen. IV. 5. p. 554.* But it is completely solved in Petit, ad *Leg. Attic.* and though it were not solved, we should abide by the clear and positive terms of the law.

(34) Demosth. in *Neær.* p. 521. A.

(35) Lyfias—*Κατα Αλικυιαδου Αγραττιας*, p. 142. Meurf. in *Themid. Attic. I. 10. p. 26.*

(36) Aristoph. *Ran. v. 33.* and Schol. and Spanheim. Suidas, at the word *οιμοι*. Pausan. *Achaïc. c. XV. p. 559.* Petit, *Leg. Attic. p. 547.*

(37) Ulpian. *Orat. de Falf. Legat. p. 117. B.* See Petit, p. 153.

(38) Æschines *contra Ctesiphon. p. 299. B.* Petit, p. 556. Suidas, at the word, *αναυμαχιον*.

(39) This observation is fitter for an abridgment of Roman antiquities than for a little treatise on Greek customs. For there were no military stigmata but under the Cæsars. The reader may

may consult on this custom, Lips. de Milit. Roman. I. 9. Herm. Hug. de Scrib. Orig. c. XIX. p. 196. and the authors cited by Wolf. In Curis Phil. ad Gal. VI. 17. It is true, Aëtius Amiden, a Greek physician, has the following words—*Στιγματα καλῶσι τὰ ἐπὶ τοῦ προσώπου, ἢ ἀλλῆ τι μέρει τοῦ σώματος ἐπιγραφόμενα οἷα τῶν στρατιωτικῶν ἐν ταῖς χερσίν*—Stigmata are marks imprinted on the face, or any other part of the body; as they were imprinted on the hands of soldiers.—By this passage we see what stigmata were, and that they were made upon the hands. But as this physician lived in the time of Justinian, when the Romans were masters of the world, his testimony is not sufficient to prove that this custom was in use among the Greeks.

(40) This is proved by the information of Ulpian, who tells us, pag. 50. A. that Pericles was the first who procured pay for the soldiers.

(41) Suidas. Cic. pro Flacc. c. XXVII. Strabo, XIV. p. 456. Mich. Apostol. VIII. 34. and XV. 59. Meurs. ad Lycophr. v. 1384.

(42) Hesych. at these words. We find a like proverb in Hom. *Il.* I. v. 378. Hemsterh. ad Aristoph. Plut. p. 6.

(43) This custom is often mentioned by Aristophanes. *Ex. Gr.* Av. v. 1367. See *Polyæn.* III. 9. § 35. and 51. *Ælian.* V. H. III.

27. Plutarch. Agefil. p. 616. C. D. Xenoph.  
Agefil. 124.

(44) Ulpian. ad Orat. de Syntax, pag. 50. A.  
Meurf. ad Lycophr. v. 1384.

(45) Demosth. Philipp. I. p. 17. C.

(46) Meurf. Lect. Attic. II. 8. Petit, ad  
Leg. Attic. p. 554.

(47) Eustath. ad Od. A. p. 39. l. 42.

(48) Pollux, IX. 6. Segm. 64.

CHAP.

## C H A P. II.

## Of the ARMOUR and WEAPONS.

I. **T**HEIR arms may be divided into three kinds. 1° The arms to cover the body. 2° Their common weapons of war. 3° The arms which they used in (1) sieges.

II. The arms to cover the body were, 1° (2) Περικαφελεια, galea, the helmet; termed also—(3) Κρανῶν, (4) Κορυς, (5) Κυνεη. 2° (6) Θοραξ, lorica, the cuirass. 3° (7) Ζωστηρ, or ζωνη, cingulum, the baldric. 4° (8) Κνημιδες, ocreæ, the boots. 5° (9) Ασπις, clypeus or, (10) Θυρεῶν, scutum, the shield.

III. The helmet was sometimes of brass; but commonly of the hide of certain animals; whence the following words are derived—(11) λεοντη—(12) ταυρηη—(13) αιγυη—(14) αλωπεκεη—κυνεη, &c.

IV. The helmet had a thong, named οχεις, which was tied round the (15) neck.

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V. The helmet was mounted with a crest, termed (16) Φαλῶν, and (17) Λοφῶν.

VI. The cuirass was a piece of armour to guard the breast. It was made either of (18) linen, or of (19) brass, or of leather and (20) brass.

VII. The brazen cuirass was a straight plate, and was called, (21) Θωραξ σιδῶν—  
or, (22) Στατῶν.

VIII. The cuirass of leather and brass was made in the following manner. They put to the cuirass chains of rings, and then it was called, Ἀλυσιδῶν.—Sometimes the rings resembled scales; the cuirass was then termed, (24) Λεπιδῶν, and (25) Φο-  
λιδῶν.

IX. Ζωσῆρ, or ζώνη, a girdle which (26) went round the armour. Hence the word, (27) ζωννυσθαι—accingere se ad prælium.

X. Κνημιδες—the greaves, ocreæ, or tibialia—were of (28) brass, iron, or some other (29) metal. They were clasped round the lower (30) part of the leg.

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XI. *Ασπίς*, the buckler, clypeus, was of wood, of rushes, or twigs, or of hide; and when it was made of any of these substances, it was generally covered with brass.

XII. The parts of the buckler were,—  
 1° (35) *Αντιξ*, or (36) *ιτις, περιφερεια, κυκ-  
 λος*—words which signify the (37) circum-  
 ference or orbit of the buckler. 2° *Ομ-  
 φαλος*, umbo, a prominent part in the (38)  
 middle of the buckler. 3° *Τελαμων*—a  
 strap in the inner side of the buckler, by  
 which it was hung on the (39) shoulder.  
 4° *Παρπαξ*, a ring by which the buckler was  
 held. In later times, a handle, (41) *οχανον*,  
 was substituted for the ring.

XIII. On their bucklers were often re-  
 presented birds and quadrupeds, lions, for  
 instance, and eagles; and even their Gods,  
 the sun, the (42) moon, &c.

XIV. Most of the ancient bucklers were  
 large enough to cover the whole (43) body.  
 Hence come the epithets—(44) *ανδρομηκεις*  
 —and (45) *ποδημεις*.

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XV. The figure of the bucklers called *ασπιδες* was round—hence they have the following epithets—*ασπιδες ευκυκλοι*—*clypei rotundi*—*παντοτε ισαι*—*undique æquales*.

XVI. The form of the buckler termed *θυρεος*, was (48) oblong.

XVII. The offensive arms were, 1° *Εγχο*, and *δορυ*—the pike, and the lance.—2° *Ειφ*—the sword.—3° *Αξινη*, and *πελεκυς*—*securis, et bipennis*. 4° *Τοξον*, the bow.—5° *Ακοντιον*, the javelin.—6° *Σφενδονη*, the (49) sling.

XVIII. The pike and the lance were of wood, and commonly of ash, whence comes the word, (50) *μελιη*. The point, *αιχμη*, and in Latin, *cuspis*, was of (51) brass; so was the other (52) end, which they used to stick into the ground.

XIX. There were two kinds of pikes; one used in close fight, which was called (53) *ορεκτη*, *porrecta*—another with which they fought at a distance, which was called, *παλτη*, *vibrata*, *missilis*.

XX.

XX. In ancient times the sword hung in a kind of sash, which came from the right (55) shoulder, to the left side. The scabbard was termed, (56) *κολεο*.

XXI. The securis and the bipennis were sometimes used in (57) battle.

XXII. The bow was commonly of (58) wood; the string, in Greek, *νευρα*, was of horse hair; whence came the word (59) *ιππειαι*. In ancient times it was of (60) leather. The extremities of the bow, to which the string was tied, were called (61) *κορωνη*; and were commonly gilt.

XXIII. The arrows, in Greek, (2) *βελη*, (63) *αισοι*, (64) *ιοι*, were of a light wood. They were pointed with (66) iron, and sometimes (67) poisoned. They were feathered, to make their flight more (68) rapid.

XXIV. The javelin—*ακοντιον*. There were many kinds of this weapon—(69) *υσσο*, (70) *αργαυη*, (71) *γροσφο*. Some were lanced with a thong, termed in

Greek, *αγκυλη*, in Latin, (72) *amentum*. The javelins of this sort were called, (73) *μισταγκυλα*.

XXV. The sling, *σφειδονη*, was of an oval (74) shape, and gradually terminated on each side, with two (75) thongs.—It was commonly made of woollen (76) cloth; with it were thrown (77) arrows, (78) stones, and pieces of (79) lead.

XXVI. Hitherto we have examined the arms which were used in battles. Let us now take a view of the machines which were used in sieges. In ancient times the Greeks called them (80) *μαγγανα*; they were afterwards termed, (81) *μηχαναι*.

XXVII. The oldest machines were the (82) *κλιμακες*, i. e. the (83) scaling ladders.

XXVIII. The ram, *κριον*, was of wood; it was a hundred, or a hundred and twenty feet (84) long. It was overlaid with plates of iron; and the end of it, which in Greek was called (85) *κεφαλη*, or (86) *εμβολη*, resembled the head of a ram; whence this machine

machine was named, (87) *κρηθ*. It was made use of to batter (88) walls.

XXIX. *Ἐλεπάλις* was a machine of an enormous size; it contained other machines, from which stones, and other (89) arms were launched. The invention of this machine is given to (90) Demetrius Poliorcetes.

XXX. The tortoise, *χελωνή*, was a machine which covered the soldiers from the weapons of the enemy, as the tortoise is defended by its (91) shell.

XXXI. *Χωμα*, agger, was a machine raised higher than the walls of the besieged, the sides of which were of (92) stone.

XXXII. *Πυργοί*, were moveable towers of wood, built upon the agger, which they brought forward with (94) wheels. Their tops were covered with (95) hide.

XXXIII. *Γεφύραι* were osier hurdles to guard the heads of the (96) soldiers.

XXXIV. The catapults, *καταπέλται*, were machines from which (97) arrows were

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lanced. They were likewise called (98) *αξυβελιῖς*, and (99) *βελοςασεις*. Though the arrows themselves which were shot from the catapults, were sometimes called (100) *καταπελται*.

XXXV. (101) *Λιθοβολοι*, (102) *πυροβολοι*, (103) *πυροβολικα οργανα*, ογ, (104) *αφετηρια*, and (105) *μαγγανικα οργανα*, were machines to shoot stones.

#### NOTES to CHAP. II.

(1) See, on the different kinds of arms, Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 133. He gives to arms, offensive and defensive, the general appellation, *οπλα*: and the arms used in sieges he calls *μηχανηματα*.

(2) Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 135.

(3) Pollux, I. c.

(4) Theocrit. Idyll. XVI. v. 81.

(5) Hom. Il. K. v. 257. and 335.

(6) Hom. Il. Γ. v. 332. We have a description of the cuirass in Pausan. Phocic. c. 26. p. 863.

(7) Hom. Il. Δ. v. 132. Il. Δ. v. 234. It is likewise

likewise termed *μίτην*. See Eustath. ad *Il. Δ.*  
v. 345.

(8) Hom. *Il. Γ. v.* 330. and v. 369.

(9) Hom. *Il. E. v.* 453, &c.

(10) Polyæn. VIII. 7, 2. The *aspis* differed from the *thureos* in form: the *aspis* was round, and the *thureos* was oblong. So the *clypeus* differed from the *scutum* of the Latins. See Turneb. *advers.* XI. 27. Periz. ad *Ælian.* V. H. III. 24. Eustath. ad *Od.* p. 331. l. 43. This subject is treated minutely and accurately by Blasius Caryophilus, *de Veterum Clypeis.* Lugd. Bat. 1751.

(11) i. e. of lion's skin.

(12) i. e. of bull's hide.

(13) i. e. of goat's skin.

(14) i. e. of fox's skin. Hom. *Il. Γ. v.* 336.  
Eustath. p. 319. l. 31.

(15) Hom. *Il. Γ. v.* 372. Eustath. ad h. l. p.  
323. l. 14.

(16) Hom. *Il. Γ. v.* 362. Yet in that place *λεπτε* seems to signify something else. See Eustath. p. 321. l. 49. and p. 457. l. 37. See Hesych. at this word, and Lips. *de Milit. Rom.* III. 5.

(17) Hom. *Il. Γ. v.* 337. and T. V. 383.

(18) Hom. *Il. B.* 529. or *Catal. Nav. v.* 36. and v. 337. Pausan. *Eliac.* post c. XIX. p. 499. *Attic. c.* XXI. p. 50.

(19) Hom. *Il.* V. v. 371. and 397. *Il.* A. v. 371. Pausan. Phocic. c. 26. p. 863.

(20) More will be said of it by and by, § VIII.

(21) Apollon. Rhod. Argonaut. III. v. 1225. p. 155.

(22) Hesych. *σαδι*⊙ *χιτων*, *σατ*⊙ *θώραξ*. See Salmas. ad Tertullian. de Pall. p. 105. and 50. Eustath. ad *Il.* Δ. p. 345. l. 21.

(23) Schol. Apollon. Rhod. ad Lib. III. v. 1225. p. 234. Virgil. *Æneid.* III. v. 467. speaks of such a *θώραξ*—Lorica conferta Hamis. Pausanias seems likewise to speak of such a thorax. Bœot. c. XXVI. p. 761. Yet instead of the common reading, *φωλιδων*, I think we should read *φολιδων*. Homer. *Il.* E. v. 113. seems to call it *στρεπτον*. See Eustath. p. 400. l. 17. Consult likewise the commentaries on Hesychius, at the word *αλυσιδων*⊙.

(24) Lorica Squamata. Herodot. IX. p. 593. A. *Æneid.* IX. 707.

(25) Thorax Squamatus. Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 134.

(26) Hom. *Il.* Δ. v. 134. and Eustath. ad h. l. p. 345. l. 21. Pollux, II. 4. Segm. 166.

(27) Hom. *Il.* Δ. v. 13. Pausan. Bœot. c. XVII. p. 743.

(28) Alcæus in Athenæus. XIV. c. V. p. 627.

(29) Hesiod. Scut. v. 112. Hom. Il. Σ. v. 612.

(30) Hom. Il. Γ. v. 330.

(31) Plin. IV. 40. Servius derives the word clypeus from the Greek *καλυπτειν*, because it covered or guarded the body. Ad Æneid. II. 382. But Pliny, XXXV. 3. derives it from *γλυφειν*, sculperet, because the shields were generally adorned with figures. See Blasius Caryophilus, de veterum Clypeis, Lugd. Batav. 1751.

(32) Virg. Æneid. VII. v. 362. Hesych, at the word, *ιταιαι*, says, *ιταιαι, αι ασπιδις*, salignæ, clypei; because in ancient times shields were of willow.

(33) Hom. Il. E. v. 452. M. v. 425.

(34) Hom. Il. H. v. 223.

(35) Hom. Il. Σ. v. 479.

(36) Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 133. Eustath. ad Il. E. p. 556. l. 22.

(37) Eustath. ad Il. Z. p. 483. l. 12.

(38) Pollux, I. c. Hence Homer's expression — *Ασπις, ομφαλοισσα*. Il. Z. p. 118.

(39) Hom. Il. Σ. v. 480. and II. 802. Eustath. ad Il. B. p. 184. l. 28.

(40) Eustath. l. c. L. 32. Schol. Aristoph. ad Equit. v. 845.

(41) *Οχανον*, from *εχω*, teneo. Eustath. l. c. and Schol. Aristoph. l. c. Pollux, I. 10. Segm.

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(42) Pliny, XXXV. 3. gives the same account of the Trojan bucklers in general. Thus, likewise, on the shield of Achilles, the sky, the the moon, and the stars, earth, sea, lions, &c. were represented. Hom. *I.* Σ. v. 478. And thus the buckler of Hercules was adorned with different pictures. Hesiod. *Scut.* v. 139. Many instances of bucklers of this kind we meet with in Pausan. *Messen.* XVI. p. 319. *Phocic.* XXVI. p. 863. See Schol. Aristoph. *ad Ran.* v. 960.

(43) Tyrt. *Carm.* III. v. 23. Virg. *Æneid.* II. v. 227.

(44) i. e. as high as the human stature. This epithet is given them in the Schol. *Minorib. ad Hom.* *I.* B. v. 389.

(45) Hom. *I.* O. v. 646. *I.* B. v. 389. Eustath. *ad I.* B. p. 184. l. 36.

(46) Hom. *I.* E. v. 453.

(47) Hom. *I.* M. v. 294.

(48) See Lips. *de Milit. Rom.* III. 2. and the authors cited above.

(49) Part of this enumeration we find in Pollux, I. 10. *Segm.* 1, 6.

(50) Hom. *I.* T. v. 390. *II.* v. 143. Eustath. *ad I.* B. p. 213. l. 34. Plin. XVI. 13.

(51) Hom. *I.* Z. v. 320. Eustath. *ad h.* l. p. 505. l. 24.

(52) Hom. *I.* K. v. 153. Pollux, I. 10. *Segm.*

Segm. 136. Eustath. ad *Il.* N. p. 915. l. 34.  
Hieron. Magius, *Miscell.* III. 2. p. 126.

(53) Hom. *Il.* B. v. 543. or *Catal. Nav.* v. 50.

(54) Strab. X. p. 309. Eustath. ad Hom. l. c. p. 213. l. 37.

(55) Hesiod. *Scut.* v. 221. Hom. *Il.* B. v. 45.

(56) Hom. *Il.* Γ. v. 271.

(57) In Hom. *Il.* N. v. 612. Pisander attacks Agamemnon with an axe, *αξινη*. These two kinds of arms are mentioned in *Iliad*, O. v. 711.

(58) Sometimes it was of horn. Hom. *Il.* Δ. v. 105. Lycophr. v. 563.

(59) Hesych. at the word, *Ἰσπιδαν*. See Meurf. ad Lycophr. l. c.

(60) Hom. *Il.* Δ. v. 122.

(61) Idem. *ibid.* v. 111.

(62) Hom. *Il.* A. v. 51.

(63) Hesiod. *Scut.* v. 130. Hom. *Il.* E. v. 171.

(64) Hom. *Il.* Δ. v. 116. and Heron. *Ctesib.* at the word, *Βελοποιηκοις*, p. 3.

(65) For this reason arrows are termed in Latin, *virgæ*, and in Greek, *ῥαβδοι*. Lips. *de Milit. Rom. Poliorcet.* IV. 6.

(66) Homer calls the whole arrow *σιδηρον*. *Il.* Δ. 123.

(67) Hom. *Od.* A. v. 261. Virg. *Æneid.* IX. v. 773.

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- (68) Hom. *Il. Δ. v. 116. E. 171.*
- (69) Polyb. *de Milit. Rom. II. § 5:*
- (70) Hom. *Od. Δ. v. 626.*
- (71) Eustath. *ad Hom. l. c. p. 190. l. 56.*
- (72) Schol. *ad Eurip. Orest. v. 1477. and Eustath. ad Il. B. p. 260. l. 27.*
- (73) Eustath. *l. c. l. 32. asserts that the javelin itself was called ακυλη.*
- (74) Dionys. *Perieg. v. 5.*
- (75) Stewech. *ad Veget. I. 16.*
- (76) Hom. *Il. N. v. 599. and 716. See Eustath. p. 925. l. 53. where he likewise tells us, that it was sometimes made of cord.*
- (77) Veget. *B. III. c. 23.*
- (77) Lips. *de Milit. Rom. v. 26, Pollux, X. 31. Segm. 146.*
- (79) Pollux, *l. c. calls them, μολυβδνας, balls of lead. The Latins in this sense use the words—plumbum, Ovid. Met. II. 727. and, plumbeam glandem, Lucret. VI. 177.*
- (80) Hesych. *at the words, Μαγγανα, Μιχασηματα.*
- (81) Lips. *Polioret. I. 3.*
- (82) Capaneus is said to have been the inventor of the scaling-ladder. Veget. *IV. 21. Diod. Sic. IV. 67. p. 268. According to some interpreters, the κροσσαι of Homer are scaling-ladders, Il. M. 443. We have a long discussion of this point of criticism in Eustath. l. c. p. 862. l. 40.*
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(83) Veget. IV. 21. On the materials, workmanship, and different forms of these scaling-ladders, consult Stewech. ad Veget. IV. 2. p. 231. and Lips. Poliorcet. I. 6.

(84) Appian speaks of a battering ram eighty feet long. De Bello Parth. p. 272. See Lips. Poliorc. III. 1.

(85) Joseph. de Bell. Jud. III. 9.

(86) Suidas, at the word *Εμβολη*.

(87) Joseph. l. c. gives almost the same description of it. See Suidas, at the words, *κρηθ*, and *προτομη*.

(88) Virg. Æneid. XII. 706. Vitruv. X. 19.

(89) Diod. Sic. XX. 49. p. 785. &c. 92. p. 817. Ammian. Marcell. XXIII. p. 414. Vitruv. X. 22.

(90) Plutarch seems to give him the invention of it. Demet. p. 897. D. and 898. A. But he employed Epimachus, an Athenian architect, to construct it. Vitruv. l. c.

(91) We have a description of this machine in Livy, XXXIV. 39. XLIV. 9. Athen. de Mach. Bell. Turneb. in advers. XXIII. 33. Vitruv. X. 19. Consult, on the different kinds of this machine, Lips. Poliorcet. I. 5. on its form, Lips. l. c. Stewech. ad Veget. IV. 14. p. 244. and Vitruv.

(92) It was a machine of earth and other materials, which they brought near the besieged city :

city: it was constructed that the soldiers might fight from an eminence.

(93) Lips. Poliorcet. II. 3.

(94) Diod. Sic. XIV. 52. p. 276. Hence, Athenæus calls them *φορητες πυργος*. Turneb. in adverb. XXIII. 31. Vitruv. X. 19 — *Turres ambulatorias*—Appian. IV. Civil. pag. 1011.—*Πυργος εκτυγμένους* — *Turres plicatiles* — Because these towers were made to be taken easily asunder, and to be carried with the other baggage. Vitruv. X. 19.

(95) The better to resist the arrows of the enemy. Veget. IV. 17.

(96) Festus, at the word *Gerræ*. They likewise served to fill the ditches. But for this use they were more roughly wrought than for that above-mentioned. See Lips. Poliorcet. I. 7.

(97) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 159. where, instead of *πιλτη*, I think we should read, *καταπιλτη*; though Suidas makes the two words synonymous.

(98) Diod. Sic. XX. 84. p. 810. and 85. p. 812.

(99) Id. XX. 86. p. 813. 1 Maccab. vi. 20.

(100) Appian. de Bellis Punic. p. 35.

(101) Subaudi—*μηχαναι*. Diod. Sic. XX. 92. p. 818.

(102) Idem, XX. 86. p. 812.

(103) They were likewise termed *πετροβολα*:  
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so they are called by Josephus, De Bell. Judaic. III. p. 845. and by Suidas. See him at the word.

(104) See Suidas at the word.

(105) Mention is often made of all these machines in Leon. Emper. Tact. c. XV. § 27, 50, 52. See Lips. Poliorcet. III. 3.

CHAP.

## C H A P. III.

## Of the MILITARY OFFICERS.

I. **I**N the early ages, when kings were the absolute sovereigns of states, they headed their armies in time of war, and were the (1) generals of those armies; or they (2) chose a *Polemarchus*; the (3) Athenians did the same.

