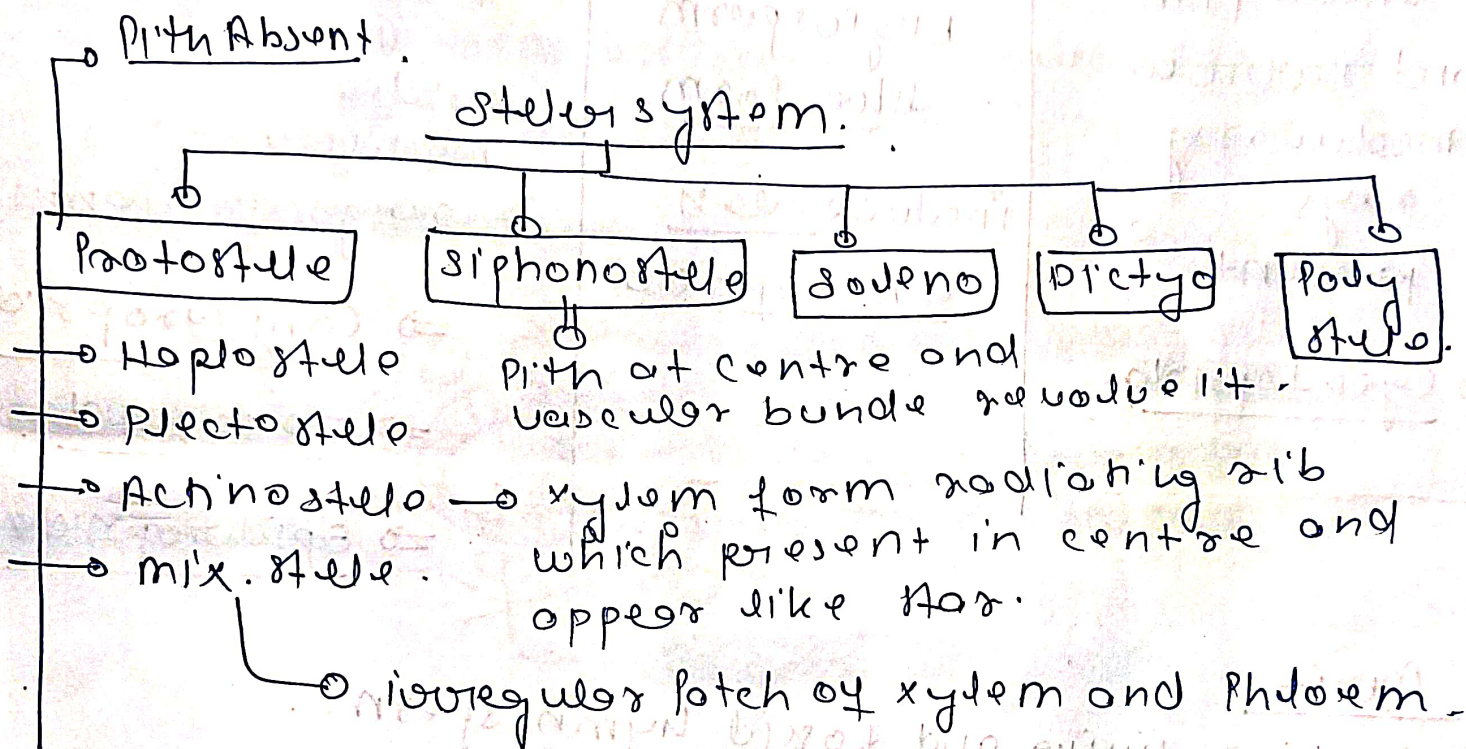


Stele theory.

The stele theory given by Vartighem and Dawlet in 1886.

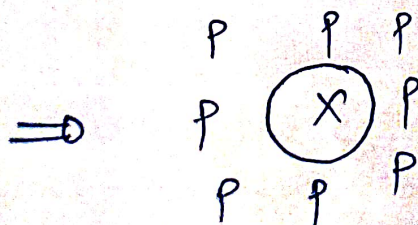
The stele is central part of root and stem comprises conducting tissue (vascular bundle).



① According to theory, The Protostele is most primitive type of stele

In Protostele ⇒ xylem are present in centre and phloem revolve around it.

Protostele present in Lycopodium, Selaginella and in Rhynia stem.



Siphonostele.
⇒ moss-like stem
→ equisetum stem.