goð, álfa, heiðnar vættir, lifandi menn, to worship temple, grove, waterfall, &c.; very rare with dat. (b. goðum); (2) to sacrifice, with dat. of the object sacrificed (b. mönnum ok fé); absol., b. til friðar, sigrs, langlífis, árs, byrjar, to make a sacrifice for peace, victory, long life, good season, fair wind.

BLÓTA (AĐ), v. (1) = blóta (blœt, &c.); (2) to curse, with dat. = 'banna' (bið þú fyr þeim, er þér blóta); absol., to swear; refl., blótast, to go about swearing.

BLÓTAN, f. (1) sacrificing; (2) cursing, swearing.

BLÓT-AUÐIGR, a. rich in sacrifices (auðigt hof); -BISKUP, m. heathen priest; -BOLLI, m. sacrificial bowl; -DÓMR, m. idolatry; -DRYKKJA, f. sacrificial feast; -FÉ, n. sacred or accursed goods; -GIRNI, f. inclination for idolatry; -GODI, m. heathen sacrificing priest; -GRÖF, f. sacrificial pit; -GUĐ, n. heathen god; -GYĐJA, f. heathen priestess; -HAUGR, m. sacrificial mound or cairn; -HOF, n. heathen temple; -Hús, n. heathen house of worship; -HÖFÐINGI, m. heathen chief; -HÖRGR, m. stone altar for sacrifice; -KALFR, m. calf worshipped with sacrifices; -KENNI-MAĐR, m. heathen priest; -KLÆĐI, n. pl. garments worn at sacrifices; -KONA, f. idolatress; -KOPPR, m. = -bolli; -LUNDR, m. sacred grove, heathen place of sacrifice; -MADR, m. heathen worshipper, idolater; -MATR, m. food eaten at the sacrificial feast.

BLÓTNAÐR, m. sacrificing to heathen Gods, idolatry.

BLÓT-NAUT, n. (1) an ox worshipped as in idol; (2) a bull to be sacrificed; -NEYTI, n. (rare) = -naut; -RISI, m. a giant worshipped as an idol.

BLÓTSKAPAR-TÍMI, m. the time of heathenism.

BLÓT-SKAPR (-AR), m. (1) heathen worship, idolatry; (2) things belonging to worship; (3) sacrifice; -skógr, m. sacred or sacrificial forest; -spánn, m. chip used in divination; fella -spán, to consult the gods; -stadr, m. a place of heathen sacrifice; -stallr, m. heathen or sacrificial altar; -tré, n. sacred tree; -stöpull, m. a pillar on which an idol stands; -trygill, m. small sacrificial trough (trog); -veizla, f. sacrificial banquet; -vidr, m. = -lundr; -villa, f. heathenish or idolatrous heresy; -völlr, m. heathen sacrificial field.

BLUNDA (AĐ), v. to shut the eyes (b. báðum augum).

BLUNDR, m. dozing, slumber (occurs as a nickname).

BLUNDSHAKA (AÐ), v. to blink with the eyes; STAFIR, m. pl. soporiferous runes; bregða stöfum, to break the slumberspells. BLYGÐ, f. shame; BLYGÐA (AÐ), v. to put to shame, seduce.

BLYGÐARLAUSS, a. blameless.

BLYS, n. torch.

BLÝ, n. lead (søkkva sem b.); -BAND, n. leaden band; -KLEPPR, m. plummet; -LIGR, a. leaden; -SKEYTI, n. leaden missile; -STEYPTR, pp. cast in lead; -STIKA, f. leaden candlestick; -STOKKR, m. leaden box; -ÞEKJA (see ÞEKJA), v. to roof with lead; ÞUNGI, m. leaden weight.

BLÆJA, f. (1). fine coloured cloth (hon hafði knýtt um sik blæju ok vóru í mörk blá); (2) cover of a bed; koma undir eina blæju, to be married; (3) burial sheet (svipti hon blæju af Sigurði); (4) cover of an altar table.

BLÆJU-ENDI, m. the end of a 'blæja'; -HORN, n. corner of a b.; -HVALR, m. a

