

By, past.

Byne, tub—E. *bin*.

Byordiner, extraordinary—*by* and *ordinary*; *by* = beyond, more 'han.

By jua, very, in a great degree. (*See* above.)

Byre, cow-house—A.S. *byre*.

C.

Ca, call.

Ca-the-crack, keep up the conversation.

Ca-our cracks, to converse together.

Callant, young man—Du. *halant*, a customer, chap, lad.

Cankered carles, cross old folks—Icel. *karl*.

Cau'le, candle.

Canna, cannot.

Canny, cautious.

Canty, lively, cheerful—Flem. *hantig*.

Caritchies, catechisms; more particularly the Westminster catechism used by most Presbyterian churches.

Carl, gruff old person—Icel. *karl*, a man of the people.

Cast on, commencement of a piece of knitting.

Cast-up, upbraid.

Cauld, cold—Late A.S. *cald* for earlier W.S. *cauld*.

Cauldrife, chilly—A.S. *cald* and *rif*; Icel. *rifr*, abundant.

Certes, faith—O.F. *certes*; "my certes," by my faith.

Chanoy, not safe, dangerous.

Cheeping, chirping.

Chief, intimate.

Obiala, young fellows—A.S. *cild*, child.

Chucky, a fowl.

Clampersom, awkward—from *claw* *ser*, to tread heavily and *claw* *asily*.

Clavers, idle talk.

Clog, horse-fly—Icel. *hloggi*.

Clocks, beetles.

Cloed, to pelt, to throw clods—M.E. *chelde*.

Cloddin', throwing clods, stones, &c.

Clour, a knock, a blow.

Cogfu', vessel full; cog, a wooden vessel for holding milk, &c.

Comy-tee, committee.

Concoit o' themselves, a favourable opinion of themselves. (*See* N.E.D.)

Cobble-stanes, stones rounded by the action of water.

Coom, dust of peat or coals—M.E. *culme*.

Cole, a haycock.

Coort, to pay one's addresses—F. *faire la cour* *à*, to court. (*Cotgrave*.)

Corp, corpse—F. *corpe*.

Cowt, colt.

Creeel, wicker basket.

Craig, the neck—*crag*. (*Douglas*.)

Craw, crow—A.S. *cradun*.

Creeple, a low stool.

Crony, intimate friend.

Culf, simpleton—*cuf*. (*Burns*.)

Culst, cast—*cast*. (*Burns*.)

Cuttit, cut.

Cutty, a cutty pipe—from E. *cut*, *i.e.*, cut short.

D.

Daft, insane, foolish

Dam-brod, draught-board—Du. *d'am-bord*; cp. F. *damier*.

Dav-rt, an exclamation = I'm dumfounded—from *daver*, to stupefy, benumb.

Daurna, dare not.

Dawtle, darling—cp. M.E. *dawutyn*, *dauntin*, to fondle, O.F. *daunter*, Lat. *domitor*, to tame.

Deave, deaf—a.A.S. *défan* (*alt fan*).

Deavin', deafening.

Deed, indeed.