II. But afterwards, when the supreme power was exercised by the people, each tribe chose a prætor, whose title was, *Στρατηγός*. There were ten of them, one of each tribe. They all had the same power; and when they were sent out together on an expedition of importance, they commanded alternately, each of them for a day. An eleventh Strategus was at length added to the ten, who was distinguished by the title of *Polemarchus* — This officer, when in a council of war the suffrages were equally divided, determined, by his (5) voice, the affair which had been debated.

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III. Besides the Strategi, there were ten (6) Ταξιαρχοι, who were second in rank from the (7) Strategi.

IV. These Taxiarchi (8) marshalled the army before a battle, fixed on the place of its encampment, and the (9) route of its march. They likewise struck out of the military list those soldiers who had been guilty of a great (10) misdemeanor.

V. The Στρατηγοι, and the Ταξιαρχοι were the principal officers of the (11) infantry: the Ἴππαρχοι, and the Φυλαρχοι, were at the head of the (12) cavalry.

V. There were (13) two Hipparchi, and (14) ten Phylarchi. The former commanded (15) all the cavalry; the latter commanded (16) the cavalry of each tribe; they were, therefore, subject to the Hipparchi, as the Ταξιαρχοι were to the (17) Στρατηγοι.

VI. There were yet other subaltern officers, named—(18) Χιλιαρχοι, Ἐκατονταρχοι, Πεντηκονταρχοι, Λοχαγοι, Δεκαδαρχοι, Πενταδαρχοι, Ουραγοι.

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## NOTES to CHAP. III.

(1) Aristot. Polit. III. c. 14.

(2) Pausan. Corinth. c. XIV. p. 142. Attic. c. XXXI. Sigon. de Rep. Athen. I. 4. p. 477. and Potter, III. tell us, authorised, as they think, by Pausanias, that the king, Erectheus, conferred this dignity on Ion. But the same Pausanias informs us, that he was chosen Polemarchus by the Athenians. Corinth. I. c. See Meurf. Lect. Attic. VI. 21.

(3) This we have shown in the preceding note.

(4) Cornel. Nepos, in Miltiad. c. 4. calls them, "the ten prætors." See Demosth. Philipp. I. p. 17. B. Harpocrat. and Suid. at the word, Στρατηγοί. Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. III. 17. p. 12. and ad V. 13. n. 5. Ernest. ad Xenoph. Memorab. I. 1. § 18.

(5) This we are expressly told by Herod. VI. p. 422. See Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. V. 13. Sigon. de Rep. Athen. IV. 5. p. 556.

(6) Demosth. Philipp. I. p. 17. B. et in Bœotum, p. 638. A. See Æschin. de Fals. Legat. p. 270. A.

(7) Xenoph. Memorab. III. 1.

(8) See Lys. Orat. pro Mantith. p. 149. Aristoph. Av. v. 452.

(9) Sigon. de Rep. Athen. IV. 5. p. 557.

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(10) Lys. Κατὰ Ἀλκιβιάδου Ἀγροτείας, p. 142.

(11) Demosth. de Coron. p. 339. Xenoph. Memorab. III. 3. § 1.

(12) Lys. pro Mantith. p. 146. Harpocrat. at the word, Φυλαρχῶ.

(13) Harpocrat, at the word, Ἴππαρχῶ.

(14) Pollux, VIII. 9. Segm. 87. and 94.

(15) Xenoph. at the word, Ἴππαρχικῶ, p. 753.

(16) Harpocrat. at the word, Φυλαρχῶ.

(17) Xenoph. l. c. and Harpocrat. l. c. and Suid: at the same word.

(18) See, on all these words, Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 128. Jungermann. p. 74. Aristoph. Schol. ad Acharn. v. 1073. Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. II. 14. n. 5. Arrian. Tact. p. 18. and 28.

## C H A P. IV.

Of the different PARTS of the ARMY.

I. **T**HE whole army was called Στρα-  
ΤΕΙΑ.

II. The van, frons—(1) Μετωπον, (2)  
 Πρωτῶ ζυγῶ.

III. The flanks, or the wings, were  
 termed, (3) Κερατά.

IV. They called the rear, (4) Ουρα, or,  
 (5) Εσχατῶ ζυγῶ.

V. The Πεμπας consisted of (6) five sol-  
 diers.

VI. The Λοχῶ of twenty-four, twenty-  
 five, and sometimes of (7) twenty-six.

VII. The Ταξίς, or Ἐκατονταρχία, was  
 a body of a hundred, or a hundred and  
 twenty men.

VIII. Φαλαγγίς was the name which they  
 gave to the army when it was (9) ranged in  
 order of battle. Μηῶ φαλαγγῶ was the  
 length of the army, its (10) extension from  
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the one wing to the other : Βαθ<sup>⊙</sup> was its depth, or its (11) extent from van to rear.

IX. Εμβολον—cuneus, was the army formed into the shape of the letter Δ. The men were drawn up in this manner the more easily to pierce the files of the (12) enemy.

X. Κεϊλεμβολον, forfex, resembled the letter V. The army was formed into this figure to receive the attack of the (13) Cuneus.

XI. Πλινθιον, laterculus. Under this denomination the men were drawn up in form of a (14) brick.

XII. Πυργ<sup>⊙</sup>, turris, was an army in form of a (15) square.

XIII. Πλαισιον, was an army marshalled into an oblong (16) figure.

XIV. The wheelings of the soldiers were termed, (17) Κλισεις—Κλισεις επι δορυ, wheeling to the right—(18) Επ' ασπιδα—to the left.

XV. Μεταβολη, was an evolution by  
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which the rear moved to the place of the van, and the van to that of the (19) rear. The two parts of this evolution were distinguished by two expressions—*Μεταβολη ἐπ' ἔραν*—The wheeling to the right, and marching from the van to the rear.—*Μεταβολη ἐπ' ἔρας*—The wheeling to the left, and marching from the rear to the (20) van.

## NOTES to CHAP. IV.

- (1) Schol. Aristoph. ad Av. 352.  
 (2) Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 126.  
 (3) Thucyd. V. 71. Poll. I. 10. Segm. 126.  
 (4) Blanchard. ad Arrian. Taët. p. 25. Xenoph. Hellenic. IV. p. 404.  
 (5) Phavorin. at the word, *Στρατῶς*.  
 (6) Perhaps we should write, *πεμπτας*, or *πιντας*. Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 127. and Jungermann. ad h. l.  
 (7) Ælian. Taët. c. IV. Arrian. p. 18. Schol. Arist. ad Acharnan. v. 1073.  
 (8) Arrian. p. 28. and Blanchard, ad h. l. Ælian. c. IX. Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. II. 44. p. 5.

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(9) Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 127. Ælian. c. IX. Arrian. p. 23. Eustath. ad Homer, Ιλ. Δ. v. 254. p. 357. l. 24.

(10) Ælian. Tact. c. VII. Gronov. ad Liv. XXII. 45.

(11) Ælian. l. c. and Arrian. p. 23.

(12) Agathias, II. 44. and Suidas, at the word, Εμβολον. Ælian. Tact. XLVII. Arrian. Tact. 44. The inventor of this figure was Philip, king of Macedonia. Ælian. c. XXXIX.

(13) Suidas, at this word. Arrian. p. 69. Ælian. c. XXXV.

(14) Arrian. p. 69. Ælian. c. XLI.

(15) Eustath. Ιλ. Δ. p. 357. l. 19. Hom. Ιλ. M. Eustath. ad h. l. p. 847. l. 20.

(16) Arrian. pag. 69. Ælian. c. XLVIII. and ad h. l. Arcer. p. 168. Lucian. Dial. Meretr. p. 549.

(17) Arrian. pag. 54. Ælian. c. XIX. XXIII. Polyb. X. p. 595. A.

(18) Arrian, and Ælian, l. c. and Suid. at the word κλισις.

(19) Arrian, p. 55. Ælian. c. XXIV.

(20) Suidas, at the word, Μεταβολη. And Arcer. ad Ælian. c. XXIV. p. 143.

## C H A P. V.

Of the SIGNALS and STANDARDS.

I. **T**HE signals, *Συμβολα*, were either announced by the voice, or (1) perceptible to the eye.

II. The vocal signal was termed, *Συνθημα*, and in Latin, *Tessera*. It was a kind of a martial shout which the general gave to the inferior officers, and which was spread by them through the whole (2) army.

III. The visible signal was called, *Παρασηθημα*: it was a sign made with the head, a clapping of the hands, a pointing of the (3) pike to the ground, &c.

IV. The standards were termed in Greek, *Σημεια*, and in Latin, *Signa*, and *Vexilla*. When they were raised, it was a signal to begin the battle: and lowering them was a signal to (4) leave it off.

V. The *Σημειον* was likewise a coat of arms waving at the top of a (5) pike.

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VI. The ancient Greeks, also, for a signal, made use of fire, or flaming torches, which were thrown from the two (6) armies. The men who threw them were called, (7) Πυρφοροί.

VII. For this purpose they afterwards used shells, (8) Κοχλοί, but generally, trumpets, (9) Σαλπιγγες.

VIII. Some states of Greece used other instruments; as, the Συριγξ, Syrinx, the (10) Αυλός, Tibia.

IX. The shout of the soldiers at the first onset was termed, (11) Αλαλαγμός.

#### NOTES to CHAP. V.

(1) Τα δια της φωνης μπουομενα, quæ voce sunt expressa—and Σημεια ορατα—Signa visibilia—This is Ælian's distinction, c. XXXIV. See Arrian, p. 64.

(2) Casaub. in Æneam, c. XXIV. Lips. de Milit. IV. 12. Thucyd. IV. 112. Th. Magister—Συνθημα, επιφωνημα εν μαχαις—The Synthema was a signal given in battle, by shouting. Polix. I. 11.

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(3) Onofander, Strateg. c. XXVI. and Rigalt. Not. Æneas, Tacl. c. XXV. and ad h. l. Casaubon. p. 71.

(4) Thucyd. L. I. 49. and 63. Schol. ad Thucyd. I. 49. Suidas, at the word, Σημια.

(5) Polyb. Hist. II. p. 151. D. E. Polyæn. I. 48. § 2. Perhaps this kind of standard was only used by the Romans. See the passage of Plutarch cited by Gronovius, ad Liv. XXII. 45.

(6) Schol. Euripid. ad Phæniss. v. 1386. Meurs. ad Lycophr. v. 1298.

(7) Tzet. ad Lycophr. From this custom came the following expression in the Schol. Eurip. l. c.—Ουδε πυρφοροῖς εἰωθη—Neque ignifer superstes fuit—To denote a total destruction.

(8) Pseudodidym. ad Il. Σ. v. 219. Barnes. ad Euripid. Iphig. in Taur. v. 303. Meurs. ad Lycophr. v. 250. Theocrit. Diosc. or Idyll. XXII. v. 75.

(9) Aristot. de Mundo, c. VI. Eurip. Rhéf. 144.

(10) Thucyd. V. 70. Athen, Dipnos. XIV. 6. p. 672. D. Plutarch, de Music. B, 1140. B. Gell. I. 1.

(11) Polyæn. I. 2. Pollux, I. 10. Segm. 163, Lips. de Milit. Rom. IV. 11. Homer uses the word, Αλαλητον. Il. E. v. 436. See Suidas, at the word Ελελευ.

## C H A P. VI.

## Of MILITARY BOOTY.

I. **T**HE captures made in war were either persons, or things.

II. The persons were called, (1) *Αιχμαλωτοι*, and (2) *Δορυαλωτοι*: they were made slaves, unless they could ransom themselves.

III. The things were—1° Clothes, which, when stripped from the dead, were termed, *Σκυλα*;—from the living, (4) *Λαφυρα*.—2° (5) The arms—3° (6) The standards, &c.

IV. All the booty was carried to the (7) general, who took to himself what he (8) liked. He then chose rewards from it for those who had signalized themselves in the day of (9) action. The rest he divided equally among the (10) soldiers.

V. But before any separation, or division of the booty, a part of it was consecrated to  
the

the Gods: this part they called—(11) *Ακροθινια*.

VI. They likewise erected trophies, *Τροπαια*—(12) *Τροπαια*.

### NOTES to CHAP. VI.

(1) Xenoph. in Agesil. p. 517.

(2) Pollux, VII. 33. Segm. 156.

(3) Pausan. VIII. 47. p. 695. IX. 15. p. 740. Hom. *Ιλ. Ζ. v. 427*.

(4) Suidas, at the words, *Λαφυρα*, and *Σκυλα*. But these two words pass for synonymous with Eustathius—ad *Ιλ. Δ. v. 105*. Homer terms military plunder, *Εναρα*. *Ιλ. Ζ. v. 68*. See Eustathius on this word, ad *Ιλ. Α. pag. 60. L. 34*.

(5) Hom. *Ιλ. Κ. v. 458*.

(6) In general, whatever was found with the enemy. Xenoph. *Cyrop. III. p. 66. l. 43*.

(7) Thus Achilles says that he took all the spoils to Agamemnon. *Ιλ. Ι. v. 331*.

(8) Hom. *Ιλ. Α. v. 703*.

(9) Hom. *Ιλ. Ι. v. 334*.

(10) Hom. *Ιλ. Α. v. 703*.

(11) Eustath. ad *Odyss. p. 692. l. 26*. and Suidas, at the word, *Ακροθινια*—from which is derived the verb, *ακροθινιαζεσθαι*—to choose the best

best of any thing. Eurip. Hercul. Furios. v. 476. See Hebr. vii. 4. and the authors cited by Wolf. ad h. 1.

(12) Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 453. Potter enters into the particulars of this custom, ad Lycophr. v. 1328. and Barnes. ad Euripid. Hercul. v. 937. The ancient custom of Greece was to erect trophies on the borders of the vanquished country, as temporary monuments of victory, not to perpetuate the memory of it to posterity. They who first erected trophies of brass, or stone, caused public discontents, and were even accused at the tribunal of the Amphictyons. Wesseling, ad Diod. Sic. XIII. 24. who cites Plutarch, Qu. Rom. p. 273. D. Cic. de Invent. II. 23. and Spanheim, ad Julian. Cæsar. p. 239. Præfat. p. 103.

## C H A P. VII.

OF MILITARY REWARDS and  
PUNISHMENTS.

I. **T**HE rewards conferred on those who had fought valiantly, were termed, (1) *Αξιςτια*.

II. Soldiers were preferred to the rank of officers, and subaltern officers to (2) superior ranks.

III. Gallant actions were praised in poetry, and (3) funeral orations.

IV. Another kind of recompence was crowns, on which were inscribed the names of those who had merited them by their (4) valour.

V. They likewise erected, in honour of the Gods, pillars and statues, on which their (5) victories were inscribed.

VI. (6) *Πανοπλια* was sometimes the reward of those who had distinguished themselves in battle.

VII.

VII. The honourable title, *Cecropides*, was given to soldiers of conspicuous valour, and their arms were deposited in the the (17) citadel.

VIII. They who had been maimed in battle were maintained at Athens at the (8) public expence.

IX. The children likewise of those brave citizens who had fallen in (9) battle were maintained at the public expence. When they were grown up, they were presented with the (10) *Panoplia*, and honoured with distinguished seats at the public games, (11) *Προεδρῖαι*.

X. We must now speak of the military punishments. — Deserters were punished with death.

XI. The *Ἀσρατεῦτοι*, those who had refused to serve, and the *Λειποτακτοί*, those who had quitted their ranks, were punished in the following manner. They were obliged to sit three days in the forum in a female

female dress. This punishment was prescribed by a law of (13) Charondas.

XII. They were excluded from the temples and (14) assemblies.

XIII. There were yet (15) severer military punishments inflicted in Greece, especially at (16) Lacedæmon.

#### NOTES to CHAP. VII.

(1) Ælian. V. H. v. 19. They were likewise termed, *Επαθλα, νικητηρια, επινικια.*

(2) Xenoph. Hipparch. p. 755. L. 19. Hence Nicomachides in Xenoph. Memorab. III. 4. § 1. complains that he had not been a general, though he had grown old in the service; though he had not only been a *Δοξαγῶν*, but a *Ταξιαρχῶν*, and though he was covered with wounds. Strateg. c. XXXIII.

(3) Thucyd. II. 34. We have an instance of this in Demosthenes, who composed a funeral oration in honour of the citizens who died in the battle of Cheronæa, p. 152. See Lucian, de Luctu.

(4) Demosth. adversus Androtion, p. 428. A. Paschal. de Coron. VII. 5. p. 466.

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(5) Plut. Cim. p. 482, E. and 483, A.

(6) Thus Alcibiades, having merited, in the judgment of Socrates, the prize of valour, at Potidæa, received a crown, and the *Πανοπλία*. Plutarch, Alcib. p. 195. A. The *Πανοπλία* was the armour and arms complete which were used by the heavy armed soldiers. Hom. Il. Γ. 330. Virg. Æneid. VIII. 620.

(7) Demosth. Or. Funeb. p. 156. B.

(8) This was a wise and generous institution of Pisistratus. Plutarch. Solon. p. 96. C. See Meurs. Themid. Attic. I. 10. p. 27.

(9) Diog. Laert. Solon. I. 55. Lefbonaux, at the word, *Προτριπτικός*, p. 211.

(10) Aristid. in Panath. quoted by Meurs. Themid. in Attic. I. 10. p. 28. Petit ad Leg. Attic. p. 560.

(11) Lefbonaux. l. c.

(12) Ulpian. ad Timocrat. p. 237. C.

(13) Diod. Sic. XII. 16. p. 81.

(14) Æschin. in Ctesiph. p. 299. B. Demosth. Timocrat. p. 475. A. B. *Λυσίας, Κατα Αλκιβιάδου λειποταξίας*, and, *Κατα Αλκιβιάδου ασρατίας*. p. 130. and 141.

(15) In some states the punishment of those who had quitted their standards, or their ranks, was capital. Diod. Sic. XII. 16. p. 81.

(16) Plutarch. in Agefil. p. 613. E. Herodot. VII. p. 474. E. Plutarch. Lacon. Instit. p. 239. B. and Apophthegm. Lacon. p. 240.



## C H A P. VIII.

## Of the SEA-SERVICE..

I. **T**HEIR ships had different terms and different names:

II. Their merchantmen were called, (1) Ὀλκαδες, and (2) Φορτηγοι; they were of a (3) round form. Their ships of war had the epithet, (4) Μακραι.

III. They had (5) three, four, (6) five banks of oars, &c.

IV. The lower part of a ship, its base, or keel, was termed in Latin, *carina*, and in Greek, (7) Τροπις, and (8) Στιφη.

V. The boards above the keel were termed in Greek, (9) Νομιῖς, and (10) Ἐγκοιλια, and the pieces of wood to which they were nailed were called (11) Ἐντερονεια.

VI. To these boards the sides of the vessel, Πλευραι and (12) Τοιχοι, were joined.

VII. The lower parts of the vessel, the parts

parts under water, were called *Τραλα*; and those above water (13) *Εξαλα*.

VIII. The middle of the ship was termed (14) *Μισσοκοιλα*.

IX. The deck, (15) *Καταστρωμα*; and the hold, (16) *Πυθμη*.

X. The fore-part of the ship, (17) *Πρωρα*, and *Μετωπον*: the hinder part, (18) *Πρυμνα*, and *Ουρα*.

XI. *Επωτιδες* were two pieces of wood jutting out from the two sides of the (19) prow.

XII. *Χηρισκος*, was the figure of a goose, with which the prow was (20) adorned.

XIII. (21) *Κορωνιδες*, and (22) *Ακροσολια*, ornaments of the extremities of the sides of the vessel.

XIV. *Αφλασα*—the ornaments of the (23) stern.

XV. *Παρασημον*—an ensign fixed to the (24) prow.

XVI. (25) *Εδωλια*—(26) *Σελματα*—The banks of the rowers. The highest banks

were named (27) *Θραυοι*; those in the middle (28) *Ζυγα*; and the lowest (29) *Θαλαμος*.

XVII. The terms, and expressions relative to oars and rowers, are, *Εριτμος*, *καπη*, and *οαρ*—(30) *της καπης εκιλαζεσθαι*—(31) *Καπης οφθαλμοι*, or (32) *τρηματα*—(33) *τροποι*, (34) *τροπωτης*, (35) *τροπαῦσθαι*—(36) *ασκιμα*—(37) *ερισσειν*—(38) *εριδιω*—(39) *ελαυνειν*—(40) *σκασαι*—(41) *δικωπιας δλωειν*—(42) *αμαρῆσθαι*—(43) *μεταωρηκοπειν*—(44) *ταρσος*.

XVIII. The mast was termed *Ἴσος*. To set the mast, was (45) *Ορθουσθαι*. Its parts were (46) *Καρχησιον*, (47) *Τραχηλος*, (48) *Πτερνη*.

XIX. (49) *Μεσοδμη* was the hole in the middle of the ship in which the mast was fixed. *Ἴσοδοκη*—the place in which all the naval (50) instruments were kept. *Κεραια*, the (51) yards.

XX. The general names of sails were, *Ισια*—(52) *Οθραι*—(53) *Φαρη*, (54) *Λαιφη*—(55) *Αρμυρα*. The names of some particular

lar sails were, (56) Δολων, (57) *Επιδρομος*—  
(58) *Ακατιον*, *αρταμων*, which was the main  
sail. The following are expressions applied  
to sails, (60) *Στελλεινοθονην*—(61) *Συσελλειν*  
*ισια*—(62) *Απλοῦν ισια*.

XXI. The ships had different kinds of  
ropes for different uses. Tho' the word  
*Όπλα* is a general term for all the (63)  
rigging, it frequently signifies the (64)  
ropes only. The words (65) *Σχοινια*, and  
(66) *Καλω*, likewise mean the ropes.

XXII. The particular and distinguishing  
names of the ropes were—(67) *Τειθοι*—  
(68) *Υπεραι*—(69) *Προτονα*, (70) *Επιτονοι*—  
(71) *Μεσουρια*—(72) *Ποδες*—(73) *Τριπονοι*—  
*Θριοι*, and (74) *Εκφοροι*, (75) *Πρυμνησια*, (76)  
*Πεισματα*—(77) *Ζωμευματα*—(78) *Ρυματα*—  
(79) *Καμλο*.

XXIII. The rudder—(80) *Πηδαλιον*; the  
parts of which were—(81) *Οκαξ*—(82) *Φθειρ*  
—(83) *Πτερυγον*—(84) *Αυχεν*—(85) *Καμαξ*.  
—In their greatest ships there were two  
(86) rudders.

