one (s. e-m mjöð).

SKENKJARI, m. cup-bearer.

SKENKR, m. a drink to be served at a meal (kom skenkr í stofuna).

SKEPJA (SKAPTA, SKAPTR, neut. SKAPIT), v. = skapa; (1) to shape, form, fashion, create (sá maðr, er guð skapti fyrstan í heim þenna); (2) to devise, procure (konungr sagði, at Þ. hafði þar sjálfr sér laun fyrir skapit).

SKEPNA, f. (1) shape, form (var síðan hverr hennar limr liðr með réttri skepnu); (2) a created thing, creature.

SKEPNU-DAGR, m. day of creation.

SKEPTA (-PTA, -PTR), v. to furnish with a shaft, make a shaft to (s. geira, spjót, örvar).

SKEPTI, n. (1) shaft, handle (var skeptit langt at spjótinu); (2) javelin, = skeptifletta.

SKEPTI-FLETTA, f. a kind of javelin; -AMIÐR, m. shaft-maker.

SKER (gen. pl. SKEZJA), n. rock in the sea, skerry (sigla milli skers ok báru).

SKERA (SKER; SKAR, SKÁRUM; SKO-RINN), v. (1) to cut (beir skáru böndin); s. e-n á háls, to cut one's throat (Karkr bræll skar hann á háls); s. út ór, to cut right through; (2) to slaughter (s. sauði, kálf, kið, dilk, geldinga); (3) to shape, cut (hann skar hár hans ok negl); (4) to cut, mow, reap (s. akr); (5) to carve, cut out (á brúðum stólsins var skorinn Þórr, ok var bat líkneski mikit); (6) s. e-m höfuð, to make faces at one; skapa ok s., to have all the say in a matter; láta skapat s., to let fate decide; (7) with preps. and advs., s. e-t af, to cut off; s. af manni, to be reserved or reticent; skera litt af manni, to speak one's mind; s. niðr kvikfé, to slaughter the live stock (for want of fodder); s. ór e-u, to decide, settle (s. ór vandamálum); nú er þat vili várr, at einn veg skeri ór, that the case be settled; s. upp herör, þingboð, to dispatch a war-arrow, gathering-stick; s. upp akr, to reap a field; (8) refl., skerast, to stretch, branch, of a fjord, valley; fjörðr skarst langt inn í landit, stretched far into the land; höfðarnir skárust á víxl, the headlands stretched across, overlapped one another; s. i setgeira-brockr, to put on a mzn's breeches; ef nökkut skerst í, if anything happens; skarst allt í odda með þeim, þat sem við bar, they fell at odds about everything that happened; s. ór e-u máli, to withdraw (shrink) from a cause (gangi nú allir til mín ok sveri eiða, at engi skerist ór þessu máli); s. undan e-u, to refuse, decline doing a thing (mun lokit okkrum samförum, ef þú skerst undan förinni); s. undan, to hang back (Þeir fýstu hann at sættast, en hann skarst undan).

SKERĐA (-RĐA, -RĐR), v. to diminish.

SKER-GARÐR, m. a belt of rocks in the sea; -GIPR, m. a kind of bird.

SKERJÓTTR, a. full of skerries.

SKERMSL, n. pl. a stretch of, rugged barren ground.

SKER-NÁR, m. a person left to die on a skerry.

SKERPA, f. sharpness; með fyrstu skerpu, in the first access or onslaught.

SKERPINGR, m. sharp effort (róa undan í skerpingi).

SKESSA, f. giantess, witch.

SKESSI-LIGR, a. monstrous.

SKEYPA (-TA, -T), *v. to mock* (menn skeypa at honum ok hæja).

SKEYPI-LIGA, adv. mockingly.

SKEYTA (-TTA, -TTR), v. (1) to transfer, convey a piece of land to another (s. e-m

