VANTA (AĐ), v. to want, lack; impers. with acc. of the person and thing (e-n vantar e-t); vantaði þá eigi hesta né aðra hluti, they wanted neither horses nor other things.

VAN-TALAT, pp. n. = -mælt; á ek við hvárigan ykkar -talat, I want to speak to neither of you; -talit, pp. n. not fully accounted for, short in the tale; -tempran, f. immoderation; -traust, n. lack of trust; -trú, f. unbelief; -trúaðr, pp. unbelieving; -trúnaðr, m. distrust; -trúr, a. = -trúaðr; -unninn, pp. unfinished; -virða (-rða, -rðr), v. disregard, dishonour, put to shame; -virða, f. disgrace, shame; -virðing, f. disg

VANYFLA-SÓTT, f. habitual illness. VAN-YFLI, n. pl. chronic ailments. VAR-, a prefixed particle, = van-.

VARA (AĐ), v. (1) to warn, caution; v. en við e-u, to caution one against, bid one beware of (þú hefir þat ráð upp tekit, er ek varaða þik mest við); v. sik, to be on one's guard, beware; (2) refl., varast = vara sik (þeir Þorgils vissu sér engis ótta ván ok vörudust ekki); v. af e-u to take warning from (svá at aðrir varist af úförum þinum); v. e-t, to be on one's guard against, shun, take care not to (hann varaðist þat mest at koma við landit); bad jarlinn við v., to be on his guard.

VARA (-ĐI), v. to give (one) a foreboding of; þess varir mik, at, I have a presentiment that; þeir kómu þar jafnan fram, er engi mann varði, where no one expected; bar hann skjótara at en þá varði, sooner than they expected; þá er minnst varir, when one least expects it.

VARA, f. wares, in Norway chiefly of fur (grá-, skinna-vara), in Iceland of wadmal

(vara íslenzk).

VARAN, f. (1) warning; (2) shunning.

VARAR-FELDR, m. a kind of cloak;
-SKINN, n. skin current in trade; -VÁÐ, f.
= vöruváð.

VAR-BOĐIT, pp. n. underbidden, underrated; -BÚINN, pp. unprepared.

VARĐA (AĐ), v. (1) to warrant, guarantee, answer for; v. fyrir e-n, to stand bail for one; ek vil, at Flosi einn varði við mik, my will is that F. alone shall be answerable (for the fines) to me; (2) to bargain for (S. hefir áðr varðat viðinn fyrir þrjú hundruð einlit); (3) to be of importance (ef bér þykkir v. um mína vináttu); v. e-n, to concern one, be of importance to one (at segja þér þat, er þik varðar); v. miklu, litlu, engu, to matter much, little, naught; hann kvað þá engu þat v., said it was no business of theirs; varðar engu um vára aptrkomu, it does not matter whether we come back or not; (4) to guard, watch, defend (v. land, alla vega); v. e-m e-t, to ward a thing off from a person withhold it from him; v. mér bátinn: to forbid me the boat, by force; v. e-m, with infin. to hinder, prevent (varðar hann fé váru at komast yfir ána); (5) to be liable to, punishable by (varðar þat fjörbaugsgarð); hvat varðar, þótt vér reynim, what risk though we try?; v. e-m e-t, to entail as a penalty upon one (spurði, hvat konu varðaði, ef hón væri í brókum jafnan svá sem karlar); v. við lög, to be punishable by law (þat ætla ek við lög v. at vinna á Mikjálsdegi); ok lét v. þriggja marka útlegð, he asked for a fine of three marks; (6) to belong to (sú jörð er klaustrinu varðaði).

VARĐA, f. pile of stones, cairn (hlaða, reisa vörðu).

VARĐ-BERG, n. 'watch-rock', outlook; ve-

