

- peuple, *m.*, people.
 peur, *f.*, fear; avoir —, be afraid;
j'avais grand'—, I was very
 much afraid; faire — à, fright-
 en; de — que, fearing lest.
 peut-être, perhaps; — bien, it
 may well be.
 phrase, *f.*, sentence; *pl.*, empty
 talk, circumlocution.
 physionomie, *f.*, physiognomy, as-
 pect, character.
 plailler, scold.
 picorer, pick.
 picoter, prick, make tingle.
 pièce, *f.*, apartment, piece (of
 money), bit.
 pied, *m.*, foot; à —, afoot; sur
 —, standing.
 pierre, *f.*, stone; — de taille, cut-
 stone.
 pierrot, *m.*, sparrow.
 pigeon, *f.*, pigeon.
 pile, *f.*, heap, pile; pier.
 pin, *m.*, pine tree.
 pluie, *f.*, pinch.
 plon, *m.*, wretch; monitor, at-
 tendant.
 pipe, *f.*, pipe.
 pis, worse; le —, the worst;
 tant —! so much the worse!
 de mal en —, from bad to
 worse.
 plié, *f.*, pity.
 pivoter, revolve upon...as upon
 a pivot.
 place, *f.*, open square; place,
 seat, room, space, spot; à leur
 —, in their stead; à ma —, in
 my place.
 placement, *m.*, investment.
 plafond, *m.*, ceiling.
 plaindre, pity; se —, complain.
 plaisir, please; s'il vous plaît, if
 you please.
 plaisanter, jest, joke.
- plaisanterie, *f.*, joke.
 plaisir, *m.*, pleasure, delight;
 faire —, please, delight.
 planche, *f.*, board, plank.
 plancher, *m.*, floor.
 planisphère, *m.*, planisphere.
 plants, *f.*, plant; Jardin des —s,
 Botanical Garden.
 planter, plant; — là, do away
 with, abandon.
 plate-forme, *f.*, platform, terrace.
 plâtras, *m.*, old plaster, rubbish.
 plâtre, *m.*, plaster.
 plein, full, open; covered (with);
comme en — e Cran, as they do
 in mid-Crau; *en — e forêt*, in
 the midst of the forest.
 pleurard, *m.*, weeper, blubberer.
 pleurer, weep, cry; *c'était à en*
 —, it was enough to make one
 cry.
 pliant, *m.*, camp stool.
 plier, fold.
 plisser, plait, fold.
 plomb, *m.*, lead.
 ployer, bend, bow.
 pluie, *f.*, rain.
 plume, *f.*, pen, feather; *sans —s*,
 plucked.
 plumeau, *m.*, feather duster.
 plus, more; le —, the most: ne
 ... —, no longer, no more; de
 —, more, in addition; lui non
 —, he on his part, he either;
 de — en —, more and more;
 — de mots! no more words!
 plutôt, rather; *voyez* —, but see
 for yourself; *demandez* —,
 just ask.
 poche, *f.*, pocket.
 poêle [pwâl], *m.*, stove.
 poêlon, *m.*, skillet, frying pan.
 poids, *m.*, weight, burd *a.*
 poignée [poñé], *f.*, handful; —
 de main, hand-shaking.