

hendr e-m, e-m elnar sóttin, *one's illness becomes worse*.

ELPTR (gen. ELPTAR), f. *swan* (= álpt).

ELRI, n., ELRIR (gen. -IS), m. *alder*.

ELRIS-HUNDR, m. *the wind* (poet.).

ELSKA (AÐ), v. *to love* (hann elskaði ekki annat goð meir en Frey); refl., *elskast at e-m, to grow fond of; recipr., to love one another* (höfðu þau Jón elskast frá barnösku).

ELSKA, f. *love* (= ást); hafa elsku á e-m, *to love one*; leggja elsku á e-n or við e-n, *to take a fancy for, to fall in love with one*.

ELSKAN-LIGA, adv. *lovingly*; -LIGR, a. *beloved, lovable*.

ELSKARI, m. *lover* (e. e-s).

ELSKHUGA-MAÐR, m. *lover*, = elskari.

ELSK-HUGI, m. (1) *love*; (2) *beloved person* (minn ágætr elskhugi).

ELSKR, a. *fondly attached to one* (e. at e-m), of persons and animals.

ELSKU-BAND, n. *tie (bond) of love*; -BRAGÐ, n. *deed of love*; -FULLR, a. *full of love*; -GRÁTR, m. *tears of love*; -GREIN, f. *a special kind of love*; -LAUSS, a. *loveless*; -LEYSI, n. *lovelessness*; -LIGA, adv. (1) *lovingly*; (2) *heartily, delightfully*; -LIGR, a. (1) *affectionate*; (2) *beloved, dear* (e. faðir!); *elskuligr e-m, dear to one*; -MARK, n. *token of love*.

ELTA (ELTA, ELTR), v. (1) *to knead* (e. leir); *ek skal yðra búð e. (belabour) með klungrum*; (2) *to chase, pursue*; e. óxn með vendi, *to drive cattle with a goad*; e. sauði, *to run after sheep*; refl., *elast eptir e-m, to pursue eagerly*.

ELTING (pl. -AR), f. *pursuing, chasing*.

EMBÆTTA (-TTA, -TT), v. (1) *to attend, serve, wait upon*, e. e-m (eiga gestum. at e.); e. fé, *to attend to the cattle, to milk*; (2) *to administer the sacrament to one* (e.

e-m).

EMBÆTTI, n. (1) *service*, = þjónosta 1; *veita e-m e., to serve one*; *bindast í e-s e., to enter one's service*; *guðligt e., holy service*; *hefi ek mörg vandræði þolat í þínu e., in your service*; (2) *the sacrament, eucharist*, = þjónosta 3; (3) *office* (biskupligt e.); *bjóða e-m af e., to depose one from office*.

EMBÆTTIS-FÆRR, a. *able to perform one's duties*; -GØRÐ, f. *performance of a (religious) duty*; -LAUSS, a. *holding no office* (of a priest); -MAÐR, m. (1) *servant*; (2) *priest*.

EMENDA (AÐ), EMENDERA (AÐ), v. *to emend* (a book).

EMJA (AÐ), v. *to howl, shriek*.

EMJAN, f. *howling, shrieking*.

EN, conj. (1) *but*; *en heima mun ek sitja, but I will stay at home*; (2) as a copulative, *and*, = ok; *ek kann ráðum, Gunnhildar, en kappsemd Egils, I know the devices of G. and (on the other hand) Egil's eagerness*; (3) = 'an', *than* (óbrigðra vin fær maðr aldregi en mannvit mikit).

EN, in Norse MSS. = ef, er (rel. pron. and temp. conj.); (1) *if*; *sælar væri sálurnar, en þær vissi, if they knew*; (2) as a rel. pron., = er; *mína dóttur, en (= er) allra meyja er fegrst, who is the fairest of all maidens*; (3) *when*, = er, *þá er* (þeir vóru í hjá, *en upp var lesit*).

ENDA, conj. (1) with subj. (a standing phrase in the law connecting the latter clause of a conditional premiss) *if, and if, and in case that, and supposing that*; nú hefir maðr sveinbarn fram fært í æsku, *enda verði sá maðr veginn síðan, þá ..., if a man has brought a boy up in his youth, and it so happens that he (the boy) be slain, then ...*; (2) *even if, although*, with subj.