XXIV. The Pilot—Κυβερνητης; his station was at the (87) stern.

XXV. The beak of the ship—(88) Εμ-  
βολα.

XXVI. The anchor—(89) Αγκυρα—(90)  
Ευνη—(91) Ανασπᾶν, (92) Αφειν αγκυραν—  
(53) Βαλλειν αγκυραν ἰσαν. c. 94.

XXVII. Ἐρμα—(95) Ασφαλισμα—The  
sand with which they ballasted the ship.  
In Latin—Saburra.

XXVIII. Βολις—The lead with which  
they (96) sounded.

XXIX. To the old navigation belonged  
likewise the terms—(97) Κοντοι—(98) Απο-  
βαθρα—(99) αντλιον.

#### NOTES to CHAP. VIII.

- (1) Thucyd. VI. 30.
- (2) Plutarch. in Pomp. p. 624. B.
- (3) Thucyd. II. 97. and Schol.
- (4) Schol. Thucyd. I. c.
- (5) Pollux. I. 9. Segm. 119. The Triremis  
is often mentioned in Lysias, Απολογ. Δημοδοκίας.
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(6) Diod. Sic. XIX. 62. p. 704.—where he relates that in the fleet of Antigonus there were ships of three, four, five—nine, ten banks of oars. See Athen. V. 8. p. 203. E.

(7) Hom. Od. M. v. 421, and 438. Schol. min. ad h. l.

(8) Hom. Il. A. v. 482. and Schol. min. ad h. l.

(9) Hesych. at this word, and Brodæus, Miscell. I. 10.

(10) Theophrast. Hist. Plant. IV. 3.

(11) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equit. v. 1182. Paul Leopard. Emendat. XIII. 8.

(12) Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 88. Athen. V. 11. p. 204. F.

(13) Lucian, Jup. Trog. p. 155. uses these words in this sense.

(14) Pollux, I. 19. Segm. 92. thinks this word signifies the cavity of the ship; and Segm. 87. he makes ζυγα the middle of the ship.

(15) Jungerm. ad Poll. I. 9. Segm. 92. Athen. V. 8. p. 204. B.

(16) Hesych. and Suid. at this word. Lucian, in vot. p. 493.

(17) Schol. Thucyd. ad II. 90. Suid. at this word.

(18) Lucian, in vot. p. 493. Athen. V. p. 208. B.

(19) Athen. V. p. 204. A. Thucyd. VII. 62. See note ad Polluc. II. 4. Segm. 83.

(20) Lucian, Jup. Trog. p. 155. vol. p. 493. The Scholiast of Lucian, p. 14. tells us why this was the ornament of the prow.

(21) Hesych. at this word. Eustath. Æ. A. p. 55. l. 18.

(22) Athen. V. p. 203. F. Eustath. ad Hom. Æ. O. p. 1049. l. 17.

(23) Hom. Æ. O. v. 717. Eustath. p. 1049. l. 12. Athen. V. p. 203. F. They were called *aphusria* by the Latins.

(24) Luc. Act. xxviii. 11. and the authors cited by Wolf. on that Passage. Burmon. ad Petron. c. 105. Heins. ad Sil. XIV. 543. Stanl. ad Æschyl. Septem. Theb. v. 214. p. 742.

(25) Herodot. I. p. 10. B. de Arion.

(26) Athen. V. 12. p. 208. C. and E.

(27) Pollux; I. 9. Segm. 87.

(28) Pollux, I. c.

(29) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 161.

(30) To take the oar. Lucian. Dial. Mort. p. 308. Pollux. I. 9. Segm. 81. Scheffer. de Milit. Naut. II. 5. p. 137.

(31) The eyes of the oars. See Aristoph. Schol. ad Acharn. v. 97. We are there informed that there were holes through which the oars were put, to row. Scheff. l. c. p. 49.

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(32) i. e. Holes. They are likewise called *τροπήματα* in Aristophanes, Pac. v. 1233. and the Schol. ad h. l.

(33) A thong, or cord, with which they tied the oar to keep it from slipping. Hom. Od. Δ. v. 782. Eustath. p. 198. l. 52.

(34) This is the same thing. Aristophanes uses the word, *τροπός*. Aristoph. in Acharn. v. 548.

(35) i. e. To tye the oar with the thong. Lucian in Catapl. p. 422. Aristoph. in Acharn. v. 552. and Kust. ad h. l.

(36) This was a piece of hide with which the holes were lined through which they put the oars, that by their action they might not be too much worn. Scheffer. de Milit. naut. II. 5. p. 140. Schol. Aristoph. ad Ran. v. 367.

(37) Ramer. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 98.

(38) Suidas, at the word, *επιπιδειν*, has this expression—*Επιπιδεσθαι ταις κωπαις*—Incumbere remis.

(39) Subaudi *κωπην*—To ply the oar. Ælian. V. H. II. 9.

(40) Inhibere remum. Pindar. Pyth. Od. X. Epod. Γ. v. 3.

(41) To pull two oars. Lucian cited by Scheffer, p. 67. See Schol. Thucyd. IV. 67.

(42) To help a rower. Schol. Aristoph. ad Av. v. 852.

(43)



(43) To row in vain; a proverbial expression; importing, to labour in vain.

(44) *Palmula remi*—The broad part of the oar. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 90.

(45) Lucian. in *Catapl.* p. 442.

(46) The top of the mast. Athen. V. 11. p. 208. E.

(47) The middle of the mast; round which part the sails were hung. Macrob. Saturn. v. 21. from *Asclepiad*.

(48) The lowest part of the mast. Schol. Apoll. Argonaut. I. v. 563. Macrob. l. c.

(49) Apoll. Rhod. Argonaut. I. v. 563. Schol. Hom. ad Od. B. v. 424. Rutherford var. Lect. VI. 6.

(50) Hom. Il. A. v. 434. But Eustath. ad h. l. takes this word in another sense.

(51) Athenæus, V. 11. p. 208. D. See the Schol. Apoll. Rhod. ad Argonaut. I. v. 566.

(52) In Latin, *lintea*, Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 103.

(53) Hesych. at the word, *Επιδρομον*. Eustath. ad Od. Ω. v. 146. p. 828. l. 12.

(54) Eustath. ad Od. N. p. 523. l. 11. Kuhn. ad Polluc. I. 9. Segm. 91. Hesych. at the word, *Λαιφος*.

(55) Hesych. at the word, *Λαιφος*.

(56) Hesych. at the word, *Δολωτες*. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 91.

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- (57) Hesych. at this word. Pollux, l. c.
- (58) Hesych. at the word, *Ακατια*. Pollux, l. c.
- (59) Luc. Act. xxvii. 40.
- (60) Velum contrahere. Homer has the expression—*Στελλειν ισια*. Od. Π. v. 353.
- (61) Contrahere velum. Aristoph. Ran. 1030.
- (62) Expandere velum. We find in Lucian, *Πιτῶν ισια*. Dial. Mort. p. 281. Hom. Od. E. v. 269.
- (63) Hom. Od. Z. v. 268.
- (64) Homer uses the word, *πισματα*. l. c. Eustath. ad h. l. p. 263. l. 37. Pollux, l. 9. Segm. 93.
- (65) Pollux, l. c.
- (66) The words, *Καλωνες* and *Καλοι*, are likewise used. Hom. Od. E. v. 260. Eustath. p. 222. l. 11. Pollux, l. c.
- (67) Scheffer. p. 331. Schol. Apoll. Rhod. Argonaut. I. v. 566.
- (68) Hom. Od. E. v. 260. Eustath. p. 222. l. 10.
- (69) Hom. Il. A. v. 434. Eustath ad h. l. p. 98. l. 40.
- (70) Schol. Apoll. Rhod. ad Argonaut. I. p. 566.
- (71) See Suid. at this word. Homer. Od. M. v. 423.

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(72) Hom. Od. B. v. 260. Turneb. Advers. XX. 4.

(73) Aristoph. Equit. v. 438.

(74) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equit. v. 438.

(75) Hesych. ad Suid. at this word. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 93:

(76) Hom. Od. K. v. 96, and 127. V. Paul Leopard. Emendat. I. 18.

(77) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equit. v. 279. Athen. V. 9. p. 204. A.

(78) Polyb. I. p. 27. C. Scheffer. de Milit. Naut. II. 5. p. 150.

(79) Suid. at this word. Interpret. ad Matthæum. XIX. 24.

(80) Ælian. V. H. IX. 40. Græv. ad Hesiod. Epy. v. 45.

(81) Clavus quo regitur gubernaculum. Isidor. cited by Græv. ad Hesiod. l. c.

(82) Pertica gubernaculi, as Scheffer. interprets it, de Milit. Naut. II. 5. p. 145. Medium gubernaculi—according to Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 89.

(83) Extremum gubernaculi—Pollux, l. c. and Hesych. at the word Πτερυγες.

(84) Reliquum gubernaculi. Pollux, l. c. Scheffer. l. c. Scheffer. l. c. following Vetruius, X. 8. translates it, ansa gubernaculi. Heliodor. uses this word. Æthiop. V. p. 248.

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(85) *Centus quo gubernaculum circumagitur.* Lucian. in votis. p. 494.

(86) Luc. Act. xxvii. 40. Ælian. IX. 40. and the authors cited by Scheffer, p. 146. The same author informs us that in some ships there were three, and in some four rudders.

(87) Athen. V. 11. p. 209. A. Ælian. V. H. IX. 40. Cic. de Senect. VI. Lucian. Dial. Mort. p. 278. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 98.

(88) Hence their ships have had the epithet—*χαλκεμβολαδες*—*quæ ærea rostra habent.* Eurip. Iphig. in Aulid. v. 1320. and Aristophanes has the expression, *Κυανεμβολοι τριηρεις*—*Triremes rostris cæruleis munitæ*—*Equit. v. 551.*

(89) Consult, on the inventor of the anchor, Plin. VII. 56. Strabo, VII. p. 209. Pausan. Attic. IV. p. 12.

(90) Hom. Æ. A. v. 436. Eustath. ad h. l. p. 98. l. 46.

(91) *Extrahere anchoram.* Lucian. Dial. Mort. p. 281. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 104.

(92) *Solvere, or tollere anchoram.* Plutarch. Apophthegm. p. 204. See Luke. Act. xxvii. 13.

(93) *Jacere sacram anchorām*—a proverbial expression, signifying, to make the last effort. Lucian. Fugitiv. p. 597. Lucian likewise mentions this sacred anchor, Jov. Trog. p. 156.

Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 93. See Heinfst. and Drakenborch. ad Sil. VII. 23.

(94) Kuhn. ad Poll. I. 9. Segm. 94. Eustath. ad Hom. *Il.* B. v. 154. p. 147. l. 19. Aristoph. *Av.* 1429. See Meurf. ad Lycophr. v. 618.

(95) Scheffer de Milit. Naut. II. 5. p. 152.

(96) It was a mass of lead fastened to a long cord, with which they sounded. Hence is derived the verb *Βολιζειν*, which we read in *Acts* xxvii. 28. Herodot. in *Enterp.* pag. 102. C. calls it *Καταπειριτηριον*. Lucil. *Satyr.* incert. n. XI. p. 198. *Catapiratem*.

(97) They were long oars, or poles, the use of which was, to turn the vessel, and accelerate its course, when it was in danger of running on a rock, or a sand-bank. They used them likewise for sounding. Scheff. de Milit. naut. II. 6. pag. 152. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 94. Hom. *Od.* A. v. 487.

(98) A kind of bridge for going on boards, or ashore. Lucian calls it *αποβαθρα*, and *αναβαθρα*. *Dial. Mort.* p. 281. Diodorus Siculus terms it —*Επιβαθραν*, XII. 62. p. 113. B.

(99) A kind of sink at the bottom of the hold, into which all the filth of the vessel was thrown, was likewise termed, *αντλια*; in Latin, *sentina*. Aristoph. *Equit.* v. 443. and *Pac.* v. 17. *Αντλια* was likewise a pump to throw off that filth. Eustath. ad *Od.* M. v. 411. p. 498. l. 1.—Homer, in that place uses the word, *αντλον*.

## C H A P. IX.

## Of the SAILORS and SEA-FORCES.

I. **T**HE men employed in ships were called, (1) Πληρωματα, (2) Αυτιρεται; the rowers, (3) Κωπηλαται; they who sat highest, Θρανιται; they in the middle, Ζυγυται, the lowest, (4) Θαλαμιται. They who sat on the benches near the prow. were called, Προκωποι; and they who were near the stern, (5) Επικωποι.

II. Ναυτας, nautæ; they were not employed in rowing; but they had their particular (6) business distributed amongst them. Some had the care of the sails, (7) Αρμανισαι—others went aloft—(8) Σχοινοβαται. And others had different charges allotted them, (9) Μεσοναυται.

## NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. IX.

(1) Diodor. Sic. XIII. 2. p. 134. D. Polyb. I. p. 30. B.

(2) Thucyd. I. 10. and ad h. l. See Stephens and Hudson.

(3) Hesych at this word. *Ἐπιρας* is more used.

(4) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 161. and Suid. at the word *Θραυτης*. Schol. Aristoph. ad Ran. v. 1106. and ad h. l. Kuffer.

(5) Pollux, I. 9. uses these two words. Our author follows the opinion of Scheffer, II. 3. p. 108. But some critics, instead of *προνικτος*, read *προσικωπος*, interpreting both these words, a rower; and in this sense *προσικωπος* is used by Lucian, in Catapl. p. 436.

(6) Cicero de Senect. VI.

(7) Scheffer de Milit. Naut. II. 3. p. 108.

(8) Lucian. in votis, p. 493. Scheff. l. c.

(9) Lin. 4. § 1. F. de naut. caup. Stab.

CHAP.

## C H A P. X.

## Of the NAVAL OFFICERS.

I. **S**OME commanded the sailors, and some the soldiers. The titles of the former were—(1) Αρχικυβερνητης—(2) Κυβερνητης—(3) Πρωρευς—(4) Κελευσης—(5) Τριηραυλης—(6) Ναυφυλακες—(7) Διοποι—(8) Τοιχειαρχοι—(9) Εσχαρευς—(10) Λογισης.

II. They who commanded the soldiers were—(11) Στολαρχος—(12) Ναυαρχος—(13) Επιστολευς—(14) Τριηραρχος—&c.

## NOTES to CHAP. X.

(1) Diod. Sic. XX. 51. p. 786. D. This was the admiral.

(2) Arrian. de Expedit. Alex. VI. 2.

(3) Xenoph. Œconom. VIII. § 14. He was the under-pilot.

(4) The inspector of the rowers. See Ovid. Met. III. 618. Arrian. de Expedit. Alex. VI. 3.

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and Suidas, at the word, *Κελευσῆς*. Scheffer, III. I. p. 179. and IV. 7. p. 304. Gronov. Observ. IV. 26. Heinf. and Drakenborch. ad Sil. 6. 360.

(5) The players on the flute on board the triremes. See Kuhn. ad Poll. I. 9. Segm. 96. Demosth. de Coron.

(6) The inspectors and guards of the ships. Eustath. ad L. B. p. 154. l. 6. Scheffer, IV. 7. p. 308.

(7) Signifies the same as *Ναυφυλακῆς*.

(8) They who took care of the sides of the ship. Pollux, I. Segm. 95. Claudian. Conf. Manlii Theod. v. 47.

(9) They who had the care of the fire. Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 95. Scheffer thinks they were priests—Other antiquarians make them cooks.

(10) The secretary. Eustath. ad Hom. *Od.* Θ. v. 163. pag. 299. l. 29. Homer. l. c. calls him *Φορτου μνημών*—and *γραμματεὺς*, Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 623. Scheffer, p. 310.

(11) *Στολαρχος*—The commander of the troops. Hesych. *Στολαρχῆς*.

(12) Navarchus—The principal land-officer on board a ship. Xenoph. Hist. Græc. II. p. 354. l. 13. and V. p. 426. l. 17.

(13) The officer next to the navarchus.

(14) The chief military officer on board a triremis. Hesych. at this word. The Atheni-

ans likewise gave this title to those who fitted out ships of war at their own expence. Ulpian. ad Orat. in Lepinem. p. 128. B. Schol. Aristoph. ad Equ. v. 908. See Pollux, I. 9. Segm. 119.

## PART IV.

## Of the PRIVATE LIFE of the GREEKS.

## CHAPTER I.

## OF MARRIAGE.

I. **I**N the different states of Greece marriage was (1) honoured, and authorised by (2) law. He who was averse from marriage, brought (3) discredit upon himself, and in some communities was even (4) punished.

II. But in the times of barbarism, before the institution of laws, the conjunction of the sexes was (5) promiscuous.

III. Cecrops was the first who subjected the Athenians to matrimonial obligations, and enjoined that each of them should (6) inviolably possess his own wife.

IV. But

IV. But the matrimonial laws were afterwards improved, and the Athenians were no longer permitted to intermarry with (7, 8) strangers.

V. An age at which to marry was fixed for the one sex and for the (9) other.

VI. (10) Polygamy was prohibited, except in particular and urgent (11) cases.

VII. A son and daughter of the same mother were prohibited from marrying; but this prohibition did not extend to a son and daughter of the same (12) father.

VIII. Marriages were not contracted without the consent of the (13) parents.

IX. To give a young woman in marriage, is in Greek, (14) *εγγυᾶν*, (15) *διεγγυᾶν*, (16) *κατεγγυᾶν*, (17) *διδοναι*—(18) *ἀρμολῆεν*; and in Latin, Dare, despondere.

X. The betrothed man gave to the betrothed woman as a pledge of his honour and love, a present named (20) *ἀρρα*, (21) *ἀρραβων*—(22) *εδνον*.

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XI. The affianced woman on her part gave a dowry, termed (23) Προίξ, and (24) Φερνή, which was returned to her in case of a (25) divorce.

XII. But Solon struck off dowries. By his regulation the woman was only to bring three suits of cloaths, and some furniture of little (26) value.—But he enjoined the nearest relations of orphans to give them fortunes, if they did not (27) marry them.

#### NOTES to CHAP. I.

(1) Γαμος τιμιος—Paul. Epist. ad Heb. xiii. 4. It is very easy to prove that the Greeks honoured marriage. They acknowledged the necessity of it, and it's sacredness. Plutarch. in Amator. p. 750. Aristot. Œconom. III. and VII. They had established punishments for bachelors, as we shall soon see: and that they had deities that presided over marriage is well known. Plutarch. in Αἰτιοῖς—Qu. 2. Suidas at the word, τελεία. Thucyd. II. 15. and Schol.

(2) The law, for instance, prohibited the Athenians from marrying women of another state;  
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it forbade relations to a certain degree to marry. And there were other regulations relating to marriage, of which we shall presently treat. Hence the expression, *a lawful wife*—*γυνή ἢ νόμιμη γυναίκα ἀνδρός*. Ælian. V. H. X. 2.

(3) See Suacid. XXXVI. 28.

(4) See, on the punishments enacted by the Athenians for bachelors, Dinarch. contr. Demosth. p. 41. and on those inflicted on them by the Lacedæmonians—Plutarch. in Lac. Apophtheg. p. 227. E. Athen. XIII. 1. p. 555. D. Pollux, III. 4. Segm. 48.

(5) Athen. XIII. 1. p. 555. D. Lucret. V. 960. Horace, Sat. I. 3. v. 109.

(6) Athen. XIII. 1. Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 773. Some authors assert that for this reason the epithet *διφυής* was given to Cecrops.

(7) Demosth. in Nær. p. 519. C.

(8) Demosth. l. c. and 524. C.

(9) For the Lacedæmonians, see Xenoph. de Lacedæm. Rep. p. 534. l. 44. and for the Athenians, see Censorin, de Die Natal. c. XIV. Aristot. Polit. VII. 16. Hesiod. Epy. v. 695.

(10) Cecrops had prohibited it by a law. Athen. XIII. 1. p. 555. D. Herodot. V. p. 334. says that Anaxandrides had two wives, in which he directly violated the custom of the Spartans.

(11) Viz. when the citizens were few. Athen. XIII. 1. p. 556. A.—or when the state was exhausted of men. Diog. Laert. II. 26. and Suid. at the word, *Λευανδροειν*. Some authors tell us that even Socrates took two wives to set an example of recruiting the state. The example of Euripides is another proof that polygamy was, in some cases, allowed. Gell. XV. 20.

(12) Corn. Nepos. in Præfat. and Cimon. c. 1, Schol. Aristoph. ad Nub. v. 1375.

(13) Hom. *Il.* T. v. 291. *Od.* Z. 286. Musæus, v. 179. Ovid. *Met.* IV. 60. See, on marriages contracted without the consent of parents, Pric. ad Apul. Miles. VI. p. 304. and Grotius ad Matth. xxviii. 30.

(14) Demosth. in Neær. p. 528. Ælian. V. H. VI. 4.

(15) Pollux, III. c. 4. Segm. 34.

(16) Euripid. *Orest.* v. 1675.

(17) Hom. *Il.* T. v. 291. Demosth. in Neær, p. 528. A.

(18) Eurip. *Electr.* 24. See 2 Cor. xi. 2.

(19) Terence, *Andr.* I. 1. 74. Plaut. *Aulul.* II. 2. 28.

(20) Arrha, and Arrhabo, are two Hebrew words, which, however, were used by the Latins and the Greeks. See Gell. XVII. 2. Genes. xxxviii. 17. Prov. xvii. 19. 1 Sam. xvii. 18.

(21) Menand. Fragm. ex Incert. Com. N. 253. p. 274. Isæus Orat. VII. de Cir. Heredit. p. 513. Plaut. Mil. Glorios. IV. 1. 11. 2 Cor. v. 5. Ephes. i. 14.

(22) Hom. Il. II. v. 190. Od. Z. v. 159. The word *Μνησποι* was likewise used in this sense. See Heyfch. at this word, and Periz. ad Ælian. IV. 1.

(23) Isæus. Orat. II. de Hered. Pyrrh. p. 374.

(24) Heyfch. at the words, *Φερον*, and *Εδνα*.

(25) Demosth. in Neær. p. 524. C.

(26) Plutarch. in Solon. p. 89. D. See Meurf. Them. Attic. I. 14. p. 38.

(28) Diod. Sic. XII. 18. p. 83. D. Meurf. l. c. 13. 35.

## CHAP.



## C H A P. II.

## The MARRIAGE-CEREMONIES.

I. **T**HE bridegroom conducted his bride to his house in pomp. This was termed, (1) *Αγειν*, or (2) *Αγεσθαι γυναικα; subaudi*, (3) *Εις οικιαν*.

II. They were generally conveyed in a (4) car: their friends who accompanied them were called, (5) *Παρανυμφαι*—and—(6) *Παροχοι*.

III. Players on the flute and lyre, and others carrying (7) flambeaux walked before them.

IV. The songs which were sung in this procession were called, (8) *Ἀρματειον μελος*.

V. When they arrived at the bridegroom's house, the marriage began, and was accompanied with (9) dances.

VI. There was a solemn feast which was likewise termed (10) *Γαμος*.

VII.

VII. But before the nuptial repast, sacrifices were offered, called (11) Πρωτελεια—and—(12) Προγαμεια—when *they* were over, they sat down to table.

VIII. None were admitted to this feast, who had not bathed, and changed their (13) cloaths.

IX. The cloaths of the bridegroom and bride were of different (14) colours.

X. They were likewise crowned with wreaths of aromatic herbs and (15) flowers.

XI. The bridegroom's house was ornamented for the (16) occasion.

XII. A pebble was tied to the (17) door; and a sieve was carried by a (18) girl. The bride carried an earthen vase full of barley, which was called in Greek—(19) Φρυγετρον.

XIII. At Athens, during the nuptial feast, a boy entered, carrying acorns, and a basket with loaves in it, who sung—(20) Εφυγον κακον, ευρον αμεινον—I quitted what was bad; I found what was better.

