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ba 麻^木 numb, paralysis

Góa ē kha teh (chin) bā. 我的腳^手(很)
麻^痺。 My feet are asleep.

Kha-bā chhiú-pí 手^脚麻^痺 paralysis of
the limbs

bā 裸^貓, 淫^婦 wild cat, harlot, a vile
scolding

āu-bó-bā 狠^{繼母} stepmother harlot, a
vile scolding

ia-bā 野^貓 wild cat, a harlot, a vile
scolding

Ke-lāi nā bō bā, niáu-chhí ē khiau-kha.
家^裏如^果無^有貓^子, 老^鼠就^來跳^腿。

When the cat's away the mice will
play.

bā 碼^分 one yard, three feet

bā (bat) 緊^密, 合^得來^去 shut or cover tight,
fast, get along well

Chit sī^a mng koai^a bē bā (bat). 這^卦扇^門
不能^能關^緊。 This door doesn't close
tightly.

Chit ē ap-á-kòa khám bē bā (bat). 這^卦個^盒
子^蓋不^能緊^密。 The cover on this
box doesn't close tightly.

Chit ē pēng-iú kap goá chin bā (but not
bat). 這^卦個^{朋友}跟^我很^合得^來。
I get along well with this friend.

bā-á 吧^女 bar-girl, barmaid

bā-á 山^貓 wildcat

bā-bā-sí 到^處都^是, all over, all around

Peh-tháu-mo^a kui tháu-khak bā-bā-sí,
boeh tui toh-üi khì chhoah-khí? 白^頭髮^整到^頭都^是? 要^從哪^裡拔^起? There is white hair all over his
head, where are you going to start to
pluck it out.

bā-bin 無^光澤^的 without luster, dull,
matte

bā-bok 麻^木 paralyzed, numbed, palsied

bā-bok-put-jin 麻^木不^仁 numbed, para-
lyzed, unsympathetic, unfeeling

bā-bún-chhio 微^笑 smile

ba-cha-bo^a 泡^妞 fool around with women

bā-chui 麻^醉 anesthetize, to dope

bā-chui-che (ioh) 麻^醉劑^藥 anesthet-
ics

bā-chui-su 麻^醉師 anesthetist

bā-hioh (lai-hioh) 鸟^鷹 chicken hawk

bā-hong-pe^a 麻^瘋病^癆 Hansen's
disease

bā-ioh 麻^藥 narcotic, an anesthetic

bā-ka 不^老實^心, 不^講理^性 dishonest, unre-
asonable

bā-pí 麻^痺 numb, paralysis

kha-chhiú bā-pí 手^腳麻^痺 paralysis of
the limbs

síau-ji-bā-pí 小^兒麻^痺 polio, infantile
paralysis

sim-chóng bā-pí 心^臟麻^痺 heart fail-
ure

bā-pí-pe^a 麻^痺症^症 polio

bā-sia 麻^藥 local anesthetic

bah 肉^肉 meat, flesh, pork if not otherwise
specified, pulp or edible part of fruit,
blade of a knife

ah-bah 鴨^肉 duck meat

chia^a-bah (sán-bah, chhiah-bah) 瘦^肉 lean meat

gǔ-bah 牛^肉 beef

iú^a-bah 羊^肉 mutton

ke-bah 雞^肉 chicken

pui-bah 肥^肉 fat

sam-chán-bah 五^花肉^肉 pork having fat
and lean in alternate layers

ti-bah 豬^肉 pork

bah 密^密 dense, close, intimate, tight

bah-bah 緊^密 very dense, close, inti-
mate, tight

bah-chàng 肉^粽 glutinous rice pastry

stuffed with meat and wrapped in
bamboo leaves, then steamed or boiled

bah-chiap 肉^汁 meat extract, meat juice,
meat broth, gravy

gǔ-bah-chiap 牛^肉肉^汁 beef extract, beef
gravy

bah-chiu^a 肉^醬 meat pulp, mashed meat
cooked with soybean sauce

bah-hú 肉^鬆 dried meat, shredded

bah-iú (ti-iú) 豬^油 lard, fat (particular^y
pork) or oil

bah-kám 性^感 voluptuous, buxom, sexy

bah-ke^a 肉^羹 meat soup

bah-kí 肉^痣 soft flesh-colored mole, wart

bah kiu khí 肌^肉萎^縮 muscular dystro-

phy

bah-ko^a 肉乾² cured meat, dried meatbah-liu^a 肉瘤² fleshy tumor on neck or head, sarcomabah-lo^a 愛¹吃², 肉類² like to eat meatbah-lui^a 肉類² different kinds of meatbah-mi^a 肉麵² vermicelli or noodles flavored with meatbah-oan^a 肉丸² meat ballsbah-pau^a 肉包² meat dumplings, steamed dumplings stuffed with meatbah-phu^a 肉片² sliced meat, meat cut in small pieces, squares or bitsbah-phio^a 肉票² hostage kidnapped for ransombah-pia^a 肉餅² cake stuffed with meat, meat-piebah-pia^a-bin^a 大肥²臉² broad fat face not good-lookingbah-po^a 肉脯² preserved meatbah-sap^a 肉屑² scraps of meatbah-sek^a 肉色² fleshed coloredbah-si^a 肉絲² shredded meatbah-si-mi^a 肉絲²麵² noodles with sliced meatbah-so^a 肉鬆² shredded meatbah-soa^a 羊腸²線² surgical catgutbah-suh^a 巴士², 公共²汽²車² a busbah-tang^a 肉凍² coagulated pork soup or jellybah-tau^a 扁豆² hyacinth beanbah-thng^a 肉湯² meat soup, gravy, consommebah-tiam^a 肉砧², 肉攤² butcher's chopping block, meat stall (in a market)bah-tiam^a 肉店² butcher shopbah-toa^a 豐胸²美女², 肉彈² buxom beauty, a woman with an hour-glass figure, a siren, a bombshellbai^a 魏² ugly, bad, difficultbe-bai^a 不錯² not badbai-chò, phai^a-chò^a 難²做² difficult to dobai^a 埋² bury, secret, lie in waitbai^a 試²試²看², 探² try, make polite inquiries chha khoa^a bai le^a 查²查²看² make minute inquirieschhi khoa^a bai le^a 試²試²看² try, Try it!chiah khoa^a bai le^a 吃²吃²看² tastechò khoa^a bai le^a 做²做²看² try to do itkhì khoa^a bai le^a 去²看²看² go and take a lookphi^a khoa^a bai le^a 聞²聞²看² smell itbai-beng^a 埋²名² conceal one's name, live incognitobai-bi^a 味²道²不好² bad-smellingbai-but^a 埋²沒² conceal from recognition, bury one's talentsbai-but jin-chai^a 埋²沒²人²才² bury one's talent, don't use a subordinate's ability to good advantagebai-chhiu-á^a 左²撇²子² southpaw, a leftybai-chò (phai^a-chò)^a 難²做² difficult to do or makebai-chong^a 埋²葬² bury a corpsebai-chong^a 埋²藏² hide, conceal, bury treasure or weaponsbai-chong-le^a 埋²葬²禮² funeral ceremonybai-hoe^a 不²良²物²品²(人²) goods of poor quality, substandard goods, bad manbai-hok^a 埋²伏² lie or hide in ambushbai-kau^a 不²美², 醜²陋² very uglybai-kau-kau^a 很²醜² very very uglybai-khui^a 運²氣²不好² unluckybai-kioh-siau^a 不²合²群²的² bad actor or actress, unskillful workerbai-kut^a 埋²骨² bury the remainsbai-kut put bai-beng^a 埋²骨²不²埋²名² intern the bones but not his nameBai-lang ai chio kia^a, phai^a-mia-lang ai sing-mia^a. 魏²人²愛²照²鏡², 命²薄²愛²算²命². Ugly people like to look in the mirror, unlucky people like to have their fortune told.bai-lo^a 犯²法²的²路² violate law roadbai-oan^a 埋²怨² bear grudge against, blame, grumble, complainbai-pe^a (tham-pe^a) 探²病² visit the sickbai-song (tham-song)^a弔²喪² inquire about mourning ceremonies, condole with someone on his bereavementbai-tah^a 難²纏² hard to reason withbai-tai^a 壞²事² bad affairsBai-tek chhut ho-sun. 壞²竹²出²好²筍².

Accomplishments of child can be greater than his parents. (Lit. bad bamboo tree produces good bamboo

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shoots.)

bai-thio khó-kán 埋頭苦幹 work with full effort while ignoring other people's criticisms (Lit. bury one's head in a book)

bak 染, 沾 soil, foul, stain, dirty up

bak chit ē mia 沾一個名 said of a man supposed to be doing work, but really idle

bak (bok) 目, 眼睛 the eyes

chhui pá, bak m pa 貪得無厭 the mouth may be satisfied, but the eye is insatiable

te-bak 題目 theme, topic for discussion

bak 木, wood, trees

chhiu-bak 樹木 trees

bak 墨 ink, ink stick

boa-bak 磨墨 rub an ink stick

bak 節 knot in wood, knuckles, bamboo joint

chha-bak 樹木的節 knot in wood

chng-thau-a-bak 指關節 the knuckles at middle of finger

tek-bak 竹節 a bamboo joint

bak-ang (bak-khang-chhiah) 眼紅 covetous, envious

bak-bai 眉毛 the eyebrows

bak-bai-pit 眉筆 eyebrow pencil

bak-bak-tak-tak 零零碎碎 miscellaneous

Hit khoán bak-bak-tak-tak ē khang-khoe
goá bō ai cho. 那種零零碎碎的工作我不要做。I don't like to do work that is only a lot of miscellaneous small jobs.

bak-boe 眼尾, 眼梢 the outer corner of the eye

sai bak-boe 瞥眼, 抛媚眼 cast a side-long glance

bak-boe jiau 眼尾起皺 wrinkles at outer side of eyes, crow's feet

bak-chat-á 鳥賊 squid

bak-chéng, bak-chiu-chéng 眼前, 目前 before the eyes, in sight, at present

M-ka^a toà hau-tiu^a ē bak-chiu-chéng chiah hun. 不敢在學校長的面前吸煙。I don't dare smoke in front of the principal.

bak-chhe^a bak-ng 十分焦急 very anxious

bak-chhek 目測 measure distance with the eyes

bak chheng bi siu 眉清目秀 handsome

bak-chhiú 參與, 干涉 meddle in another's affairs

bak-chhiú^a 木匠 carpenter, carpentry

I sī bak-chhiú^a-ē. I teh chò bak-chhiú^a.

他木匠。He is a carpenter.

sio-bak 較精巧類木工 (傢俱)。

carpenter who makes furniture

toa-bak 較粗大類木工 (蓋房子)。

construction carpenter

bak-chhiú-tiám 木器店 carpenter's shop, cabinet maker's store or establishment

bak-chhui 沾嘴 food around mouth

bak-chiam 麥粒腫 sty on the eyelid

bak-chiap 墨汁 Chinese ink

bak-chit-nih (chit-bak-nih) 一眨眼 twin-kling of an eye, a moment, just a little while (Lit. blink of an eye)

bak-chiu 眼睛 eye

bak-chiu be tng-lun 眼睛不能轉, 直瞪眼。eyes immovable like when about to die, or in a long, steady stare, staring at something

bak-chiu kim 眼睛亮 sharpness of the vision, clear sightedness, a keen eye

bak-chiu kim-kim 睽著眼睛, 眼睛張著 very vivid or lively eyes, brilliant eyes, shiny eyes, spark-eyed

Bak-chiu bō kim, bē-hiau khòa^a hō phái^a lāng. 眼不亮, 不會辨別好壞人。If your eyes are not sharp, you can't tell the difference between good and bad people.

I bak-chiu kim-kim, bō teh khün. 他眼睛著, 沒睡。His eyes are wide open, he's not sleeping.

bak-chiu kòa mng-li 睡眼惺忪 said of a child's eyes not washed in the morning, bleary-eyed

bak-chiu kòa tāu-kài, khòa^a-tioh lāng ē mih to boeh ai. 見了他人類財物就想要佔為己有。He's selfish, every thing he sees, he wants.

bak-chiu peh-khui 張開眼睛 open the eyes

bak-chiu peh-kim 眼睛睜開 open the eyes, wake up

Chit ē gín-á bak-chiu peh-kim chiu boeh chiah pia 這 ^卦 個 ^卦 孩子 ^卦 眼 ^卦 睛 ^卦 一 ^卦 睜 ^卦 開 ^卦 就 ^卦 要 ^卦 吃 ^卦 餅 ^卦 。 As soon as this kid opens his eyes, he wants to eat cookies or cake.
bak-chiu péng-péh 眼 ^卦 睛 ^卦 翻 ^卦 白 ^卦 turning the white of the eyes, as in anger or when about to die
bak-chiu tiām 眼 ^卦 睛 ^卦 刺 ^卦 痛 ^卦 eye is smarting because of a foreign object
bak-chiu tóng-lun 眼 ^卦 睛 ^卦 翻 ^卦 轉 ^卦 eyes turned to show the whites
bak-chiu tōa-sè-lúi 私 ^卦 偏 ^卦 , 不 ^卦 公 ^卦 looking at things with uneven eyes, treat with partiality, partial
bak-chiu phú-phú 眼 ^卦 睛 ^卦 朦 ^卦 朧 ^卦 the eyes become blurred, sight grows dim, eyes not seeing clearly, as from old age, illness, or liquor
bak-chiu áng-á 瞳 ^卦 孔 ^卦 pupil of the eye
bak-chiu bù 眼 ^卦 花 ^卦 vision not clear, blurred vision
bak-chiu bui-bui 瞳 ^卦 瞳 ^卦 眼 ^卦 half open eyes, sleepy or dull eyes, eyes partly closed, bleary-eyed
bak-chiu-chéng 眼 ^卦 前 ^卦 , 目 ^卦 前 ^卦 before the eyes, in sight, at present
bak-chiu ē o-jin 瞳 ^卦 子 ^卦 pupil of the eye
bak-chiu ē peh-jin 眼 ^卦 白 ^卦 white of the eye
bak-chiu hoe-hoe 眼 ^卦 花 ^卦 blurred vision
bak-chiu-jin 眼 ^卦 珠 ^卦 , 眼 ^卦 球 ^卦 the eyeball
bak-chiu-khang (bak-chiu-khū) 眼 ^卦 眶 ^卦 the socket of the eyes
bak-chiu khí ian-ŋ 眼 ^卦 花 ^卦 blurred vision
bak-chiu-khū 眼 ^卦 眶 ^卦 the socket of the eyes
bak-chiu-khut-á (bak-u) 眼 ^卦 窩 ^卦 eye-socket
bak-chiu lāi 眼 ^卦 光 ^卦 銳 ^卦 利 ^卦 sharpness of the vision, clear sightedness, keen eye
I bak-chiu chin lai, hiah hñg chiu ū khoa-tioh góa 他 ^卦 眼 ^卦 光 ^卦 很 ^卦 銳 ^卦 利 ^卦 , 那 ^卦 麼 ^卦 遠 ^卦 就 ^卦 看 ^卦 到 ^卦 我 ^卦 。 His vision is very good, he saw me from far away.
I bak-chiu chin lai, hō-í bē phian-tit. 他 ^卦 眼 ^卦 光 ^卦 很 ^卦 銳 ^卦 利 ^卦 , 你 ^卦 騙 ^卦 不 ^卦 了 ^卦 的 ^卦 。 His eyes are very sharp, you cannot cheat him.
bak-chiu-mo' (bak-chiu-mo') 睫 ^卦 毛 ^卦 eyelashes
bak-chiu-mo' tó-chhah 倒 ^卦 睫 ^卦 eyelash in

the eye
bak-chiu nih-chhiauh nih-chhiauh 乾 ^卦 瞪 ^卦 公 ^卦 眼 ^卦 , 莽 ^卦 巴 ^卦 巴 ^卦 地 ^卦 blink in fear, amazement, loss or disappointment, blink back tears
bak-chiu pang-kheh 閉 ^卦 上 ^卦 眼 ^卦 睛 ^卦 shut the eyes
bak-chiu-phoe 眼 ^卦 皮 ^卦 eyelid
bak-chiu siap 眼 ^卦 睛 ^卦 濕 ^卦 tired eyes, eyes drooping with sleep, sleepy eyes, drowsiness
Góa bak-chiu chin siap, chin ai-khùn. 我 ^卦 很 ^卦 眼 ^卦 濕 ^卦 , 想 ^卦 睡 ^卦 極 ^卦 了 ^卦 。 My eyes are drooping, I am very sleepy.
bak-chiu teng-sún 雙 ^卦 眼 ^卦 皮 ^卦 double eyelid
bak-chiu thap-thap 眼 ^卦 窩 ^卦 內 ^卦 凹 ^卦 deep-set or sunken eyes, eyes with bags under them
I nā bö bin, bak-chiu chiu thap-thap. 他 ^卦 睡 ^卦 眠 ^卦 一 ^卦 不足 ^卦 , 眼 ^卦 窩 ^卦 就 ^卦 內 ^卦 凹 ^卦 。 If he is short of sleep, he has bags under his eyes.
bak-chiu tiāu-tiāu 吊 ^卦 眼 ^卦 , 斜 ^卦 眼 ^卦 eyes staring upwards (when about to die)
bak-chiu tún 眼 ^卦 力 ^卦 遲 ^卦 鈍 ^卦 not good at recognizing things
bak-chuí 玩 ^卦 水 ^卦 dabbling in water
bak-chuí 墨 ^卦 水 ^卦 ink
bak-ham 眼 ^卦 疔 ^卦 , 眼 ^卦 皮 ^卦 swollen eyelids
bak-hoe 眼 ^卦 花 ^卦 eye dim
bak-ioh 眼 ^卦 藥 ^卦 medicine for the eyes
bak-ioh-chuí 眼 ^卦 藥 ^卦 水 ^卦 eye-lotion, eyewash
bak-ioh-ko 眼 ^卦 藥 ^卦 膏 ^卦 eye-ointment
bak-iú 眼 ^卦 水 ^卦 , 眼 ^卦 淚 ^卦 tears caused by cold or smoke
Hun kah lău bak-iú. 燻 ^卦 得 ^卦 流 ^卦 眼 ^卦 水 ^卦 。 It's so smoky that tears come into my eyes
bak-kang 木 ^卦 工 ^卦 woodwork, carpentry
bak-kha-bak-chhiu 沾 ^卦 手 ^卦 沾 ^卦 腳 ^卦 can't do much
bak-khang-chhiah (bak-áng) 眼 ^卦 紅 ^卦 covetous, envious
bak-kho 眼 ^卦 眶 ^卦 eye area including bags under the eyes
bak-ki' 眼 ^卦 眶 ^卦 , 眼 ^卦 圈 ^卦 the edges of the eyelids
áng-bak-ki" 紅 ^卦 眼 ^卦 眶 ^卦 the edges of the

