

eagle. The later Coptic form of this word is BARAMOODEH, which at once calls to mind San Lucar de *Barrameda*, a Spanish town on the Guadalquivir, in which was an ancient temple of Phosphorus, who, like Prometheus, brought light from heaven.¹⁹ Still another connection is found in the Indian Perimuda, mentioned by Aelian as a famous place for pearls.²⁰ In SETHRUM, ARCHANDROPOLIS, ANTAEOPOLIS, and ILITHYIA, appear Saturn, Archander, son of Phthius, the latter a name strongly resembling the Egyptian Phthah, Antaeus, son of Terra, and the goddess Ilithyia. In another paper I have called attention to THEBES, PHYLACE and TENTYRA as finding counterparts elsewhere. Mounts CASIUS and TOURRAH are reproduced in the Caucasus and Taurus of other lands. Aderbijan and Karug-sar represent in Persia the Egyptian ATARBECHIS and CERCASORUM. CONOSSO gives Gno'ssus, TAIHPENES Daphne, and ABYDOS is common to the Thebaide and the Troade. There was a BABYLON in Egypt, and a GOSHEN in Palestine; and the Minyae, before they dwelt in Greece, inhabited the wide Middle Egyptian District of MINIEH, and sojourned for a while about Khan Minyeh or Capernaum, on the sea of Galilee. Lofty Rome may owe its origin to those who once dwelt in Egyptian RAMESES, or Palestinian Rama, both of them meaning *the high or lifted up*; and its Romulus might easily pass from a Coptic RAMLIEH, on the east of the Nile, to an Arabic Ram-allah not far from Jerusalem, reproduced again in the Persian story as Roum, now Roumelia, in Turkey. The Palestinian Er Ram and the Egyptian HEROUM are one and the same, doubtless connecting with the Armenian Erzeroum. ATTIKEH *præ* FOSTAT, *Pastu* or *Astu*, where Cairo now is, must not be altogether disconnected from the Indian region of Attock, the Palestinian Athach, and the Greek state, Attica. From a very early period the Arabs were familiar with the name of the Egyptian town ATHRIBIS, as applied to their own Yathrib, and the Greeks of Oeta and Parnassus in vain attempted, by means of *drus*, the oak, and *ops*, a voice, to turn their form Dryopis into the original of the Laureate's "Babbler in the land," the Talking Oak.

Turning from names of places to those of things, the old Egyptian word, UK, presents itself as intimately related to our Saxon equivalent, *week*. CHRIB is the name of the rolling beetle, which encloses its eggs in a ball of manure and earth, and rolls this ball sometimes

¹⁹ Strab. ; l. iii. ; c. i. ; § 2.

²⁰ Aeliani de Animal. xv, 8.