XIV.

XIV. After the feast the new-married couple were conducted to the nuptial chamber, termed in Greek, (21) *Δωμα*, (22) *Κουριδιον δωμα*—(23) *Δωματιον*—(24) *Θαλαμος*—(25) *Πασας*—in which was the marriage-bed—(26) *Λεχος κουριδιον*—(27) *Νυμφιδιον*, (28) *Γαμικον*.

XV. The bridegroom and bride, after they had entered the nuptial chamber, were obliged, by an injunction of Solon, to eat a (29) quince betwixt them.

XVI. They might be separated when they were even in the nuptial chamber; for instance, if a raven croaked on the top of the (30) house.

XVII. It was customary for the bride, before she went to bed, to wash, at least her feet, with warm (31) water.

XVIII. The bridegroom then untied, and took off her (32) girdle.

## NOTES

NOTES to CHAP. II.

(1) A word rarely used in this sense. See Kuster. de Verbis Mediis. Homer uses the word, *Αναγειν*, to which he adds, *Δομονδε*. *Οδ. Γ. v. 272.*

(2) Hom. *Οδ. Ζ. v. 159.* says—*Οικονδ' αγεισθαι*. But we find in Ælian, without the addition of *Οικονδε*, *αγεισθαι γαμητην*. *V. H. XIII. 13.* and *Αγεισθαι γυναικα*—*XIII. 10.*

(3) Hesiod. *Εργ. v. 695.*

(4) Hesiod. Suet. *Herc. v. 273.* Suidas, at the words, *Ζευγος ημισιονικον*.

(5) In Latin—*Pronubus*—*Ο συναπαγων τω νυμφιω την νυμφην*—*Qui cum sponso sponfam abducit.* Eustath. *ad Ιλ. Ζ. p. 516. l. 48.*

(6) Pollux, *III. 3. Segm. 40.* Suidas, *l. c.*

(7) Hom. *Ιλ. Σ. v. 491.* Hesiod. Suet. *v. 275.* Terence, *Adelph. V. 7. 9.* Mus. *v. 275.*

(8) Suid. and Hesych. Eustath. *Ιλ. X. p. 1380. l. 5.*

(9) Hom. *Ιλ. Σ. v. 493.* *Οδ. Δ. v. 18.* and *Ψ. 145.* Hesiod. Suet. *274.* Pollux, *III. 3. Segm. 37.—*

(10) Hom. *Οδ. Δ. v. 3.* *Ιλ. Τ. v. 299.* Pollux, *III. 3. Segm. 44.* *Interpr. ad Matth. xxii. 2.*

(11) Eurip. *Iphig. in Aul. v. 718.* Hesych. at this word. *Vases ad Harpocrat. p. 164.*

(12) Pollux, *III. 3. Segm. 38.*

(13) Hom.

(13) Hom. Od. Ψ. 131. Z. 27. Aristoph. Av. 1692. Interpr. ad Matth. xxii. 11.

(14) Aristoph. in Plut. v. 530. and Schol. ad h. l. See Kuster. ad h. l.

(15) This wreath is called *Στεφός γαμψίον*. Bion. Idyll. I. Epitaph. Adon. v. 88. See Schol. Aristoph. ad Av. v. 160. Eurip. Iphig. in Aul. 905. Paschal. de Coron. II. 16. 17.

(16) Hierocles, Fragm. *Περί γάμου*. p. 308. Stob. Serm. 186. de Laude Nupt. p. 636. l. 33. Seneca. Thebaid. v. 507.

(17) Pollux, III. 3. Segm. 37.

(18) Pollux, l. c.

(19) Pollux, I. 12. Segm. 246. ad Pauf. Attic. I. p. 5.

(20) Hesych. and Suid. at the words, *Εφύγον κακόν*.

(21) Theocrit. Idyll. XXVII. 36.

(22) Hom. Od. T. v. 580. See Suidas and Harpocration.

(23) Pollux, III. 3. Segm. 43.

(24) Theocrit. Idyll. XXVII. 36. Pollux, l. c. Segm. 37.

(25) Hesych. at this word. Eustath. Ιλ. Γ. pag. 297. l. 43. Musæus. v. 280, uses the word, *Πάρον*.

(26) Aristoph. Pac. v. 844.

(27) *Νυμφαία ευνή*—In Pind. Nem. Od. V. Antistr. B. v. 10. *Κλίση νυμφαία*, Lucian. Herodot. p. 574.

(28) Pollux, III. 3. Segm. 43. Meurs.  
Lect. Attic. II. 9. p. 72.

(29) Plutarch. in Solon. p. 89. C. Conjug.  
Præcept. p. 138. D.

(30) I know not any author by whom this assertion is confirmed.—The reason why the croaking of the raven dissolved the marriage must have been—either—because, that bird was odious to Minerva the protectress of the city, as we are told by mythology—Antigon. Hist. Mirabi. XII. Ovid. Met. II. 551. Hygin. Fab. 166. or because the raven was one of the infernal birds. Plin. X. 12. or because the raven is an enemy to other birds. Sen. ad Eclog. IX. 15. Broukhuf. ad Tibull. II. 2. 21. or—because the cry of a solitary raven is a presage of widowhood. Hieroglyph. VIII. and Notæ ad h. I. Hadrian. Jun. Animadv. I. 1. Gaulmin. ad Eustath. de Amorib. Ismenizæ et Ismenes. p. 29. Le Clerc ad Hesiod. Epy. v. 746. Ælian. H. A. III. 9.

(31) Aristoph. Pac. v. 843. and the authors cited by Lambert. Bos. ad Eph. V. 25.

(32) In Greek—*Λυσαι ζωνην*, or *μιτραν παρθενικην*. In Latin—Solvere zonam, revincire zonam. Homer. H. in Vener. 155. Theocrit. Idyl. XXVII. 54. Ovid. Hesiod. II. 115. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Jov. v. 21. and J. Schrader ad Musæ. v. 272. p. 341.

CHAP.

## C H A P. III.

## O F D I V O R C E S.

I. **I**T was a great dishonour to both the married parties to (1) quit each other.

II. If the husband dismissed the wife, the proper terms were—(2) *Αποπεμπειν*; (3) *Αποπομπη*—(4) *Εκβαλλειν*.

III. The husband was, in this case, obliged by the law, to restore the wife her (5) fortune.

IV. If the wife quitted the husband, the separation was expressed by the words—(6) *Απολειψις*—(7) *Απολειπειν*.

V. There were causes for which the law permitted the wife to leave her husband ; but she was, beforehand, to advertise the archon of her intention, and present him a petition containing an enumeration of her (8) grievances.

## NOTES

NOTES to CHAP. III.

(1) 1° To the wives to separate from their husbands. Eurip. Med. v. 236.—2° To the husbands to put away their wives.—Athen. XIII. 1. p. 555; who relates that at Lacedæmon Lyfander was condemned to pay a heavy fine for having divorced his wife that he might marry a finer woman.

(2) Demosth. in Neær. p. 524. C.

(3) Pollux, III. 3. Segm. 46.

(4) Demosth. in Neær. l. c. Galat. IV. 30. we have also—*Εκπιμπει την γυναικα*. Isæus de Hered. Pyrrh. pag. 388. *Αφισαι γυναικα*. Plutarch. in Cic. p. 875. A. 1 Cor. vii. 11. *Απολυται γυναικα*—Matth. xix. 7. 8.

(5) Demosth. in Neær. p. 524. C.

(6) Plutarch. In Alcibiad. p. 195. C. Pollux, III. 3. Segm. 47.

(7) Isæus de Hered. Pyrrh. p. 386.

(8) Plutarch. In Alcibiad. p. 195. C. Anecd. Orat. IV. contra Alcib. p. 297. Plutarch. l. c. styles this petition, *Γραμματα απολειχως*. We find the legal causes of a divorce in Pollux, III. 3. Segm. 47. and in Plut. in Alcib. l. c.



## C H A P. IV.

## O F A D U L T E R Y.

I. **A**DULTERY is, in Greek, termed, (1) *Mouxeria*. It was a crime common among the (2) Greeks; yet it was strongly guarded against by their legislation, and repressed by fines and punishments.

II. The punishments inflicted on adulterers were not the same in all the states of (3) Greece.

III. It was permitted by a law of Solon to put an adulterer to death, if he was caught, *In flagranti delicto*—In the (4) fact.

IV. It was infamous for a man to live with his wife after she was taken in (5) adultery.

V. At Athens a rich adulterer might commute the ordinary punishment of his  
crime

crime with a sum of money termed; (7) *Μοιχαγρια*.

VI. But a cruel, and mortifying punishment awaited poor people surprized in adultery; it was called, (8) *Ραφανιδωσις*, and (9) *Παρατιλμος*.

NOTES to CHAP. IV.

(1) See Pausan. Bœt. XXXVI. p. 784.

(2) This is evinced by the examples of Thyestes, Ægisthus, Paris, Phoenix, &c. See Senec. Thyest. 680. Hom. Od. A. v. 32. Il. Γ. v. 39. and I. v. 451. But adultery was unknown at Sparta. Plut. Lac. Apophthegm. p. 2. 8; and in Lycurg. p. 49. C.

(3) On the punishment of adultery among the Cretans, consult Ælian. V. H. XII. 12.—Among the Locrians, idem. XIII. 24. Among the Thespians, idem. XI. 6.

(4) Lyfias, *υπερ του Ερατοσθενους Φουου*. pag. 7. Taylor. in Proleg. ad hanc Orat. Plutarch. in Solon. p. 90. F. Meurs. Them. Attic. l. 4. p. 9.

(5) Demosth. in Næar. p. 529. C. Meursius proves that it was lawful for a husband, to treat his wife, if she had been guilty of adultery,

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in the severest manner—to deprive her of her fortune, to sell her, to kill her. Them. Attic.

I. 5. p. 12.

(6) Lys. l. c. p. 6. Schol. Aristoph. Plut. v. 168.

(7) Hom. Od. 9. v. 322. and Eustath. ad h. l. p. 323. l. 2.

(8) Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 168. and Aristoph. Nub. 1079. Suid. at the word *Πε-φανε*.

(9) Schol. Aristoph. l. c. Vossius ad Catull. p. 41.

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## C H A P. V.

OF THE BIRTH AND EDUCATION  
OF CHILDREN.

I. **F**OR the birth of a son the doors of the house were crowned with olive; for the birth of a daughter, with (1) wool.

II. The (2) new-born child was washed in warm water. The vase consecrated to that use was called (3) *Αουτρον*.

III. They likewise anointed it with oil, which was kept in an earthen vessel named, (4) *Χυτρον*—from which word is derived the verb, (5) *χυτλαιναι*.

IV. Wine was used by the Spartans instead of water for this (6) ablution.

V. When it was thus washed it was dressed: the child's cloaths were called, (7) *Σταργωνε*.

VI. It was then laid in a (8) basket, or in a (9) shield if it's father was a warri-

our. The latter custom prevailed most in the military (10) Sparta.

VII. The children whom their parents did not chuse to bring up, were exposed— This was termed, (11) *Εκτιθηναι*.

VIII. In the basket in which the child was exposed they sometimes put a collar, or a ring, or a (13) stone—These were called, *Περιδεραιά*, and, (14) *Γνωρισματα*.

IX. Among the Thebans the exposition of children was prohibited by (15) law.

X. At Lacedæmon, deformed children were thrown into a place termed (16) *Απροθετας*.

XI. At Athens, the names of the children which were brought up, were inscribed, as soon as they were born, in the public (17) registers.

XII. When the infant was five days old, (18) they ran with it in their arms round the fire, and the relations of it's mother sent her presents, which were termed, (19) *Γενεθλιαι δοσεις*.

XIII.

XIII. The child was named ten days after it's (20) birth. A (21) sacrifice was offered on the occasion, which was followed by a (22) feast. These ceremonies were expressed by, (23) Δεκατην θυειν, (24) Αποθυειν—(25) Ἐστιασαι.

XIV. The fortieth day was a day of solemnity for the (26) mother.

XV. It was a very essential duty with the Greeks to bring up their children in their own (27) houses, and to have them nursed by their (28) mothers; the maternal office women of the highest (29) distinction did not decline.

XVI. We read, however, that in some cases nurses were taken into the (30) house.

XVII. (31) Μαια—(32) Τιτθῆ—(33) Τιθνη—(34) Τιθνητετρα, were the names given to nurses. Sometimes they were called, (35) Τροφοι. But there was some (36) difference between the Τιτθαι and the Τροφοι. To suckle is, in Greek, (37) θηλάειν (38) τρέφειν. (39) τρέφειν. (40) τρέφειν. (41) τρέφειν.

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XVIII.

XVIII. In the street, the nurse had a sponge soaked in honey, which she put to the mouth of her child when it (38) cried.

XIX. To compose it to sleep she sung—*Λαλα, βανκαλαν*; and these songs were termed—(39) *Βανκαλησεις*—and—(40) *Νυγμα*.

XX. When these soothing methods failed, the nurse had recourse to the (41) *Manuducum*, (42) *Terriculamentum*, to frighten it into quiet. The figure with which the child was terrified, was, (43) *Μορμολυκτιον*.—To terrify it with that figure, was, (44) *Μορμολυκτιον*.

XXI. To prevent the vices inseparable from idleness, great care was taken to accustom boys and girls betimes to industry.—The tender years of the boys were employed in learning the elements of arts and sciences.

XXII. The girls were closely confined in the (46) house. Little was allowed them to (47) eat, and their (48) waist was straitened

straitened to make it more elegant. They were chiefly employed in working (49) wool; an employment which, of old, was not despised by ladies of the first (50) quality.

XXIII. We read likewise that young ladies of the highest birth were taught music and (51) literature.

XXIV. If the fathers of boys were rich, or persons of distinction, they had private masters for them, (52) Παιδαγωγοί, or (53) Παιδοποιῆται.—to form them to the fine arts.

XXV. The education of the Greeks (the (54) Lacedæmonians excepted) consisted of three principal parts—viz. Letters, the Gymnastic Exercises, and (55) Music. Some authors add (56) Painting.

XXVI. We have already inquired into the Gymnastic Exercises in the first part, *On the Games of the Greeks*. We must now give a concise account of the three other branches of Grecian education.

## NOTES



## NOTES to CHAP. V.

(1) Hesych. at the words, *Στεφανον εκφερειν*, and Meurf. Lect. Attic. I. 10. Paschal, de Coron. V. 15. p. 334.

(2) Callim. H. in Jov. 17. and Interpr, Meurf. ad Lycoph. v. 332.

(3) In Latin, Labrum, Isid. Hispal. Orig. XX. 6. *Λουτρον* has a more extensive signification, Yet it is used in this sense by Euripides, Jon. 1493.

(4) Bartholin. de Puerp. Vet. p. 65.

(5) *Απολουσασθαι*—Spanh. ad Callim. H. in Jov. 17. 2. *Μετα ελαιου λουσασθαι*—Hesych. and Suid. at the word. Schol. Min. ad Hom. Od. z. v. 80. Eustath. ad h. l. p. 248. l. 24.

(6) Plutarch. in Lycurg. p. 49. E.

(7) Hom. H. in Mercur. v. 268. Plutarch, in Lycurg. p. 49. E. Herodian. I. 5. Callim. H. in Jov. v. 33. and Interpr. ad h. l.

(8) Callim. H. in Jov. v. 48. and Interpr. Lennep. ad Coluth. p. 67.

(9) Theocr. Idyll. XXIV. v. 4.

(10) Nonnus in Dionys. XLI. 168.

(11) Euripid. Phæniss. v. 25. Aristoph. in Nub. v. 531. Aristoph. Ran. v. 1221.

(12) Terence. Eunuch. IV. 6. 15. Eurip. Ion. 19. 32. 1337.

(13) A-

(13) Aristot. Poetic. c. XVI. Eurip. Ion. v. 1431. calls them, *Δεραία*.

(14) Pausan. Attic. c. XXVII, p. 66. Heliodor. Æthiop. IV. p. 178.

(15) Ælian. V. H. c. II, 7.

(16) Plutarch. in Lycurg. p. 49. D. Aristot. Polit. VII. 16.

(17) Isæus, Orat. VI. de Apollod. Herod. p. 486. Suidas, and Harpocrat. at the words, *Κοινου γραμματείου*. But were the children registered immediately after their birth, or at the age of one year, two, three years, &c. This uncertainty is not removed by Potter, Archæol. I. 9. p. 45. But the scholiast of Lucian asserts that they were registered immediately after they were born, T. II. p. 11.

(18) Hesych. at the words, *Δρομιαφισον ήμαρ*.—And Meurf. Græc. Fer. I. 20.

(19) Hesych. at the word *Αμφιδρομία*. and Suidas. Æschyl. in Eumenid. v. 7. and Stanl. ad h. l.

(20) Eurip. in Fragm. Ægei. v. 14. and Barnes. ad Eurip. Electr. v. 126.—Seven days according to others. See Harpocrat. at the word, *Εβδομηρομένου*.

(21) Euripides, Electr. v. 1126.

(22) Aristoph. Av. v. 494. and Schol.

(23) Aristoph. Av. v. 923.

(24) An:

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(24) Another expression was—Ποισῆαι δάκτυλ  
Demosth. adv. Bœot. p. 638. C.

(25) Suidas, at the words, Δάκτυλ ἑταῖροι.

(26) Cenforin. De Die Nat. XI. p. 50. See  
Barthol. de Puerp. Vet. p. 139.

(27) Hom. Ιλ. Π. v. 191. Οδ. Ζ, v. 201.  
Plaut. Bacchid. III. 3. 18.

(28) Euripid. Ion. v. 1360.

(29) Hecuba, in Homer. Ιλ. X. v. 83. Pe-  
nelope. Οδ. Α. v. 447. See Feith. Antiq.  
Hom. II. 18.

(30) Euryclea, is, in Homer, the nurse of  
Ulysses. Οδ. γ. v. 482. Nausicaa is likewise  
mentioned, Οδ. Η. v. 12. See Gell. Noct. At-  
tic. XII. 1.

(31) Homer. Οδ. Τ. v. 482.

(32) Aristoph. Equit. v. 713. and Schol.

(33) Hom. Ιλ. Ζ. v. 389. Eustath. p. 513.  
l. 10. 34. Suidas, at the word, Τίθμας. But  
Kuster's reading is different.

(35) Plutarch. de Puer. Educ. c. V. uses these  
words together, Τίθμας, and Τροφοί.

(36) See Eustath. ad Ιλ. Ζ. p. 513. l. 14.

(37) Lyllias, Orat. I. pro Cœde Eratōs, p. 3.  
Ælian. V. H. XIII. 1.

(38) Hesych. at the words, Κνηῶν βύρανα.  
Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Jov. v. 49.

(39) Sca-

(39) Scalig. Lect. Aufon. II. II. p. 117. Hesych. at the word Βαυκαλαῖν. Athen. XIV. 3. p. 618. F.

(40) Hesych. at the word, Νομισιον. Casaubon, ad Theophr. Charact. Eth. c. VIII. p. 231.

(41) Plaut. Rud. II. 6. 51. Festus, at the word, Manducus.

(42) Terriculamenta, and Terricula, are in Latin synonymous words, and signify figures with which they frightened children.

(43) Aristoph. Thesmoph. v. 424. There is likewise, in the same sense, the word, Μορμολυκη. Strabo, I. p. 13. l. 32. and ad h. l. Casaub. p. 12. and by abbreviation, Μορμω. Aristoph. Acharn. v. 582. Lucian in Philopseud. p. 328. We have an entertaining account of the manner in which the Hebrews, Greeks, and Romans frightened their children, in Ittagerus.—In Programme de Manducis.

(44) Hesych. at this word. Aristoph. Av. v. 1245.

(45) This we see by the law of Solon. Plutarch in Solon. p. 90. C. D. and by the Attic laws. Lib. I. tit. 4. There were publick schools for children of each sex. Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. III. 21. See, on the necessity of education, Socrates in Xenophon. Memorab. IV. 1. 2. and, against an effeminate education—

Thean. in Frag. Pythag. in Opusc. Mythol. Th. Gall. p. 740.

(46) Cornel. Nepos, in Præfat. Homer lodges the women in the highest story of the houses. Oð. O. v. 516. and Iλ. B. v. 514. Phocyl. v. 198. Euripides, Iphig. in Aulid. v. 738. Phæ-nifr. 88.

(47) Terence. Eunuch. II. 3. 23. Xenophon de Rep. Lacedæm. p. 537. l. 20.

(48) Terence. Ibid. v. 22.

(49) Eustath. ad Iλ. A. p. 23. l. 43. Xenoph. l. c. p. 534. l. 27.

(50) Penelope, for instance—Hom. Oð. P. v. 97. Ovid. Heroïd. I. v. 77. and the wife of Leontius, one of the Theban generals. Xenoph. Hellen. V. p. 443. l. 27.

(51) The Spartan girls studied musick. Plutarch. In Lycurg. p. 47. F. and 48. A. Corinna the Theban excelled in poetry. Pausanias, Bœot. c. XXII. p. 753. Ælian: V. H. XIII. 25. and Perizon. Aspasia gave Socrates lessons in eloquence—Athen. V. 19. p. 219. C.

(52) Thus, Phenix was tutor to Achilles. Plutarch. de Puer. Educat. c. VII. Hom. Iλ. A. v. 831. Thus, Atlas is said to have been præceptor to Hercules. Auson. Idyll. IV. v. 21. Theocrit. Idyll. XXIV. v. 103. See Feith. Antiq. Homer. II. 18. § 3. p. 251. Consult,

on the difference between *Διδασκαλος* and *Παιδαγωγος*, Wower. Polymath. IV. § 19.

(53) Aristoph. Nub. 969. The business of the *Παιδοτριβας* was only to exercise the bodies of their scholars. Æschin, Timarch. p. 172. A. See Casaub. Theophr. Charact. VIII. Περὶ λαλίας. Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. II. 8. and p. 982. Zeibich. Athleta. Παραδοξος, p. 165.

(54) Aristot. Polit. c. VIII. 4. Ælian. V. H. XII. 50. and Perizon.

(55) Terence. Eunuch. III. 2. 23.

(56) Aristot. c. VIII. 3. Plutarch. de Musica p. 1140. B. Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. 7. 15.

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## CHAPTER VI.

## OF LETTERS.

I. **B**Y letters, Γραμματα, we are to understand, Γραμματικη, which in it's early state comprehended only (1) reading, and writing. This science was afterwards greatly extended, and took in (2) history, poetry, &c.

II. Young men of easy fortunes also studied philosophy. There were Gymnasia, and publick schools for the (4) purpose. The principal schools at Athens, were, the (5) Academy, the (6) Lycæum, and the (7) Κυριαρχεις. There were schools founded at other (8) places.

## NOTES to CHAPTER VI.

(1) Arist. Polit. c. VIII. 3. Topic. c. VI. 3. Sext. Empir. adv. Gramm. I. 2.

(2) Grammar is taken in this extent by Cicero, de Orat. I. 42. Seneca, Ep. LXXXVIII. Quintil.