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eyelids watery and inflamed, bleary-eyed
bak-kia 眼_レ鏡_カ eye-glasses, spectacles
kōa bak-kia 戴_ル眼_レ鏡_カ wear spectacles, glasses
bak-kia ap-á 眼_レ鏡_カ盒_カ子_カ eye glass box or case
bak-kia-jin 眼_レ鏡_カ片_カ eye glass lens
bak-kia-kheng 眼_レ鏡_カ框_カ frame of eye glasses
bak-kiah (chhā-kiah) 木_レ屐_カ wooden clogs or wooden shoes worn in Taiwan
bak-kim 眼_レ力_カ eyesight vision
bak-kim e láng 好_ル眼_レ力_カ person who has good eyesight vision
bak-kng 眼_レ亮_カ的_カ eyes capable of vision
bak-kng e láng 能_ル視_カ的_カ人_カ man who can see, not blind
bak lă-săm (phah lă-săm) 沾_ク汚_カ soil, defile
bak-ní (bak-ní-hoe) 茉_ム莉_カ white jasmine
bak-nih 一_レ瞬_カ間_カ in the twinkle of an eye
bak-o (u) 眼_レ窩_カ eye socket
chhim bak-o 深_ク眼_レ窩_カ deep eye socket
bak-poá 硯_カ台_カ ordinary old type of Chinese ink stand, on which bar ink is ground and mixed with water
bak-sa-sí 微_ク睡_カ doze
bak-sai 眼_レ淚_カ tears
lău bak-sái 流_ク眼_レ淚_カ weep
bak-sái chhé-chhé tò (bak-sái tih-be-fí) 涙_カ
 下_カ如_ク雨_カ tears flowing abundantly
bak-sái chò pñg thun 以_ク涙_カ當_ク飯_カ吞_ク
 having tears for meat
bak-sái-ko 眼_レ屎_カ eye mucus
bak-sat 臭_ク蟲_カ, 蟲_カ bed-bug
bak-sek 眼_レ色_カ expression in one's eyes indicating one's intention or wish
bak-sek 眼_レ識_カ, 眼_レ力_カ power of calculating or recognizing at a glance
hó bak-sek 有_ク眼_レ力_カ have the power of calculating or recognizing at a glance
phái bak-sek 眼_レ力_カ差_カ poor at recognizing
bak-sek bak-sek (bin-sek bin-sek) 有_ク點_カ
 眼_レ熟_カ slightly acquainted, somewhat familiar
bak-sek kha 眼_レ力_カ好_ク quick at understanding or imitating

bak-sín 眼_レ神_カ expression of the eyes, luster or brightness of the eyes
Hit e gín-á bak-sín chin oáh 那_ク個_カ孩_カ子_カ眼_レ神_カ靈_カ活_カ。 The expression in that kid's eyes is very bright.
bak-sín oah-tang 眼_レ神_カ靈_カ活_カ eyes full of fire, intelligence, and animation
bak-tăm 沾_ク濕_カ soil by wetting
bak-tang bak-sai 沾_ク這_カ沾_ク那_カ covered with all sorts of filth
bak-tau 墨_カ斗_カ ink utensil used by the carpenter to make markings
bak-te 起_ク眼_レ personality
bak-thău 眼_レ界_カ inner corner of the eye
bak-thău khá 眼_レ識_カ好_ク skilful at recognizing or calculating at a glance
bak-thău koán 眼_レ界_カ高_カ, 勢_カ力_カ眼_レ proudly looking down on people, as on poor relatives
bak-tioh 沾_ク到_カ be soiled with
bak-tioh bak-chuí 沾_ク到_カ墨_カ水_カ be soiled with ink
bak-tioh iú 沾_ク到_カ油_カ be soiled with oil or grease
bak-tioh lah-sap 沾_ク到_カ髪_カ東_カ西_カ be soiled with filth
bak-u 眼_レ窩_カ eye socket
bak-u chhim 深_ク眼_レ窩_カ having deep-set eyes
bán 摘_ク, 採_ク, 拔_ク pull or draw out nail or tooth, pluck fruit or flower
bán (boán) 挽_ク pull, restore
bán 蠻_カ indolent, neglect one's duty, barbarous
íá-bán 野_カ蠻_カ savageness, barbarism, uncivilized, wild
bān 萬_カ ten thousand, large numbers, myriad, all, very, extremely, absolutely
cháp-bán 拾_ク萬_カ a hundred thousand
chít pah-bán 一_レ百_カ萬_カ a million
chít chheng-bán 一_レ千_カ萬_カ ten million
bān 慢_ク slow, leisurely, negligent, haughty, disrespectful
ham-bán 笨_ク clumsy, wanting in ability
khah bān le 慢_ク點_カ兒_カ Slower! Slow down a bit!
bān 漫_ク overflowing, set loose, uncontrolled, uninhibited, reckless, wild, unsystem-

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a war, are you going to return to the USA?

bān-iú 萬々有々 all things

bān-iú chi Chú 萬々有々之*主* Lord over all

bān-iú chi siōng 萬々有々之*上* above all things

bān-iú 漫々遊々 tour without a serious purpose, travel about for pleasure

bān-iú ín-lék 萬々有々引々力* gravitation

bān-jin-thióng 萬々人*塚* mass burial ground or grave

bān kek bān (kín kek kín) 慢*極*慢*(快*極*快*) hard to do

bān-kha bān-chhiú 慢*手*慢*腳* slow in doing things, slow moving, sluggish, slothful

bān-khui 慢*一*步* very slow in doing something

bān-kia^a, bān-bān-á-kia^a 慢*走*, 再*見* walk slowly, good-bye

bān-kiú 挽*救* save a situation or failing concern

ban-ko^c 最*小*的*姑*媽* youngest aunt

bān-kó^c 萬*古* extremely ancient times

bān-kó^c liú-hong 萬*古*流*芳* good name that will last forever

bān-kó^c liú-thoán 萬*古*流*傳* tradition which flows or comes down from antiquity, a matter which will be handed down forever

bān-kó^c-siōng-sin 萬*古*常*新* from ancient times always new

bán-koa (boán-koa) 轓*歌* funeral dirges

bán-koán 萬*貴* very rich, wealthy

bán-koán ka-chái 萬*貴*家*財* very rich, wealthy

bán-koe chhiú-tín 摘*瓜*抽*藤* trace the vine and get a melon, get a clue and follow it up step by step, so as to learn the truth of a matter

bán kóe-chí 摘*水*果* pick fruits

bán-kok 萬*國* all nations, all countries, all kingdoms

Bán-kok im-phiau 萬*國*音*標* International Phonetic Alphabet

Bán-kok kong-hoat 萬*國*公*法* International Law

bān-lái 晚*來*遲*到* come late

Bán-lám 閩*南* south Fukien

bān-lán 萬*難* extremely difficult, well-nigh impossible

bān-léng 萬*能* omnipotent, almighty, serving all purposes

bān-léng-jōh 萬*靈*藥* a cure-all, wonder drug

bān-léng phok-sū 萬*能*博*士* Mr. know-it-all

bān-léng-só 萬*能*鎖* skeleton key

bān-lí 萬*里* ten thousand miles, an incalculable distance

bān-lí bǔ-hún 萬*里*無*雲* cloudless

bān-lí phêng-thêng 萬*里*鵬*程* an expression used to congratulate someone or give him your best wishes, (Lit. very promising, future unlimited)

bān-lí tiōng-cheng 萬*里*長*征* launch a military expedition very far away, embark on a long journey

bān-lí tñg-sia^a 萬*里*長*城* the great wall of China, the wall ten thousand miles long

bān-liām kū-hoe 萬*念*俱*灰* completely discouraged, extremely pessimistic, totally devoid of ambition and hope

bán-lián 輓*聯* scrolls written in memory of a friend and sent to his funeral

bán-lián-chheng 萬*年*青* Chinese evergreen

bán-lián kíu-oán 萬*年*久*遠* lasting very long, perpetual, eternal

bán-lián-lék 萬*年*曆* calendar designed for use over many years

bán-lián-pit 鋼*筆* fountain pen

bán-liú 挽*留* request to stay

bán-má 謾*罵* abuse or slander at random

bán-mé 痙*攣* convulsions

bán-mo^c 拔*毛* pluck out hair or feathers from animals

bán-ní 萬*年* ten thousand years, a very long period of time

bán-oē 漫*畫* cartoons

bán-oē-ka 漫*畫*家* cartoonist

bán-ok 萬*惡* all the evils, extremely evil

bán-ok im üí siú 萬*惡*淫*為*首* Lewdness is the worst of all sins.

Bán-ōng chi Ông 萬*王*之* King of

kings	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-pah-hāng 事多如牛毛 very many	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
Bān-pang 萬邦 All nations	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-phāu 慢跑 jog	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-phēng 漫評 rambling comments	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-phoe 蠻鈍, 很皮 thick skinned, incorrigible, unruly, naughty, a whippersnapper	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-pit 漫筆 familiar essay	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-pō 踪步 ramble, stroll, saunter	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-poa 萬般 all, every, various, extremely, in many different ways	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-pōe, chít bān-pōe 萬倍 ten thousand-fold	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-put-lēng 萬不能 most impossible of all impossibilities, a metaphysical impossibility	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān put-tek-i 萬不得已 be forced to do it, to have no alternative	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-san phian-iá 漫山遍野 found everywhere (Lit. so numerous it covers the mountains and the plains)	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-sè (bān-si) 萬世 for all ages, generation after generation	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-sè bān-tai 萬世萬代 for all generations, throughout all ages	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-sè chi-āu 萬世之後 down to endless posterity, after countless generations	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-seng 慢性 chronic disease, sluggish disposition	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
Hit ē láng chin bān-seng. 那個人是慢性的子。He is very slow.	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-seng bōng-tng-iām 慢性盲腸炎 chronic appendicitis	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
Bān-seng-chiat (Chu-seng-chiat) 萬聖節 (諸聖節) All Saints Day, Nov. 1	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-seng (bān-seng) ē pē 慢性病 chronic disease	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-sí it-seng 萬死一生 very slim chance of keeping oneself alive, very risky, very lucky to escape death	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-siān-tōng 做事慢半拍, 萬善堂 slowpoke, container or place for placing bones of deceased that are not picked up by relatives	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
bān-siōng 萬象 the countless aspects or forms of the world and natural phenomena	bān-siōng keng-sin 萬象更新 all things change from old to new, a new year, (ever ancient, ever new)
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bān-siu 萬壽 emperor's birthday	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-soe 萬歲 Hurrah! Viva! Long live	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-su 萬事 all things, everything	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-su-chiok 萬事足 well satisfied	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-su-hiu 萬事休 all is lost for a person, all things cease at death	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-su jū-i 萬事如意 everything succeeded just as desired - the fulfillment of every wish or desire	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
Chiok lí bān-su jū-i. 祝你萬事如意。May everything goes as you would like.	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-su put jū-i 萬事不如意 everything did not go as planned	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-su pai-thok 萬事拜託 Please help in all matters.	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-su thong 萬事通 jack-of-all-trades	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
Bān-su to iú thi. 萬事都由天。Everything comes from heaven.	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
Bān-su to iú thi, poan-tiám put iú jin. 萬事都由天, 半點都不由人。All comes from heaven, nothing from people.	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-tai 萬代 endless generations afterward, eternity	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-tam 漫談 casual comment, rambling talk	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-tang 二期作 the second rice harvest	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-te 採茶 pick tea leaves	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-thai 慢待 treat a guest rudely or discourteously (self-deprecating phrase often used in a polite conversation to indicate your guest deserves better treatment)	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
Bān-thai, bān-thai. 慢待, 慢待!	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
Excuse me for my poor hospitality!	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-tho 饅頭 steamed bun	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-thun-thun 慢吞吞 irritably slow, exasperatingly slow	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-tiāu 慢調 slow movement in music	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-tng chhim-khe 萬丈深淵 an abyss ten thousand feet deep, a very deep abyss	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!
bān-toan 萬端 all kinds of matters	bān-siu bū-kiong 萬壽無疆 May you attain boundless longevity!

B**ban-tōng-chok** 慢ムカシ動作ウカツ slow motion**báng** 蚊ムカシ子コノシ mosquito**hun-báng** 煙スモーク蚊ムカシ子コノシ drive away
mosquitoes by smoke**o-su-báng-á** 蚊ムカシ gnats**bāng** 望ムカシ hope, prospect, to hope, expect**Góa teh bāng i lái.** 我ワタシ望ムカシ著シテ他タガ來ル. I
hope he comes.**bō-bāng** 沒ムカシ有リ希望ムカシ hopeless**ū-bāng** 有リ希望ムカシ hopeful, promising**hi-bāng, hi-bōng** 希ムカシ望ムカシ hope, a hope**sit-bāng, sit-bōng** 失ミセス望ムカシ disappointment,
be disappointed**bāng** 網ムカシ catch with a net, a net, web, net-
work**chít níá bāng-á** 一イチ件ヒト網ムカシ子コノシ a net**thih-soá"-bāng** 鐵絲網ムカシ wire netting**ti-tu-bāng** 蜘蛛網ムカシ cobweb**bāng** 夢ムカシ dream**bīn-bāng (chò-bāng)** 作夢ムカシ dream**hó (phái")-bāng** 好ムカシ(惡アバウト) 夢ムカシ good dream,
bad or terrible dream**bāng-á** 蚊ムカシ子コノシ mosquito**bāng-á** 網ムカシ子コノシ net**bāng-á-chuí** 殺蟲液ムカシ insect spray**bāng-á-hiu° (bāng-á-hun)** 蚊ムカシ香ヒュウガ sort of
drug burned to drive away mosquitoes**bāng-á-míng** 網ムカシ門ムカシ, 網ムカシ屏ムカシ screen door**bāng-á tēng gǔ-kak** 蚊ムカシ子コノシ螯ムカシ牛ムカシ角ムカシ; 不ムカシ在ムカシ
乎ムカシ doesn't feel it, only slightly
affected, remains unperturbed (Lit. a
mosquito to stings a bull's horn)**Báng-á teng lán-phah, phái" phah.** 蚊ムカシ子コノシ
螯ムカシ陰ムカシ囊ムカシ, 難ムカシ打ムカシ; 棘ムカシ手ムカシ. be in
dilemma, be driven to the wall (Lit.
When a mosquito stings you in the
scrotum, you have to be very careful
how you go about swatting it.)**bang-bang (bang-bang-á)** 細ムカシ小ムカシ, 濛ムカシ濛ムカシ
very small (as rain)**hō-á bang-bang** 細ムカシ雨ムカシ濛ムカシ It drizzles
bang-bang-á-ho° 毛ムカシ毛ムカシ雨ムカシ drizzle**bāng-bāng** 醉ムカシ酒ムカシ drunk**bāng-chè-bāng-lō** 網ムカシ際ムカシ網ムカシ路ムカシ Internet**bāng chíau-á** 網ムカシ鳥ムカシ catch birds with a net**bāng-hí** 網ムカシ魚ムカシ catch fish with a net**bāng-hiong** 夢ムカシ鄉ムカシ asleep, dreamland, slum-
ber**bāng-iú-chèng** 夢ムカシ遊ムカシ症ムカシ somnambulism,
sleep walking**bāng-kéng** 夢ムカシ境ムカシ within a dream**bāng-ki"** 夢ムカシ見ムカシ dream**bāng-ki" chít ē bāng** 做ムカシ了ムカシ一個ムカシ夢ムカシ
dream a dream**bāng-kiú** 網ムカシ球ムカシ tennis**bāng-kiú-tiú"** 網ムカシ球ムカシ場ムカシ tennis court**bāng ok-bāng (chò phái"-bāng)** 做ムカシ惡アバウト夢ムカシ
have a nightmare**bāng-se (-iú)** 網ムカシ狀ムカシ的ムカシ豬油ムカシ membrane
enclosing a pig's inner organs**bāng-sut-á** 蚊ムカシ拂ムカシ子コノシ flapper for hitting
mosquitoes**bāng-tá** 蚊ムカシ帳ムカシ mosquito net**bāng-tá-li** 蚊ムカシ帳ムカシ簾ムカシ ornamental cloth round
the top of a mosquito curtain**bāng-thǎng** 蚊ムカシ子コノシ, 蒼ムカシ蠅ムカシ等ムカシ小ムカシ蟲ムカシ bugs,
insects**bāng-tiong** 夢ムカシ中ムカシ in a dream**bāng-tiong-jín** 夢ムカシ中ムカシ人ムカシ sweetheart**bāng-tui** 網ムカシ錘ムカシ small weights for sinking
nets**bat (lāng ē) jǐn-chéng** 知ムカシ恩ムカシ know or understand
the value of being grateful,
know how to show gratitude**mī-bat jǐn-chéng** 忘ムカシ恩ムカシ ungrateful**bat (ū) khí-koe** 去ムカシ過ムカシ I have been there.**bat 識** know, recognize, be acquainted with,
understand**mī-bat 不ムカシ知ムカシ, 不ムカシ認ムカシ識** do not know,
cannot understand**bat 曾ムカシ經ムカシ** have had the experience of**mī-bat 未ムカシ曾ムカシ** have not had the experience
of**bat 密ムカシ secretly, closely****chèng khah bát lè** 種ムカシ密ムカシ一ムカシ點ムカシ plant
closer together**chhàng khah bát lè** 藏ムカシ密ムカシ一ムカシ點ムカシ hide it
more secretly**khòng khah bát lè** 放ムカシ擠ムカシ一ムカシ點ムカシ put closer
together, hide it more secretly**khía khah bát lè** 站ムカシ緊ムカシ一ムカシ點ムカシ stand
closer together**bat-bē-thau** 不ムカシ能ムカシ盡ムカシ知ムカシ can't know thor-
oughly**bat bō kau** 學ムカシ得ムカシ不ムカシ夠ムカシ do not know suffi-
ciently

bat-chat 密_少不_少通_少風_少 be airtight

bat chiah 吃_少過_少 have the experience of eating

Lí bat chiah ōng-lái bō? 你_少吃_少過_少鳳_少梨_少嗎_少? Have you ever eaten pineapples?

Góa bat chiah. 我_少吃_少過_少 I have eaten it.

bat-chiuhs-chiuhs 密_少不_少透_少風_少 close, closed, secluded closely, woven, dense cloud, tight fitting

bat hó-phái^a 能_少辨_少善_少惡_少 know the difference between good and evil

bat-hoe 識_少貨_少 know the real quality of goods or merchandise, know how to buy things

bat-ji 識_少字_少 know characters, be able to read, be educated

bat kah ū sín (chhun) 很_少熟_少識_少 know very thoroughly, as a man's whole character

bat khì 去_少過_少, 曾_少去_少 have the experience of going

Lí bat khì Tāi-pak bō? 你_少去_少過_少台_少北_少嗎_少? Did you ever go to Taipei?

Bat, góa bat khì. 去_少過_少, 我_少去_少過_少。 Yes, I have been there.

M-bat, góa m-bat khì. 沒_少有_少, 我_少沒_少去_少過_少。 No, I have never been there.

bat-lang 識_少人_少 know a person thoroughly

bat-lang m-bat mia 認_少得_少人_少, 却_少不知_少其_少名_少。 recognize a person but not remember his or her name

bat-lé 識_少禮_少, 識_少大_少體_少 acquainted with the rules of etiquette

bat-lō 識_少路_少 know the road

bat-po 識_少寶_少, 識_少貨_少 know the value of things, have a sense of values

bat-sat 臭_少虫_少 bed bug

bat-sat chiah kheh 主_少人_少反_少被_少客_少人_少招_少待_少 the bed bug eats the guest - said by one when the guest offers cigarette to the host

bat-siu^a 會_少辨_少別_少是_少非_少, 懂_少事_少 diligent at work and regular in behavior, (as boy or lad), discerning, discreet

m-bat siu^a 不_少會_少辨_少別_少是_少非_少 undiscerning, indiscreet

Bat-sng m-bat ti, thio-bí bé han-chi. 會_少

算_少不_少會_少除_少, 賣_少米_少買_少蕃_少薯_少; 計_少算_少不_少精_少, 以_少好_少換_少錢_少。 He is very stupid in business dealings.

bat-su 懂_少事_少 familiar with human affairs (said of the young who understand life fast)

Bat thai-ti chiah chai-ia^a to-lō. 曾_少殺_少豬_少才_少知_少道_少刀_少法_少。 learn by experience (Idiom. He who slaughters pigs knows how meat should be cut.)

bat thau-thau 識_少透_少 know thoroughly

bat be-thau 識_少不_少透_少 doesn't know all the ramifications

báu 賺_少 make profit, gain

Kin-lai chiám-jián ū báu ē khoán, chheng kah kui seng-khu sin-chhak-chhak. 近_少來_少有_少賺_少的_少樣_少子_少, 穿_少得一_少身_少新_少衣_少-服_少。 Recently it looks like he is making money because he is wearing all new clothes.

báu-sí 卵_少時_少 the hours between five and seven in the morning

bauh 承₁包₂, 總₂攬₂ contract a job to build or do something, contract for a piece of work, to buy the whole lot

I bauh hit tha^a khang-khòe, báu chíh tóng chhu. 他_少包₂那_少個_少工₂作₂, 賺_少一_少棟_少房₂子_少。 He contracted that work and made enough to buy a house.

Chit keng chhia-khòe hō̄ lí bauh-khí ai loā-ché chí^a 這_少間_少車₂庫₂給_少你_少承₁建₂, 要_少多_少錢_少? How much would your contract be for this garage?

bauh-kang 包₂工₂ contract a job

bauh kang-su 承₁辦₂工₂事₂ contract to build public works or big projects

bauh siok-mih 大_少買_少便_少宜_少-貨_少 buy things cheap by lot

bauh-tháu 包₂商₂ contractor

bé (boé), (mái) 買_少 buy, purchase

tham-sia kui-be 貪_少賊_少買_少貴_少 buying on credit is expensive

bé (má) 馬_少 horse

chéng-be 種_少馬_少 stud (horse)

poah-loh-be 落_少馬_少, 出_少軌_少 fall from a horse, trains jump the rails, sliding doors jump out of their tracks

bé 迷_少, 誘_少惑_少 tempt, charm, fascinate

Lí m-thang hō̄ phái^a cha-bó̄ bē khì. 你_少

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不要被壞女人迷惑。Don't be tempted by an unvirtuous woman.

chái-bé 財迷 crazy for wealth

chip-bé put-gō 執迷不悟 obstinately foolish

sek-bé 色迷 infatuated with women

bé 醇 ether

bé (bōe), (mai) 買 sell

chhut-bé 出賣 for sale, betray

chóan-bé 轉賣 re-sale

hui-bé-phín 非賣品 not for sale

phah-bé 拍賣 sale by auction

bé 不, 不會 cannot, will not, expresses simple future improbability inherent in the nature of the subject, precedes an adjective to negate an undesirable quality like bitter or painful, the negative of "e"

Goá bē kia^a (ai-khùn, chhui-ta, iau). 我不怕(睏, 口渴, 餓)。I am (was) not afraid. (sleepy, thirsty, hungry)

Goá khoá^a, bē lóh-hō^a. 我看, 不會下雨。I don't think it will rain.

