Petals.—The leaves of the corolla.

Petiole.—The stalk supporting the blade of the leaf.

Pinnate.—Compound leaves such as the rose.

Pistil.—The central part of the flower consisting of ovary style and stigma. One of the reproductive organs.

Raceme.—A stalk bearing a number of short-stalked flowers until it exhausts itself. Ex. Wallflower.

Radical.—Springing from the root.

Regular.—Petals and sepals equal in size and form.

Sagittate.—Arrow-shaped.

Scape.—A flower stalk which springs directly from the root.

Sepals.—The leaves of the calyx.

Serrate.—Sharp teeth directed forward like a saw.

Sessile.—Leaves without petioles, springing directly from the stalk.

Spathe.—A large sheathing bract-leaf enclosing a flower.

Spike.—Differs from a raceme in the flowers being sessile.

Sporange.—Bag containing spores.

Spores.—The reproductive bodies of flowerless plants.

Spur.—A conical projection from a sepal or petal.

Stamens.—Consist of filament and anther, the anther containing pollen. The third floral row.