Quintil. I. 14. Sext. Empir. adv. Grammat. I. 1. See Mauffac. Differt. Crit. at the end of Harpocrat. p. 329. Burmann. ad Vales. de Crit. I. 1. p. 244.

(3) Terence. Andr. I. 1. v. 30. See Leg. Att. Lib. I. Tit. 4.

(4) The Gymnasia were properly intended for bodily exercises. See, on the public schools of the ancients, Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. III. 21.

(5) Ælian. V. H. IV. 9. Menage ad Laert. III. 7. p. 141.

(6) Ælian. V. H. IX. 20. and 29. Menag. ad Laert. V. 2. pag. 186. Cicero mentions the academy, and the lyceum: De Divin. I. 13. See Acad. Quæst. I. 17.

(7) This was the school of Antisthenes, according to Hesych. Miles. and Diog. Laert. VI. 13. and of Aristø the Chian. Diog. Laert. VII. 161. Paus. Attic. c. XIX. p. 44.

(8) For instance that at Corinth called, Κρασιον. Lucian, Dial. Mort. p. 262. Laert. VI. 77. There was a Gymnasium in the Isle of Rhodes. Cic. Tusc. Quæst. II. 61. Suet. Tiber.



## C H A P. VII.

## O F M U S I C K.

I. **T**HE word, *Μουσική*, Music, is derived, according to some authors, from the nine (1) Muses; and according to others, from the Hebrew word, (2) *Mofar*, which signifies art, science.

II. The Greeks give the invention of music to (3) Pythagoras; but they are (4) mistaken. The scriptures leave us no room to doubt that (5) Jubal was the inventor of the flute and the harp.

III. There were seven musical notes which were consecrated to the seven planets. 1° *Ἰπάρη*, to the Moon: 2° *Παρυπαρή*, to Jupiter: 3° *Λιχάρος*, to Mercury: 4° *Μισση*, to the Sun: 5° *Παραμυση*, to Mars: 6° *Τριτη*, to Venus: 7° *Νητη*, to (6) Saturn.

IV. The tone, or mode, whether grave or acute, in which the musicians sung, or played, was termed in Greek (7) *Νομος*.

V. There

V. There were four modes; the Phrygian, the Lydian, the Doric, and the (8) Ionic. Some authors add a fifth, viz. the (9) Æolic. These are the characters of the five modes—The Phrygian mode was religious,—the Lydian, plaintive,—the Doric, martial—the Ionic, gay and flowery—the (10) Æolic, simple. The mode with which the soldiers was animated, was likewise termed, (11) *Ορθιος*.

VI. In later times the term *Ναμος* was applied to the words which were sung in these (12) modes.

VII. Their music was vocal, or (13) instrumental.

VIII. Musical instruments are divided into wind-instruments, *Εμπνευσα*, or stringed instruments, (14) *Εντατα*.

IX. The three principal of the ancient instruments were, the lyre, the flute, and the (15) pipe.

## NOTES to CHAP. VII.

(1) Isidor. Hispal. Orig. II. c. XIV.

(2) Vossius de Idolol. I. 13. we have other etymologies in Phurnut. De Natur. Deor. c. XIV. Le Clerc, ad Hesiod. Theog. v. 52. derives it from the Hebrew *Motfa*, Inventrix.

(3) Isidorus says the Greeks were of this opinion—Hispal. Orig. II. 15. we find in Jamblichus how this philosopher invented music. De Vita Pythag. c. XXVI. See Nicom. Arithmet. p. 171. Macrobi. In Somn. Scip. II. 1. Holsten. ad Porphyri. p. 7.

(4) It is not probable that the Greeks thought Pythagoras the author of music. They knew that men who lived before Pythagoras, if they did not invent the art, applied themselves to it.—Amphion, for instance, Linus, and others mentioned by Plutarch. De Music. p. 1131. F. and p. 1132. A. B. The Greeks then must have only meant that Pythagoras improved music, and, perhaps, reduced it to a system. See Vossius de Scient. Mathem. c. XX. § 2. on the state of music at the time of the Trojan war. See Feith. Antiq. Homer. IV. 4.

(5) Genes. iv. 21.

(6) Nicomach. Harmon. cited by Meibomius. Antiq. Music. Auctor. p. 33. See Aristot. Probl.

**Probl. sect. 19.** Philand. ad Vitruv. V. 4. p. 214. and Vossius, de Scient. Mathem. c. XX. § 3. p. 85.

(7) Thucyd. V. 70. Aristoph. Equ. 9. Aristotle inquires why it was so termed, Probl. XIX. n. 28. and Plutarch, de Music. p. 1133. B. according to Aristotle, *Νομοὶ καλοῦνται οἱ μουσικοὶ τροποὶ καθ' οὓς τινὰς ἀδομεν.* See Suid. at the words, *Νομοὶ κιθαρωδικοὶ*

(8) This is Lucian's enumeration, Harmon. pag. 585. See Aristot. Polit. IV. 3. Athen. XIV. 5. p. 624. Aristoxen. p. 37. Euclid. p. 19. Bacchius, p. 12. on the inventors of these modes. See Plin. VII. 56.

(9) Bourdelot ad Lucian. l. c.

(10) We find these characters of the five modes in Apuleius, Florid. p. 342. and Lucian, l. c. See Aristot. Polit. VIII. 5. 7. Observat. Miscell. VII. p. 309.

(11) Hom. I. A. v. 10. Eustath. p. 758. l. 7. See Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 16. Herodot. de Arion, p. 10. B. and Gell. XVI. 19. Suid. at the word, *Ὀρβιασμάτων.* These modes are termed by Pliny, Phthongi, II. 22. and Moduli, VII. 56.

(12) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equit. v. 9. Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Del. v. 304. p. 509.

(13) Hence the following definition of music.  
 —Τεχνη θεωρητικη και πρακτικη τελειου μελους και οργανικου—Ars contemplativa et practica perfecti cantus et organici. Aristid. Quintil. I. p. 6. See Aristot. Polit. VIII. 5. To sing, without being accompanied by an instrument, was, in Latin, *Afsá voce canere*. They likewise called the flutes which were played upon without the voice, *Afsas tibias*. See Dacier, ad Fest. at the word *Afsa*. Pliny informs us who was the first man that played on the lyre without singing to it, and who it was that first accompanied that instrument with the voice, VII. 56.

(14) Pollux, IV. 8. Segm. 58. Aristid. Quintilian also (pag. 101.) distinguishes the *Οργανα εμπνευσα*, and—*κατακεινομενα*; the latter of which he likewise calls—*Οργανα δια νευρων ηρμοσμενα*, p. 107; and *Νευροδετα*, p. 110.

(15) Aristotle counts more; Polit. VIII. 6. So does Pollux, IV. 9. Segm. 59. But according to Plutarch these are the three principal instruments. De Music. p. 1136.

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## C H A P. VIII.

## Of the C I T H A R A.

I. **T**HE cithara was the most famous of the stringed instruments. The Greeks called it, (1) *Κιθαρα*, and (2) *Φορμιγξ*.

II. To it they sung the (3) exploits of heroes, and (4) love.

III. The strings were, at first, of (5) linen-thread; afterwards of (6) catgut.

IV. The strings were at first three; whence it was termed, (7) *Τριχορδος*: but it was afterwards improved, and had seven strings; it then had the epithets—(8) *Ἑπταχορδος*—(9) *Ἑπταφθογγος*—(10) *Ἑπταγλωσσος*.

V. The strings were touched either with a (11) bow, or with the (12) fingers. To touch the cithara was expressed in Greek by (13) *Κιθαρίζειν*, (14) *Κρουειν πληκτρῶ*—

- (15) Διωκειν—(16) Δακτυλοις κρουειν—and  
 (17) Ψαλλειν.

## NOTES to CHAP. VIII.

(1) Apollo was thought to have been the inventor of this instrument; Bion. Idyll. III. 7. Hence that God is represented in antiques with a cithara in his hand. See Periz. ad Ælian. V. H. III. 32. And hence he has the title, Φορμικτης. Aristoph. Ran. v. 234. We may add, that in ancient times, kings and heroes learned to play upon the cithara: Hercules, and Alexander, for instance. Ælian. V. H. III. 32.

(2) Κιθαρα, and Φορμιγξ were words for the same instrument. Eustath. ad Il. A. p. 1222. l. 38. He supports his assertion by a passage of Homer, Il. Σ. v. 569. Feithius, in Antiq. Homer thinks the cithara and the lyre the same instrument. And, amongst other authorities, he has a passage of Aristophanes to strengthen his conjecture. Nub. 1358. But he is opposed by Periz. ad Ælian. III. 32. The difference of the two instruments is differently explained. Some critics tell us that the lyre had always a hollow to make it sound; instead of which, there were  
 two

two bars for the strings of the cithara, which went across, the one on the upper, and the other on the lower part of the instrument. They add, that at its two sides it had no handles. These are the principal distinctions between the lyre and the cithara. But the reader will find more in Blanchin—*Dissertat. De tribus Generibus Musicæ veterum Organicæ, c. II. § 10. p. 29. Rom. 1742.*

(3) Achilles, for instance. *Hom. Il. I. v. 186.* Virgil. *Æneid. I. 744.* Hence the title of, *Μητιρη ὑμνων*—which Aristophanes gives the cithara. *Theismoph. v. 130.*

(4) Demodocus, for instance. *Hom. Od. Θ. v. 266.* *Anacr. Od. I.*

(5) Eustath. *ad Homer. Il. O. v. 570. pag. 1222. l. 52.*

(6) *Homer. Od. Φ. v. 408.*

(7) Stephens, at the word *Asia*, says, the cithara with three strings was invented at Asia, a city of Lydia. Hence it is called *Asias* by Aristoph. *Theismoph. v. 126.* See *Plutarch. de Music. p. 1137. A.*

(8) *Plutarch. de Music. p. 1144. F. Macrob. Saturn. I. 19. Hom. H. in Mercur. v. 51.*

(9) *Eurip.*

(10) *Pind. Nem. Od. V. Str. B. v. 10.*

(11) *Pin-*



(11) Pindar. Nem. Od. V. Str. B. v. 11. Homer. H. in Mercur. v. 419. Ælian. V. H. III. 32. where Perizonius describes the figure of the bow.

(12) Athen. IV. pag. 183. D. and XIV. 9. p. 637. D. Virg. Æneid. VI. 645.

(13) Plutarch. Apophth. Lacon. p. 233. F. Aristot. Polit. I. 4.

(14) Anthol. IV. 16. p. 4.

(15) Pind. Nem. Od. V. Stroph. B. v. 11.

(16) Psalm lxxxi. v. 3.

(17) Athen. IV. 25. p. 183. D. See Schol. Aristoph. ad Av. 218.

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## C H A P. IX.

## Of the FLUTE and the PIPE.

I. **T**HE flute, in Greek, *Αυλος*, was a (1) famous instrument which they used on their (2) festivals, and at their sacrifices; at their (3) games, and (4) entertainments; at their (5) funerals, and other occasions of mourning.

II. (6) Jubal was the inventor of the flute. According to the tradition of the Greeks, it was invented by Hyagnis, a (7) Phrygian. He lived in the time of Josua.

III. The flutes were generally made of the bone of stags, or (8) mules; whence they were termed (9) *Νεβρηιοι αυλοι*. The (10) Thebans, it is said, were the first who made flutes of that substance. They were likewise made of the bone of—(11) asses, of, (12) elephants; sometimes they were of (13) reed, or (14) box.

IV. The

IV. The pipe, in Greek called, *Συριγγή*, differed greatly, in sound, from the flute. —The tone of the former was meagre, and sharp; whence it had the epithet, (15) *Λιπταλία*: that of the latter was grave, full, and mellow; therefore, it was termed, (16) *Βαρύερος*.

V. Music had a very strong influence on the Greeks; on their (17) bodies as well as their minds. We are told that it cured some of their (18) maladies.

VI. Music was a capital part of the Grecian (19) education.

#### NOTES to CHAP. IX.

(1) Minerva was the inventress of the straight, and Pan was the inventor of the oblique flute. Bion. Idyll. III. 7. The invention of them is ascribed to others by other authors. See Spanheim. ad Callim. H. in Dian. v. 245. The most famous players on the flute were Timotheus, Ismenias, Marsyas, and Olympus. Lucian. adv. Indoctum. p. 381.

(2) See

(2) See Spanheim. ad Callim. l. c. Such at the word *Αυλητης*. Ovid. Fast. VI. 659. This is accounted for by Phiny, XXVIII. 2.

(3) Aristoph. Pac. v. 530. Interpr. Terent. in Didasc. Andriae. Horat. Epist. II. 1. v. 98. Athen. XIV. 2. p. 617. B.

(4) At the marriage-feast, for instance. Terent. Adelph. V. 7. v. 6. See Broukhus ad Tibull. II. 1. v. 86. Athen. XV. 1. p. 663. E.

(5) *Ælian*. V. H. XII. 43. Perizon. ad h. l. n. 7. Plutarch. de Music. p. 1136. C. and the authors cited by Wolf. ad Matth. ix. 23.

(6) Genes. iv. 21.

(7) Oxford Marbles—Epoch. XIX. Plut. de Music. p. 1135. E. Athen. XIV. 5. p. 624. B. Anthol. l. c. 11.

(8) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 865.

(9) Antipat. Anthol. IV. 28. Epigr. 13.

(10) Athen. IV. p. 182. E. Pollux, IV. 10. Segm. 74.

(11) Plutarch. in Corniv. p. 150. E.

(12) Athen. IV. p. 182. E. Propert. IV. 6. v. 8.

(13) Athen. l. c. D.

(14) Pollux, IV. 10. Segm. 74.

(15) Callim. H. in Dian. v. 243. Spanheim. ad h. l. p. 293. Ovid. Met. I. 708. Leaneep. ad Coluth. p. 72. Obs. Misc. II. p. 94.

(16) Aristoph. Nub. 312. Eurip. Helen. 1367.

(17) Athen. XIV. 5. 6. p. 626. Idem, p. 625. F. Plutarch. Conjug. Præcept. p. 143. C. and de Mufic. p. 1140. B. Ælian. V. H. XIV. 23. Many other authors assert the fame. See Aristot. Polit. VIII. 5.

(18) Jamblich. In vitâ Pythag. c. XV. p. 50. c. XXV. p. 92. Athen. XIV. 5. p. 624. A. Gell. IV. 13.

(19) Ælian. V. H. VII. 15. Periz. ad h. l. Plutarch. De Mufic. p. 1140. B. Athen. XIV. p. 626. B.

**CHAP,**

## C H A P. X.

## OF PAINTING.

I. **P**AINTING was sometimes a part of (1) Grecian education. This art was termed *Γραφικη*, from the verb *Γραφειν*, which, amongst its other meanings, signifies, to paint, (2) *pingere*. Painting was likewise called—(3) *Ζωγραφια*.

II. The art was so imperfect in its origin, that the first painters were obliged to write at the bottom of their pictures the names of the objects which they had attempted to (4) represent.

III. (5) One colour was only used at first; at length they used (6) five; and afterwards, (7) many.

IV. The Greeks, it is probable, learned this art of the (8) Egyptians.

V. The instruments and materials used in painting were—(9) *Ομοειδης* and *Καλυειδης*—The easel—*Πινακεις* and *Πινακια*—The canvas

canvas—(11) *Ληκυθοι*—little boxes in which the painters kept their colours—*Κηρος—Χρωματα—Φαρμακα—Αυθη*—The wax—the unprepared colours,—the prepared colours—(12) the flowers—*Γραφισ*, and *Υπογραφισ*—(13) the style,—and the pencil.

VI. The outlines (or the sketch) were called, *Υποτυπωσις*—*Υπογραφη Εικα*—and, (14) *Σκιαγραφια*. The finished picture was termed—(15) *Εκων*.

VII. Painting was, from its origin, classed with the (16) liberal arts; and grew so much into esteem, that it became at length an essential accomplishment of a polite (17) gentleman.

### NOTES to CHAP. X.

(1) *Aristot. Pol. VIII. 3.*

(2) This is proved by Xenophon's definition of painting. *Memorab. III. 10. § 1.* See *Euseb. ad. l. Γ. p. 315. l. 39.*

(3) *Plutarch. De Audiend. Poet. p. 17. F.*

(4) *Aristot.*

(4) Aristot. Topic. VI. 2. Ælian. V. H. VIII. 8. and X. 10.

(5) Pliny—c. XXXV. 3. terms painting in that rude state Monochromaton—which Quintilian translates—Color simplex. XII. 10. § 3.

(6) Philostrat. Apollon. II. 22. p. 75. Cic. Brut. c. XVIII. n. 70.

(7) Isidor. Hispal.—Orig. XVI. 17. enumerates them to ten.

(8) Pliny, XXXV. 3.—Of the first painters. Athenag. *Απολογία*. p. 123.

(9) Pollux, VII. 28. S. 129.

(10) Pollux. Ibid. S. 128.

(11) Cicero ad Attic. I. 14.

(12) Pollux, VII. 28. Segm. 128.

(13) Pollux, l. c.

(14) Pollux, VII. 28. Segm. 127. and 128.

(15) Pollux. *ibid.* Segm. 127. Ælian. V. H. XIV. 37. and 47.

(16) Galen in Exhortat. ad Artes, cited by Vossius, de Artibus Popularibus, c. V. § 1. p. 61. See Barth. ad Erhard. ad Petron. c. 2.

(17) Pliny. L. XXXV. 10.



## C H A P. XI.

## Of the FOOD of the ANCIENT GREEKS.

I. **T**HE principal and most necessary food, with the ancient Greeks, as with us, was bread, which was named, (1) *Αρτος*. Hence this word comprehends (2) meat and drink. By Homer and other authors, bread is likewise metonymically termed, (4) *Σιτος*.

II. Bread was generally carried in a wicker-basket, called, (5) *Κανον, κανούν*.

III. Their loaves were baked either under the ashes, and then they were termed, (6) *Σποδίται αρτοι*—(7) *Εγκρυφιαι*—or in an oven, *Κριβανω*;—and then they were called, (8) *Κριβανιται*.

IV. The Greeks had another kind of bread, named *Μαζα*, which was made with a coarser flour, with salt and water; to which ingredients some added (9) oil.

V. Barley-

V. Barley-meal was also much used by them;—in Greek it was *Αλφιτον*—In Latin —(10) *Polenta*.

VI. The *Θριον* was a composition of rice, cheese, eggs, and honey. It was wrapped in fig-leaves—whence it took its (11) name.

VII. The *Μυττωτον* was made with cheese, garlick, and eggs, (12) beaten and mixed together.

VIII. The poor people made their bread hollow, in form of a plate; and into the hollow they poured a sauce. This sort of bread was called, (13) *Μισυλλη*, whence comes the verb (14) *Μισυλλαῖσθαι*. The poor Athenians lived likewise on garlick and (15) onions.

IX. The Greeks had many sorts of cakes —(16) *Πυραμοῦς*—(17) *Σησαμοῦς*—(18) *Αμυλος*—(19) *Ιτρια*—(20) *Μελιττοῦτα*—(21) *Οινοῦτῆρα*, &c.

X. Hitherto we have spoken of bread, and the other aliments which the earth

supplied. But let not the reader therefore conclude that the Greeks disliked animal food.—They ate flesh commonly (22) roasted, seldom boiled; especially in the (23) heroical times of Greece.

XI. At Lacedæmon the young people ate animal-food. A black soup, termed (24) *Μελας ζυμος*—supported the men and the old people.

XII. The poor ate likewise (25) grasshoppers, and the (26) extremities of leaves.

XIII. The (27) Greeks were likewise great lovers of fish; a food which, however, we do not find on the tables of Homer's (28) heroes.

XIV. They were fond of eels dressed with beet-root—This dish they called—(29) *Εγχελεῖς εντετυτλανῶμεναι*.

XV. They liked salt-fish, of which the joll, and the belly were their (30) favourite parts.

XVI. They likewise ate sweet-meats, fruits, almonds, nuts, figs, peaches, &c. in

Greek—(31) Τρωκτα—(32) Τραγηματα—  
(33) Επισορπισματα—(34) Πεμματα. They  
made the (35) deffert.

XVII. Salt, ἄλας, was used in almost  
(36) every kind of food.

## NOTES to CHAP. XI.

(1) Euripides, cited by Athenæus, IV. 15.  
p. 158. E. tells us that this food is necessary.  
On the inventor of bread, see Pausan. Arcad.  
IV. p. 604. and Athen. III. 26. pag. 109. A.

(2) Matth. xv. 2.

(3) Hom. Il. E. v. 341. O. v. 507.

(4) Hesiod. Eργ. v. 146. 604.

(5) Hom. Od. A. v. 147. Theocrit. Hercu-  
lisc. Idyll. XXIV. 135. Virg. Æneid. I. 705.

(6) Athen. III. 27. p. 111. E.

(7) Athen. III. 25. p. 110. A. and B. Suidas,  
and Hesychius at this word. The Septuag.  
I Reg. xix. 6. Genes. xviii. 6. &c.

(8) Athen. III. 26. p. 109. F. and p. 110.  
C. He calls this kind of bread likewise Ἰπνιτης,  
p. 109. C. See Lucian. Lexiph. p. 823. Le  
Clerc ad Genes. xviii. 6.

(9) Hesych. at the word Μαζα. Schol. Ari-  
stoph. ad Pac. v. 1. Athen. XIV. p. 663. A.

B b 3

(10) See

(10) See Eustath. ad *Il.* A. p. 815. l. 1. and Suidas, at the word, *Αλφίτα*. *Pölenia*, torrefacti hordei farina; vel perfusum aquâ hordeum, primo ficcatum, deinde frictum, deinde molis fractum.—*Plin.* VIII. 7. The portico at Athens where this meal was sold, is called by *Hesych.* *Αλφίτων γοα*—and—*Στοα αλφίτοπωλεις*, by *Aristoph.* *Ecclesiast.* 682.

(11) *Schol.* *Aristoph.* ad *Equit.* v. 1100. et ad *Ran.* v. 134. gives a different description of this food.

(12) *Schol.* *Aristoph.* ad *Acharn.* v. 173. It had many more ingredients, according to the *Schol.* ad *Equit.* 768. See *Scaliger* in *Moret.* p. 157.

(13) *Schol.* *Aristoph.* ad *Plut.* v. 627. Some write it *Μισυλη*. See *Spanh.* ad h. l. and *Hemsterhuis*.

(14) *Aristoph.* l. c. and *Equit.* 824.

(15) *Schol.* *Aristoph.* ad *Plut.* v. 819. and ad *Equit.* v. 597.

(16) *Aristoph.* *Equit.* v. 277. and *Schol.*

(17) *Aristoph.* *Theesm.* v. 577.

(18) *Aristoph.* *Pac.* v. 1194.

(19) *Aristoph.* *Acharn.* v. 1091.

(20) *Aristoph.* *Nub.* 507. *Lucian.* *Lexiphan.* p. 826. *Pollux*, VI. 11. *Segm.* 76.

(21) *Aristoph.* *Plut.* v. 1122.

(22) Athen. I. 10. p. 12. B.

(23) Servius, ad Æneid. I. 710. asserts that the use of boiled meat was unknown in the heroic times. But Athen. I. 19. p. 25. E. differs from him; and he is supported by the authority of Homer.