Niau bē kō-mng, káu bē kā niáu-chhí. 貓不會看門, 狗不會捉老鼠。Cats do not watch the door, dogs do not catch rats.

Chím-má lí ē ài khùn bē? 現在你睡嗎? Are you sleepy now?

Lí ē thau-khak ē thia^a bē? 你頭會痛嗎? Do you have a head-ache?

Goá chang-ám chin kōa^a, lí ē kōa^a bē? 昨晚我很冷, 你冷嗎? I was very cold last night, were you?

bé-verb-tit 不, 不會 expresses impossibility, equivalent to "not + verb + -able or -bile". The tone of the enclitic "tit" goes into the third tone and the verb before this enclitic does not change its tone. The affirmative is "e + verb + tit"

bé chiah-tit 吃不得 cannot be eaten, not edible

bé chò-tit 做不得 cannot be done, not permitted

bé ēng-tit 不能用, 不行 It's not permissible, It cannot be used.

bé an-sim (bē hóng-sim) 不放心 heart or conscience filled with remorse or trou-

ble, devoid of peace, uneasy, insecure, anxious

bé àn-sng-tit 不能預料 beyond the realm of calculation, unexpected, can not be anticipated

Ú loá chē láng boeh lái, bē àn-sng-tit.

有多少人要來, 不能預料。

How many people are coming, it's impossible to figure out.

bé-àn-tit 不能意料 cannot plan in advance

bé-āu 後面, 後來 in the end, at the end, at the rear

bé-bāng 迷夢 delusive dream, illusion, delusion

bé-bé (bōe-bōe) 買賣 buy and sell, trade, business

bé bē-khí 買不起 cannot afford to buy it

bé bē-khì 賣不了 cannot be sold

be-be-kio 哇哇叫 whine

bé bē-sng 買不成 not to buy something because of a disagreement about the price

Bé-bé sng-hun, sio-chhia^a bo-lún. 買賣算帳 分, 相請不計較。In trade people count to a fraction, in treatment of guests, don't count the expense.

bé bē-tioh 買不到 cannot buy it

Chap kho-gín bē bē-tioh. 十塊錢買不到。You cannot buy it for ten dollars.

Ú chí^a bē bē-tioh. 有錢買不到。

thing that money can't buy, priceless

bé bē-tó 買不起 too expensive to buy it

bé beng-pek. 不明白 incomprehensible, cannot understand

bé bián-tit 難免 inevitable, essential, can't be shunned or avoided

bé-biat 不滅 indestructible, can't be extinguished, perpetual

bé-bo 買不到 not to have bought because it was not on sale or not on the market, no place to buy

bé-bo-chí^a 賤價, 賣不到錢 sell below cost, to sell below value

bé-chéng 還未, 未曾 too early, prematurely

bé-chháu 馬草 horse fodder

bé-chhàu 不臭 incorruptible, will not rot

bé-chhia 馬車 horse drawn carriages
 bē-chhio 賣笑 work as a prostitute
 bē-chhiu 買主 buyer
 bē-chhiu 賣手 seller
 bē-chhiu 賣唱 street minstrel, sing along the streets for a living
 bē-chhun 賣春 prostitute oneself
 bē-chhut 賣出 sell
 bē-chí 碼子 numerical character used by business men in China
 bē-chi 莓 薯 water chestnut
 bē-chiah 沒有食慾 poor appetite owing to illness, not to be able to eat very much

Goa í-chéng khah bē-chiah, kīn-lái khah gau-chiah a. 我以前的食慾較好，近來食慾較不好。 Previously I did not have much of an appetite, now I eat very well.

bē-chin 不盡 in-exhaustible, interminable

Hák-bún éng-kíu gian-kíu bē-chin. 學無止境 no end of things to be learned (Lit. Education goes on forever, studying never stops.)

kóng-bē-chin (bē-liáu) 說不盡, 說不完 impossible to say it all

bē-chiu-gán 看不上眼 not up to one's preference, detest, disdain

bē-chó 馬槽 manger, crib

bē-chú (bē-chhiu) 買主 buyer

bē-chú (bē-chhiu) 賣手 seller

bē-é khí 買得起 able to afford it

bē-éng-tit (bē-iōng-tit) 不能, 不可, 不行 improper, not all right, can't be used

Lí bē-éng-tit chím-má khi. 你不能現去。 You can't go now.

Chit é hái-khí a, bē-éng-tit. 這個壞掉，了，不能用。 This is broken, it cannot be used.

bē-gé 賣藝 earn a living by entertaining with skills or stunts

bē-gí 謎語 riddle

bē-gian 不願意 unwilling

bē-hau-ko-tit 難吃, 難看 can't eat (vulgar), bad looking

bē-hek (iú-hek) 迷惑, 誘惑 temptation, enticement, seduction, tempt, allure, seduce

bé-hì 馬戲 circus show
 bē-hì-thoan 馬戲團 circus troupe
 bē-hiau 不會 do not know how to (affirmative form is "e-hiau")

Bé-hiau sái-chún hiám khe oan. 不會開船嫌溪彎；不如怪自己能力差，反而怨天尤人。 The person who can't navigate a boat says the river is too winding.

Bé-hiau siú, khan-thoa lán-pha tōa khíu. 不怪自己能力差，反而怨天尤人。 blame the hammer when you don't drive the nail straight, blame others or other things for personal skills being insufficient (Lit. Don't know how to swim because scrotum is too big.)

Chit kù é i-sù góa bē-hiau. 這句話的意思，我不懂。 I don't know the meaning of this sentence, don't know how to explain it.

Goa bē-hiau sái-chhia. 我不會開車。 I don't know how to drive a car.

Goa bē-hiau kóng Eng-gí. 我不會講英語。 I cannot (don't know how to) speak English.

Goa bē-hiau éng tǐ chiah. 我不會用筷子吃飯。 I cannot (don't know how to) eat with chopsticks.

bē-hiau-soe 不知恥 shameless

bē-hó 不會好，好不了。 describes an incurable sickness, a hopeless case, work which it is not possible to finish or get done

I é pē bē-hó. 他病不會好。 He cannot recover from his sickness.

Chit é khang-khöe koh chò sa-jít, iáu chò bē-ho. 這個工作再三天還做不完。 This job cannot be completed in only three days.

bē-hó 不和睦，不划算 be uncongenial, not in agreement, disunion, unprofitable, cannot make both ends meet

ka-teng bē-hó 家庭不和睦 domestic discord

Chit liáp líng-goh kap lí oá chít ki pit bē-ho. 一個蘋果和你換一隻筆。 It is not profitable for me to exchange one apple for one pen



be-hoe

with you.

bé-hòe 買⁶貨⁶ buy or purchase merchandise**bé-hong** 買⁶方⁶ the buyer**bé-hong** 賣⁶方⁶ the seller**bé hù** 來⁶不及⁶ too late; to do something**Bé hù sǐ-kan.** 時⁶間⁶來⁶不及⁶ not be on time, to be late**I chin gǎu sō, sō-i tia⁶-tia⁶ bē hù sǐ-kan.** 他⁶很⁶會⁶拖⁶, 所⁶以⁶常⁶常⁶趕⁶不⁶上⁶時⁶間⁶. He always has so many things to do, he never can get started so he is never on time.**bé-hu** 馬⁶伏⁶ groom**bé hun-běng** 不⁶分⁶明⁶ unintelligible, incomprehensible, indistinguishable, indistinct, confusion**bē-hǔn-iōh** 迷⁶魂⁶藥⁶ anesthetics, hallucinogens, like LSD, marijuana**bē-hǔn-sùt** 迷⁶魂⁶術⁶ enchantment**bē-hǔn-tīn** 迷⁶魂⁶陣⁶ labyrinth, infatuated with a woman, enticed into vice**bé-i** 活⁶梯⁶, 馬⁶椅⁶ stepladder**bē iau** 不⁶餓⁶ not feel hungry, not be hungry**bē-im** 賣⁶淫⁶ sell carnal pleasure, the profession of prostitution**bē-iōng-tit** 用⁶不⁶得⁶, 不⁶能⁶用⁶ unfit for use, cannot be employed, without resulting in harm to a person**bē-iōng-tit (bē-ēng-tit)** 不⁶能⁶, 不⁶可⁶, 不⁶行⁶ improper, not all right, can't be used**bē jīn-chēng** 賣⁶人⁶情⁶ curry favor, do someone a favor for personal consideration**bē jīn-sim** 賣⁶人⁶心⁶ craftily gain the hearts of people, win someone over**bē-jīn-tit** 不⁶認⁶得⁶ cannot recognize, cannot be recognized, do not recognize**Hit ē lǎng ē bīn lí ē-jīn-tit bē? (Lí ē-jīn-tit hit ē lǎng bē?)** 那⁶個⁶人⁶? 你⁶認⁶得⁶嗎⁶? Can you recognize that person's face? (Do you recognize that person?)**bē-jīp** 買⁶入⁶ buy**bē-kāu-khui** 不⁶能⁶滿⁶意⁶ can't be satisfied**Chò nā bē-kāu-khui, put-jū mài chò khah ia⁶.** 做⁶得⁶不⁶滿⁶意⁶, 不⁶如⁶不⁶做⁶比⁶較⁶好⁶. If you can't do it so you are satisfied, it is best not to do it at all.**bé-kè (bōe-kè)** 買⁶價⁶ purchasing price**bē-kè (bōe-kè)** 賣⁶價⁶ selling price**bē-kham-tit** 當⁶不⁶起⁶, 不⁶敢⁶當⁶ be unworthy of something, not deserve something, undeserving of, unjustifiable**Góa bē-kham-tit chò Thian-Chú ē gi-chú.**我⁶當⁶不⁶起⁶做⁶天⁶主⁶的⁶子⁶。 I am not worthy to be a child of God.**Hō-lí thín-chíu, sít-chái bē-kham-tit.** 讓⁶你⁶倒⁶酒⁶, 實⁶在⁶不⁶敢⁶當⁶. It is undeserving that you pour wine for me.**bē-kham-tit lēk** 不⁶能⁶過⁶勞⁶ unfit for severe exertion**bē-khang bē-khang** 賣⁶空⁶買⁶空⁶ speculate on stock market**bē-khat-tit** 嫉⁶妒⁶ be jealous of, envy, hatelōng-ě sī góa ka-tí ē chí, lí sī teh bē-khat-tit sím-mih? 用⁶的⁶是⁶我⁶自⁶己⁶的⁶錢⁶, 你⁶是⁶在⁶嫉⁶妒⁶什⁶麼⁶? I used my own money, what are you jealous about?**bē-khau-thih** 馬⁶口⁶鐵⁶ tin plate**bē-khī** 不⁶能⁶做⁶完⁶ will not go (simple future), not able to, cannot because of excessive quantity**thák-bē-khī, thák-bē-hiáu** 讀⁶不⁶完⁶ cannot finish reading**bē-khō-tit** 靠⁶不⁶住⁶ unreliable**bē-kho** 馬⁶褲⁶ riding breeches**bē-khui** 不⁶開⁶ cannot open, unable to open**bē-kī-tit** 記⁶不⁶得⁶ forget**bē-kī-chéng-tit** 見⁶不⁶得⁶人⁶ unfit to be looked at publicly, as man or affair all incorrect, ugly, dirty**Chit nía sa⁶ bē-kī-chéng-tit.** 這⁶件⁶衣⁶服⁶見⁶不⁶得⁶人⁶. This shirt is terrible looking. (very dirty or out-of-date)**bē-kia⁶-tit** 不⁶能⁶走⁶ road cannot be traveled, it won't do**bē-kian-siāu** 不⁶要⁶臉⁶ shameless**bē-kiong** 迷⁶宮⁶ labyrinth, maze**bē-kō-tit** 不⁶得⁶了⁶, 顧⁶不⁶得⁶ unbearable, beyond endurance**ai lim kah bē-kō-tit** 喜⁶歡⁶喝⁶得⁶不⁶得⁶了⁶. be dying for a drink**Thău-khak thia⁶ kah bē-kō-tit.** 頭⁶痛⁶得⁶不⁶得⁶了⁶. I cannot stand this headache.

be-koǎ 不_及冷_々 not to feel cold

be-koai (koe)-tit 怪_々不_及得_々 not to be blamed

I á̄n-ne chò be-koai-tit. (Bé-koai-tit i á̄n-ne chò.) 他_々這_々樣_々做_々怪_々不_及得_々; 怪_々不_及得_々他_々這_々樣_々做_々。He is not to be blamed for doing it. He did it of necessity.

be koe-chhiú 沒_及得_々手_々 unable to do something successfully

thau-theh bē koe-chhiú 没_及偷_々得_々手_々 unable to steal successfully

In-üi láng-kheh lái, chit tng chiah bē koe-chhiú. 因_々為_々客_々人_々來_々, 這_々餐_々飯_々吃_々不_及成_々。Because a visitor came, I could not finish my meal

bē koe-chui 不_及透_々水_々 impervious to water, waterproof

bē koe-gian 不_及過_々癮_々 insatiable taste or craving for pleasure, never satisfied, always requesting or asking for more

I lim chit koan chíu iáu bē koe-gian. 他_々喝_々一_々瓶_々酒_々還_々不_及過_々癮_々。He is never satisfied drinking only one bottle of wine.

bē-kok 賣_々國_々 sell one's country, to be a traitor to one's native country

bē-kok-chhat 賣_々國_々賊_々 one guilty of treason

bē-kok-lo 賣_々國_々奴_々 traitor who sells his country's secrets

bē-lai 不_及會_々來_々, 不_及會_々 will not come (simple future), not able to, can't do because of intrinsic difficulty

thak-bē-lai (thak-bē-hiau) 讀_々不_及來_々 cannot read because it is too difficult

bē-lang 迷_々人_々 charming, fascinating, enchanting

bē-lat 馬_々力_々 horse power

bē-lo 瑪_々瑙_々 agate, cornelian

bē-lo 馬_々路_々 highway

bē-lo path of error, lose one's way, be at fault, in error

bē-lo-chi (bē-lo-soe) 買_々路_々錢_々 pay robber gangs for protection on journey

bē-loan 迷_々戀_々 be madly in love with, be a slave of, unable to shake off

bē-loan 迷_々亂_々 perplexity, perplexed

bē-long 馬_々鈴_々 sort of bells on horses

bē lún-tit 忍_々不_及住_々 impatient, cannot be borne

bē-mia 賣_々名_々 self-advertisement

bē-mia 賣_々命_々 venture to a dangerous place

bē-oa 馬_々鞍_々 saddle for a horse

bē oah 不_及會_々活_々, 活_々不_及了_々 cannot live, will die

bē-oān 賣_々完_々 sold out

bē-pá 不_及飽_々 insatiable appetite, greedy

chiah bē-pá 吃_々不_及飽_々 insatiable appetite

bē-pe (bē pe-chia) 不_及公_々平_々 not fair, not smooth

bē-pe-tit 吏_々嗇_々 stingy

bē-peng 馬_々兵_々 mounted troops

bē-phio 馬_々票_々 pari-mutuel ticket

bē-phio-chhu 賣_々票_々處_々, 售_々票_々處_々 box office, ticket window

bē pi-tit 不_及能_々比_々 not to be compared with, not to be mentioned in the same breath with

bē-pi 馬_々鞭_々 riding crop, horsewhip

bē-pi (bē-pian) 不_及會_々變_々 cannot be changed, unchangeable, immutable

bē pian-sek (the-sek) 不_及變_々色_々, 不_及褪_々色_々 color will not change or fade

bē pin-chun 不_及能_々依_々-據_々 groundless, improbable, unworthy of belief

bē-pio 馬_々錶_々 stopwatch

bē-sai-tit (bē-ēng-tit) kóng 不_及可_々以_々-講_々 must not be spoken, should not be said

bē-sè 騎_々馬_々的_々姿_々勢_々, 馬_々步_々 posture of riding horses

bē-seng 不_及能_々成_々功_々 cannot do something one wishes to do

bē séng-tit 省_々不_及得_々 unable to economize

bē-seng-tit 不_及可_々溺_々愛_々 should not be spoiled, indulged, allowed to do as he pleases

bē-sí bē-biat ē 不_及死_々不_及滅_々的_々 immortal

bē-siau 不_及消_々 cannot

bē-sin 賣_々身_々 sell oneself as slave, become a prostitute

bē-sin 迷_々信_々 superstitions, superstitious

bē-sin-jim-tit 不_及能_々信_々任_々的_々 unreliable, untrustworthy, incredible

bē-sin-tit 不_及能_々信_々的_々 can not be believed, cannot believe, do not believe

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be-sit

b kóng ē oē góa lóng bē-sin-tit. 他々講々的々話々, 我々都々不々相々信々。I can't believe anything he says.

be-sit 迷失, lost, astray

be-siu 收々買々, 賄々賂々 bribe

be-siu-soa 無々法々收々場々 can't bring a matter or a work to a conclusion, can't put in order, can't tidy up affairs, unmanageable

be sng-tit pái 好々多々次々 innumerable times

be-su 勝々於々, 好々像々 not inferior to, no less than, like

be-sút 馬々術々 art of riding, horsemanship

be-tán-tit 不々能々等々 unable to wait any longer

be-tang (bē tit-thang) 不々能々 the negative of "e-tang", expresses physical or moral impossibility

In-üi bō chóa, bē-tang sía phoe. 因々為々沒々紙々, 不々能々寫々信々。I can not write a letter because there is no paper.

Góa bē-tang (bē tit-thang) lái, in-üi chin bō eng. 我々不々能々來々, 因々為々很忙々。I can not come, because I am very busy.

