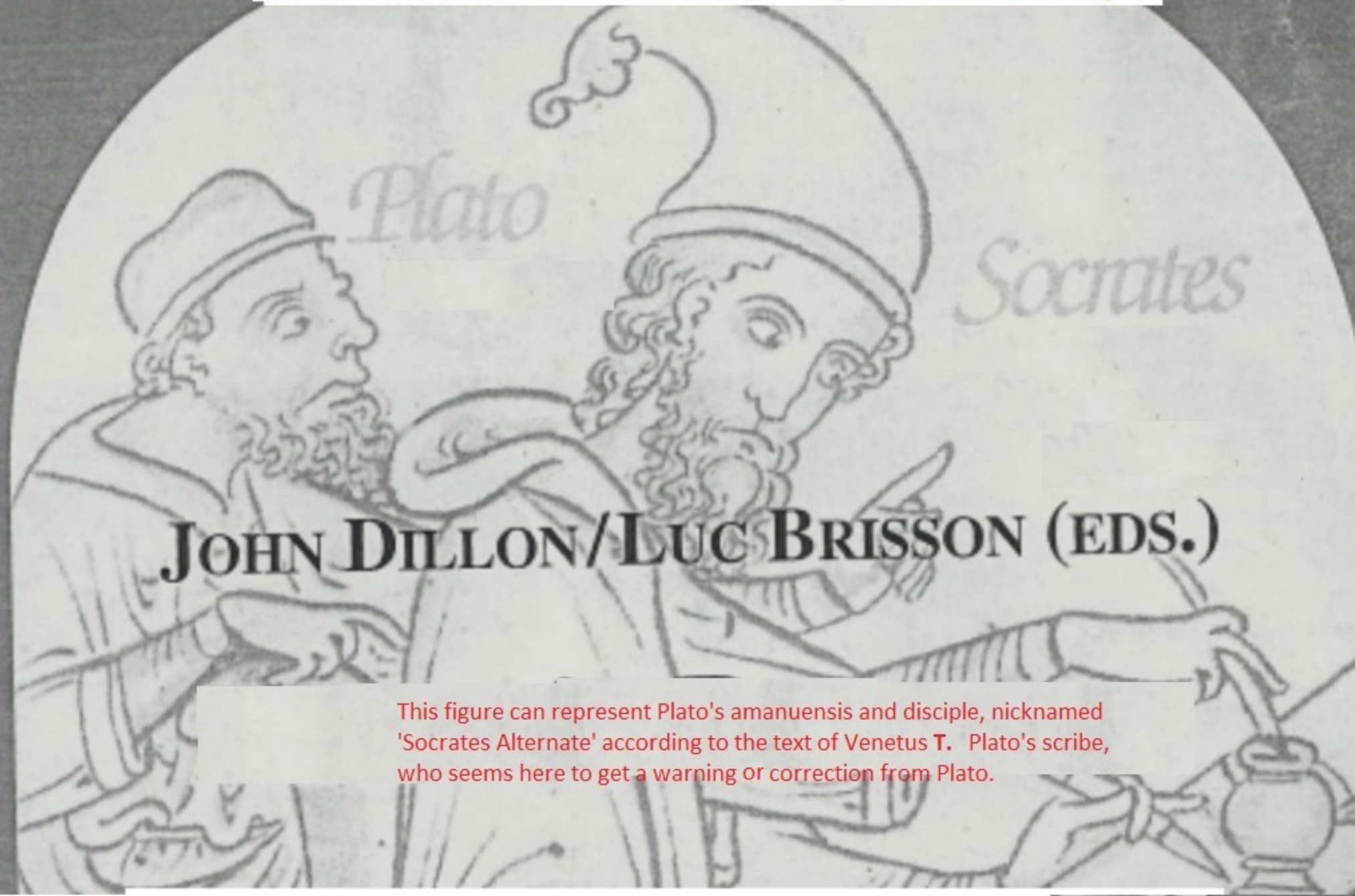


**Epistle II sets a puzzle or enigma: Did Plato in fact NOT write any of the so-called Platonic Corpus ? Thus can all of of it have come from a 'new' Socrates (= "Socrates Allos") ?**



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This figure can represent Plato's amanuensis and disciple, nicknamed 'Socrates Alternate' according to the text of Venetus T. Plato's scribe, who seems here to get a warning or correction from Plato.