

-STAÐR, m. *site of a town*; -VEGGR, m. *wall of a fort or town*.

BORGA-SKIPAN, f. *a list of cities*.

BORG-FIRZKR, a. *belonging to the district Borgarfjörðr*, in the west of Iceland.

BORG-HLIÐ, f. = borgarhlið.

BORGIN-ORÐR, a. *cautious in words, reserved*.

BORGIT, pp. n., from bjarga; e-m er b., *one is safe*; era hera at borgnara þótt hœna beri skjöld, *a hare is none the better off than a hen shield him*.

BORG-STAÐR, m. = borgarstaðr.

BORG-VEGGR, m. = borgarveggr.

BOTN (gen. BOTNS or BOTZ, pl. BOTNAR), m. (1) *bottom* (of a vessel, of a haycock, of the sea); (2) *the head of a bay, firch, lake, valley* (fjarðar-, vatns-, dalsbotn).

BOTN-HOLA, f. *pit*, in the phrase, vera kominn í -holu, *to have got into a scrape*.

BÓANDI, m., see 'búandi'.

BÓFI, m. *knave, rogue*, used as a nickname.

BÓGR (gen. BÓGAR, dat. BÆGI; pl. BÆGIR, acc. BÓGU), m. *shoulder* (of an animal).

BÓK (gen. bókar and bækr; pl. bækr), f. (1) *beech, beechtree*; (2) poet. *textile fabric with figures woven in it* (bækr þínar enar bláhvítu); (3) *book*; lesa á b., *to read a book*; rita á b., *setja á bækr, to set down in writing, to put on record*; kunna (festa) et útan bókar, *to know (to get) by heart*; heilög b., *the divine book, the Bible*; (4) *the gospel* (vinna eið at bók; cf. 'bókareidr'); (5) *Latin*; kenna e-m á bók, *to teach one Latin*; nema á b., *to learn Latin*; setja en til bókar, *to put one to school* (in order to make him a priest); hann heitir á b. (*in Latin*) Jaskonius; svá

segir (er sagt) í bókum (*in Latin books*); (6) *lawbook, code of law* (lögþók, Jónsbók).

BÓKA (AÐ), v. *to affirm by oath on the book* (Gospel); bókaðr eiðr = bókareidr.

BÓKA-FULLTING, n. *help derived from books*; -GØRÐ, *writing (transcription) of books*; -KISTA, f. *book-box*; -LÁN, n. *lending of books*; -LESNING, f., LESTR, m. *reading of (Latin) books*; -LIST, f. *book-lore*.

BÓKAR-BLAÐ, n. *leaf of a book*; -EIÐR, m. *oath upon the gospel*; -EIÐSTAFR, m. *wording of a bókareidr*; -GØRÐ, f. *book-writing*; -LAG, n. *lawful price fixed in the code*; -SKEYTING, f. *conveyance of an estate by help of the lawbook*; -TAK, n. *the touching of the gospel* (in taking an oath); -VERÐ, n. *the price of a book*; -VITNI, n. *evidence confirmed by a bókareidr* (= bókát vitni).

BÓKA-SKILNINGR, m. *book-learning*.

BÓKA-STÓLL, m. *a reading, desk, lectern*.

BÓK-FELL, n. *parchment, vellum*; -FRÓÐR, a. *book-learned*; -FRØÐI, f. *book-knowledge, book-lore, learning*; -LAUSS, a. *bookless, unscholarly*; -LAUST, adv. *by heart* (allar ritningar helga man hann laust); -LESTR, m. = bókalestr; -LIGR, a. *literary*; ligar listir, *the liberal arts*; -LIST, m. *book-lore, learning*; -LÆRÐR, pp. *book-learned*; -MÁL, n. (1) *book language, learned language, Latin* (á bók nam ek aldri ok eigi heyrða ek frá máli sagt); (2) *the canon law*; blót þau, sem fyrirboðin eru at máli, *in the canon of the church*; (3) *the Justinian calendar*; at máli, *according to the calendar*; -MÁNAÐR, m. *calendar month*, opp. to the Icel. months; -NÁM, n. *book training, study* (vera at námi, setja en til náms); -NÆMI, n. = nám; -RÚNAR,