Thak-chheh ē sī-kan góa bē-tang chhut-khì chhit-tho. 上々課々時々我々不々能々出々去々玩々。During study time, I can not (I am not allowed to) go out and play.

be-tang siu-sip 不々可々收拾々 pandemonium, wild disorder or confusion, hopeless situation, out of control

be-tau-tit 合々不々來々 not get along well

be-te 謎々題々 riddle, a conundrum

be-te 馬々蹄々 horse's hoof

be-te-thih 馬々蹄々鐵々 horseshoe

be-teh-sau 不々能々滿足々 unable to satisfy

Chit kòan chíu nia-nia, i lim bē teh-sau. 一々瓶々酒々而々已々, 他々怎々麼々喝々得々夠々。Only one bottle of wine, how can it be sufficient for him to drink?

be-thang 馬々桶々 night vessel, western-style toilet, commode

thiu-chui bē-thang 抽々水々馬々桶々 western style toilet bowl, commode

be-thau 碼々頭々 wharf, pier

be thau-hong 不々透々風々 wind proof

be-thong 買々通々 offer bribes to facilitate

one's operations, obtain the collusion of officials with bribes

be-thong 不々通々 illegible writing, illogical, inarticulate, cannot make oneself understood, cut off or poor connection on a telephone, can not get through to someone, blocked, not passable

be-tiău 馬々廢々 stable

be-tiău 不々牢々, 不々上々癒々 not firmly fixed, fastened or tied

chiiah bē-tiău 吃々不々上々癒々 can't hold (keep) anything down, can't be addicted to certain drug

khia bē-tiău 站々不々住々 can't stand up, can't remain standing

khó bē-tiău 考々不々上々 cannot pass entrance exam

kí bē-tiău 記々不々住々 cannot memorize

liam bē-tiău 黏々不々住々 will not adhere, not stick together

pak bē-tiău 繩々不々住々 cannot tie up

bē tiău-pak 吃々不々上々胃々 cannot retain in the stomach, cannot keep in mind

bē-tin 迷々津々 wrong path

bē-tit... 不々能々直々, 糟々了々 affair cannot be put straight

bē-tit... 不々能々 have not been able to, cannot

bē-tit khì or bē-tang khì 不々能々去々 cannot manage to go

bē-tit-thang khì (bē-tang khì) 不々能々去々 cannot manage to go

bē-tit-tit 不々能々了々事々 can't handle

bē-tng (bē-to-tng) 買々斷々 buy without retaining any right or interest in what is bought

bē-tng (bē-to-tng) 賣々斷々 sell without retaining any right or interest in what is sold

bē-to 迷々途々 go astray, get lost, wrong path

bé-tui 馬々隊々 cavalry company

bēh (beh-á) 麥々 wheat

sio-beh 小々麥々 wheat

toa-beh 大々麥々 barley

bēh-á-chiu 啤々酒々 beer

bēh-á-hng 麥々田々 wheat field

bēh-á-khng 麥々糠々 bran from wheat

beh-á-suí (beh-suí) 麥穗兒 ear of wheat
beh-gé 麥芽兒, 餡兒糖兒 wheat-sprouts, malt, wheat gluten
beh-gé-thing 麥芽兒糖兒 malt sugar, maltose
beh-hún (mí-hún) 麥粉兒, 麵粉兒 flour
beh-kó (beh-á-kó) 麥莖兒 stalk or straw of wheat or barley, without the ear
beh-phí 麥片兒 oatmeal
beh-pho 麥皮兒 bran
beh-suí (beh-á-suí) 麥穗兒 ears of wheat
bek 默兒 speechless, silent, quiet, still
bek (bak) 墨兒 black, dark, Chinese ink stick, calligraphy, language, letters
bek-bek bù-giān 默兒黑兒無言兒 wordless, speechless
Bek-chú 墨翟子, 墨翟 Mocius, one of the great philosophers of the Warring States period, who preached love without distinction
bek-hí 默許兒 tacit permission
bek-jím 默認兒 tacit consent or approval
bek-kám 默感兒 inspiration, inspire
bek-khé 默契兒 tacit understanding, implicit agreement
bek-koan 默觀兒 contemplation
bek-koan-kí-tó 默觀兒祈禱兒 contemplative prayer
bek-liám 默念兒 repeat a passage, read meditatively, silently, ponder or think
Bék-ní-pún 墨爾本儿 Melbourne
Bék-se-a 默西亞儿 Messiah
Bék-se-ko 墨西哥儿 Mexico
bek-sí (bek-khé) 默示兒, 默啟兒 reveal or inspire, revelation
Bék-sí-liok (khé-sí-liok) 默示錄兒 Apocalypse, the Book of Revelation (Catholic)
bek-sía (ám-sía) 默寫兒 write from memory
bek-sióng 默想兒 meditation, meditate
bek-siu sěng-kui 墨守成規兒 stick to old rules, conservative
bek-tó 默禱兒 pray in secret or silently
beng 猛兒 fierce, violent, courageous, cruel, inhuman, determined, brave
hiong-béng 兇猛兒 fierce, violent
ióng-béng 勇猛兒 intrepid, brave, valiant, daring
beng 盟兒 solemn declaration before the gods, oath, covenant, alliance,

contract, to swear
lián-béng 聯盟兒 league, union, alliance
tóng-béng 同盟兒 alliance, political league
tóng-béng-kok 同盟國兒 allied power
běng (mia) 名兒 name, designation, title, rank, position, honor, fame, reputation, famous, valuable, precious, great
mó-béng 冒名兒 use another's name falsely
iú-béng 有名兒 famous
sěng-béng 成名兒 become famous
tái-béng 大名兒 your name (used in formal speech)
běng 明兒 bright, clear, light, intelligent, plain, apparent
chhong-béng 聰明兒 wise, intelligent
chí-béng 指明兒 point out clearly
chù-béng 註明兒 explain by note or commentary
ko-béng 高明兒 excellent, lofty and intelligent (said to one who has attained a high position)
piáo-béng 表明兒 express, manifest
bēng 冥兒 dark, obscure, dim, stupidity, deep, profound, the unseen world, Hades
běng 鳴兒 sound, a sound, cry of a bird or animal, a horse's neigh
ko-chióng lǎn bēng 狐掌難鳴兒 the palm of one hand cannot clap and make a sound, cannot do without assistance
Ná bō lí pang-bàng, góa ko-chióng lǎn bēng. 若是沒有你的幫忙, 我的孤掌難鳴兒。 Without your help, my applause would be difficult to hear.
běng 銘兒 engrave, carve
beng (mia) 命兒 order, command, life, fate, destiny
sěng-béng 性命兒 life
sòng-béng 命兒 lose one's life
thian-béng 天命兒 decree of Heaven
tō-béng 逃命兒 escape for one's life
bēng 孟兒 the eldest of brothers, the first of the months of a season rude, rough, Mencius
Béng-bé 孟買兒 Bombay
běng-béng 明兒明兒 apparently, without a



B

doubt

bēng-bēng sī lí 明₂明₂是₂你₂。 Without a doubt it was you.**bēng-bēng pēk-pēk** 明₂明₂白₂白₂ clear, clearly, obviously, evidently**bēng-bēng-tiong** 畏₂畏₂中₂ imperceptibly but inexorably (said of divine influence)**bēng-bín** 明₂敏₂ agile, clever and nimble, sharp, smart**Bēng-bío sam-chhian** 孟₂母₂三₂遷₂ The mother of Mencius changed her abode three times, in order to get a better environment for her son's education.**bēng bóan thian-hā** 名₂滿₂天₂下₂ enjoy a world-wide fame, be world-famous**bēng-bok** 名₂目₂ name, designation**bēng-bok** 墓₂目₂ open eyes of a corpse meaning the person didn't want to die yet**bēng-bōng** 名₂望₂ high reputation, popularity
chin ū bēng-bōng 很₂有₂名₂望₂ has a good reputationsit **bēng-bōng** 失₂名₂望₂ lose popularity**bēng-bún** 明₂文₂ an express statement or provision, a clear statement**hoat-lut bō bēng-bún** 法₂律₂沒₂有₂明₂文₂
It's not provided for in the law.**bō bēng-bún kui-tēng** 沒₂有₂明₂文₂規₂定₂
There is no written provisions for it.**bēng-bún** 名₂門₂ distinguished family**bēng-bún chhut-sin** 出₂身₂名₂門₂ come of a noble family**bēng-bún kui-siu** 名₂門₂閨₂秀₂ daughter of an illustrious family**bēng-cha àm-hóng** 明₂查₂暗₂訪₂ investigate openly and secretly**bēng chāi tàn-sék** 命₂在₂旦₂夕₂ death may come to a person any minute, dying**bēng-chéng** 明₂證₂ true testimony**bēng-cheng àm-tō^(or tau)** 明₂爭₂暗₂鬥₂ fight covertly (often said of intramural fights)**bēng chéng giǎn sun** 名₂正₂言₂順₂ valid in name and in reasoning, have good reason, deserve, justified**bēng-chhat** 明₂察₂ be sharp and perspicacious, not to be fooled or taken in**bēng-chheng** 名₂稱₂ name, appellation, designation**bēng-chheng** 嘴₂槍₂ fire rifles into the air

as a warning to a mob, rioters

bēng-chhiu^a àm-thau 明₂搶₂暗₂偷₂ rob openly, to steal secretly**Bēng-chhiu^a i siám, àm-chi^a lǎn hōng** 明₂館₂易₂躲₂, 暗₂箭₂難₂防₂. It's easy to dodge an open attack but difficult to escape from a clandestine one**bēng-chhù (mia-chhù)** 名₂次₂ position in a list of names**Bēng-chhù pǎi tē kúi?** 排₂第₂幾₂名₂次₂? Where do you rank?**bēng-chi^a (bēng-phian, mia-phì^a)** 名₂片₂ calling card**bēng-chi^a** 銘₂誌₂ record or commemorate with an engraved inscription**bēng-chiat** 名₂節₂ honor and integrity**bēng-chìn** 猛₂進₂ a striking advance, radical reform, remarkable improvement or progress**hióng bok-phiau bēng-chìn** 向₂目₂標₂猛₂
進₂ push straight forward to one's goal or aim**bēng chín su-hong** 名₂震₂四₂方₂ His name was heard on all sides**bēng-chiòng** 猛₂將₂ fierce general**bēng-chok** 名₂作₂ masterpiece**bēng-chu** 明₂珠₂ bright pearl**bēng-chú (bēng-siu)** 盟₂主₂, 盟₂首₂ person who administers an oath, the leader of a confederacy**Bēng-chú (Bēng-hu-chú, Bēng-kho)** 孟₂子₂, 孟₂夫₂子₂, 孟₂軻₂ Mencius**bēng-gi^a** 名₂義₂ one's name, the name as opposed to reality or substance, the outward reason for doing something**ēng... ē bēng-gi** 用₂... 的₂名₂義₂ under the name of...**chái-sán oā^a tài-thài** 太₂太₂的₂名₂義₂ transfer assets to his wife**bēng-gi^a-siōng** ē ang-bo^a 名₂義₂上₂的₂夫₂妻₂ man and wife in name only**bēng-giān** 名₂言₂ famous or wise saying, witty remark**bēng-giān** 明₂言₂ assert, state clearly**bēng-goat** 明₂月₂ bright moon**bēng-ham** 名₂銜₂ official title of a person**bēng-hián** 明₂顯₂ evident, clearly, manifest

Che sǐ chin běng-hián ē tāi-chì. 這 <small>是</small> 很 <small>顯</small> 得很 <small>顯</small> 的事情。This is very apparent.
Koh bō lōa kú chīu ē běng-hián. 不久就 <small>會</small> 真 <small>相</small> 大 <small>白</small> 了。In just a short while it will be very clear.
běng-ho 明 <small>言</small> , 名 <small>約</small> promise plainly, to make a verbal bargain
bēng-hó 猛虎 fierce tiger
Béng-hó bē tui-tit kǎu-kún. 猛虎難抵猴群。A tiger cannot beat a crowd of monkeys.
bēng-hó thiam sit 猛虎添翼 an evil man becoming still more hurtful (Lit. a fierce tiger sews on wings)
bēng-hoa 名花 well-known woman
bēng-hoa iú chú 名花有主 the beauty has already been won by someone
bēng-hoe (mé-hoe) 猛火 fierce fire
bēng-hok 冥福 bliss in the next world (used by pagans)
bēng-hong 猛風 fierce wind
bēng-hong pō-ú 猛風暴雨 fierce wind violent rain, a storm
bēng-hú 冥府 underworld, Hades
bēng-hǔ kí sit 名符其實 name matches reality, be worthy of name
bēng-hǔ kí sit ē kàu-iú 名符其實的教友 to be worthy of the name Christian
bēng-hun 冥婚 marriage ceremony for persons already dead marriage ceremony for a couple, one of whom has already died
bēng-hūn 名份 fame, reputation
bēng-i 名醫 outstanding physician
bēng-i 名譽 honor, fame, reputation
pó-choān bēng-i 保全名譽 maintain one's good name
sún-hái bēng-i 損害名譽 injure a person's honor
bēng-i-chit 名譽職 honorary post
bēng-i hák-üi 名譽學位 honorary degree
bēng-i hōe-oān (hōe-tiú) 名譽會員 honorary member (honorary president)
bēng-i phok-su 名譽博士 honorary doctor
bēng-i-sim 名譽心 desire for fame, ambition

tion
bēng-i sok-chhiú 名醫 東手無策 famed physicians are powerless (said of grave illness or strange ailments)
bēng-iok 盟約 promise, a pledge, a covenant
bēng-ióng 猛勇 valiant, bold
bēng ióng su-hái 名揚四海 become famous all over the world
bēng ióng thian-hā 名揚天下 name spread all over the world, the name is known far and wide
bēng-iú 盟友 alliance
bēng-jí (mia-jí) 名字 name Mia-toa ^a bō lí ē mia-jí. 名單上沒你 的名字。Your name was not on the list.
bēng-jin 名人 notables, an expert, a crack hand, crackerjack
bēng-jin 明人 man who is above board in his dealings, an upright person
Bēng-jin put chò àm-sū. 明人不做暗事 honest man does not engage in clandestine dealings
bēng-jít 明日 tomorrow
bēng-ka 名家 noted families, a master in an art
bēng-kai 冥界 hell world
bēng kai jú-chhú 命該如此 It is ordained.
bēng-kám 銘感 remember with gratitude
bēng-kám 明鑑 clear example of history, a proof
bēng-khak 明確 clear and definite, precise
bēng-khak ē tap-hók 明確的答覆 definite answer
bēng-khek 銘刻 engrave, imprint
bēng-khek 名曲 great musical composition, masterpiece in music
bēng-khì 名氣 fame, reputation
bēng-kì 銘記 impress or engrave on one's mind, bear in mind
bēng-ki-chai 早已知, 明知 know previously
bēng-kióng Sèng-thé 明供聖體 exposition of Blessed Sacrament (Catholic)
bēng kò kí sit 名過其實 have an exaggerated reputation

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B**beng-koā****bēng-koā** 名₂歌₂ famous song**bēng-kok** 盟₂國₂ allied nations**bēng-kui** 名₂貴₂ valuable, precious, rare**bēng-kun** 盟₂軍₂ allied troops, allied forces**bēng-laī** 來₂暗₂去₂ secretly have
a paramour (married woman)**bēng-lé** 明₂禮₂ understand the rules of
propriety, courtesy**bēng-lēng** 命₂令₂ command, order, injunction,
direction, to command, instruct**bēng-lēng-kù** 命₂令₂句₂ imperative sentence**bēng-lí** 明₂理₂ understanding, reasonable,

sensible

bēng-lí 名₂利₂ fame and wealth**bēng-lí siang-siu** 名₂利₂雙₂收₂ achieve both
fame and wealth**bēng-liāng** 明₂亮₂ clear and distinct, bright**bēng-liat** 猛₂烈₂ violent, fierce, furious,
heavy**bēng-liat** ē kēng-cheng 猛₂烈₂的₂競₂爭₂
keen competition**bēng-liat** ē hong-thai 猛₂烈₂的₂颱₂風₂
violent typhoon**bēng liat** chian-mău 名₂列₂前₂茅₂ head the
list of successful candidates**bēng-liau** 明₂瞭₂ clear, distinct, perspicuous**bō bēng-liau** 不₂明₂瞭₂, 不₂清₂楚₂ be
obscure, lacking clearness**Kóng (sia)** khah bēng-liau lè. 講₂(寫₂)
明₂瞭₂點₂。 Speak more clearly. Write
more clearly.**Goá bē-tàng bēng-liau.** 我₂不₂能₂明₂瞭₂.
I cannot understand.**bēng-liu** 名₂流₂ celebrity**bēng-lō** 明₂路₂ evident way**Bēng-lō chū-gī** (Bún-lō-chú-gī) 孟₂祿₂主₂義₂
義₂, 門₂羅₂主₂義₂ Monroe Doctrine**bēng lok sun-san** 名₂落₂孫₂山₂ fail in exam-
ination, the name is not in the list of
successful candidates**bēng-lóng** 明₂朗₂ bright and cheerful, sunny**bēng-moe-chēng-chhú** 明₂媒₂正₂娶₂ formal
wedding or marriage**bēng-ngō** 明₂悟₂ reason, intelligence or intel-
lect (Catholic)**khui bēng-ngō** 開₂明₂悟₂ use of reason**bōe khui bēng-ngō** 未₂開₂明₂悟₂ not yet
arrived at the use of reason**bēng-oan** 鳴₂冤₂ complain of unfairness, to
air grievances**Bēng-ōng-chhe** 真₂王₂星₂ the planet Pluto**bēng-pai** 名₂牌₂ (大₂家₂樂₂) lucky number
in gambling**bēng-pang** 盟₂邦₂ allied country, allies**bēng-pēk** 明₂白₂ clear, distinct, explicit,
plain, evident, obvious**bō bēng-pēk** 不₂明₂白₂ not clear**ē bēng-pēk** 會₂明₂白₂ can understand**bē bēng-pēk** 不₂能₂明₂白₂ cannot under-
stand**bēng-pēk** ē lāng 明₂白₂人₂, 明₂理₂的₂人₂
reasonable person, considerate person**bēng-phau** 鳴₂炮₂ set off firecrackers, fire
cannons**bēng-phian** (bēng-chi, mǐa-phí) 名₂片₂ calling
card, name card**bēng-phín** 明₂言₂, 明₂約₂ promise plainly, to
make a verbal bargain**bēng-pian** sī-hui 明₂辨₂是₂非₂ know
distinctly what is right and what is
wrong**bēng** put hi-thoān 名₂不₂虛₂傳₂ one's reputa-
tion well-deserved**bēng** put-kai choat 命₂不₂該₂絕₂ not
destined to die (said of one who has
had a narrow escape from death)**bēng-sán** 名₂產₂ noted or special product of
a place**bēng-sé** 盟₂誓₂ swear an oath, oath or
covenant**bēng-sé** 明₂細₂ clear details**sia (khui) bēng-sé-pio** 寫₂明₂細₂-表₂, 開₂
明₂細₂-表₂ write or offer a detailed
account or description of something**bēng-sé-su** (bēng-sé-pio) 明₂細₂-書₂, 明₂細₂-表₂
specification, minute description,
detailed statement**bēng-seng** 明₂星₂ movie star, famous person**bēng-seng** 名₂勝₂ famous tourist spot**bēng-si** 明₂示₂ clearly show, issue explicit
instructions**bēng-sia** 銘₂謝₂ express thanks**bēng-sin-phí** (-phian) 明₂信₂片₂ postal card**bēng-siu** 猛₂獸₂ wild beasts**bēng-siu** (bēng-chú) 盟₂首₂, 盟₂主₂ person
who administers an oath, the leader of

a confederacy
běng-siú (im-siú) 夥壽 <small>イムシウ</small> , 陰壽 <small>イムシウ</small> , 忌辰 <small>イムジン</small> birth anniversary of a person already dead
běng sui hǐo-sè 名垂後世 <small>メイツイコウセイ</small> hand down a name to posterity
běng-su 名師 <small>メイシ</small> great teacher; master
běng-sū 名士 <small>メイジ</small> man of distinction, notable or distinguished person
běng-sù 名詞 <small>メイシ</small> noun
choan-iú běng-sù 專有 <small>ゼンヨウ</small> 有名 <small>メイヨウ</small> 名詞 <small>シ</small> proper noun
jīn-chheng tāi-běng-sù 人稱 <small>ジンチエイ</small> 代名 <small>タイメイ</small> 名詞 <small>シ</small> personal pronoun
kò-iú běng-sù 固有名 <small>コウメイ</small> 名詞 <small>シ</small> proper noun
phó-thong běng-sù 普通 <small>ブドウ</small> 名詞 <small>シ</small> common noun
tāi-běng-sù 代名 <small>タイメイ</small> 詞 <small>シ</small> pronoun
běng-su chhut ko-to 名師 <small>メイシ</small> 出高 <small>ヒヂハラフ</small> 徒 <small>トフ</small> accomplished disciple owes his accomplishments to his great teacher
běng-tat 明達 <small>メイタツ</small> intelligent and broad-minded, gift of knowledge (Catholic)
běng-tek 明德 <small>メイテク</small> highest virtue
běng-tí 明智 <small>メイチ</small> clear wisdom, intelligence
běng-ti 明知 <small>メイチ</small> know clearly, with knowledge, purposely
běng-ti kò-bún 明知 <small>メイチ</small> 故問 <small>コグミ</small> ask about something one already knows
běng-ti kò-hoān 明知 <small>メイチ</small> 故犯 <small>コグハス</small> willful offence, break a law purposely
běng-tiat 明哲 <small>メイセツ</small> shrewd, wise, educated
Běng-tiāu 明朝 <small>メイチャウ</small> Ming Dynasty (1386-1644 AD)
běng-toān 明斷 <small>メイダン</small> fair and intelligent judgment, unbiased and wise decision
bí 米 <small>イ</small> hulled rice
chiah bí m̄-chai bí-kè 不知 <small>メイシ</small> 高地 <small>タカタケ</small> 厚 <small>タマ</small> person who knows but little of the world.
chái-lai-bí 在來米 <small>メイライイ</small> customary rice
chho-bí 糜米 <small>メイイ</small> rice separated from the husk
chüt-bí 糯米 <small>メイイ</small> glutinous rice
hōng-lai-bí 蓬萊米 <small>メイライイ</small> improved rice
peh-bí 白米 <small>メイイ</small> rice beaten white in the mortar
bí (sui) 美 <small>イ</small> pretty, nice, beautiful

sěng jīn chi bí 成人 <small>セイジン</small> 之 <small>シテ</small> 美 <small>イ</small> help fulfill another's cherished hopes, assist others in achieving an objective
sóan-bí tāi-hōe 選美 <small>ソウミ</small> 大會 <small>タカイ</small> beauty pageant or contest
bí 微 <small>イ</small> small, minute, diminutive, trifling, little, low, mean, humble, weak, sickly, feeble, hidden, obscure
hi-bí 稀 <small>イ</small> 微 <small>イ</small> , 清 <small>イ</small> 涼 <small>イ</small> few and scanty, solitary
soe-bí 衰 <small>イ</small> 微 <small>イ</small> lose prosperity, decline in fortune
bí 謎 <small>イ</small> riddle.
Goá chò chít ě bí hō lí ioh (chhai) 我做了一個謎給你猜。Here's a riddle for you to figure out.
bí 未 <small>イ</small> not, not yet, never
bí 味 <small>イ</small> flavor, taste, smell, odor
chu-bí 滋味 <small>スズメイ</small> taste, flavor
kì-bí 氣味 <small>キメイ</small> odor, flavor
san-tin hái-bí 山珍海味 <small>サンジンカイメイ</small> delicacies of land and sea
sng-bí 酸味 <small>サンメイ</small> sour smell
bí 潛 <small>イ</small> dive, dabble in mud like a duck with its bill
chhang-chuí-bí 潛水 <small>サンスイ</small> dive into water
bí 米 <small>イ</small> meter (linear measurement)
bí 小睡 <small>イ</small> doze, be involved in something to the point where one is unconscious of one's surroundings
bí-ang-á 米甕 <small>イエイ</small> rice jar
bí-bang 美夢 <small>メイモン</small> fond dream
bí-bí 美味 <small>メイミ</small> delicious, tasty
bí-bí (bí-bí-á) 微微 <small>イイイ</small> 的 <small>イ</small> slightly, gently
bí-bí-á chhio 微笑 <small>イイホフ</small> smile, a smile
bí-bí-á hong 微風 <small>イホン</small> soft wind, light breeze, very gentle breeze
bí-bían 未免 <small>イビン</small> it must be admitted that, necessarily, unavoidably
bí-biāu (bí-miāu) 美妙 <small>メイメウ</small> grand, magnificent, sublime, excellent, splendid
bí-biāu ě koa-sia 美妙的歌聲 <small>メイメウテキコウセイ</small> wonderful sound of music
bí-boān (bí-moā) 美滿 <small>メイモン</small> perfect, harmonious, peaceful
bí-boān (bí-moā) ě ka-tēng 美滿的家庭 <small>メイモンテキカーティン</small> a beautiful family
bí-bōng-jín 未亡人 <small>イボウジン</small> widow

