

Hound's-tongue,	Mallow,
Henbane,	Darnel,
Pig-weed,	Poison hemlock,
Quitch grass,	Hop clover,
Nightshade,	Yarrow,
Buttercup,	Wild radish,
Dandelion,	Wild parsnip,
Shepherd's purse,	Chicory,
Wild mustard,	Live-for-ever,
St. John's wort,	Toad-flax,
Chickweed,	Sheep-sorrel,
Purslane,	

and others less noxious. To offset this list we have given Europe the vilest of all weeds, a parasite that sucks up human blood, tobacco. Now if they catch the Colorado beetle of us, it will go far towards paying them off for the rats and the mice, and for other pests in our houses.

“The most attractive and pretty of the British weeds, as the common daisy, of which the poets have made so much, larkspur, which is a pretty cornfield weed, and the scarlet field-poppy which flowers all summer, and is so taking amid the ripening grain, have not immigrated to our shore. Like a certain sweet rusticity and charm of European rural life, they do not thrive readily under our skies. Our fleabane (*Erigeron Canadensis*) has become a common roadside weed in England, and a few other of our native less known plants have gained a foothold in the Old World.

“Poke-weed is a native American, and what a lusty, royal plant it is! It never invades cultivated fields, but hovers about the borders and