(24) Plutarch. Institut. Lacon. p. 236. F. Pollux, VI. 9. Segm. 57. Cic. Tusc. V. 34.

(25) Aristoph. Acharn. v. 1115. Bochart. Hierozoic. P. II. L. IV. c. 7. Lambert Bos. In Matth. c. iii. 4. Wolf. in Curis Philol. ad Matth. h. 1.

(26) Ælian. V. H. XIII. 26. Ovid. Fast. IV. 393.

(27) Aristoph. ad Ran. v. 1100. Athen. VIII. 14. p. 358. E.

(28) Plato de Rep. III. T. II. Opp. p. 404. B. Fish, however, was eaten in the heroic times. Athen. I. 8. p. 13. A. Plutarch. Sympos. VIII. Quæst. 8. p. 73. C.

(29) Aristoph. Acharn. v. 894. and Pac. v. 1014. Athen. VII. 13. p. 300. B.

(30) Schol. Aristoph. ad Acharn. v. 966. Athen. III. 33. p. 119. F. Aristoph. Equit. v. 1244. Casaub. ad Theophr. Charact. 1. th. c. VI. p. 209.

(31) Ælian. V. H. I. 31.

(32) Schol. Aristoph. ad Plut. v. 190.

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(33) A-

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- (33) Athen. XIV. 10. p. 640. A.  
(34) Athen. XIV. 13. p. 642. A.  
(35) In Greek — Δευτεραι τραπεζαι. Athen.  
XIV. 10. p. 639. B. II. 13. p. 53. C.  
(36) Hom. Il. I. v. 214. Plutarch, Sympos.  
VI. pag. 685. A.

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## C H A P. XII.

Of the LIQUORS of the GREEKS.

I. (1) **W**ATER was the only beverage of the Greeks in the early times.

II. Afterwards they (2) mixed their water with wine.

III. Wine became the drink, not only of the men, but likewise of the women and (3) girls. This was contrary to the practice of the (4) Romans.

IV. They kept their wine in earthen vessels—(5) *Κεραμοίς*;—or in bottles, (6) *Αγκοίς*.

V. Old wine was most (7) liked,

VI. The most famous wines were—*Πραμνικός*—*Θασικός*—*Λεσβικός*—*Χίος*—*Κρητικός*, (8) *Ῥοδῖος*—and—(9) *Μαρωτῆς*.

VII. It was customary to mix wine with water; in Greek, (10) *Κερασθῆναι*. —  
whence



whence came the word, (11) *Κρατῆρ*. They used to (12) crown the *Κρατῆρες*.

VIII. But such were at length the luxurious refinements among the Greeks, that they mixed their wine with (13) perfumes.

IX. They poured their wine from the crateres into cups, of which there were many (14) sorts.

X. It appears that the very ancient Greeks drank from horns of (15) oxen.

XI. Afterwards they used cups of (16) earth, of (17) wood, of (18) glass, of (19) brass, of (20) gold, and of (21) silver. These are their principal names—*Φιαλη*—*Ποτηριον*—*Κυλιξ*—*Δεπας*—*Κυπελλον*—*Αμφικυπελλον*—*Σκυφος*—*Κυμβιον*—*Κισσυβιον*—*Γαστηρ*—*Κωθων*—*Δεινος* and *Δεινιας*—*Θηρικλειος*—(22) *Βαυκαλιον*, &c. Some of these cups took their names from their form; and others from the matter of which they were made.

XII. The drunkard, with the (23) Greeks, was infamous. Yet there were privileged

privileged days, on which they drank from large cups, and (24) freely.

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## NOTES to CHAP. XII.

(1) Hom. *Il.* B. v. 825. Catal. Nav. v. 332. Pind. *Olymp.* Od. VI. Str. E. v. 2. Athen. II. 4. p. 41. A.

(2) Hom. *Il.* I. v. 702. T. v. 161.

(3) Hom. *Od.* Z. v. 77.

(4) *Ælian.* V. H. II. 38. Henel. *Otium U-ratistlavienſe*, XXVI. p. 208.

(5) Hom. *Il.* I. v. 465 Eustath. ad *Il.* E. v. 387. p. 425. l. 16. Pollux, VII. 33. Segm. 161.

(6) Hom. *Il.* Γ. v. 247. *Od.* Z. v. 78. and *Od.* B. v. 343. he mentions casks.

(7) Hom. *Od.* B. v. 340. Γ. v. 391. Pind. *Olymp.* Od. IX. Antistr. B. v. 15, 16. Athen. I. 19. p. 26. A.

(8) See, on all these wines, *Ælian.* V. H. XII. 31. and the notes of Periz. Lennep. ad *Coluth.* p. 10.

(9) Hom. *Od.* I. v. 194. Athen. I. 20. p. 26. A. Pliny, XIV. 4.

(10) Hom. *Od.* A. v. 110.

(11) Athen. V. 4. pag. 192. F. Eustath. ad II. B. p. 177. l. 47.

(12) Hom

(12) Hom. *Il.* A. v. 470. *Od.* A. v. 149. Virg. *Æneid.* I. v. 724. Athen. I. 11. p. 19. D.

(13) Ælian. XII. 31.

(14) Hom. *Od.* I. v. 9.

(15) Athen. XI. c. 7. p. 476. A. Eustath. *ad Il.* N. p. 883. l. 6.

(16) Athen. XI. c. 3. p. 464. A.

(17) Athen. XI. c. 6. p. 470. F. and p. 477.

A.

(18) Aristoph. *Acharn.* v. 73.

(19) Pollux, X. c. 26. Segm. 122.

(20) Athen. XI. c. 3. p. 463. E.

(21) Athen. *ibid.* pag. 465. D.

(22) All these sorts of cups are described by Athenæus—L. XI. from page 467. to page 503. See Pollux, VI. 16. Segm. 95.

(23) Athen. X. c. 6 p. 427. By a law of Pittacus, he who committed a crime when he was drunk, was more severely punished than he who committed the same crime sober. Aristot. *Rhetor.* II. 25. See Diog. Laert. I. 57. *Attic Laws, de Conviv.* L. VIII. Tit. XI. Plutarch. *adv. Stoicos*, p. 1067. D.

(24) Hom. *Il.* I. v. 202. Cic. *In Verr.* L. 1. Act. 2. c. XXVI. Alexis cited by Athen. X. 8. p. 431. C.

CHAP.

## C H A P. XIII.

Of MEAL-TIMES, and the different  
Kinds of FEASTS.

I. **T**HE Greeks made three meals a day—the times were, Morning, Noon, and Evening. The Morning-meal was called, (1) *Αρισον, ακρατισμος*—or *Ακρατισμα*, and (2) *Διανησισμός*: that at Noon, (3) *Δειπνον*—and that in the Evening—(4) *Δορπον*.

II. The terms were afterwards changed, Breakfast was called *Αρισον*—Dinner—*Δορπον*, and Supper, (5) *Δειπνον*.

III. Dinner was a short and plain meal.—Supper was longer and more (6) elegant.

IV. The Greeks had three solemn feasts—*Ερανος, Γαμος*—(7) *Ειλαπινη*.

V. *Ερανος*, was a club—a meeting at which every one bore an equal share of the (8) expence.

VI.

VI. Γαμος—a (9) Marriage-Feast.

VII. Ειλαπινη, was a magnificent entertainment on some other important (10) occasion.

### NOTES to CHAP. XIII.

(1) Athen. I. 9. p. 11. C. Hom. Od. II. v. 2. Periz. ad Ælian. IX. 19.

(2) Athen. I. c.

(3) Athen. I. c. Hom. Il. B. v. 381. and Schol.

(4) Hom. Od. B. v. 20.

(5) Athen. I. c. Eustath. ad Od. B. p. 76. l. 44. and ad Od. II. p. 589. l. 42.

(6) Plut. Sympos. VIII. Qu. 6. p. 726. C.

(7) Hom. Od. A. v. 414. in one line mentions these three feasts.

(8) Schol. ad Od. A. v. 226. Plautus, Curcul. IV. I. 13. Athen. VIII. 16. p. 362. E.

(9) Pollux, III. 3. Segm. 44. The word is taken in this sense in Matth. xxii. 2.

(10) Schol. Hom. ad Od. A. 226. Athen. VIII. 16. p. 362. Eustath. ad Hom. Od. A. p. 50. l. 12.

CHAP.

## C H A P. XIV.

Of the CEREMONIES, and other PARTICULARS relative to ENTERTAINMENTS.

I. **T**HE Greeks, in the ancient times, were (1) seated at table. Afterwards, in the progress of luxury, they lay on (2) couches.

II. The couches, termed, (3) *Κλιναι*, among the rich, had (4) ivory feet; covers, called (5) *Στρωματα*, and cushions—(6) *Προσκεφαλαια*.

III. The tables, *Τραπεζαι*, in the early times were (7) square.

IV. There were commonly three persons on each couch. The first was at the bolster of the couch. The second leaned backwards on the belly of the first, a cushion being put between them. (8) The third reclined on the second in the same manner.

V. The

V. The place at the head of the couch, i. e. the first place, was the most honourable one among the (9) Greeks.

VI. The number of guests varied in the different ages of Greece. At first, they were only (10) three, or five. Afterwards they increased to (11) nine, and even more.

VII. When the guests were placed, an equal portion was distributed to each of them. Hence the feast was called, (12) *Δαις*, and he who carved and distributed the meat—(13) *Δαιτρος*, and (14) *Δαιτυμων*. Yet this equality of distribution was not always observed at (15) entertainments.

VIII. (16) Drink was likewise, in general, equally distributed as well as meat.

IX. The wine was served by youths who stood waiting, and were called—(17) *Κουροι*, (18) *Κηρυκες*—(19) *Διακονοι*—(20) *Οινοχοοι*,—and by the inhabitants of the coasts of the Hellespont—(21) *Επεγχυται*.

X. In the heroic times those youths were not slaves, but (22) of good families ;  
sometimes

sometimes of the most noble, and (23) distinguished.

XI. Three rounds were drank at table in honour of the Gods. The first was drank in honour of Jupiter; the second in honour of the heroes, or demi-gods; and the third in honour of Jupiter Servator. This last round was likewise called (24) *Τελειος*.

XII. At the end of the banquet, when the table was removed, they drank to the (25) *Good Genius*, by which appellation they meant Bacchus, the (26) inventor of wine.

XIII. To the pleasures of the table they added (27) singing, and dancing.

XIV. —When the convivial enjoyments were over, each person went home—to retire from the entertainment, was expressed in Greek by,—*Γινεσθαι εκ δειπνου, αναλυσειν εκ (28) Συμποσιου*.



## NOTES to CHAP. XIV.

(1) Hom. *Il.* K. v. 578! *Ω.* v. 315. Athen. I. 10. p. 11. F.

(2) Athen. I. 14. p. 17. F. and 18. B. Casaub. ad *Annal. Baron.* XVI. 22. p. 432. Lips. *Lect. Antiq.* III. p. 94.

(3) Poll. VI. 1. Segm. 9. *Ælian.* V. H. XII. 51.

(4) Athen. II. 9. pag. 48. B. *Ælian.* V. H. VIII. 7.

(5) Athen. I. c.

(6) *Idem ex Phrynico*, II. 8. p. 47. F.

(7) Or, oblong; not round, according to *Eustathius*, ad *Od.* A. v. 138. p. 34. l. 33.

(8) As the manner of reclining thus at table was common to the Greeks, the Hebrews, and the Romans, the reader may consult *Mercurial's Prints, de Arte Gymn.* I. 11. and the commentators on *John* xiii. 23.—Those on *Horace*, *Sat.* I. 4. v. 86.—and on *Virgil*, *Æneid.* I. 702. It was counted mean to have more than three, or four guests on one couch. *Cic. in Pison.* 27. *Alstorph. de Lect.* p. 109, 116. and the authors quoted by *Zornius. Biblioth. Antiq. Exeget.* p. 536.

(9) *Plutarch. Sympos.* I. 3. p. 619. B. *Alstorph.* l. c. p. 117.

(10) Athen. I. 4. p. 4. E.

(11) Athen. XV. 3. p. 671. A. But whether the number of guests was ever fixed, is to be questioned. We have the following convivial rule in Varro—The number of guests should not be less than that of the Graces, nor greater than that of the Muses.

(12) Athen. I. 10. p. 12. C.

(13) Hom. Od. A. v. 141. Δ. v. 57.

(14) This word signifies sometimes in Homer, a guest. But Od. Δ. v. 621. it means the master of the feast. See Eustath. ad h. l. p. 190. l. 26. and Eustath. ad Od. X. v. 12. p. 771. l. 6. Plutarch. Sympos. II. 10. p. 644. gives the name *Δαιτροί* to the carvers, and to the master of the feast.

(15) This Athenæus proves by passages from Homer—he cites the distinction payed to Diomedes, to whom greater shares were given than to the other guests.

(16) Athen. V. 4. 192. F.

(17) Hom. Od. A. v. 149.

(18) Hom. Od. A. v. 142.

(19) Jo. ii. 5. Elfner, ad Luc. xvii. 8.

(20) Hom. Il. B. v. 128.

(21) Athen. X. 7. p. 425. C.

(22) Athen. V. 4. p. 192. B. C.

(23) The son of Menelaus, for instance, is a cup-bearer in Homer; Od. O. v. 141.

(24) Schol. Pindar. ad Isthm. Od. VI. Pollux, VI. 16. Segm. 100. Athen. XV. 5. p. 675. B. II. I. p. 36. C. Suidas, at the words *κρατηρ*, and *Αγαθου δαιμονος*.

(25) Schol. Aristoph. ad Equit. v. 85. Ælian. V. H. I. 20. Athen. XV. 13, 14. p. 692. F. and 693. Kuster ad Suid. at the word *Αγαθου δαιμονος*.

(26) Athen. XV. 5. p. 675. B. See J. Jenfius, in Epist. ad J. G. Grævium; and the lessons of Lucian, p. 399.

(27) Hom. Od. A. v. 152. Athen. I. 12. p. 14. A. See, on the convivial songs, named *Scolia*, Schol. Aristoph. Ran. v. 1377. and Vesp. V. 1217.

(28) Ælian. V. H. IV. 23. Lamb. Bos, ad Philipp. I. 23. Athenæus says,—*Του συμποσιου αποσηναι*. V. 4. p. 192. and a little after,—*Απελυσηθαι*, and *Απο των διππων αναλυειν*. T. 13. p. 16. B. See Pollux, VI. 20. Segm. 112.

## C H A P. XV.

Of the DRESS of the GREEKS; of their manner of covering and adorning the HEAD.

I. **T**HE ancient Greeks, like the (1) Egyptians, went with their (2) heads bare. But we read, that in the later times they wore a kind of hats, called in Greek, (3) Πίλοι, (4) Πίλια, or (5) Πιλιδια.

II. But the women always had their heads covered. The ornaments which they wore on their heads are expressed by the following terms—(6) Καλυπτρα, (7) Αμπυξ, (8) Κρηδεμνον, (9) Κεκρυφαλος, (10) Μιτρα, (11) Οπισθοσφενδονη.

III. Some of the Athenians wore in their hair grasshoppers of gold, (12) Τεττιγας, emblems that they were *Autochthones*, i. e. descendants from the first inhabitants of (13) Attica.

IV. Women of rank and magnificence raised their head-dress with fillets, termed (14) *Στεφανή ὑψηλή*.

V. They wore pendants at their ears, called, (15) *Ἐρματα*, (16) *Ἐνωτια*, (17) *Ἐλικες*.

VI. They likewise wore necklaces, in Greek (18) *Ὀρμοί*.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XV.

(1) Herodot. III. pag. 187. A.

(2) Lucian de Gymnas. p. 278.

(3) Hesiod. *Ἔργ.* v. 546. Pollux, VII. 33. Segm. 171. Grævius ad Hesiod. *Ἔργ.* v. 542.

(4) Athen. XV. 13. p. 692. C.

(5) Aristoph. *Acharn.* v. 438.

(6) Hom. *Od.* E. v. 232. and, ad h. l. Eustath. p. 217. l. 38. says it was the same with *Κρηδεμνον*.

(7) A fillet which went round the women's hair. Hom. *Il.* X. v. 468. Grævius ad Hesiod. Theagon. 916. v. 118. Lennep. ad Coluth. p. 6.

(8) A

(8) A sort of veil which came down upon the shoulders. Eustath. ad *Il.* Z. p. 964. l. 39. Hom. *Il.* X. v. 470. Lennep. ad Coluth. p. 6.

(9) A net which inclosed the women's hair. Aristoph. *Theesmoph.* v. 145. Eustath. ad *Il.* X. p. 1386. l. 32.

(10) Fillets with which the women of barbarous countries bound their hair. Aristoph. *Theesm.* v. 264. Eustath. ad *Il.* II. 1089. l. 13. and *Od.* K. pag. 398. l. 8. Græv. ad Hesiod. *Theog.* p. 916.

(11) A particular kind of net with which the women's heads were adorned. Eustath. in *Dionys. Periez.* 7. See, likewise, Pollux, V. 16. *Segm.* 96.

(12) *Thucyd.* I. 6. and *Wass.* ad h. l. Lennep. ad Coluth. p. 55.

(13) *Schol.* Aristoph. ad *Nub.* v. 980. Scalliger in *Virg. Cir.* p. 55. *Perizon.* ad *Ælian.* V. H. IV. 22.

(14) *Ælian.* V. H. I. 18. *Hadr. Jun. de Coma,* c. VII. p. 849.

(15) Hom. *Il.* E. v. 182. and *Od.* E. 6. v. 296. See Eustath. ad *Il.* p. 964. l. 26.

(16) *Ælian.* V. H. I. 18.

(17) Hom. *Il.* E. v. 401. H. in *Ven.* 87. Eustath. ad *Od.* A. p. 24. l. 49.

(18) Hom. *Il.* E. v. 401. Eustath. ad *Il.* E. p. 1204. l. 18. Aristoph. *Lyfistr.* v. 409.

## C H A P. XVI.

## Of the GRECIAN CLOATHS.

I. **T**HE general word, Dress, was expressed in Greek by, (1) *Εσθης*, (2) *Εσθημα*, (3) *Εσθησις*—The poetical word was (4) *Ειμα*. The under-habit both of men and women, was (5) *Χιτων*, (6) *Χιτων ορθοσαδιος*—*Tunica recta*—a floating robe. The verb (7) *Ενδυεσθαι* refers to the under-habit.

II. Rich and expensive women wore buckles along those parts of the tunic which reached from the shoulders to the hands, instead of having them sewed. Those buckles [(8) *Πηρονας*—(9) *Πυρραι*] were of silver, or (10) gold.

III. There was likewise another robe, called, (11) *Εγκυκλον χιτωνιον*.

IV. *Ίματιον*, or (12) *Φαρος*, in Latin, *Pallium*, was the exterior robe of the men  
among

among the (13) Greeks, as the toga was among the Romans. The verbs relating to this garment are (14) Περιβαλλεσθαι, (15) Αναβαλλεσθαι. We likewise frequently meet with—(16) Αναβαλλεσθαι ἱματιον ἐπ' αριστερα, and Ἐπι δέξια; from the two verbs come the substantives—(17) Αναβολαιον, and (18) Περιβολαιον.

V. Χλαινα was a thick external robe, (19) worn in cold weather—in Latin, (20) Læna; it was (21) single, and (22) double.

VI. (23) Φαινολης, and Φαιλωνης—in Latin, Pænula, a robe almost round, (24) without sleeves, worn uppermost to keep off (25) inclemencies of weather.

VII. Λησος, λησαριον—a garment worn by both sexes.

VIII. (27) Εφεερις. Lacema—a kind of great coat of (28) goat-skin, which was likewise called—(29) Μανδυας, and Βηρῆιον.

IX. Τριβων, or Τριβωνιον, the cloak of (30) philosophers and poor people, of a (31) light stuff; of this stuff in the early times  
the



the (32) robes of the lawyers were made.

X. *Επωμις*—a short cloak which the women wore over their (33) shoulders.

XI. (34) *Πεπλος*—an exterior robe worn by women—(35) *Ζωστρον*—their girdle.

XII. *Στολη*—a long robe which came down to the (36) heels.

XIII. *Κατωνακη*—a slave's habit, bordered at the bottom with (37) sheep-skin.

XIV. *Εξωμις*—was another habit of slaves; it had but one (38) sleeve, and served them for tunic and (39) cloak. This dress, however, the citizens likewise sometimes (40) wore.

XV. (41) *Βαιτη*, (42) *Διφθερα*—a habit of skin, which the (43) shepherds wore.

XVI. *Εγκομβωμα*—a cloak of (44) shepherds, (45) girls, and (46) slaves.

XVII. *Χλαμυς*—a military habit, worn under the tunic, the (47) cuirass, &c.

XVIII. (48) *Χλανις*—a fine robe—*Κροκωτος*, and *Κροκωτιον*—crocota, and crocotula

—(49)

—(49) a saffron-coloured robe—(50) Συμμετρια—a robe which came down to the heels—(51) Θερισρον, or, Θερισριον—a summer-habit.

XIX. Στροφιον—a sort of handkerchief which women threw round their (52) neck.

XX. (53) Ψελλιον—a bracelet—It was likewise an ornament for the hands—only worn by women.

NOTES to CHAP. XVI.

- (1) Ælian. V. H. VII. 8.  
 (2) Ælian. V. H. I. 2.  
 (3) Pollux, X. 12. Segm. 51.  
 (4) Hesiod. Scut. v. 159. Hom. Od. B. v. 3.  
 (5) Hom. Il. B. v. 262. Od. T. v. 232. Athen. XIII. 6. p. 590. Herodot. I. p. 4. D. Ovid. Amor. III. 14, 21.  
 (6) Aristoph. Lysistr. 45. and Not. ad Pol- luc. VII. 13. Segm. 48.  
 (7) Ælian. V. H. I. 16.  
 (8) Hom. Od. T. v. 256.  
 (9) Hom. Il. Σ. v. 401.

(10) Æ-

(10) Ælian. V. H. I. 18.

(11) We know not whether it was an upper or an under robe. In Aristoph. Thesmoph. v. 260. Euripides puts on the *Κροκωτον*; and, verse 268. the *Εγκυκλον*. But Pausanias, cited by Eustathius, *l. ξ. p. 964. l. c.* thinks the *Enkuklon* an under-habit. See Perizon. ad Ælian. V. H. VII. 9. Pollux, VII. 13. Segm. 53. and 56.

(12) Hom. *l. B. v. 43.* Eustath. ad *Od. B. p. 83. l. 36.* See Bisetus, and Aristoph. Thesmoph. v. 897. Lennep. ad Coluth. p. 175.

(13) Hom. *l. B. v. 43.*

(14) Hom. *ibid.* Ælian. V. H. I. 16.

(15) Suidas, at the word *Αναβαλλει*. Aristoph. *Vesp. v. 1147.* Periz. ad Ælian. VII. 8.

(16) Athen. I. 18. pag. 21. B. Casaub. in Athen. I. 18. p. 33.

(17) Lucian has likewise the word, *Αναβολη*. Hermot. pag. 517. See Perizon. ad Ælian. VII. 9.