B

Bi-chek**B**

Bi-chek 美々籍々 U.S.A. citizen, nationality
bi-chek-hun 微々積々 分分 calculus, math
bi-cheng (bi-so-hún) 味々精々 flavor essence, condiments used in cooking
bi-cheng-iú 未々曾々有々過々 has not happened before
bi-chhai 謎々語々, 謎々題々 riddle
Bi-chhau 美々鈔々 U.S. paper money
bi-chhio 微々笑々 give a wee smile
Bi-chiu 美々洲々 the American continents
bi-chiu 米々酒々 rice wine, the cheapest wine made from rice
bi-chiu 米々漿々 pulp made by grinding rice in water
bi-chiu^a (bi-soh) 味々噌々 bean paste, "miso"
bi-hó 美々好々 fine, happy, glorious
bi-hoa 美々化々 beautify, beautification, Americanize
Bi-hong 美々方々 the U.S.A. part of the world
bi-hu 未々付々 unpaid, outstanding account or debt
bi-hu 米々麩々 rice powder
bi-hún 米々粉々 vermicelli made of rice, rice noodles
bi-hun 未々婚々 unmarried, single
bi-hun-chhe 未々婚々妻々 fiancee
bi-hun-hu 未々婚々夫々 fiance
Bi-i-bí-hoe (Oé-lí-kong-hoe) 美々以一美々會々, 術々理々公々會々 Methodist Church
bi-iám 美々豔々 beautiful and voluptuous, glamorous
bi-ióng 美々容々 beautify the face, to make-up
bi-ióng chhiú-sút 美々容々手々術々 cosmetic surgery
bi-ióng-i 美々容々院々 beauty parlor
bi-ióng-su 美々容々師々 beautician
bi-ióng-sút 美々容々術々 art of make-up, cosmetology
bi jí liám 美々而々廉々 beautiful and cheap
bi-jian 未々然々 before a thing happens
hóng-chí bi-jian 防々止々未々然々 prevent, to nip an evil in the bud
bi-jin 美々人々 beautiful woman, beauty
bi-jin-hí 美々人々魚々 mermaid
bi-jin-ké 美々人々計々 use a pretty woman as a snare
ióng bi-jin-ké khíong-hat chí 用々美々人々計々

勒々索々錢々 use a beautiful woman to extort money
bi-jin-kiock 美々人々局々 entice into evil through a pretty face, a confidence trick or scheme in which a woman is used as a decoy
bi-jiok 微々弱々 weak or feeble voice, strength or electric wave
Bi-ka 米々迦々 Micah (Protestant)
bi-ka 碾々米々廠々 mill used for polishing rice
Bi-kai-a 米々該々亞々 Micheas (Catholic)
bi-kak 味々覺々 sense of taste, gestation
bi-kám 美々感々 sense of beauty, esthetic sense
bi-ké 米々價々 price of rice
bi-kéng 美々景々 beautiful scenery
bi khai-hoà (iáu-bóe khai-hoà) 未々開々化々 uncivilized
bi khai-hoà e soa-té tóng-pau 未々開々化々的々山々地々同々胞々 uncivilized brethren in mountainous areas
bi-khai-hoat 未々開々發々 undeveloped, uncultivated land or resources
bi-khng 米々糠々 rice-bran separated from the rice by mortar and pestle
bi-kí 美々舉々 praiseworthy deed
Bi-kiáu 美々僑々 U.S.A. citizen living abroad, U.S.A. resident in a foreign country, U.S.A. expatriate
Bi-kim 美々金々 U.S.A. dollar
bi-kng 量々米々罐々 small rice measure
bi-ko 米々糕々 rice cake, rice pudding
bi-ko-siu 性々騷々擾々, 纏々女々人々, 好々色々 sexual harassment, can't deal with, lustful
bi-koa 米々卦々 divine by rice
bi-koan 美々觀々 beautiful sight or view
bi-koan tai-hong 美々觀々大々方々 beautiful and dignified
bi-koat 尚々未々決々定々 undecided, unsettled
bi-koat e bun-te 未々決々定々的々問々題々 pending question
Bi-kok 美々國々 U.S.A.
Bi-kok-che 美々國々製々 made in U.S.A.
Bi-kok Chham-bo-siu-tiu Lián-sek-hoe-gí
chú-sek 美々國々參々謀々首々長々聯々席々工々會々議々主々席々 Chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff

Bi-kok-hoà 美國化 subject or subjected to U.S.A. cultural influence	bǐ-pho 微波 microwave
Bi-kok kok-hoe 美國國會 U.S.A. Congress	bǐ-pho-lo' 微波爐 microwave oven
Bi-kok Lám-pak Chiàn-cheng 美國南北戰爭 U.S.A. Civil War, 1861-1865	bǐ-phun 淘米水 water in which rice has been washed and is fed to pigs
Bi-kok-lǎng 美國人 U.S.A. citizen	bǐ-piān 未便 improper, inadvisable, not in a position to
Bi-kok Sin-bùn-chhù 美國新聞處 United States Information Service	bǐ-pit 未必 not always, not necessarily
Bi-kok Tok-lip Chiàn-cheng 美國獨立戰爭 U.S.A. War of Independence	bǐ-pit chìn-jian 未必盡然 not always so, not necessarily
Bi-kun 美軍 U.S.A. Military	bǐ-pit-jian 未必然 not necessarily so
bí-lái 未來 not yet arrived, the future	Hó-giah-lǎng bǐ-pit-jian khòai-lok. 有錢人未必快樂。The rich are not always happy.
bí-lái-phài 未來派 futurists, futurism	bí-pok sian-ti 未卜先知 foresee accurately, a seer
bí-lám-chú 美男 handsome man	bí-put-chiok-tō 微不足道 very unimportant
bí-láu 米菴 brittle hollow confection made of puffed rice and sugar	bí-sè 微細 very small, fine, minute, tiny
bí-le 美麗 pretty, beautiful, elegant	bí-sek 米色 very light chocolate brown color
bí-leng 米漿 rice milk	bí-sek 美色 feminine beauty
bí-lí (bí-jin) 美女, 美人 pretty girl	bí-sěng 未成 not completed, not accomplished
bí-liáp 米粒 rice grains	bí-seng-but 微生物 microbes, micro-organism
bí-liáu-iān 未了縁 ties (connections) carried over from the previous life (Buddhist)	bí-seng-but-hák 微生物學 microbiology
bí-lo 米籃, 米篩 shallow open baskets without handles or covers for drying rice and beans, a flat bamboo tray for winnowing rice	bí-seng-lián 未成年 not of age
bí-lo-sian-soe 未老先衰 prematurely senile	bí-seng-siok 未成熟 unripe, immature
bí-loá 米籃 large flat tray for holding rice	bí-sí 未時 one to three o'clock in the afternoon
bí-long-chóa 美濃紙 good quality of paper	bí-siān 美善 goodness, kindness, excellence
bí-máu 美貌 attractive looks, beautiful face of a woman	bí-siáu 微小 diminutive, very small, minute, very low voice or sound
bí-miáu (bí-biáu) 美妙 grand, magnificent, sublime, excellent, splendid	bí-siau-liān 美少年 handsome youth or boy
bí-moá (bí-boán) 美滿 perfect, harmonious, peaceful	bí-siōng 未詳 not known, not clear
bí-moá 未滿 not yet at the age of...	bí-sít 美食 delicious food
bí-ná 米籃 finely woven basket for holding rice	bí-siu 美秀 handsome and brilliant, beautiful and intelligent
bí-niú 米糧 food, provisions	bí-so 味素 monosodium glutamate, a condiment used extensively in Taiwan cooking that is very tasty but also very hard on digestive tract
Bí-oān 美援 U.S. aid	bí-sò-hún (bí-cheng) 味精 flavor essence, condiments used in cooking, monosodium glutamate
bí-oān 未完 unfinished, not completed	bí-soh (bí-chiū) 味增 bean paste
bí-phang 米花餅 confection made from puffed rice, rolls made of puffed rice sweeten with sugar	bí-sui 未遂 used after a verb, fail in

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bi-sui-hoan

accomplishing, attempted without success, unaccomplished

chū-sat bī-sūi 自殺^{シキ}未遂^{ミソイ} attempted suicide

sat-jin bī-sūi 殺人^{ジキン}未遂^{ミソイ} attempted murder

bī-sūi-hoan 未遂犯^{ミソイボン} unconsummated crime

bī-sūt 美術^{ビスツ} fine art

bī-sūt-ka 美術家^{ビスツカ} artist

bī-sūt-kai 美術界^{ビスツガイ} the world of art

bī-sūt-phín 美術品^{ビスツピン} a work of art,

bī-sūt tiān-lám-hoe 美術展覽會^{ビスツエンラムホー} art exhibition

bi-tah-bín 維他命^{ビタミン} vitamin

bī-tām 美談^{ビタム} instructive anecdote, story of an exemplary deed

bī-táu 米斗^{ビト} a wooden measure used for measuring one "tau" of rice

bī-tek 美德^{ビテク} excellent virtue

bī-tēng 未定^{ビテイ} uncertain, not yet settled

bī-thai 米筛^{ビスル} rice-sieve

bī-thǎng 蟑蟲^{ビタマムシ} rice worm, hoarding rice merchant

bī-thiap 食物配給^{ビタマツブ} part of salary paid with rice

bī ti lok sī (sú) sui chhiú 未知^{ビタ}鹿死^{スル}誰^シ unable to predict who will be the winner

bī-ti-so 未知數^{ビタスウ} unknown quantity or factor

bī-tiām 米店^{ビチヤム} rice shop

bī tiona put-chiok 美中不足^{ビタノウツク} flaw that mars perfection

bī-ú tiu-biu (biu) 未雨绸缪^{ビウチウム} take precautions before it is too late, take protective measures in advance

bián 勉^{ビアン} urge, encourage, compel, to force, put forth effort

khīn-bián 勤勉^{キンビアン} diligence, industrious, hardworking

bián 免^{ビアン} avoid, to escape, evade, remit, to spare, to excuse, forego, no need, not necessary

sia-bián 救免^{シヤビアン} forgive, forgiveness

m̄-bián 不必^{ムヒ}, 不要^{ムヨウ} no need, not necessary

bián 冕^{ビアン} crown, ceremonial cap, boxing title

ka-bián 加冕^{カビアン} coronation, to cap

ōe-bián 衛冕^{オエビアン} defend one's athletic title

bián (bín) 面^{ビアン} face of a person, surface, side, direction, to face or confront, in or to one's face, a term in math meaning a "plane"

jīn-bián siú-sim 人面獸心^{ジンビアンシウシン} having a human face but brute's heart

thé-bián 體^{ビアン} honor, dignity, face

boán-bián chhun-hong 滿面春風^{ボアンビアンシンフウ} beaming with pleasure

bián-bāng 免^{ビアン} Don't daydream

bián-bók 面目^{ビアンモク} face, feature, appearance, countenance

bián-bók chhōan-hui 面目全非^{ビアンモクゼンヒ} everything has changed beyond recognition

bián-bók it-sin 面目一新^{ビアンモクイチキン} brand new look

bián-bǔ jin-sek 面無色^{ビアンムシク} look extremely scared

bián-chek 面積^{ビアンヂク} area, surface, dimensions

bián-chhi 免^{ビアン}試^シ admit without examination

bián-chhi seng-hák 免^{ビアン}試^シ升^{ハク}學^{ハク} advance to a higher school without being required to take the entrance examination

bián-chhi 面試^{ビアンシ} oral examination

bián-chhi (bián-hui) 免^{ビアン}費^ヒ free from expenses or payments, gratis, free

bián-chit 免^{ビアン}職^シ dismiss, dismissal

Boeh kā lí bián-chit 要^{ボエ}免^{ビアン}你^カ的^リ職^シ。 I'll fire you.

I hō lāng bián-chit 他^イ被^ホ人^{ラン}免^{ビアン}職^シ。 He was fired.

bián-chú (bín-chú) 面子^{ビアンチ} honor, one's face (in the figurative sense) or pride

bō bián-chú 没^ボ面子^{ビアンチ} no "face", honor or respect

sit bián-chú 失^シ面子^{ビアンチ} lose "face", honor or respect

kò bián-chú 顧^コ面子^{ビアンチ} save "face", honor or respect

bián-ék 免^{ビアン}疫^{エイ} become immune, immunize

bián-ék-sèng 免^{ビアン}疫^{エイ}-性^{セイ} immunity from infection

bián-hēng 免^{ビアン}刑^{エイ} exempt from punishment

bián-hiap 面治^{ビアンヒヤウ} meet and talk it over

bián-hoe 面會^{ビアンホエ} meet face to face, an interview

bián-hui 免^{ビアン}費^ヒ free of charge, gratuitous,



gratis

bián-huì chiau-thāi ko-kheh 免費招待
顧客的 free refreshments for guests,
complimentary refreshments

bián-huì kia-sang 免費寄送 postage
free

bián iú lǎn-sek 面有難色 look reluctant

bián-khì (m-bián khì) 不必去 no need to
go

bián-kia 不必怕 don't fear, don't be
afraid

bián-kióng 勉強, 用功 involuntarily,
compel, constrain, forced (as an interpretation), to study, diligence, industry

Ná bō goan-i, m-bián bián-kióng cho. 如是
不願意, 不必勉強做。 If you
are unwilling to act, don't do it unwillingly.

Hit ē gín-ná chin bián-kióng, chióng-lái
chin ū hi-bōng. 那個孩子很用功
, 將來很有希望。 That child is
very diligent, he'll go a long way.

bián-kip 不用急 no rush

bián-kóng 不必說, 免談 no need to
speak, no need to talk about it, there
is nothing that need be said, don't
talk about it

Bian-kóng, góa í-keng chai-ia a. 不必
說, 我已知道。 No need to
tell me, I already know.

bián-kū (bián-khū) 面具 mask

bián-lé 勉勵 exhort, encourage

Chit ē gín-ná bō sím-mih ai thák-chheh,
chhiau lí kā i bián-lé. 這個孩子不太
太喜歡讀書, 請你勉勵他。
This child doesn't like to study very
much, please encourage him.

bián-lék 勉力 diligent

bián-lím 面臨 meet or face

bián-lím choat-chéng 面臨絕種 extinction
of species, i.e.

bián-ng 甭 need not hope for

bián-phek 面壁 to face the wall and
meditate (Zen Buddhist)

bián-phio 免票 free ticket, free pass,
complimentary ticket

bián-put-liáu 免不了, 難免 unavoidable,
no help for it

Che sī bián-put-liáu ē tāi-chì. 這是不可避免

“不了的事”。 It's unavoidable.

bián-siu tāi-chai 免守齋 dispensation from fasting
(Catholic term)

bián-siu 免想 Don't think about it!

bián-sòe 免稅 exemption from tax or duty,
free of tax or duty

bián-soe-phín 免稅品 tax-free goods

bián-soe-tiam 免稅店 duty free shop

bián-tam 面談 talk face-to-face, an interview

bián-tí 免除 give quittance, relieve from obligations

Bian-tiān 緬甸 Burma (Mandarin: "Mian-dian")

bián-tit 免得 save the trouble of doing something, avoid, so as not to

bián-tui (bián-tui) 面對 to face a person, situation, direction or object, opposite, facing

biat 滅 perish, be destroyed, destroy, extinguish

choan-biat 全滅 annihilation, be totally destroyed

lěng-hún put-biat 靈魂不滅 the soul is immortal

biat-bōng 滅亡 destruction, be destroyed

biat-bún (biat-mng) 滅門 put a whole family to death

biat-chéng 滅種 exterminate an entire race or species, destruction of a whole race

biat-choat 滅絕 exterminate, annihilate, wipe out

biat-chok 滅族 wipe out an entire clan

biat-hóe 滅火 put out a fire

biat-hóe-khi 滅火器 fire extinguisher

biat-hóe-soa 滅火沙 sand for extinguishing fire

biat-im-khì (siau-im-khì) 滅(消)音器 muffler on an engine

biat-khío (biat-khau) 滅口 kill a person to prevent him from disclosing a secret

biat-mng (biat-bún) 滅門 put a whole family to death

biat-si 滅屍 destroy the corpse after a murder to prevent detection

biat-teng 滅頂, 沒頂 be drowned

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biau**B**

- biáu** 貌貌 slight, treat with contempt, small, petty
- biáu** 淫渺 vague, indistinct, vast, boundless
- bōng-bōng biáu-biáu** 淫渺茫茫, 迷惘 misty, uncertain, fabulous
- Góa kám-kak bōng-bōng biáu-biáu, m̄-chai boeh àn-choáⁿ chò.** 我感到迷惘, 不知要如何做。I feel uncertain about what to do.
- biáu** 描畫 trace, to draw, to sketch, describe, depict
- biáu** 苗苗 young tree, sprouts, shoots, descendant, progeny
- lō-sún-biáu** 蘆蘆筍筍苗苗 young asparagus plant
- h̄í-biáu** 魚魚苗苗 young fish fry
- biáu (miau)** 妙妙 beautiful, excellent, wonderful, subtle, mysterious
- bí-biáu** 美美妙妙 exquisite, very pleasant
- o-biáu** 奥妙 mysterious, profound
- sin-biáu** 神神妙妙 wonderfully excellent and efficacious, as medicine
- biáu** 廟廟 temple, shrine
- biáu-chhiú** 妙手回春 the hand that cures (used to describe a good physician)
- Biau-chok** 苗族族族 Mao people of southwestern China
- biáu-chún** 瞄準 take aim
- biáu-ioh** 妙藥 efficacious drug, wonder drug
- biáu-jian** 淫然 vast, boundless, endless
- biáu-jín** biáu-su妙人妙事事 interesting person and his amusing episodes
- biáu-ké** 妙計 extraordinary plan
- biáu-léng (iu-khí-e)** 妙齡 young girls
- biáu-lún** 妙論 ingenious comment, very clever remark
- biáu-phó** 苗圃團圃 nursery for young plants, a rice nursery, seedbed
- biáu-sí** 貌視 underrate, despise, look down upon with coldness, treat with contempt
- biáu-sí it-chhe** 貌視一切一 view every thing with disfavor, view with jaundiced eyes
- biáu-sí lāng** 貌視人人 treat someone with contempt

