

- Kemengh*—A coconut fiddle.  
*Khamsin*—A hot wind of Egypt and the Soudan.  
*Khedive*—The title granted in 1867 by the Sultan of Turkey to the ruler of Egypt.  
*Khiassa*—Small boat.  
*Khowagah*—Gentleman.  
*Koran*—The Scriptures of the Mahommedans.  
*Kourbash*—A stick, a whip.
- Lá iláha illa-lláh*—There is no deity but God.
- Mafish*—Nothing.  
*Magnoon*—Fool.  
*Malaish*—No matter.  
*Mamour*—A magistrate.  
*Mankalah*—A game.  
*Mastaba*—A bench.  
*Mejidich*—A Turkish Order.  
*Mirkaz*—District.  
*Moghassils*—Washers of the dead.  
*Mouffetish*—High steward.  
*Mudir*—A Governor of a Mudi-rich or province.  
*Muezzin*—The sheikh of the mosque who calls to prayer.  
*Mushabich*—Lattice window.
- Naboot*—Quarter staff.  
*Narghileh*—The Oriental tobacco-pipe.  
*Nehar-ak koom sáid*—Greeting to you.  
*Omdah*—The head of a village.  
*Ooster*—One of the best sort.
- Ramadán*—The Mahommedan season of fasting.  
*Reis*—Pilot.
- Saadat el basha*—Excellency.  
*Sáis*—Groom.  
*Sakkia*—Persian water-wheel.  
*Salaam*—A salutation of the East; an obeisance, performed by bowing very low and placing the right palm on the forehead and on the breast.  
*Sarraj*—An accountant.  
*Shadoof*—Bucket and pole used by natives for lifting water.  
*Shá'cr*—A reciter. (The singular of Sho'ara, properly signifying a poet.)  
*Sheikh-el-beled*—Head of a village.  
*Shintiyán*—Very wide trousers, worn by the women of the middle and higher orders.  
*Sitt*—"The Lady."
- Tarboosh*—Fez or native turban.  
*Tarah*—A veil for the head.
- Ulcma*—Learned men.
- Waled*—A boy.  
*Wekeel*—A deputy.  
*Welce*—A favourite of Heaven; colloquially a saint.
- Yashmak*—A veil for the lower part of the face.  
*Yelek*—A long vest or smock, worn over the shirt and shintiyán.  
*Zeriba*—A palisade.