(18) Suidas, at this word. *Παριβολη*, and *Περιβλημα*, have the same signification. See Schol. Theocrit. *Idyll. XI. 19.* Herodian, IV. 7. § 5. We likewise meet with *Αμπεχονη*—Xenoph. *Memorab. I. 2. § 5.*

(19) Suidas, at this word. Hom. *l. Π. v. 224.* and *od. ξ. v. 529.* and *v. 487.* Meurs. ad Lycophr. v. 635.

(20) Plu-

- (20) Plutarch. in Numa. p. 64. C.
- ✓ (21) Hom. *Il.* *Ω.* v. 230.
- ✓ (22) Hom. *Il.* *Κ.* v. 134. *Od.* *T.* v. 226. Pollux, VII. 15. Segm. 47.
- ✓ (23) Suidas, at the word *Φαιβολης*. Paul, 2 Tim. iv. 13. and Interpr.
- (24) Bartholin. de Pænula, c. IV. p. 29.
- ✓ (25) As the Latin word pænula is derived from the Greek *Φαιβολης*, and as the two words signify the same habit, the reader may consult the Latin antiquaries on this Greek garment. See Horace. I. Epist. XI. v. 18. Juven. Sat. V. v. 79. Quintil. IV. 3. § 64. Bartholin. l. c. c. VI. p. 49.
- ✓ (26) Pollux, VII. 13. Segm. 48. Aristoph. *Av.* v. 716. and v. 916. he has *Λιδαριον*.
- ✓ (27) Pollux, VII. 13. Segm. 61.
- (28) Suidas, at the word *Εφεστεις*.
- (29) Artemid. II. 3. and Suidas, l. c. instead of *Βηρριον* we find, *Βηρρον*.
- ✓ (30) Lucian. *Vit. Auēt.* p. 375. *Bif. Accuf.* p. 216. and 233. *Athen.* IV. 28. p. 161. F. Plutarch. de Fort. *Alex.* p. 330. C. Yet it was not the dress of all the philosophers. *Laert.* VIII. 19. *Ælian.* III. 19. It was the dress of the poor. See Aristoph. *Plut.* 714, 843. &c.
- (31) Schol. Aristoph. ad *Plut.* 714. Lucian. *Dial. Mort.* p. 263.

(32) Schol.

(32) Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. 31. Ælian. V. H. V. 5. VII. 13. we find that Epaminondas, and Agefilaus wore this cloak.

(33) Athen. XIII. 9. p. 608. B. Pöllux, VII. Segm. 49. Periz. ad Ælian. IX. 34.

(34) Hom. *Il.* Z. v. 289. Eustath. ad *Il.* B. p. 128. l. 48. We may conclude that it was an exterior robe from a passage of Homer. *Il.* Z. v. 442. and from other passages, where women have the epithet, ἑλκεσιπεπλοῖ—The men likewise wore a robe resembling this. Eustath. ad *Il.* E. p. 459. l. 40. See, on the *peplus* of the Goddesses—Spanheim. in *H.* in *Pallad.* 70. pag. 599. and on the *peplus* of Minerva—Scalig. in *Cirin.* p. 48.

(35) Hom. *Od.* Z. v. 38. Eustath. ad *Od.* p. 245. l. 13.

(36) This is the *stola* of the Latins. The Greek word has a more extensive signification. See Perizon. ad Ælian. III. 24.

(37) Aristoph. *Ecclesiaz.* v. 719. and Schol. ad h. l. *Lyfistr.* v. 1153.

(38) Aristoph. Schol. ad Vesp. 442. Suidas, at this word.

(39) Hesych. at this word.

(40) Ælian. V. H. IX. 34. and Perizon. ad h. l. Xenoph. *Memorab.* II. 7. § 5.

(41) Theo-

(41) Theocrit. Idyll. III. 25. and Schol. ad h. l. Idyll. V. 15. and Schol. Hesych. at this word.

(42) Aristoph. Nub. 72. Theophr. Charact. c. V. *Περὶ ἀγροικίας.*

(43) Perizon. ad Ælian. IX. 3.

(44) Longus Pastoral. p. 60.

(45) The Fragment of Varro's Book—De Libens Educandis, p. 160.

(46) Pollux, IV. 18. Segm. 119. Wolf. in Cur. Philol. ad 1 Petr. v. 5.

(47) Ælian. V. H. XIV. 10. Antiphanes in Pollux, X. 16. Segm. 62. and the Notes of Kuhn. But the use of this habit was not confined to the soldiers—It was worn by young men and women, as we are informed by Pollux in many places. See Ovid. Met. V. 51.

(48) Menander. Fragm. p. 136. Hesych. at this word.

(49) A woman's garment. Aristoph. Eccles. v. 874. A dress of Bacchus: Aristoph. Ran. v. 46. and even of Hercules pining at the feet of Omphale. Lucian quomodo scrib. sit Hist. p. 609.

(50) Pollux, VII. 13. Segm. 54. See Hesych. at this word.

(51) Genes. xxiv. 65. and xxxviii. 19.

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(52) See the old epigram in Spanheim, ad Callim. 135. Aristoph. Thesmoph. 146. Anacreon. Od. 20. Catull. LXV. 65. Martial. XIV. 138.

(53) Pausanias. Eliac. Prior. 20. p. 429. Ælian. V. H. II. 14. Suidas, at the word *Χελαίων*. Bartholin. de Armillis Veterum, § 1. and 2.

CHAP.

## C H A P. XVII.

Of the different kinds of SHOES worn  
by the GREEKS.

I. **T**HE shoes of the Greeks were called in general—(1) Ἰποδηματα, Calceamenta soleæ. They were tied under the soles of the feet with thongs, or cords, termed in Greek, (2) Ἰμαντες. To put on shoes, was expressed by the verb, (3) Ἰποδεῖν—to take them off, by the verbs—(4) Λυεῖν, and Ἰπολυεῖν.

II. Shoes were called by the poets, (5) Πεδιλα.

III. Διαβαθρα—shoes worn both by men and (6) women.

IV. (7) Σανδαλα, (8) Σανδαλια—were in ancient times the shoes of (9) heroines, and of rich and gay (10) women.

V. Βλαυται—Shoes worn only in the house.

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VI. Κοι-



VI. *Κονιποδες*—(11) Shoes resembling the former, (12) low and slight.

VII. (13) *Περιβαριδες*—Shoes of women of a genteel class, and of ladies of (14) distinction.

VIII. (15) *Κρηπιδες*—a sort of shoes termed in Latin, (16) *Crepida*: Some authors think these were the (17) shoes of military people. They were likewise called (18) *Αρπιδες*.

IX. (19) *Αρβυλαι*, a large, and very easy shoe.

X. (20) *Περσικαι*—Shoes worn by women. Those of the courtezans were (21) white.

XI. (22) *Λακωνικαι*, and (23) *Αμικλαιδες*, Lacedæmonian shoes—they were (24) red.

XII. *Καρβατιναι*—a coarse sort of shoes, worn by (25) peasants.

XIII. *Εμβαται*—Shoes worn by (26) comedians—Socks.

XIV. *Κοθορνοι*—Shoes worn by (27) tragedians

gedians—Buskins. They were likewise called (28) *Ἐμβασίδες*.

NOTES to CHAP. XVII.

(1) Aristot. Polit. I. 6. Gell. XIII. 21. Balduin. Calcin. Antiq. c. XI.

(2) Marc. i. 7. Luc. iii. 16. and Interpr. ad h. l. Perizon. ad Ælian. IX. 11.

(3) Marc. vi. 9. Ælian. V. H. I. 18. Aristoph. Ecclef. V. 269.

(4) Aristoph. Thesmoph. 1194. Lylistr. 949.

(5) Hom. Il. B. v. 44. Od. E. v. 23.

(6) Pollux, VII. 10. S. 90.

(7) Hom. in H. in Merc. I. v. 79.

(8) Lucian. Dial. Meret. p. 554.

(9) Omphale in Lucian wears these shoes. Dial. Deor. p. 208.

(10) Ælian. V. H. I. 18. and ad h. l. Perizon. Judith. x. 4.

(11) Aristoph. Equit. v. 885. Ælian. V. H. VI. 11. and Perizon.

(12) Clem. Alexandr. Pædagog. II. 11. p. 152.

(13) Aristoph. Ecclef. v. 843. Kuhn. ad Polluc. VII. 22. Segm. 86.

(14) Aristoph. *Lyfistr.* v. 45, 48. Pollux, VII. 22. Segm. 92. says these shoes were worn by female servants. See the verses of Cephistodorus quoted by Pollux, VII. 22. Segm. 87.

(15) Ælian. V. H. IX. 3. Herodian, IV. 8.

(16) Gell. XIII. 21.

(17) Val. Max. IX. 1, 4. extern,

(18) Pollux, VII. 22. S. 85.

(19) Eurip. *Orest.* v. 140. and *Herc. Fur.* v. 1304. Pollux, VII. 22. Segm. 86. is of a different opinion, which Bos follows. We find another conjecture in the Schol. of Eurip. ad *Orest.* l. c. See Voss. ad Catull. p. 327. and 290.

(20) Aristoph. *Nub.* v. 151. and Schol.

(21) This remark of Bos is grounded on a passage of Pollux, VII. 22. Segm. 92. But some criticks explain that passage differently from our author. These shoes, they think, were worn by women of low station, but not by courtezans. See Briff. de Regno Pers. II. p. 253.

(22) Aristoph. *Vesp.* v. 1153. and Schol.

(23) Hesych. at these words.

(24) Pollux, VII. 22. S. 88.

(25) Xenoph. *Exped.* IV. p. 259. l. 30. Voss. ad Catull. p. 327. See Hesych. and Schol. Lucian. ad *Philopseud.* p. 35.

(26) Pollux, VII. 22. S. 91.

(27) Ter-

(27) Tertull. de Spectac. XIII. This word is latinized by the Roman writers, *Cotburnus*. Virg. Ecl. VIII. 10. Propert. II. 25, 41. Quintil. X. 1. § 68.

(28) Shoes for men, according to the Scholiast of Aristoph. ad Ecclef. 47. See Spanheim. ad Arist. Plut. v. 759.

## C H A P. XVIII.

OF FUNERALS; of the CEREMONIES performed to dying PERSONS.

I. **T**HEY cut off a lock of the dying person's hair, which they consecrated to the infernal Gods—By this act they devoted him to (1) death.

II. They put up prayers to (2) Mercury, who, in their theology, was the conductor of souls to the lower (3) regions. These prayers were termed—(4) *Εξιτησιος ευχαι.*

III. The relations of the dying man stood round his bed, took their last (5) farewell of him, (6) embraced him, (7) heard his last words, and inhaled his departing (8) breath.

IV. When he expired, they beat the air with violence, to prevent the evil genii from taking his soul to hell, and to drive them (9) away.

V. To

V. To die was, literally, *Θνησκειν*, and *Αποθνησκειν*—but to avoid the gloomy ideas which these words conveyed, they used gentler terms—(10) *Απερχεσθαι*—(11) *Οιχεσθαι*—(12) *Ευδειν*—(13) *Κοιμάσθαι*—(14) *Βεβιωκεναι*—(15) *Παθειν τι, &c.*—*Discedere*—*abire*—*dormire*—*sofiri*—*vixisse*—*pati quiddam, &c.*

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## NOTES to CHAP. XVIII.

(1) Eurip. *Alcest.* v. 75. Virgil. *Æneid.* IV. 698. Horace, I. 28, 20. Mart. III. 43. See Ruzus; ad Virg. l. c. and Dacier, ad Horat. l. c. Canterus, in Nov. Lect. IV. 20.

(2) Valer. Max. II. 6. extern. 8.

(3) Hom. *Od.* Ω. v. 1. Virgil. *Æneid.* IV. 242. Horace, I. *Od.* 10. v. 17. and *Od.* 24. v. 18.

(4) Etymol. Auctor.

(5) Euripid. *Heraclid.* v. 600.

(6) Euripid. *Alcestid.* v. 403.

(7) Homer. *Il.* Ω. v. 743.

(8) This last custom, Cicero informs us, was practised by the Sicilians; *Verr.* v. 45. Thus

did Virgil's Anna, the sister of Dido. *Æneid.* IV. v. 685. See *Consolat. ad Liviam August.* v. 97. and 158.

(9) We find traces of this superstition in the *Schol. of Theocr. ad Idyll. II. v. 36.* See *Macrob. Saturn. v. 19.* Virgil. *Æneid. VI. 540.* *Dacier, Horat. I. 24, 25.*

(10) *Heliodor. Æthiop. VIII. pag. 400. l. 24.* *Ælian. V. H. II. 25.* See *Elfner. ad Matth. c. xxvi. 24.*

(11) *Eustath. ad D. A. p. 90. l. 2.* *Eurip. Alcest. v. 316.* *Hom. Od. Z. v. 144.* *Laert. III. 83.* *Horace, Od. I. 24. v. 5.* *Virgil. X. 745. and XII. 309.*

(12) *Æschyl. Eumenid. v. 708.*

(13) *Callimach. Epigr. X. 2.* *Matth. xxvii. 52.* *I Cor. xv. 18.*

(14) *Plutarch. in Cicer. p. 871. D.*

(15) *Hom. Il. Φ. v. 274. and Od. Δ. v. 820.* *Herod. V. 7. § 1.*

CHAP.

## C H A P. XIX.

Of CEREMONIES used to the DEAD  
before the FUNERAL.

I. **A**S soon as a person had expired, they closed his (1) eyes. This act was expressed in Greek, by (2) Συγκλειειν—(3) Καθαιρειν—(4) Συναρμωττειν οφθαλμους.

II. They likewise shut his (5) mouth.

III. They covered his face with a (6) veil.

IV. They stretched him out, and composed his limbs, which was,—(7) Ορθοῦσθαι, (8) Εκτεινεσθαι.

V. They then washed the corpse in (9) warm water, and (10) perfumed it.

VI. They next wrapped its winding-sheet round it, and put on it a fine robe, which was commonly (11) white.

VII. It was also crowned with (12) garlands.

VIII. The



VIII. The corpse was then placed in the entry of the (13) house [to place it there, was, (14) *Προτιθεσθαι*] with its feet towards the (15) door.

IX. They put into the mouth of the dead person a (16) piece of money, with which he was to pay (17) Charon for his passage over the Styx: it was an (18) Obolus; and its proper name in Greek was (19) *Δανακη*.

X. Besides, they put into the mouth of a dead man, a cake, of which honey was the principal ingredient, to pacify the growling (20) Cerberus.

XI. All these ceremonies preceding sepulture were expressed by (21) *Συγκομιζεν*—and (22) *Συγκομιδη*.

XII. While the corpse was in the house, a vessel with water, named (23) *Αρδανιον*, was set before the door, in which those washed themselves who were polluted by the touch of the (24) dead body.

## NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. XIX.

- (1) Kirchmann. de Fun. Rom. I. 6.  
 (2) Eurip. Hecub. v. 430.  
 (3) Hom. *Il.* *Λ.* v. 453. *Od.* *Λ.* v. 425. *Od.* *Ω.* v. 295.  
 (4) Euripid. Phæniss. v. 1400.  
 (5) Hom. *Od.* *Λ.* v. 425.  
 (6) Euripides. Hippolyt. v. 1458. Hecub. v. 432. Hom. *Od.* *Ω.* v. 292.  
 (7) Euripides. Hippolyt. v. 786. Casaub. ad Theocrit. *Idyll.* I. 139. Lect. Theocrit. c. I. p. 241.  
 (8) Euripid. l. c. v. 789.  
 (9) Hom. *Od.* *Ω.* v. 44. Euripid. Phæniss. v. 1239. and 1661. Actor. IX. 37. Ælian. V. H. IV. 1.  
 (10) Hom. *Il.* *Σ.* v. 350. Martial. III. 12.  
 (11) Hom. *Il.* *Σ.* v. 352. *Od.* B. v. 97. Eurip. Alcest. v. 156. Plutarch. in Arato. p. 1051. E.  
 (12) Euripides. Phæniss. v. 1626. Schol. Aristoph. Eccles. v. 533. Anthol. II. p. 173.  
 (13) Schol. Aristoph. ad *Lysistr.* v. 612. Pollux gives us the reason why the corpse was placed there—VIII. 7. Segm. 65. See Suidas, at the word Προυκείτο.

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(14) Demosth. Macart. p. 666. C. Lyfias contr. Eratosth. p. 92. Lucian de Luçtû. p. 302. Eurip. Hecub. v. 613.

(15) Hom. *Il.* T. v. 212. and Eustath. ad h. l. p. 1246. l. 3. See Scaliger, ad Fest. in, Conlocare.

(16) Schol. Aristoph. ad Ran. v. 140.

(17) Lucian. de Luçtû, p. 302. Eustath. ad *Od.* p. 728. l. 33. Callimach. Fragm. p. 247. and p. 361. n. 110.

(18) Lucian. Dial. Mort. p. 308, 264. Catapl. p. 422. Lucian, and others, speak only of one Obolus; Aristoph. Ran. v. 140. speaks of two; but rather from a comic liberty, than from a strict adherence to fact, in the opinion of Hemsterhus. Ad Lucian. Dialog. p. 17. See Juvenal, III. 267.

(19) This name was given it by some barbarous nation; not by the Greeks. Etymol. at the word *Δανακης*. Pollux, IX. 6. Segm. 82. Suidas, and Hesych. at this word. Strabo, VIII. p. 257.

(20) Schol. Aristoph. ad *Lyfist.* v. 601. Virgil. *Æneid.* VI. 420.

(21) Schol. *Æschyl.* Theb. v. 1032.

(22) Id. *ibid.* *Æschylus* terms this whole ceremonial, *Εκφορα*— the Scholiast of *Æschylus* — *Κηδευμα*. Herodian, — *Κηδισια*, I. 5, 8, 1.

(23) Pollux, VIII. 7. Segm. 66. Hesych. at this word. Casaub. ad Charact. Theoph. XVI. p. 339.

(24) Aristoph. Eccles. v. 1025. calls this vessel likewise, *Οσρακον*, Euripid. Alcest. v. 99. *Πηγαιον χειριβα επι φθιτων πυλαις*—a cistern to wash one's hands in, before the door of the deceased. Hesychius likewise termed it *Πηγαιον*; an appellation, which, as Kuster thinks, he grounds on the above-cited passage of Euripides. Kuster ad Aristoph. l. c.

## C H A P. XX.

## Of the FUNERAL PROCESSION.

I. **T**O carry the corpse out of the house was, in Greek, (1) *Εκφέρειν*—(2) *Εκκομιζειν*—whence are derived the substantives—(3) *Εκφορα*—(4) *Εκκομιδη*.

II. The body was carried out at Athens before the rising of the sun, by virtue of an (5) express law.

III. (6) The body was carried out by day, and not by night, by the other Greeks, who, notwithstanding, used (7) funeral torches.

IV. They buried at (8) break of day, only youths who died in the flower of their age.

V. It appears that in early times they had contrived nothing to lay dead bodies upon when they were to be carried forth to sepulture. But in later ages, they were laid on biers, and carried by men called  
(10) *Vef-*

(10) Vespillones. The body of a warrior was laid upon a (11) shield, particularly among the (12) Lacedæmonians.

VI. In the funeral procession were the relations of the deceased; and other persons, men, and women, who were invited to this (14) ceremony. But in some countries, none but the relations of the dead could attend his (15) funeral. And even at Athens, by a law of Solon, women under sixty years of age were only permitted to attend the funerals of their very near (16) relations.

NOTES to CHAP. XX.

- (1) Demosth. Macart. 666. C.
- (2) Ælian. V. H. c. VIII. 4.
- (3) Thucyd. II. 34.
- (4) Lucil. Anthol. II. 32. Epigr. 4. p. 156.
- (5) A law of Solon, according to Demosthenes, Macart. p. 666. C. But according to Cicero, it was a law of Demetrius Phalereus; Cic. de Leg. II. 26.

(6) Euripides, in *Troad.* v. 446.

(7) To light the funeral-pile. Kirchmann. de *Fun. Rom.* II. 3.

(8) Heraclid. Pont. in *Allegor.* p. 492. Achilles, in *Hom. Od. Ω.* v. 72. Patroclus, *Id. Ψ.* v. 226. and others mentioned by Gale ad *Heraclid.* l. c. See *Muret. Var. Lect. XIII.* 2. *Voss. ad Melam.* III. 7. p. 575.

(9) Eustath. ad *Id. Ψ.* v. 136. p. 1402. l. 26.

(10) Euripides. *Alcest.* v. 607.

(11) Virgil. *Æneid.* X. 506.

(12) Plutarch. *Apophth. Lacæner.* p. 241. F.

(13) Thucyd. II. 34. Sophocles—*Ajax Mastig.* v. 1189. Aristotle. *Ethic.* IX. 11.

(14) Eurip. *Alcest.* v. 629.

(15) Cicero de *Leg.* II. 26.

(16) Demosth. *Macart.* p. 666. C.

## C H A P. XXI.

## Of their GRIEF and MOURNING.

I. **O**N the death of a friend, they secluded themselves from gaiety, from (1) entertainments, from games and (2) public solemnities, from the enjoyment of wine and music. They sat in solitary and (3) gloomy places.

II. They stripped themselves of all (4) external ornaments, and put on (5) mourning: their mourning was a (6) coarse, (7) black stuff.

III. They tore their hair, and shaved their (8) heads.

IV. In extreme grief, they even rolled themselves in the dust, and (9) mire.

V. They sprinkled (10) ashes upon their heads.

VI. When they appeared in public, they had a veil thrown over their (11) heads.

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VII. They smote their breasts with their (12) hands, and they tore their (13) faces.

VIII. They cried with a lamentable (14) tone, E, E.

IX. As the Romans in funerals had their (15) *Præfica*, the Greeks had their (16) *Ἐξαρχοὶ Θρηνηῶν*, who walked at the head of the procession, and by the melancholy strains they sung, deeply affected the (17) company.

X. These strains were called, (18) *Ὀλοφύρμῳι*—(19) *Ἰαλεμῳι*—(20) *Λανοὶ*—*Αἰλινοὶ*.

XI. These vocal mourners sung thrice—  
1° During the procession—2° Round the pile—3° Round the (21) grave.

XII. Flutes were likewise played upon at funerals, to heighten the (22) solemnity.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XXI.

(1) Lucian. de Luctu. p. 307.

(2) Euripides, *Alcestid.* v. 341.

(3) Hom. *Od.* Δ. v. 101. Plutarch blames this grief as immoderate. *Consol. ad Uxor.* p. 610. A.

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(4) Lycophr. *Cassandr.* v. 862. Ovid. *Met.* VI. 566.

(5) Terence. *Heaut.* II. 3, 45.

(6) Some critics give this sense to the passage of Terence to which I have just referred.

(7) Euripides. *Helen.* v. 1094. *Alcestid.* v. 215. and 427. See Perizoni. ad *Ælian.* XII. 1. n. 32.

(8) Hom. *Od.* Δ. v. 197. Ω. v. 45. Herodotus, II. p. 115. E. Xenoph. *Helen.* I. p. 350. l. 9. *Ælian.* V. H. VII. 8.