- biáu-síá** 描寫 describe, depict, portray, description
- biáu-síau** 淫小 very small, tiny, infinitesimal
- biáu-soan** 妙算 excellent plan
- biáu-sut** 描述 describe
- biáu-tiáu** 苗條 slim woman, willowy, slender and graceful, lithe
- bih** 躲躲, 藏匿 hide oneself, conceal one's self
- bih toa an-choán ē so·chái** 躲在安全的地方 hide in a safe place
- bih** 篦箒 thin slip of bamboo used for wicker-work
- bih-á (tek-bih)** 竹竹箒箒 thin slips of bamboo used for wicker-work
- bih-bih-chhih-chhih** 偷偷摸摸 furtively
- Iá m̄-sí teh chò chhat-á, ná tiöh á-ne
bih-bih-chhih-chhih? 又不是是當小偷, 怎麼要這樣偷摸摸? You are not stealing things, why are you acting so furtively?
- bih-chhiöh** 簾席席席 mat or mattress made of bamboo strips or slats
- bih-chhui** 啰嘴, 快哭的樣子子 pout the lips, about to cry
- bih-hóⁿ (siám-hóⁿ)** 避雨 take shelter from the rain
- bih-nng** 嫩竹箒箒 the softer inside layer of the bamboo but not the innermost, used mostly for wicker-work but much inferior to the outside part called "bih-chhe*"
- bih-sio-chhœ** 捉迷藏藏 hide-and-seek
- bín** 敏敏 active, clever, prompt, witty, smart, earnest, diligent, hasten
- tóng-chok chin bín-chiat** 動作很快捷捷 very quick in action
- bín** 刷刷 brush
- ě-bín** 鞋鞋刷刷 shoe brush
- khí-bín** 牙牙刷刷 toothbrush
- bín** 懨憐 pity, commiserate, feel concerned over
- bín** 眠眠 sleep
- ham-bin** 夢夢 talk in one's sleep
- khùn bē loh-bín** 難入眠眠 cannot sleep soundly
- khùn bō kàu-bín** 沒足睡眠 haven't had

enough sleep	
bin 民 <small>姓</small> the people in distinction from the government, the subjects as opposed to the ruler, populace, the public	
ki-bin 居 <small>住</small> inhabitants	
kok-bin 國 <small>家</small> 民 <small>姓</small> nation, people	
kong-bin 公 <small>共</small> 民 <small>姓</small> citizens	
liōng-bin 良 <small>好</small> 民 <small>姓</small> law-abiding citizens	
bin 面 <small>目</small> face, surface, side, direction	
ē-bin 下 <small>下</small> 面 <small>目</small> below, under	
gōa-bin 外 <small>外</small> 面 <small>目</small> outside	
lai-bin 裡 <small>裡</small> 面 <small>目</small> inside	
tēng-bin 上 <small>上</small> 面 <small>目</small> above	
bin-á 刷 <small>子</small> brush	
bin-á-am 明 <small>天</small> 晚 <small>上</small> tomorrow night	
bin-á au-jit 明 <small>天</small> 後 <small>天</small> tomorrow or the day after tomorrow	
bin-á-chai 明 <small>天</small> 天 <small>空</small> tomorrow	
bin-á-chái-khí 明 <small>天</small> 天 <small>空</small> 早 <small>上</small> tomorrow morning	
bin-á-é-po 明 <small>天</small> 天 <small>空</small> 下 <small>午</small> tomorrow afternoon	
bin-bak 面 <small>目</small> face, feature, appearance, countenance	
bin-bang 作 <small>夢</small> dream	
bin-bin 半 <small>睡</small> 的 <small>樣</small> doze, feel drowsy, slumber, half-asleep	
bin-bin-á-kia 緩 <small>緩</small> 斜 <small>坡</small> gentle slope	
bin-bok 面 <small>目</small> face, feature, appearance, countenance	
bin-bōng 民 <small>衆</small> 望 <small>望</small> confidence of the people, the hope of the masses, popularity among the people	
chin ū bin-bōng ē chóng-thóng 很 <small>有</small> 民 <small>衆</small> 望 <small>望</small> 的 <small>總</small> 統 <small>統</small> a president who has the confidence of the people	
Chéng-hú ē chèng-chhek ū hū-háp tioh	
bin-bōng . 政 <small>府</small> 的 <small>政</small> 策 <small>策</small> 符 <small>合</small> 了 <small>民</small> 的 <small>望</small> . The policy of the government meets the hopes of the people.	
bin-chéng 民 <small>政</small> civil affairs or administration	
Bin-chéng-khò (kho) 民 <small>政</small> 政 <small>務</small> 課 <small>(科)</small>	
civil affairs administration	
Bin-chéng-thia 民 <small>政</small> 政 <small>務</small> 廳 <small>廳</small> provincial department of civil affairs	
Bin-chéng thia-tiu 民 <small>政</small> 政 <small>務</small> 廳 <small>廳</small> 長 <small>長</small> commissioner of the provincial department of civil affairs	

bin-chěng 民 <small>情</small> condition or life situation of the people	
sī-chhat bin-chěng 視 <small>察</small> 民 <small>情</small> observe or study the conditions of the people	
bin-chěng (bin-thău-chěng) 面 <small>前</small> in front of, in the presence of	
chhù bin-chěng 屋 <small>前</small> in front of the house	
tí pē-bú ē bin-chěng 在 <small>父</small> 母 <small>母</small> 的 <small>面</small> 前 <small>前</small> in front of one's parents	
bin-chěng-khia 表 <small>面</small> 工 <small>夫</small> present a false front	
hó bin-chěng-khia 表 <small>面</small> 工 <small>夫</small> 好 <small>好</small> present a good front	
bin-chhau-chhau 臉 <small>上</small> 不 <small>悅</small> unpleasant face	
bin-chhi (biān-chhi, kháu-chhi) 面試 <small>試</small> oral exam	
bin-chhiu 臉 <small>孔</small> , 相 <small>貌</small> appearance, shape or features of the face, the outline or contours of a face	
phái bin-chhiu 相 <small>貌</small> 難 <small>看</small> , 凶 <small>巴</small> 巴 <small>看</small> evil looking, coarse looking	
bin-chhng (bún-chhng) 床 <small>床</small> bed, a bedstead	
bin-chhng-ki 床 <small>沿</small> edge of the bed	
bin-chiat 敏捷 <small>捷</small> quick, nimble, alert, quick witted, smart, sharp, agile	
Bin-chìn-tóng 民 <small>主</small> 進 <small>步</small> 黨 <small>黨</small> DPP (Democratic Progressive Party)	
bin-chiòng 民 <small>衆</small> the people, the multitude	
bin chít-é 小 <small>小</small> 睡 <small>片</small> 刻 <small>刻</small> doze	
bin-chok 民 <small>族</small> race, nation	
bin-chok bún-té 民 <small>族</small> 問 <small>題</small> problem of nationalities	
bin-chok cheng-sin 民 <small>族</small> 精 <small>神</small> racial spirit	
bin-chok chí-siōng 民 <small>族</small> 至 <small>上</small> a slogan meaning, "The Nation above all!"	
Bin-chok-chú-gí 民 <small>族</small> 主 <small>義</small> racialism, nationalism, the Principle of Nationalism (one of the Three Principles of the People)	
bin-chok chū-koat 民 <small>族</small> 自 <small>決</small> national self-determination	
bin-chok ē phian-kian 民 <small>族</small> 偏 <small>見</small> racial prejudice	
bin-chok eng-hiōng 民 <small>族</small> 英 <small>雄</small> national hero	

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- bin-chok-hák** 民族學 ethnology
bin-chok i-sek 民族意識 national consciousness
bin-chok kek-bēng 民族革命 national revolution
bin-chok ūn-tōng 民族運動 national movement
bin-chú (biān-chú) 面子 honor, one's face (in the figurative sense)
bin-chú 民主 democracy; democratic
bin-chú chéng-thé 民主政體 democratic government
bin-chú chéng-tí 民主政治 democracy
bin-chú chú-gí 民主主義 democracy
bin-chú-kok 民主國家 democratic state
bin-chú-tek 民主的 democratic
Bin-chú-tóng 民主黨 democratic party, the Democrats
bin-ě 擦鞋 shine shoes
bin ě bí-iōng chéng-hěng 膜部美容整形 face-lifting
bin-ěng 民營 privately owned
bin-ěng hoat-tiān-chhiáng 民營發電廠 privately owned power station
bin-ěng iǔ-kiòk 民營郵局 private post office
bin-háng 民航 civil aviation
bin-háng-ki 民航機 airliner
Bin-háng-kiòk 民航局 Civil Aeronautics Administration
bin-hěng 臉形 shape of a face, features
bin-hoat 民法 civil law
bin-hong 民風 custom of the people, popular custom
bin-hong thó-siok 民風土俗 manners and customs of a place
bin-i 民意 people's will, public opinion
bin-i chhek-giām 民意測驗 poll taking, public opinion survey
bin-i ki-koan 民意機關 people's representative body
bin-i tai-piáu 民意代表 people's representatives
bin-iău 民謡 folk-songs, ballad
bin-iōng 面容 appearance, countenance, face
bin-iú 民有 of the people
bin-iu bin-kat 愁眉苦臉 face wrinkled

with vexation or grief

- bin iu-iu** 面色憂鬱 one's face looks sad
bin-ka 民家 households of the people
bin-kám 敏感 sensitive, susceptible, allergic
bin-kám-sèng 敏感性 sensitive
bin-kan 民間 among the people
bin-kan bún-hák 民間文學 folk literature, popular literature
bin-kan gē-sút 民間藝術 folk art
bin-kan im-gák 民間音樂 folk music
bin-kan kò-sú 民間故事 folk tale, folklore
bin-kheng 面廓 shape of the face
bin-khóng 臉孔 face
bin-khū 面具 mask
bin-kin (bin-po) 面巾, 毛巾 face towel
bin-koa 民歌 folk songs
bin-koán 民權 rights of the people
Bin-koán chho-po 民權初步 "Fundamental Knowledge in Democracy", a book dealing with the procedures of parliamentary rule, authored by Dr. Sun Yat-sen
Bin-koán-chú-gí 民權主義 principle of democracy
bin-koán hoat-an 民權法案 civil rights bill
Bin-kok 民國 republic, democracy
bin lek-sek (bin sit-sek) 臉失色 grow pale with fear, shame, lose facial color
kiaⁿ kah bin lek-sek 怕得臉失色 turn white from fear
bin-mau 面貌 appearance, features of a person
bin-mo 臉毛 facial hair
bin-ná-am 明天晚上 tomorrow evening
bin-ná-chai 明天晝, 明日 tomorrow
bin-ná-chai-khí 明天早上 tomorrow morning
bin-ná-e-po 明天下午 tomorrow afternoon
bin-ná-tiong-tau 明天中午 tomorrow at noon
bin niau-niau (niau-bin) 麻臉 pockmarked face
bin-pang 民房 private house, civilian house

bīn peh-sí-sat 脣色蒼白 pallor, pale
 bīn-peng 民兵 militia, militia
 bīn-phoe 面皮 facial skin
 kāu bīn-phoe 厚臉皮 brazen-faced
 kō bīn-phoe 顧面子 take care of one's character
 sia láng ē bīn-phoe 損人忌面 bring disgrace upon
 affront and bring disgrace upon
 bīn-phoe kek kāu-kāu 厚著臉皮 pocket one's pride, to swallow an insult
Bin-phoe kek kāu-kāu, pāi-thok i pang-bāng. 厚著臉皮, 拜託他幫忙。I pocketed my pride and asked his help.
 bīn-phoe jiǎu 脣皮皺 wrinkled face
 bīn-phoe kāu 脣皮厚 brazen faced, shameless, impudent, cheeky
 bīn-phūn 脣盆 wash basin
 bīn-po^o (bīn-kin) 面巾, 毛巾 face towel
 bīn-po^o 脣部 facial region, the face
 bīn put liáu-seng 民不聊生 people have nothing to live upon
 bīn-se 面紗 veil worn by woman in church
 bīn-sek 脣色 complexion, countenance
 bīn-sek hó (hó bīn-sek) 脣色好 healthy complexion
 phái bīn-sek (bīn-sek bái) 脣色不好 unhealthy complexion
 bīn-sék 面熟, 面善 know by sight, familiar with
 Chin chē láng ē tióng-kan, ū kúi-ě-á bīn-sék ē láng. 很多人都中間, 有幾個面熟的。There are a few familiar face among many people.
 bīn-seng 民生 necessities of life
 bīn-seng būn-té 民生問題 problem of the people's livelihood
 Bīn-seng-chú-gí 民生主義 Principle of the People's Livelihood (one of the Three Principles of the People)
 bīn-sim 民心 popular sentiments, the public mind, the hearts and minds of the people
 jiáu-lōan bīn-sim 摾亂民心 create disturbance in the minds of people
 tit bīn-sim 得民心 gain the hearts of

people
 bīn-siōh 懨惜 pity, have compassion for
 bīn-siok 民俗 customs and practices of the people
 bīn-siōng 面相 person's features, physiognomy
 bīn sit-sek 面失色 turn white from fear
 Bīn-sò-kí 民數記 Numbers (Protestant)
 bīn-sóan 民選 popular election, elected by the people
 bīn-sū 民事 civil case, suit or action
 bīn-su bōng-siōng 眠思夢想 think day and night
 bīn-sū sò-siōng 民事訴訟 civil action suit
 bīn-sū-téng 民事庭 civil court
 bīn-tà 面罩 mask
 bīn tài chhiú-iōng 面帶愁容 sad faced, woeful look
 bīn-tāu 敏豆, 四季豆 kidney bean
 bīn-teng 面疔 carbuncle on the face
 bīn-téng 上面 on the top
 bīn-tháng 脣盆 wash basin
 bīn-thàng 蛔蟲 intestinal parasite, round-worm, ascariasis
 Bīn-tióng-kí 民長紀 Judges (Catholic)
 bīn-tióng-sí-tai 民長時代 time of Judges (OT)
 bīn-tui 面對 face reality or the facts
 bīn tui bīn 面對面 face-to-face
 bīo (biau) 秒 second (measurement of time or degree)
 bīo (bó) 母 mother
 bīo (biau) 描 trace a copy on transparent or thin paper
 Chit tiu^o tē-tō^o chin phái^o ōe, ēng bīo ē khah khoái. 這張地圖很難畫, 用描的比較容易。This picture is very difficult to draw, tracing it would be easier.
 bīo (biau) 廟 temple, shrine
 chó-bio 祖廟 ancestral temple
 khóng-chú-bio 孔子廟 Confucian temple
 Sēng-hóng-bio 城隍廟 temple of the city tutelary god
 bīo-chhin 母親 mother
 bīo-chiam 秒針 second hand on the dial of a clock or watch

bio-chiok

bio-chiok 廟 ₂ 祝 ₂ temple superior	bit-po 密佈 ₂ closely or densely spread over, densely covered by clouds or with secret agents and guards everywhere
bio-hoe 廟 ₂ 會 ₂ temple fair on fixed days of the month	bit-put-kho-hun 密不可分 ₂ intimate, close
bio-jí 描 ₂ 字 ₂ trace writing	bit-sai 密使 ₂ secret emissary, envoy
bio-kháu 廟 ₂ 口 ₂ temple court or entrance	Bit-se-kin 密西根 ₂ Michigan
bio-kong 廟 ₂ 公 ₂ temple superior	bit-sek 密室 ₂ secret chamber, hidden room
bio-sí 寺 ₂ 廟 ₂ temple	bit-tam 密談 ₂ hold a confidential talk or conference, have a secret or close conversation, secret conversation, talk, conference
Phe*-o ū chiok ché bio-sí . 澎湖有很 多寺廟。 Phe*-o+ has many temples.	bit-tham 密探 ₂ secret detective, secret agent, spy
bio-tia 廟 ₂ 庭 ₂ temple environs or courtyard	bit-thng 蜜糖 ₂ honey
bio-ú 廟 ₂ 宇 ₂ temple	bit-to 密度 ₂ density
bit 蜜 ₂ honey, nectar in a flower, sweet	jin-kháu 人口密度 ₂ density of population
phang-bit 蜂蜜 ₂ honey	bit-to-ke 密度計 ₂ densimeter
ti-bit-bit 甜蜜 ₂ honey sweet	bó (bu) 母 ₂ mother, female animals, capital money, yogurt or cheese culture
bit 密 ₂ dense, close, intimate, tight, thick, secret, confidential, hidden	au-bo (ke-bo) 繼母 ₂ stepmother
chhin-bit 親密 ₂ very intimate, closely related	hu-bo (pe-bo) 父母 ₂ father and mother
ki-bit (pi-bit) 機密 ₂ , 秘密 ₂ secret	ke-bo 母雞 ₂ hen
bit-be (bit-má) 密碼 ₂ secret code	leng-bo 奶媽 ₂ wet nurse
bit-bo 密謀 ₂ plan secretly, to plot, secret scheme	se-bo 生母 ₂ real mother
bit-chhiat 密切 ₂ close, intimate	bó (bu) 不 ₂ , 無 ₂ , 沒 ₂ not, no, none, without
Góa kah i ú bit-chhiat ē koan-hé. 我跟 他有密切的關係。 There is a close connection between him and me.	bó (bo-a) 帽子 ₂ cap, hat
bit-chian 蜜餞 ₂ confections made of candied or salted fruit, salted dried plum, tightly joined	liu bo-a 脱帽 ₂ take off or tip a hat
bit-goat 蜜月 ₂ honeymoon	tí bo-a 戴帽 ₂ wear a hat
bit-goat lí-héng 蜜月旅行 ₂ honeymoon trip	bó (bo-a, chioh-bo) 磚 ₂ , 石磨 ₂ mill, mill-stone
bit-hám 密函 ₂ secret or confidential letter	e-bo 推磨 ₂ turn a mill as by hand
bit-hong 密封 ₂ seal tightly or securely	U chí sai kui ia ē e-bo . 有錢能使鬼推磨。 If you have money, you can even make devils turn a mill. Money talks.
bit-i 密醫 ₂ unlicensed doctor	bó-á-ke 帽架 ₂ hat rack or stand
bit-kò 密告 ₂ blow the gaff to the police, inform secretly against a suspicious person	bó-ai 母愛 ₂ mother's love
Ü láng bit-kò kóng i sī Kiōng-sán-tóng. 有人密告他是共产党。 Someone informed secretly against him that he is a Communist	bó-bak-te 没地位 ₂ , 不被看不起 ₂ have no social rank or position, look down, despise
bit-láh 蜜蠟 ₂ beeswax	bó-bang 没希望 ₂ hopeless
bit-má 密碼 ₂ secret code	bó-bí 無味 ₂ insipid, tasteless
bit-phang 蜜蜂 ₂ honey bee	bó-bin 睡眠不足 ₂ lack sleep
bit-po (ia-po, pián-hok) 蝙蝠 ₂ bat (the animal)	bó bin thang ki láng 無臉見人 ₂ feeling ashamed to see others because of

some awkward, inconvenient, or shameful state of matters

bō-bó-bō-kāu 單身漢 bachelor

bō bok-tek 無目的的 aimless, without objective, at random

bō-chái 有失風度 not in accordance with one's position or station

bō chāi-lai 不在內 not included

bō-cháng 母樹 the trunk of a tree

bō-cháng-thău 無線索, 無頭緒 have no clue

Lóng bō-cháng-thău boeh toh-ūi khì liah-cháng? 都沒線索(頭緒)要從那兒去捕捉(做起來)? There are no clues where to go to catch the criminal.

bō-chéng 無情 callous, heartless, ruthless, devoid of emotion or feelings

bō-chèng-keng 不正常 not normal

bō-chhai 可惜 regrettable, unfortunate, unlucky, too bad, wasteful, unworthy

Hit ē láng sí-khì, chin bō-chhai. 那個人死了, 很可惜。It was unfortunate that that person died.

Hit chhut tiān-iá khoa bō tioh, chin bō-chhai. 那部電影沒看到, 很可惜。It was unfortunate that I was unable to see that movie.

Hit nía sa theh khì chhit thih-bé, chin bō chhai. 那件衣服拿去擦自行車, 很可惜。Too bad you took that shirt to wipe off the bicycle.

bō-chhai-kang 徒勞, 沒用 waste of effort, in vain, wasted effort

Í-keng sí khì à, khah chū-sia iá bō-chhai-kang. 已經死了, 再打針也沒用。He is already dead, any more injections are a wasted effort.

Bō-chhai-kang, mài siu-lí, bē sin-é khah hó. 浪費時間, 不要修理了, 買新的是比較好。It is waste of time, better to buy a new one.

bō-chhai chí (mih, etc.) 浪費錢, 東西等 waste of money (thing, etc.)

Bō-chhai chí, chap kho bē hit khoán é chheh. 浪費錢, 十塊錢買那種書。It is a waste of ten dollars to buy that kind of book.

bō-chhau-siú 責任, 不聽 irresponsi-

ble, won't obey

bō-chhin 母親 mother

bō-chhin 不親密 not intimate

bō-chhin bō-chhek 無親無戚 without kin or friends

Bó-chhin-chiat 母親節 Mother's Day: the second Sunday in May

bō chhiu-á lāu-tōa 和事佬 mediator, a peacemaker

bō-chhò 不錯, 沒錯 correct, without error, no mistake, That's right! Not bad! Right on!

Lí án-ne kóng, bō-chhò. 你這樣講, 沒錯。 You are correct to say that.

