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*Empetrum* is a corruption of the plants' Greek name *empetron*, derived from Greek *en* (in, on) and *petro-* (rock) components with reference to the natural habitat.