(9) Lucian. *de Luctû,* p. 303. Hom. *Il.* Ω. v. 640.

(10) Lucian, l. c. Hom. *Il.* Σ. v. 23. Ovid. *Met.* VIII. v. 525.

(11) Anthol. V. Epigr. 33. Euripides, *Supplic.* III. *Orest.* v. 294. Lamb. Bos, ad Marc. xiv. 72.

(12) Lucian. *de Luctû,* p. 303. Ovid. *Heroid.* XV. 113.

(13) Lucian. l. c. *Φοιβισσεν παρεας*—To make one's cheeks bleed. See Not. ad *Patron.* c. CXI. All this external grief was prohibited by a law of Solon. Cic. *de Leg.* II. 25.

(14) *Æschyl.* *Theb.* 323. The Scholiast of Aristophanes, ad *Av.* v. 217. says the word *Elegy* comes from *Ε λειγειν*. *Αι, αι,* was another doleful exclamation. See the notes to Ovid.

Met. X. 215. Perhaps, the diphthong *Ai*, had the same sound with the letter *E*.—This seems to be proved by Rutgerfius—in Var. Lect. II. 5. p. 206.

(15) Festus, at the word *Præfca*. Plautus, Trucul. II. 6, 14.

(16) Hom. *Il.* Ω. v. 721. Eustath. ad h. l. p. 1513. l. 36.

(17) Lucian de *Luçtû*, p. 306.

(18) Athen. XIV. 3. p. 619. B.

(19) Eurip. Suppl. v. 281. Troad. v. 600. Hefych. at this word.

(20) Athen. l. c. Eustath. ad *Il.* p. 1223. l. 8. and Schol. Apollon. Rhod. IV. p. 294.

(21) They sung the epitaphs, and funeral verses—*Επικηδειον*—or *Θρηνον επικηδειον*. See Scallig. Poetic. I. 50, 117. and III. 121. p. 385. Elnfer. ad Joann. IX. 31.

(22) Lucian. de *Luçtû*, p. 305. Euripid. Troad. v. 126. Schol. Aristoph. ad Av. 217. Suid. at the word, *Ελεγος*, Not. ad Mat. ix. 23. and the authors cited by Spencer, de Leg. Hebr. Rit. p. 1135. and by Zornius, Biblioth. Antiq. Exeg. p. 581.

## C H A P. XXII.

Of their MANNER of BURYING and  
BURNING their DEAD.

I. **I**N the early times they buried their  
(1) dead. This was their custom  
in the days of (2) Cecrops.

II. The body was laid horizontally in the  
coffin, with the head to the West, that it  
might look to the rising sun. Such was  
the custom of the Athenians, and the other  
Greeks, except the Megarenses, who laid  
their dead bodies in the (3) opposite posi-  
tion.

III. The custom of burning dead bodies  
introduced by (4) Hercules, after his  
time spread over all (5) Greece.

IV. The pile of wood on which the  
corpse was placed, was termed, (6) Πυρα.

V. They likewise threw on the pile (7)  
different animals, (8) odours and perfumes.

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VI. They threw on it also the cloaths of the (9) dead, and his arms, if he was a (10) foldier.

VII. At the funerals of generals, the soldiers, and all who were present, (11) marched thrice round the funeral-pile, (12) from right to left, in honour of the deceased.

VIII. Whilst the pile burned, the friends of the dead made libations of (13) wine, standing, and invoked his (14) *Manes*.

IX. When the pile was consumed, they extinguished the fire by pouring (15) wine upon it.

X. Then the relations of the deceased collected his ashes, and his (16) bones.

XI. They washed the bones with wine, and put them into (17) oil.

XII. They were then, with the ashes, locked in an (18) urn.—The urns for that purpose were called in Greek, (19) *Καλπαι* (20) *Κρωσσοι*—(21) *Λαρνακις*—(22) *Θυοθηκαι*—They were of (23) wood, of (24) stone, of (25) silver, and—of (26) gold.

NOTES

## NOTES to CHAP. XXII.

(1) Cicero, de Leg. II. 22.—On the Sicyonian manner of interment, see Pausanias—Corinth. VII. p. 126.—on the Persian manner—Lucian. de Lustu, p. 306. on the Roman—Pliny, VII. 54. on the origin of the custom of burying the dead, see Eustath. ad *Il. A.* p. 32. l. 35.

(2) Cic. de Leg. II. 25.

(3) Ælian. V. H. VII. 19. and V. 14. Plut. Solon. p. 83. E.

(4) Schol. Min. ad *Il. A.* v. 52. Eustath. ad *Il. A.* p. 32. l. 35.

(5) Yet this custom was not indispensable, and was not always observed, as we find by Pausanias, Corinth. vii. p. 126. See Plato. Phæd. § 85.

(6) Hom. *Il. A.* v. 52. *Ω.* v. 786. *Ψ.* v. 145.

(7) Hom. *Od. Ω.* v. 65. *Il. Ψ.* v. 166.

(8) Hom. *Od. Ω.* v. 67. Kirchmann. de Fun. Rom. III. 4, 5.

(9) Lucian. in Nigrin. p. 38. Euripides. Rhes. v. 960.

(10) Hom. *Il. Z.* v. 418. *Od. A.* v. 74.

(11) Hom. *Il. Ψ.* v. 13. *Od. Ω.* v. 68. Apoll. Rhod. v. 1059.

(12) Statius. Theb. VI. 215.

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(13) Hom.

- (13) Hom. *I.* Ψ. v. 220. Lucian. *de Lustu*, p. 305. .
- (14) Hom. *l. c.* Æschyl. *Chæphor.* v. 86. and v. 128.
- (15) Hom. *I.* Ω. v. 791. Ψ. v. 250. Virg. *Æneid.* VI. 227.
- (16) Hom. *I.* Ψ. v. 237. Ω. v. 791. Pind. *Pyth. Od. Antistr.* Γ. v. 7. This was *Οσελογιον*, in *Gloss. Vet.* and *Οσελογια.* Diod. *Sic.* IV. 39. p. 243. In Latin, *offilegium.* See Kirchmann. *De Fun.* III. 6.
- (17) Hom. *Oδ.* Ω. v. 73. Tibull. *III.* 2, 19.
- (18) Hom. *I.* Ψ. v. 243. Ω. v. 795. *Oδ.* Ω. v. 74.
- (19) Herodot. *III.* 15. § 16. *IV.* 1. § 6, 7.
- (20) Moschus. *Idyll.* IV. 34.
- (21) Hom. *I.* Ω. v. 795. *Oδ.* Ω. v. 74. *Αμφιφορῆα.*
- (22) Lycophr. *Cassandr.* v. 367. *Οσοδοχηῖα.* See Kirchmann. *III.* 8.
- (23) Of cedar.
- (24) Xiphil. *Sever.*
- (25) Ammian. *Marcell.* XIX.
- (26) Hom. *I.* Ψ. v. 243. Moschus, *Idyll.* IV. 34.

## C H A P. XXIII.

## Of TOMBS and MONUMENTS.

I. **T**HE Greeks used to inter their dead without their (1) cities, commonly by the (2) sides of their highways, that they might not be polluted by touching a (3) corpse, nor incommoded by its (4) smell.

II. We read, however, that they sometimes buried their dead in an elevated part of a city. But this was an honorary distinction, payed to those who had been of important service to their (5) country.

III. Lycurgus permitted the Lacedæmonians to bury their dead in the city, and even round their (6) temples.

IV. They prayed that the earth might lie light on their friends, and illustrious (7) men—and that on their enemies, and the wicked, it might be (8) heavy and oppressive.

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V. In the early ages their tombs were commonly caverns; their name was, (9) Ὑπογαια.

VI. But in after times they built, with much labour, and expence, monuments of stone—chiefly in honour of (10) great men.

VII. Their ordinary tombs were of earth, and were called, (11) Χωματα.

VIII. Their tombs of stone were polished, whence they took the following names—(12) Ξεσοι ταφοι—and Τυμβοι..

IX. Their tombs were likewise adorned with pillars of stone, termed (13) Στηλοι—on those pillars they engraved (14) inscriptions.

X. They were also frequently adorned with (15) images.

XI. As the object of such monuments was the preservation of the memory of the deceased, the tombs were often called—(16) Μνημεια—(17) Μνηματα—(18) Σηματα.

XII. Besides these sepulchres, which contained corpses, ashes, bones of the  
dead,

dead, they sometimes erected (19) honorary monuments, in which there were neither bodies, nor bones, nor (20) ashes, and which were therefore called, (21) *Κενόταφια*, and (22) *Κενηρία*.

XIII. Of these tombs, some were built in honour of illustrious men interred in other (23) places—and some, in honour of those who had been deprived of sepulture, and whose manes, they imagined, could not rest, unless they raised to them such an empty (24) tomb. They invoked the dead thrice aloud, inviting them to (25) enter these monuments.

NOTES to CHAP. XXIII.

(1) Cic. ad Div. IV. 12. § 9. Liv. XXI. 24. See Kirchmann. II. 20—who says, on Plato's authority, that in the very early ages, they kept the dead in their houses; a custom which was abolished, and subsisted not in the time of Plato.

(2) Eurip. Alcest. v. 835. Rhés. v. 881. Menandr. Fragm. ex Incert. Comœd. n. 258. p. 276. Theocrit. Idyll. VII. 10. Pausan. Attic. II. p. 6.

(3) Eurip.

(3) Eurip. Iphigen. in Taur. v. 380. Lucian. de Deâ Syr. p. 682. Kirchmann. II. 21.

(4) This reason is given by Isidorus, Orig. XIV. c. 11.

(5) Thus the tomb of Themistocles was in the Forum of the Magnesians. Plutarch. Themist. p. 128. C. Thus the Spartans interred Brasidas, from the honour they bore his memory, in their city. The same honour was payed to the remains of Ephron.—Xenoph. Hellen. VII. p. 495. l. 3.

(6) Plutarch. Lycurg. p. 56. B.

(7) Euripides, Alcestid. v. 462.

(8) Callimach. Epigr. XXVIII. p. 203. Kirchmann. III. p. 390.

(9) Hom. Il. Ω. v. 797. and Schol. Etymol. at the word, Ηρεια. Kirchmann. III. 15.

(10) Petron. Matron. Ephes. c. CXI. Cicero. ad Div. IV. 12. Marc. xv. 46. Mat. xxvii. 60. and Saumaife, ad Solin. p. 851.

(11) Euripides, Hecub. v. 221. Hence, χτισση σημα—aggerere. Tumulum. Hom. Il. Ω. v. 801. and χωνυσθαι. See Anthol. III. 14. Epigr. 14. Pausan. VIII. 16. p. 632.

(12) Euripides, Alcestid. v. 836. Helen. v. 992.

(13) Hom. Il. Α. v. 371. P. v. 434. Pind. Nem. Od. X. Epod. Δ. v. 1, 2. calls a pillar of this

this kind—*Λγαλμ' αἶδα, εἰς τὸν πέτρον*—Statuam Plutonium, politum Saxum.

(14) Theophr. Charact. c. XIV. Diog. Laert. I. 48. Callim. Epigr. XVI. p. 196. By a law of Lycurgus, the names only of those who had done some signal service to their country were permitted to be engraven. Plutarch. Lycurg. p. 56. B. These inscriptions were termed, *Ἐπιγραφαί*. Artemid. V. 75. and in Latin, *Tituli*. Ovid. Heroid. XIV. 128.

(15) Thus, on the tomb of Isocrates, there was the figure of a ram and a syren lying upon it. Plutarch. In Decem Oratorib. n. 4. p. 838. on the tomb of Diogenes was a dog of Parian marble. Diog. Laert. VI. 78. on that of Archimedes, a sphere, and a cylinder. Cicer. Tusc. Quæst. V. 23. See, in Pollux, VIII. 7. S. 66.—the figures with which the tombs of girls were adorned.

(16) Lucian. Philopseud. p. 349. Marc. xv. 46.

(17) Theophr. Charact. e. XIV. Pausan. Corinth. XX. p. 156.

(18) Callim. Epigram. XVIII. 4. p. 197. Aristoph. Eccles. v. 1100. Thesmoph. v. 893.

(19) Callim. l. c. Honorarius Tumulus. Sueton. In Claud. c. I. Tumulus inanis, Virg. Æneid. III. 304. VI. 505.

(20) A tomb of this kind Pallas orders Telemachus to raise—Od. A. v. 291. Such a tomb  
Menelaus

Menelaus erected in Egypt after he received the news of the death of his brother Agamemnon. *Od. Δ. v. 584.* See Euripides, in *Helen. v. 1255.*

(21) Suidas, at this word, from which is derived the verb *κνωταφίῳ* Eurip *Hellen. v. 1562.* Lamprid. In *Alexandr. v. 63.*

(22) Lycophr. *Cassandra. v. 370.* and Meurfius, ad h. loc.

(23) The tomb of Euripides was one of these. Pausan. *Attic. II. p. 6.*

(24) Some of these tombs are mentioned by Thucyd. *II. 34.* and by Xenoph. *de Exped. VI. p. 297. l. 54.* In this custom was included the imaginary sepulture of those who had been drowned. Kuhn. ad Paus. *Phocic. c. XXIX. p. 869.* See *Interpr. ad Horat. I. Od. 28.* Festus, at the word *Præcidania.* *Interpres Petron.*

(25) *Hom. Od. I. v. 64.* and Eustath. ad h. l. *p. 235. l. 4.* Pindar. *Pyth. Od. IV. Epod. Z. v. 9.* and Schol. ad h. l. *Virg. Æneid. VI. 506.* This evocation of the manes was termed—*Ψυχαιγωγία.* Eustath. l. c. and this *Psychagogia* differs little from the magical *Psycagogia*, of which we have taken notice in the chapter on Divination.

## C H A P. XXIV.

Of other HONOURS payed to the DEAD.

I. **F**UNERAL orations in praise of the dead were pronounced before their (1) tombs, particularly if they had rendered themselves famous by actions beneficial to their (2) country, if they had died fighting valiantly in (3) battle.

II. (4) Funeral games were instituted in honour of them.

III. After the obsequies there was a feast in the house of the nearest relation of the (5) deceased. This feast was called— (6) Περιδειπνον — (7) Νεκροδειπνον — and (8) Ταφος.

IV. The fragments which fell from the table in this feast, were consecrated to the (9) manes, and carried to the tomb for its (10) sustenance.

V. In the early times silence was enjoined at these feasts; but in the later ages, the guests were permitted to converse

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on the good qualities of the (11) dead— Hence arose a proverbial phrase, by which a bad (12) character was strongly implied—*Ουκ επαινεθεις ουδ' εν περιδεπνω*— You would not be praised even at a funeral entertainment.

VI. Lamps were likewise sometimes burned, in honour of the dead, in subterranean (13) caverns.

VII. It was also customary to strew these tombs with herbs, and flowers, with (15) amaranths, (16) roses, (17) myrtle, but most profusely with (18) parsley; whence came the proverbial expression—*Δεισθαι σελινου*—*Apri ægere*—To signify that a man's disease was (19) desperate.

VIII. Sacrifices were offered, and libations made in (20) cavities dug in the earth.

IX. The sacrifices which they offered to the dead, were, (21) black sheep, and (22) black and barren heifers, from the forehead of which they cut the longest hairs;—The verb to express the cutting of these hairs,

hairs, was — (23) *Ἀπαρχισθαι* — the hairs were termed — (24) *Ἀπάρχαι*.

X. The libations were of (25) blood, (26) water, (27) wine, and (28) milk; but the principal one was (29) honey, which they made a symbol of (30) death. Thus, they thought, they appeased the (31) manes.

XI. The water used for these libations was called — (32) *Χθονιον λουτρον*; or, in one word — (33) *Λουτρον*. Its term at Athens was, (34) *Ἀπονιμμα*.

XII. On the tomb of a child the water was poured by a (35) child; on that of a virgin, by a (36) virgin; and on that of a married man, by a woman, who was called — (37) *Εγχυτρισμα*.

XIII. These sacrifices in honour of the manes were offered on the (38) ninth and (39) thirtieth day after the interment. They were repeated in most of the states of Greece in the month (40) *Anthestiation*.

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XIV. Such were the honours which the Greeks paid to the dead, and which, in their language were termed—(41) Ὀσμια—(42) Δικαια—(43) Νομιζόμενα—by the Latins—(44) *Justa*.

XV. Yet some men they deemed unworthy of sepulture. It was not granted by the Athenians to (45) traitors, and (46) sacrilegious persons.

#### NOTES to CHAP. XXIV.

(1) Lucian. de Luctû, p. 307. See Plutarch. In Poplicol. p. 102. Dion. Halicarn. Archæol. V. p. 291. l. 5.

(2) Dionysius Halic. l. c. l. 30. compares the funeral eulogiums of the Romans with those of the Athenians, and thinks the former more judicious in bestowing their encomiums than the latter.—For the Athenians praised only those who had signalized themselves in war; but the Romans celebrated men of merit in every capacity.

(3) Plato, Menexem. Thucyd. II. 34. Martial virtue is the subject of the Επισταφίος, the funeral

neral oration, which is the second of the orations of Lyfias, p. 17. and of the *Λογος επιταφιος* of Demosthenes, p. 152.

(4) Pausan. Arcad. IV. p. 605, says Azanes, an Arcadian, was the first who was honoured with these games. These games are celebrated in Homer, *Il.* Ψ. v. 274, 680. *Od.* Ω. v. 85. In Thucyd. VIII. and in Plutarch; Timoleon, p. 285. B. &c.

(5) It was the nearest relation of the deceased who gave the feast, though not in his house; but in that of another of his friends. See Demosth. de Coron. p. 335. C. and in Homer. *Il.* X. v. 28. the funeral entertainment of Patroclus is given in the tent of his friend Achilles.

(6) Demosth. de Coron. p. 353. B. Lucian. de Luct. p. 307.

(7) Stob. Serm. 55. p. 227. and Artemid. I. S. expresses it in two words—*Νεκρου Δειπνιον*.

(8) Hom. *Il.* Ψ. *Od.* Γ. v. 309. Hesiod. *Egy.* 735. Græv. Lect. Hesiod. c. XV, p. 76.

(9) Athen. X. 7. p. 427. E. Pythagoras seems to allude to this custom in Diog. Laert. VIII. 34. So does Tibullus, I. 6. v. 17. according to Muretus, and others. See Broukhuf ad h. l.

(10) Terence, Eunuch. III. 2. 38. Catull, Carm. 60. Interpr. ad Plaut. Pseudol. I. 3. 127. Festus, at the word Culina.

(11) Cicero de Leg. II. 25.

(12) Suidas at the phrase, *Ουκ εγκαινεθισης*.

(13) See Petron. c. CXI. This was likewise an Egyptian custom. Herodot. II. p. 157. D.—and a Roman one. Modestin, l. 44. F. De Manum. Testam.

(14) Sophocles. Electr. v. 896.

(15) Philostrat. Heroïc. chap. XIX. p. 741.

(16) Anacreon. Od. LIII. 25. Aristænet. I. Ep. 36. p. 162.

(17) Euripides. Electr. v. 323.

(18) Polyæn. Stratag. V. 12. § 1. Suidas, at the words—*Σελινου σεφανος*.

(19) Plutarch. Timoleon. p. 248. D. Suidas, at the phrases—*Σελινου δειται ο νοσων*—and *του σελιου δειται*.

(20) Hom. Od. Δ. v. 26. calls these libations *Χοαι*. Euripides, Iphig. in Taur. v. 160. Electr. v. 509. To make these libations, is, *Τυμβεισαι χοας*—in Sophocles—Electr. v. 408. See the verses of Cleidemes cited by Athen. IX. 18. p. 410. a.

(21) Euripides. Electr. v. 513. Seneca. OEdipod. v. 556. A.

(22) On the black heifers. See Virg. Æneid. V. 97.

V. 97. VI. 243. on the barren heifers.—Homer, *Od. K. v. 522.*

(23) Hom. *Od. F. v. 445. H. 422.* This verb also signifies, to make the first libations at any sacrifices. See Euripides, *Electr. v. 811.* Sacrifices to the infernal deities were begun in the same manner. Virgil, *Æneid. VI. 245.*

(24) Eurip. *Orest. v. 96.* and Schol. ad h. l.

(25) Eurip. *Iphigen. in Taur. v. 163.*

(26) Sophocles, *Electr. v. 436.* Kirchmann, *de Fun. IV. 2. p. 566.*

(27) Lucian, *de Luctu, p. 305.* Virg. *Æneid. V. 77.*

(28) Eurip. *Orest. v. 115.*

(29) Eurip. *Iphig. in Taur. v. 165, 633.*

(30) Porphyr. *De Antro Nymphar. p. 235. l. 21.*

(31) Euripides—Iphig. in Taur. v. 166. *Æschyl. Chæph. v. 13.*

(32) Hesych. at the words *Χθονια λουτρα.* Suidas, at the same words.

(33) Sophocles, *Electr. v. 436.*

(34) Athen. IX. 18. p. 409. F. Eustath. ad *Od. A. p. 33. l. 46.* *Æschyl. Chæphor. v. 127.* substitutes *Χερνιβας* for *Λουτρα.* See ad h. l. Stanl. p. 818.

(35) Demosthenes, *adv. Leocharem. pag. 673. A.* Harpocrat. at the word *Λουτροφορος.*

(36) Hence, probably, the tombs of virgins were

were adorned with representations of virgins holding ewers in their hands. Pollux, VIII. 7. Segm. 66. Kirchmann, de Fun. IV. 2. p. 567.

(37) Etymol. Magn. at the word *Εγχευρισμια*. Suidas, at the same word. Schol. Aristoph. ad Vesp. v. 388, where we have the word *Εγχευρισμια* instead of *Εγχευρισμια*.

(38) Hence they took the epithet, *ἑνათα*, *Ἡσῆος*, Orat. VII. de Cironis Hæredit. p. 522. In Latin, *Novemdialia*. See Taubmann. Plaut. Aulular. II. 4, 45. There were likewise *Novemdialia* of another kind; expiations which lasted nine days after the appearance of prodigies: these *Novemdialia* are sometimes mentioned by Livy, I. 31. XIX. 14.

(39) Harpocrat. at the word *Τειχιας*. Pollux, I. γ. Segm. 66.

(40) Casaub. Athen. III. 19. p. 120.

(41) Plutarch. In Num. p. 67. E.

(42) Aristot. de Virtut. where speaking of funeral rites, he calls them, *Δικαιοσύνη προς τους κατοικομενους*.

(43) Demosth. Macart. p. 677. B. *Ἡσῆος*, Orat. I. De Cleonymi Hæredit. p. 364.

(44) Cicero, de Leg. II. 22. Heir. Magius. In Var. Lect. II. 119. p. 111.

(45) Diod. Sic. XVIII. 67. p. 642. A. Sophocles,

phocles, Antiq. v. 204. Thucyd. I. 138.  
Scheff. and Kuhn. ad Ælian. V. H. IV. 7.

(46) Xenophon. Hist. Græc. I. p. 351. l. 39.  
Meurf. Them. Attic. II. 2. Pausanias, Lacon.  
c. X. p. 230.

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