Lí eng-am boeh khì, sī bō? Bō-chhò. 今晚要去, 是嗎? 不錯。Are you going this evening? That's right.

bō-chhui-chuí 不會講好話 person who doesn't know how to flatter

bō chhün-pān 不打算 without any previous thought about it, as something coming unexpectedly

bō-chí (bú-chí, bō-kim) 母錢, 本錢, 資本 business capital, capital lent out

bō-chiong 帽章 hat badge, badge for a cap

bō-chip-i 沒有下定決心 didn't make a decision

Sí-kan to kàu a, i mā iáu bō-chip-i boeh cho. 時間到了, 他沒有下來定決心要做。The time has come but he still hasn't made a decision.

bō chít te tioh 一無是處 always wrong

bō-chng bō-thá 無梳妝打扮 not dress up

bō-choa (bō khah choa) 沒關係, 沒用 useless

bō-choe 無罪 innocent

bō chōe-ok-kám 無罪惡感 no sense of sin

bō-chú chi chéng 母子之愛 love between mother and child

bō-chú-ke-sin 無主孤魂 deceased people who have no descendant to worship them

bō chú-kian 無見 indecisive, cannot make up one's mind about anything

bō-chú-lian-sim 母子連心 (Lit.- mother

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and son's heart always join together)
love between mother and child

bō-chún-sng 不^々算^々數^々 don't count, don't
pay attention to

Bō sίa-jī, iōng chhui kóng-ě bō chún-sng
la. 没^々立^々字^々據^々, 用^々嘴^々巴^々說^々的^々不^々
算^々數^々. If you don't write it but only
say it, nobody pays attention.

bó-ě 母^々的^々 female animals

bó-ěng (bō-ěng chhi-chhà, bō-ěng-kang) 非^々
常^々忙^々碌^々 very busy, no leisure

Bō ěng bō kang, koh teh chò sè-kóe. 無^々
閒^々工^々夫^々卻^々又^々在^々做^々小^々的^々棵^々.
You don't use your time well. (Lit. No
time and no work but still you make
rice cakes.)

bō-gai 無^々礙^々 do not matter, no harm, not
in the way, all right

bó-gí 母^々語^々 one's mother tongue, native
tongue

bō gi-go^々 想^々不^々到^々, 意^々料^々之^々外^々 unexpectedly before one is aware or has any
thought of it

bō gi-niu 無^々事^々做^々, 無^々聊^々 nothing to do,
nonsense

bō goan-chhōe sī-thai 無^々原^々罪^々始^々胎^々
Immaculate Conception of Mary,
conceived without sin (catholic term)

bō gǔ sái bē 無^々牛^々用^々馬^々耕^々; 事^々出^々奈^々
use the means at hand, make an
adjustment (Lit. If there is no ox,
then use a horse.)

Chí-chiah-ě nā bē-tàng lái, bō gǔ sái bē,
góa lái chí. 廚^々子^々如^々不^々能^々來^々, 没^々辦^々
法^々, 我^々來^々煮^々. If the cook cannot
come, then I'll cook.

In-üi lāu-su bō lái, bō gǔ sái bē, kiò kō-
mng-ě lái ká Tái-oan-oe. 因^々為^々老^々師^々
沒^々來^々, 没^々辦^々法^々, 叫^々看^々門^々的^々來^々教^々
台^々語^々. Since the teacher didn't
come, call the gate keeper to teach
Taiwanese.

bō-hah 不^々合^々適^々 unsuitable

bō hah-si 不^々合^々時^々 unseasonable, out-of-
date

Chit nía sa^々 bō hah-si. 這^々件^々衣^々-服^々不^々合^々
時^々. This shirt is old fashioned.

bō hah-un 不^々合^々韻^々 doesn't rhyme

bō hǎng-chéng 没^々有^々市^々價^々 have no

market price

bó-hāu 母^々校^々 alma mater

bō-hāu (bū-hāu) 無^々效^々 invalid, of no effect,
lacking results, unsuccessful

kōe-kí bō-hāu 過^々期^々無^々效^々 expired

Hit khoán ioh-á bō-hāu. 那^々種^々藥^々無^々
效^々. That kind of medicine has no
effect.

bó-hē chè-to^々 母^々系^々制^々度^々 matriarchy

bō hé-loh 不^々得^々要^々領^々, 没^々下^々落^々 not to
the point, whereabouts is unknown

chò (kóng) kah bō hé-loh 做^々(說^々) 得^々不^々
得^々要^々領^々. do nothing to the point
(say nothing to the point)

I chò tāi-chì chin bō hé-loh, chít-kóá tāi-
chì chò lóng bō hó-sè. 他^々做^々事^々不^々
得^々要^々領^々, 一^々些^々事^々情^々都^々沒^々做^々
好^々. He doesn't act responsibly, some
things he has done are not done well.

bō hé-thóng 無^々系^々統^々 unclassified, without
system, disorder, unsystematic, uncon-
trolled

Hit keng hák-hāu (kong-si) chin bō hé-
thóng. 那^々間^々學^々校^々(公^々司^々) 一^々點^々系^々
統^々都^々沒^々有^々. That school is very
disorderly. (That company is unsystem-
atic.)

bō-hěng 不^々受^々孕^々 The egg of an animal
not fertilized

bō hǐ, hě má hó. 無^々魚^々, 蝦^々也^々好^々. 將^々
就^々! 將^々就^々! adopt a makeshift
course (Lit. If there are no fish,
shrimp will do.)

bō-hiám 不^々嫌^々棄^々 although, in spite of the
fact (introduces the conceded fact in
a concessive sentence)

bō-hoat-tit 没^々辦^々法^々 unable to manage

bó-hoe 雌^々花^々 female flower

bō-hoe-bō-phoe 没^々來^々信^々 didn't communi-
cate by letter, didn't correspond

In-üi bō-hoe-bō-phoe, boeh ná ē chai-iá^々
i tī toh-üi? 因^々為^々沒^々來^々信^々, 怎^々麼^々知^々
道^々他^々在^々哪^々裏^々? Because he hasn't
written a letter, who knows where he
is?

bō-hōng (bū-hōng) 無^々妨^々 no consequence,
no harm

An-ne kóng (chò, sίa) mā bō-hōng. 這^々樣^々
講^々(做^々, 寫^々) 也^々無^々妨^々. To say that

(do that or write that) would be of no consequence.	beyond hope, incorrigible
bō-hūn 没份 have nothing to do with it, be denied a share	bō-iōng 無用 not need, useless
bō-hun-chhūn 没分寸 making no proper measurement or examination, careless or inaccurate in doing things	bō-iǔ bō-sian 清淡, 不油腻 quiet, simple, unexciting and placid life, mild flavored food
bō-hun o-peh 不分青紅皂白 impetuous, rash, without forethought, without distinction of right and wrong	chiah kah bō-iǔ bō-sian 形容生活很窮苦 life is difficult (Lit. eat till food has no taste)
bō-hun pí-chhú (bō-hun lí-góa) 不分彼此, 不分你我 one for all and all for one	bō-jí 無字可寫 have no equivalent characters or words
bō-i 姨母 mother's sisters, maternal aunts	bō-jin-tō 無人道 inhumane, contrary to humanity
bō-i 無法醫治 can't cure	bō-kān 有危險, 很小氣 very stingy, not to dare
bō-i bo-óá 無依無靠 solitude, loneliness, nothing or nobody to rely on	bō-kang-ge 無事做 nothing to do
bō i-gí 無異議 without dissenting voice, unanimous	bō-kau 母教 mother's upbringing of child, mother's teaching
bō i-gí thong-koe 無異議通過 pass unanimously	bō-kau chhín 不夠秤 weigh a thing lighter than it should be
bō-i-hoat 拿他没办法 there is no way	chhín bō-kau chhín 偷斤減量 give short weight
bō-i-tiong (bū-i-tiong) 無意中 thoughtlessly, inadvertently	bō-kau-khoa 不夠看, 輕蔑人 despise
bō-i-tiong soah kóng chhut-lai 無意中說出來 inadvertently say something	bō kau-pún 不夠本 loss of capital, under cost (a phrase common in commercial circles when a buyer or seller quotes a price that is under cost)
bō-iá bō-chiah (bō-iá bō-jiah) 毫無根據據, 無稽之談 certainly not, groundless, unfounded	An-ne bō kau-pún, ē liáu-chi . 這樣不夠本錢, 會虧錢。The price is under quoted, I'll lose money.
bō-iá bō-chiah ē tai-chí 毫無根據的事 a falsehood, a pure fabrication	bō-kau-tāng 重量不足, 輕蔑人 not heavy enough, to despise
bō-iǎn 無緣 have no affinity for	bō-ke bō-kiám 不多不少 neither too much nor too little, nothing added nothing taken away, no more, no less
bō-iǎn bō-kò (bū-iǎn bū-kò) 無緣無故 without cause or reason, no relationship, without rhyme or reason	Bō-ke bō-kiám, tú-tú hó . 不多不少, 恰好恰好。Not too little, not too much, just right.
I bō-iǎn bō-kò kā góa phah . 他無緣無故打我。For no reason at all he socked me.	bō-ke già kau-i 自找麻煩 look for trouble
I kap góa bō-iǎn bō-kò. 他跟我毫無關係。He has no relationship with me at all.	bō-khang 没钱, 贫穷 have no money, stingy
bō iǎn khì-iú 無鉛汽油 unleaded, no lead	bō-khang bō-sún 無關緊要的 not important, of no consequence or significance
bō-iàu bō-kín 不重視, 不放在心上 let it go, it doesn't matter, pay no attention, not be concerned	bō khì 丢失了 missing, to disappear
bō-im 母音 vowels	Góa ē chheh bō khì . 我的書丢了。
bō-ioh 無藥, 沒辦法 no remedy for it	My book is missing.
bō ioh thang kiú 無藥可救 incurable,	bō-khí-ho 無限價格(數) affair which may involve large indefinite expenses

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B**bo khi-lek**

bo khì-lek (*bo-khui-lat*) 無×氣力。 without energy or strength

Lāu-lāng khah bō khì-lek. 老人較無氣力。 Old people don't have as much energy.

bō khī-kip (*bō-khi^a bō-kip*) 無著力處。 unable to hold on to (like a big, round slippery thing), no collateral, to have no family, relatives, property on which a creditor can have a hold as security

bō-khoa 來不及。 沒空檔。 be too late to do something, to hurry to do something, no time to

Chò kah bō-khoa chiah-png. 做到來不及吃飯。 Worked until it was too late to eat.

bō-khoan 不像話。 absurd, ludicrous, conduct oneself badly

Chit ē gín-ná lú lǎi lú bō-khoan. 這個孩子越來越不像話。 The older this child gets the worse he gets.

bō-khui 斷氣。 breathless, expired

I **bō-khui** a. 他斷氣了。 He is dead.

bō-ki 母機。 machine that makes other machines, mother aircraft, airplane which tows gliders

bō kí-miá tǎu-phio 無記名投票。 secret ballot

bō-kia^a 母子。 mother and child, principal and interest

bō kia^a miá 命中無後。 be fated to have no child

bō-kím 腦母。 mother's brother's wife

bō-kim (*bú-chi^a, bō-chi^a*) 本錢。 capital, principal (of money)

bō-kim bō-khī chiah pah-jí 無禁活百歲。 There is no taboo, you can live to be a hundred.

bō-kiu 無救。 hopeless

bō-ko 無錢。 無才。 have no money, have no ability

bō-kò bin-phoe 不顧臉皮。 shameless, doesn't guard her (his) reputation, has no self-respect

bō-köan 母權。 matriarchal power

bō-köan 無權。 having no power or authority

bō koan-hē 沒有關係。 have nothing to do with, regardless of, it matters little

Kah góa bō koan-hē 跟我沒只有關係。 I have nothing to do with it.

bō koh 不再。 not a second time

bō-kok (*chó-kok*) 母國。 祖國。 mother country, mother land

bō-kóng-bō-tā^a 一聲不響。 silently

I nā boeh khī toh-üi lóng bō-kóng-bō-tā^a tō chau. 他如果要去了那兒都說就走。 If he wants to go some place, he doesn't tell anyone he just goes.

bō kong-tō (*bō kong-pě^a*) 不公平。 not fair

bō-kū 母舅。 舅父。 mother's brother, maternal uncle

bō kúi jit chéng 幾天前。 not many days ago

Góa bō kúi jit chéng ū khī Tai-pak. 幾天前我到台北去了。 Not many days previously I went to Taipei.

bō kui-sim (*bō choan-sim*) 不專心。 not with one's whole heart, half-heartedly

bō-kut 無骨。 no backbone (Lit. without bones)

bō-kut-khī 無骨氣。 spineless, chicken-livered (Lit. no bones energy)

bō-lái 本息。 principal and interest

bō-lái-chiah 沒有進度。 not to make progress

bō-lám 母艦。 mother ship, carrier

hang-khong bō-lám 航空母艦。 aircraft carrier

bō-lám (lán) bō-ne 無精打采。 acting mechanically without heart in the work, cannot keep one's mind on one's job

bō-lāng gin-hāng 無人銀行。 automatic teller machine, ATM

bō-lāng-iān 無緣。 not likeable, repulsive

bō láng kóan, bō láng liú 無人管。 自由。

no one takes care

Pē-bó chít-ē sí, soah pián-chò bō láng kóan bo lang liú. 父母一死，竟無人管。 After the parents pass away, no one takes care of things.

bō láng-sek (*bō láng-bin*) 無人事。關係。 without friends or helpers

ū láng-sek (*ū láng-bin*) 有人事。關係。 have numerous influential friends

bō láng-tng 沒有間斷。 incessantly,

unceasingly

Lăng ài bō làng-tīng ē chhóan-khùi chiah e oah. 人要不斷的呼吸才會活。 A person has to continue breathing to continue to live.

bō lău i-tē 不留餘地 put a man too much to shame, as by severe scolding before others

bō-lé 無禮 impolite

bō-leng 母奶 mother's milk

bō lěng-sia 不靈 be ineffective, in vain, to pray to god or a saint in vain

bō lí ē tāi-chì 沒你事少管閒事 It's none of your business.

bō liám-thí 無廉恥 shameless, devoid of honor

bō-liáu (bǔ-liáu) 無聊 bored, affected with ennui or tedium, lonely and dull

bō-liáu-sí 無了結時 endless

bō liōng-sim 沒有良心 conscienceless

bō lō 無路 there is no road or no means, have a poor appetite, don't like to eat

bō-lō-lái 做不了來 after a verb means "cannot do it", not to the point

Chò (kóng) kah bō-lō-lái. 做(講)得不_{要領}。 do (say) nothing to the point or purpose

bō-lōa 不太 not much, not very

bō-lūn 無_不, 不論 no matter what, who or when

bō-lūn jū-hō 無論如何 in any case, at all events

bō-lūn sím-mih 不論甚麼 no matter what, whatever

bō-lūn sím-mih-lăng 無論甚麼人 no matter who, whoever

bō-lūn sím-mih só-chái 無論甚麼地方 no matter where

bō-lūn to-siáu 無論多少 no matter how many

bō-lūn toh-ūi 無論那裏 no matter where, wherever

bō-mě 無刃 edge blunted, as by use

bō-mě bō-jít 不分晝夜 day and night without ceasing

I thák-chheh thak kah bō-mě bō-jít. 他不分晝夜都沒在讀書。 He studies around the clock.

bō-miă (bǔ-běng) 無名 nameless, anonymous

Bō-mo-ke, kē tōa-keh. 没錢硬充闖大。 putting on "the dog", acting big (Lit. a featherless chicken pretending to look big)

bō-nái-ēng 不耐用 won't last long

bō nái-sim 無耐心 fretfully impatient

bō-ng 無望 having none to look to, as parents whose sons are all dead or have gone wrong, no hope of reforming, returning, or again prospering

bō-niú-siú 很輕 very light in weight

bō-oan bō-khiau 坦白率真 truthful and straightforward

bō-oan-bō-siu 無冤無仇 no grudge

bō oē kóng ka-ló 開話家常 chat

Góan bō teh kóng sia'h, kan-na bō oē kóng ka-ló nia-nia. 我們沒有在說什麼，開話家常而已。 We don't have anything to say, we're only having a chat.

bō-oē thang-in (bǔ-giǎn khó-tap) 無言可答 nothing to say in reply, speechless

Mng kah bō-oē thang-in. 問得話可答，repeatedly ask till he doesn't have an alibi left

bō oē thang kóng 無話可講 having nothing to say, unable to say anything

bō phah-sng 沒打算，沒想到 not expect, unexpectedly, coincidentally

bō-phi (-thău) 佔不了便宜 not succeeding in a dispute, lawsuit, or quarrel, not managing to get a thing cheap, not profitable, advantageous

bō phian-sim 無偏心 impartial

bō-phōa 沒伴 without a companion, alone

ko-toa bō-phōa 孤單 solitary, alone, lonely, friendless

bō-pí (bǔ-pí) 無比 peerless, incomparable, matchless

I sit-chái ióng-kám bō-pí. 他實在勇敢。 He is a man of matchless bravery.

se-kài bō-pí 世無比 unparalleled in the world

bō-po 沒法子 having no resource, have

B

- no alternative, no way out
bō poa^a ē chi^a 一毛錢也沒有。not a red cent
- bō-poa^a-lāng 一個人也沒有。no one at all, not a soul
- bō poa^a phiat 無所長。do not have a single skill or merit
- bō-poh 不穩，不妥當。not safe, risky
- bō-pún 沒有资本。without capital
- bō-sēng 母性。motherliness, maternity
- bō-sēng-ai 母性愛。mother's love, maternal affection
- bō-si-thēng 不停的。without pause or intermission
- bō-sia put-sēng tiām 不賒不成店。shop won't prosper unless it gives credit
- bō sī-si 丢臉。shameless
- bō-sia^a 失音，沒有嗓子。loss of voice
- bō-sia^a 不怎麼，不太。not much
- bō-sia^a ai 不太喜歡。I don't like it too much.
- bō-sia^a chai-ia^a 不太清楚。I don't know too much about it.
- bō-sia^a hó 不好。not very good
- bō-sia^a hong 風。not much wind
- bō-sia^a lāng 沒什麼人。scarcely any one
- bō-sia^a 不靈，不聖。without efficacious power
- bō-sia^a h 没什麼。not very, not particularly, not many, not very much
- bō-siāng 不同，不一样。quite different
- bō-siāng-lō^a 不同路。not going by the same road
- bō sim-chia^a 沒有心。be reluctant to do, absent minded
- I chit ē kia^a sī khì, sō-i bō sim-chia^a thang chò tāi-chi. 他一個孩子死了，所以沒有心。A child of his died so he doesn't have the heart to work.
- Khoa^a tiān-ia^a khoa^a kah bō sim-chia^a thang thak-chheh. 看電影。watch movies until there is no heart to study
- bō-sim kē ū-i 無心假。feign interest
- I chò ē lóng sī piáu-bin ē, lóng sī bō-

- sim kē ū-i ē. 他做的是表面的事，都是心假。What-ever he does is only superficial, he has no heart or interest in it.
- Bō-sim phah-chioh, chioh bē ka-nng.** 無心石。Without determination, you won't succeed.
- bō-sin 母體。body or state of health of a woman just before or soon after childbirth
- bō-sin-lūn 無神論。atheism
- bō-sin-phai 無神派。atheists
- bō sio-kau-chhap 不相往來。no mutual concern
- bō sio-phe^a (bō sio-phi^a)** 互佔便宜。相等的。equal, even, fifty and fifty, half and half
- bō-sioh 不惜。be ready to go to extreme lengths, do not spare
- Bō-sioh ka-tī ē sè-miā khì kiù pát-lāng.** 不惜自己生命的去救別人。Have no regard for one's own life if it is a matter of helping others to help others at the risk of one's own life.
- bō siong-kan 不相干。irrelevant, have nothing to do with
- bō-siu^a-bō-niū 無意。come to mind suddenly
- Chit ē tāi-chi i bō-siu^a bō-niū tō thē-chhut-lái kóng-kóng-lè. 這件事。他無意想起就拿出來說。This thing came to mind suddenly and he started right out talking about it.
- bō siu^a kau 沒想到。did not consider so far
- bō-sng 不算。don't count, leave out of the reckoning, not including
- bō-sòa^a-tiān 無線電。wireless telegraphy or telephone
- bō-sòa^a-tiān-pò 無線電報。wireless telegram, radiogram
- bō-sū 無後嗣。have no descendants
- bō-sū jíā-sū 無事找事。惹麻煩。go looking for trouble, raise unnecessary troubles
- Bō sū put jip sam-pó-tiān.** 無事不登三寶殿。I need to see you, I have a favor to ask of you. (Lit. Don't enter

the emperor's office unless you have official business.)

bō-sū-sái 没有用的 useless

bō-sún (put-sún) 不純的 (精) impure

bō sún 不順的 not smooth

bō-ta-oa 無可奈何 no other resource, could not be avoided

bō-ta-tit-oa 無奈何, 不得已 cannot help it, no other recourse

Goa ē chò chit khóan tai-chì, sǐ chin bō-ta-tit-oa e. 我會做這種事, 是很不得不已的。I do this because there is nothing else I can do.

bō-tá 膽小 timid, coward

bō-tá-kín 不打緊, 反而 very affable, compliant, accommodating, not only but also

I (put-tān) chí m hěng góa, **bō-tá-kín** koh kā góa phah. 他錢不到還我, 反而打我。Not only did he refuse to pay me the money, he beat me up.

bō-tai-chái 輕浮, frivolous, flighty

bō tāi-chì 沒事做, 不要緊 have nothing to do, never mind

bō-tai-oa 無可奈何 have no alternative

bō-tang bē 無處買, 買不到 cannot buy it anywhere

bō-tang chhōe 無處尋, 找不到 cannot be found

Chiah-nih hó ē thài-thài bō-tang chhōe. 這麼好的太太在那裡找。You can't find a better wife than she.

bō-tang khì 無處去 no place to go

bō-tap-sap 不夠 not enough

Sì gó ē láng chiah sa liáp kam-á, bō-tap-bō-sap góa bō ai chiah. 四個大人吃, 三個橘子不够吃, 我不要吃。Four or five people ate three bananas, there wasn't enough for me to eat.

bō-te chhim-khe 無底深淵 bottomless abyss

bō-tek-tiá 不穩重 bustling lad, inquietude, restlessness, restless, frolicsome, lively

Chit ē gín-ná chin bō-tek-tiá, lóng ché bē tiáu. 這個孩子很不穩重, 老坐不住。This kid is very restless, he can't stay seated very long.

bō tēng-hěng 不定形 amorphous, formless

bō tēng-sèng 無定性 flighty, very fickle and of unsettled purpose, wavering.

bō-thai 母胎 mother's womb

bō thàn-chí 不賺錢 no profit, too small a profit

bō thang chiah 沒得吃, having nothing to eat

bō-thang hó 不太好 not very good

bō thàu 不透 no way through

bō-thău bō-bóe 無頭無尾 incomplete, incomprehensible, nonsensical, no beginning or end (Lit. no head no tail)

bō-thău kong-ān 無頭公案 murder case which has no clue to its solution, a charge against a person or persons unknown

bō thău-náu, 沒頭腦, 愚笨 stupid (Lit. no brains)

bō thău-sin 記性壞, 健忘的 absent minded, forgetful

bō-thé 母體 mother's condition (obstetrics)

bō-theng 不停, without stopping, without pause or intermission

bō-thi^a bō-tē 無天無地 contrary to Heaven and Earth (said of very wicked conduct)

bō thi^a-lí 沒理, unreasonable

bō thian-lióng 沒天良, have no conscience

bō-thong 不通, not suitable as a plan, be cut off, be interrupted, traffic congested

bō-tí-tai 無關... 的事, 不相干 does not concern one, be none of one's business

bō-tiá^a-bō-ní 無緣無故, 忽然 suddenly without reason

Cha-hng to iáu hó-hó, kin-á-jít bō-tiá^a-bō-ní soah sí-khì. 昨天還好好的, 今天無緣無故忽然死了。Yesterday he was okay, today he suddenly died.

bō-tiá^a bō-tioh 不一定, 沒定性, voluble, vain, fickle, changeable, inconstant, to change at every whim, uncertain and changeable

Choe-kín ē thi^a-khì bō-tiá^a bō-tioh. 最近的天氣變幻無常。Recently the weather changes very quickly.

