lovii, Gray, Pacif. R. Rep. iv. 164, t. 17.—Common in the district around San Francisco Bay, California, and south to Tulare Co.; first coll. by Bigelow.

- M. Douglásii, Gray. Rather coarser: scapes 8 to 20 inches high: head broad; akenes oblong-turbinate, thickish, obviously contracted under the summit, nearly 3 lines long; outermost usually white-villous: paleæ of the pappus ovate to orbicular (2 lines high and often as wide), firm-scarious, commonly imbricated or convolutely overlapping, abruptly acute or retuse at the apex, a half or a third the length of the awn, sometimes glabrous, sometimes densely villous outside.—M. Douglasii & M. cyclocarpha, with var. eriocarpha, Gray, Proc. Am. Acad. ix. 210. Calais Douglasii, DC. Prodr. vii. 85; Hook. & Arn. Bot. Beech. 361. C. cyclocarpha, Gray, Proc. Am. Acad. vi. 552.—W. California, from Humboldt Co. to San Francisco Bay, and southward; perhaps first coll. by Douglas.
- M. platycarpha, Gray, l. c. 'A span to a foot high, slender: head half-inch or less high: proper bracts of involucre rather few and broad (olding): akenes turbinate, tapering gradually from the broad summit to base; outermost densely short-villous: paleæ of the pappus ovate, 2 lines long, somewhat longer than the akene, abruptly acuminate into a short awn or cusp.—Calais platycarpha, Gray, Pacif. R. Rep. l. c.—Hills around San Diego and San Luis Rey, Parry, Cleveland, Pringle, &c. (Lower Calif., Parry, &c.)
- § 4. Nothocalais. Pappus of 20 to 24 narrowly linear-lanceolate silvery-white paleae, occupying two or more series, with obscure mid-nerve, very gradually attenuate into a slender awn: akenes attenuate-fusiform: seed not reaching to the tapering summit: bracts of the oblong-campanulate involucre narrowly lanceolate, nearly equal, in about two series: perennial from a thick caudex. Intermediate between *Microseris* and *Troximon!*—Gray, Proc. Am. Acad. xix. 65.
- M. troximoides, Gray. Acadescent or nearly so: leaves tufted on the caudex, rather fleshy, narrowly linear-lanceolate, entire or undulate, 4 to 6 inches long: scapes a span to a foot high: involucre three-fourths inch high: ligules somewhat elongated: mature akenes half-inch long: pappus somewhat longer, its almost setiform paleae a quarfer of a line wide below.—Proc. Am. Acad. ix. 211.—Wooded hills and open plains, Montana and Idaho (first coll. by Spalding), Washington Terr, and Oregon to N. W. California.
- 220. LEÓNTODON, L. partly, Juss. HAWKBIT. (Λέων, Jion. δδούς, tooth, from the toothed leaves.) Low perennials of the Old World, one naturalized in N. E. America, belonging to section Oporinia, Koch, having simple pappus of a single series of plumose bristles, and the unopened heads not drooping.
- L. AUTUMNÁLIS, E. (FALL DANDELION.) Short, rootstock or caudex priemorse: leaves lanceolated more or less pinnatifid, somewhat pubescent with simple hairs: scapes 5 to 15 inches high, sometimes simple, commonly once to thrice forked: peduncles clavate-thickened under the pubescent much calveulate involucre: akenes all alike.— Apargia autumnalis, Hoffm. Fl. Germ. iv. 113; Schk. Handb. t. 220; Pursh, Fl. ii. 497. Oporinia autumnalis, Don in Edinb. Phil. Jour. vi. 309; DC. Prodr. vii. 108.— In grassy grounds, Newfoundland to E. New England and sparingly to Penn.; fl. June to Nov. (Nat. from Eu.)
- L. III fridge, L., with double pappus, the outer of short naked bristles, and L. III with both kinds of bristles plumose, and a paleaceous crown to outermost akenes, are sparing ballast-weeds at the ports of New York and Philadelphia.
- 220*. PICRIS, L. (Greek name for some bitter herb of this suborder, from πικρός, bitter.) Leafy-stemmed and coarse herbs, chiefly biennials or annuals, and of the Old World, with aspect of the larger kinds of *Hieracium*, rough-bristly, yellow-flowered. Benth. & Hook. Gen. ii. 511. *Picris* & *Helmintha*, Juss. Gen. 170.
 - P. HIERACIOIDES, L. Rather tall, hispid, and some of the bristles minutely glochidiate, corymbosely branched: leaves lanceolate or broader, with partly clasping base, irregularly