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B**bo-tiaⁿ-sin****I kóng-oē bō-tiāⁿ bō-tiōh, bē sìn-tit.** 他
講話反覆無常，不能相信。

He's very fickle, you can't believe him.

bō-tiāⁿ-sin 意志不定 capricious, weak-kneed**bō tiāt-sū** 無秩序 disorder, irregularity, want of method, anomaly**bō tiāu-kiaⁿ** 無條件 unconditional, without conditions**bō tiāu-kiaⁿ tāu-hāng** 無條件投降 unconditional surrender**bō (bu) tiāu-kiaⁿ kau-hoān** 無條件交還 unconditional rendition**bō (bu) tiāu-kiaⁿ hók-chiōng** 無條件服從 absolute obedience**bō-tiuⁿ-ti** 不小心 careless**bō tō-tek** 不道德 immoral, unethical**bō tō-liōng** 無度量 narrow minded**bō-tōa-bo-sé** 沒大沒小, 不禮貌 impolite**bō-tóng bō-phài** 無黨無派 impartial, without party affiliation of any sort, non-partisan**bō-tóng-chēng** 無動靜 no movement, quiet**bō ún** 不穩 insecure**bō ún** 運氣不佳 very unlucky person**bō 妻 wife****ang-bō** 夫妻 husband and wife**chhoa-bō** 嫁妻 marry a wife**Bō bō bō kāu, chhēng-saⁿ phoa keng-thau.** 無妻無子，衣破無人補。No wife to mend my clothes, Such is life without a wife**bō** 某 a certain person or thing (so-and-so, such-and-such), formerly used to avoid giving proper sound to a tabooed character**bō** 歖 Chinese acre, a "mow" (less than one-sixth of an English acre)**bō** 謀 plan, to plot, to scheme, devise**chham-bō** 參謀 staff officer**ke-bō** 計謀 plot or plan, to scheme**kiōng-bō** 共謀 conspiracy, plot together**tō-bō** 圖謀 plot**bō** 模子 mold, a pattern, a model, a cast, imitate, to copy**bō** 慕 yearn for, long for, adore, admire**ài-bō** 愛慕 have ardent desires for**bō** 慕 summon, to levy, raise, enroll, to enlist**bō (bok)** 茂 exuberant, lush, luxuriant, flourishing, healthy, vigorous, strong, fine, fair, excellent**bō (bōng)** 墓 grave, tomb**bō (bok)** 幕 curtain, a screen**khai-bō** 開幕 raise the curtain, begin anything**khai-bō-tián-lé** 開幕典禮 opening ceremony**pì-bō** 閉幕 lower the curtain**pì-bō-tián-lé** 閉幕典禮 closing ceremony**bō** 貿 trade, to barter, mixed, rashly**bō-āu** 幕後 off-stage, behind the scenes**bō-āu kang-chok-chia** 幕後工作者 behind-the-scenes workers**bō-bēng** 慕名 be attracted by a person's name**bō-bo** 某某 certain others, a certain person, so-and-so, what's-his-name**Tan bō-bo** 陳某 Mr. Tan what's-his-name**bō-bō-lāng (bō-lāng, bō-mih-lāng)** 某人 so-and-so, what-you-call-him (often said when for some reason if it is undesirable to mention his name)**bō-chái** 謀財 scheme to acquire wealth**bō-chái hāi-bēng** 謀財害命 assassinate someone and steal his possessions, seek wealth at the expense of another's life**bō-chhú** 謀取 try to get, plot to take**bō-chip** 募集 raise, invite, collect, to appeal for subscriptions**bō-chip kim-chiⁿ** 募集金錢 collect contributions**bō-chip chì-gōan-peng** 募集志願兵 recruit volunteer soldiers**bō-chit** 謀職 try to find employment, hunt for a job**bō-ek** 貿易 commerce, trade**chu-iū bō-ek** 自由貿易 free trade**kok-lai bō-ek** 國內貿易 internal or domestic trade

kok-chè bō-ek 國際貿易 international trade
 bō-ek che-chhai 貿易制裁 trade sanction
 bō-ek-káng 貿易港 trading port, commercial port
 bō-ek kong-si 貿易公司 trading company or firm
 bō-ek-siong 貿易商 trader, import export business
 bō-ek tiong-sim 貿易中心 trade center
 bō-hai 謀害 plot a crime or some evil against another
 bō-héng 模型 model, a pattern
 Kian-tiok-but ē bō-héng 建築物の模型 model of a structure
 bō-hio jin-but 幕後人物 behind-the-scenes personalities, string pullers.
 bō-hio sin-bun 幕後新聞 behind-the-scenes news, inside story
 bō-hoan (chō-hoan) 謀反, 造反 stir up, excite a rebellion
 bō-hoan 模範 mould, a pattern, an example
 chò hó bō-hoan 做好模範 show a good example
 bō-hoan ka-tēng 模範家庭 pattern family
 bō-hóng 模仿 imitate, imitation
 bō-hóng ē ké-hòe 模仿的假貨 imitation
 Gín-á ai bō-hóng tōa-lāng. 小孩子喜歡模仿大人。 Kids like to imitate adults.
 bō-iú 模樣 model, example (spiritual or moral), a style, manner, a fashion
 hó (phái) bō-iú 好(壞) 模樣 good example (bad example)
 oh lāng ē bō-iú 學人模樣 imitate someone's example
 bō-khoán (bō-khóa) 募款 raise fund
 bō-kíá 妻兒 wife and children
 bō-kiú 謀救 plan the deliverance, rescue, or relief of
 bō-kiú 謀求 try to get, seek
 bō-koan 募捐 raise money, collect contributions
 bō-lí 謀利 seek profit

bō-liáu 幕僚 staffs, secretaries, advisors
 bō-ló 妻之奴隸 be a slave of one's wife, henpecked
 bō-peng 募兵 to enlist troops
 bō-pún 娶妻之本錢 money necessary to marry a wife
 bō-sat 謀殺 plot murder
 bō-sat-an 謀殺案 murder case
 bō-seng 謀生 plan to make a living, consider how to make a livelihood
 chhut-goá bō-seng 出外謀生 go out to make a living
 Nǐ-lau bō hoat-to thang bō-seng. 年老無法謀生。 When you are old, you can't make a living.
 bō-seng 茂生 grow luxuriantly
 bō-séng 茂盛 luxuriant, exuberant, lush, flourishing
 bō-sí bō-jít 某時某日 certain time and certain day
 bō-so-chái 某地某方 certain place
 bō-sú 謀事 make a plan for something
 Bō-sú chái jin, sēng-sú chái thian. 謀事 在人成事在天。 Man proposes, God disposes
 bō-tan (bō-tan-hoe) 牡丹 tree peony
 bō-thau-chhin 媳親 wife's relations
 boa 勞 toil, labor hard
 tha-boa 勞苦, 折磨 toil very hard
 Góa sè-hàn ē sī, pē-bó chin thoa-boa. 我小時候, 父母很勞苦。 When I was young, my parents worked very hard.
 tioh tha-boa lái chhí bō-kíá 得辛苦勞來養妻兒 work very hard to support a wife and kids
 boa 磨 grind, rub, polish smooth, sharpen, whet
 boa-bák 磨墨 prepare liquid ink from an ink stick
 boa-chioh-á 磨石子地 terrazzo
 boa hō chiam 磨尖 sharpen to a point, to point
 boa hō kim 磨亮 polish smooth, brighten, burnish
 boa hō lāi 磨銳, 磨快 sharpen to an edge, hone
 boa-to 磨刀 sharpen a knife, hone a knife

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boah

- boah** 抹², 塗², 敷² apply, rub on, smear, anoint, to plaster a wall
- boah** 末² powdered or small broken particles
iú-boah-boah 粉²細²的² finely powdered
- jú-hiu^o-boah** 乳²香²末² powdered frankincense
- boah bak-íoh** 擦²眼²藥² apply eye ointment
- boah-hún** 抹²粉² powder, powder one's face
- boah ioh-á** 擦²藥² apply a plaster (medicine)
- boah-iú** 敷²油² anoint, smear with oil or grease, baste, to grease
- boah-piah** 抹²壁² plaster a wall
- boah-piah siang-bín kng** 圓²滑² flatter both sides, two faced, as an arbitrator make both sides happy (Lit. polish or brush slick both sides of the wall)
- boah sèng-iú** 敷²(塗²) 聖²油² anointing
- boah-siau** 抹²消² erase, to strike off, inform the authorities of cessation of a right
- boah-to** 抹²刀² trowel
- boán** 滿² full, satisfied, self-sufficient, the whole of, complete, to fill to complete, abound
- bí-boán** 美²滿² happy, sweet life or home, sweet
- oán-boán** 圓²滿² satisfactory, complete
- boán** 晚² evening, late, sunset, dusk, late in life, a junior
- boán** 輓² draw or pull a cart, mourn
- boán (bán)** 挽² draw a bow, to pull, hold back, restore, to keep a friend
- boán-an** 晚²安² Good evening! Good night!
- boán-bín** 滿²面², 滿²臉² whole face, all over the face
- boán-bín (móa-bín) chhun-hong** 滿²面²春² 風² beaming with pleasure, his face is full of joy
- boán-chái** 滿²載² fully laden
- boán-chái jí kui** 滿²載²而²歸² return home fully laden with riches, gifts, etc
- boán-chhan** 晚²餐² supper
- Chòe-āu ē Boán-chhan** 最²後²的²晚²餐²
Last Supper
- Boán-chheng** 滿²清² Ching Dynasty (1644-1911)
- boán-chhit** 滿²七² seventh day memorial for the dead
- boán-chhüt** 溢²出² brim over, to overflow

- bóan-chiok** 滿²足² satisfactory, be satisfied
Lăng ē iok-bōng éng-oán bē-tàng bóan-chiok. 人²的²慾²望²永²遠²不²能²滿²足²。 Man's desires can never be satisfied.
- Boán-chiu** 滿²洲² Manchuria
- boán-giah** 滿²額² filled to capacity, places all taken
- boán-hoái** 滿²懷² heart full of enthusiasm, sorrow
- boán-hoe** 晚²會² evening party, soiree
- boán-hun** 晚²婚² marry late in life
- boán-hun** 滿²分² full marks
- tít-tiōh** **boán-hun** 得²到²滿²分² attain or win the full score, one hundred percent
- boán-i** 滿²意² satisfactory, satisfied
Lí ū boán-i bo? 你²滿²意²嗎²? Are you satisfied?
- Góa kám-kak chin** **boán-i**. 我²感²到²很²滿²意²。 I feel very satisfied.
- boán-khò (ám-khò)** 晚²課², 晚²禱² night prayers (Catholic)
- boán-ki** 滿²期² expiration date, expiration of a given period
- boán-ki** 盈²滿² filled up to the rim (said of any liquid)
- boán-koa** 輓²歌² funeral hymn, elegy
- boán-lé-hok** 晚²禮²服² formal evening dress
- boán-lián** 晚²年² old, late in life
- I boán-lián ē seng-oah chin kan-khó.** 他²的²晚²年²生²活²很²痛²苦²。 His later life was very difficult.
- boán-lián (lián-tek)** 輓²聯² funeral scrolls, scrolls sent on the occasion of the funeral of a friend or relative
- boán-lui** 滿²壘² full base, bases full
- boán-oán** 額²滿² filled to capacity with people
- boán-po (ám-po)** 晚²報² evening paper, afternoon paper
- boán-poe** 晚²輩² younger generation
- boán-sian (ám-tng)** 晚²膳² evening meal, supper
- boán-sin** 滿²身² whole body
- boán-tai** 客²滿² full
- boán thian-hā** 滿²天²下² all over the world, everywhere

bóan-tiău 滿潮 ² high tide	
bóan-tiău ^a (móa-tiău ^a) 滿場 ² whole assemblage, be full of people, draw a full house	
boat (boat-lí, boat-thán) 利 ² 薄 ² , 小利 ² little profit	
Kin-lai ē seng-lí chin boat (boat-lí, boat-thán). 近來 ² 生意 ² 難做 ² (利 ² 薄 ² , 賺 ² 少 ²) Recently business hasn't been too profitable.	
kang-chí ^a chin boat 工資 ² 極少 ² poor wages	
boat 未 ² end, the last, small, mean, unimportant, finally	
boat-jit 未 ² 日 ² last day, the end of go-goeh boat-jit 五月 ² 底 ² end of May	
se-kai boat-jit 世界 ² 未 ² 日 ² end of the world, doomsday	
Boat-jit-lún 末 ² 日 ² 論 ² Eschatology	
boat-ki 未 ² 期 ² last stage, final phase	
boat-lo ^a 未 ² 路 ² miserable end, dead end, impasse	
boat-se 未 ² 世 ² the last years of a dynasty	
Boat-se-lún 未 ² 世 ² 論 ² Eschatology	
boat-siau sín-keng 未 ² 稍 ² 神 ² 經 ² peripheral nervous system	
boat-thán 薄 ² 利 ² little profit	
bóe (bé) 尾 ² the tail, the rear, the stern of a ship, last, final, measure for fish or snake	
chuí-bóe 水尾 ² lower reaches of an irrigation system	
hó-bóe 好 ² 結尾 ² happy end of an affair	
soah-bóe 最 ² 後 ² the end, the last	
bóe (múi) 梅 ² plum	
bóe (bē, bī) 未 ² not yet	
iáu-bóe (iá-bē) 未 ² , 還 ² 未 ² not yet	
bóe-a 後 ² 來 ² at the end, at last	
Tai-seng lóng m̄-chai-iá ^a , kau bóe-a chiah chai-iá ^a . 起 ² 先 ² 都 ² 不 ² 知 ² 道 ² , 後 ² 來 ² 才 ² 知 ² 道 ² . At first I didn't know anything about it, it was only later on that understood it.	
bóe-á-hō ^a 梅雨 ² rainy season in early summer when plums are ripening, "plum rains"	
bóe-á-koa ^a 梅干 ² dried plums, preserved plums	

bóe-á-té 酸梅湯 ² plum tea	
bóe-áu (bé-áu) 後 ² 面 ² in the end, at the end, at the rear	
I chē tǐ bóe-áu. 他 ² 坐 ² 在 ² 後 ² 面 ² . He is sitting way in back.	
I iáu tǐ bóe-áu teh kia ^a . 他 ² 還 ² 在 ² 後 ² 面 ² 走 ² 著 ² . He is still walking way in the back.	
bóe-chái ^a (bé-chái ^a , bóe-chng-chái ^a) 小指 ² the little finger	
bóe-chám 終站 ² , 後 ² 來 ² last part of a story, of an episode, of a long poem ("thau-cham", "tong-cham"), last part of a trip, last stop on a scheduled route, after	
bóe-chéng (bí-chéng) 未 ² 曾 ² never before, before	
Bóe-chéng oh kia ^a , chiu (seng) boeh oh poe. 未 ² 曾 ² 學 ² 走 ² , 就 ² 想 ² 學 ² 飛 ² . Before I learned to walk, I already was thinking about flying.	
Bóe-chéng siú ^a ia ^a , seng siú ^a su. 未 ² 想 ² 贏 ² , 就 ² 想 ² 輸 ² . Before you think of winning, first think of losing.	
Bóe-chéng kē-ang chiu se ^a -kia ^a . 未 ² 曾 ² 嫁 ² 人 ² , 就 ² 生 ² 子 ² . Before she got married, she had a child.	
bóe-chéng-bóe 未 ² 曾 ² , 還 ² 未 ² acting without waiting for something which should precede (same as "boe-cheng")	
bóe-chéng-chái ^a (bóe-chng-chái ^a) 小指 ² 頭 ² the little finger	
bóe-chhiú 最 ² 後 ² the last hand in ownership, e.g. second hand, third hand, last hand	
Bóe chiah go-jit-cheh chàng, phoa-hiú m̄-kam pang. 未 ² 吃 ² 五 ² 月 ² 節 ² 粽 ² , 破 ² 長 ² 襪 ² 不 ² 願 ² 放 ² . Don't discard your heavy winter clothing until after May fifth	
bóe-chiong 尾 ² 獎 ² last prize	
bóe-chng-chái ^a (bóe-chéng-chái ^a) 小指 ² 頭 ² the little finger	
bóe-chui 尾 ² 椎 ² , 尾 ² part of a domestic fowl where the tail feathers of attached	
ke bóe-chui 雞 ² 尾 ² 椎 ² chicken tail	
ah bóe-chui 鴨 ² 尾 ² 椎 ² duck tail	
bóe-ge 尾 ² 牙 ² year-end dinner given by a	

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B**boe-hoe**

shop owner to entertain his employees on the 16th of the twelfth moon, during which an employee would know that he will not be hired for the coming year if the head of a cooked chicken is pointed at his seat

boe-hoe (mui-hoe) 梅花 plum flower

boe-hōe 尾會 last member of a private lending association in which each member puts in a deposited amount of money each month and they bid on who will get the money each month. The one with the lowest bid gets the money that month.

goa long bō ai pio, goa boeh chò boe-hoe khah ū li-sek. 我會都沒不標，我要作尾會，比較沒有利。I don't want to bid for lending the money, I'll be "boe-hoe" so I get more interest.

boe-hoe-lōk 梅花鹿 kind of deer with white spots

boe-iǔ (chioh-iǔ, chuí-iǔ) 煤油, 石油 petroleum, kerosene

Tāi-oān chioh-iǔ kong-si 台灣石油公司 Taiwan Petroleum Company

boe-khoa 尾款 the final payment on a debt

Chhun chit-sut-á boe-khoa iáu-boe heng. 剩下一點尾款還沒還。There only remains a small final payment to pay back.

boe-khong 煤礦 coal mine

boe-ki 末期 final phase, last stage

boe koe-mng 還未過門 said of a girl not yet married although betrothed

boe-liu 尾端, 尾 the tail end, the end, the tip

boe-sia 尾聲 final tone of a piece of music, final or closing stage of an activity or event

boe-so 尾數 odd sum, odd change, balance of an account

boe-sui 尾隨 follow close behind, to tail, to shadow

boe-ta 嫁粧排列於最後之物 final gift in a wedding procession

boe-tang-kut 尾椎骨 tail bone, coccyx

boe-thoā 煤炭 coal

boe-tok (muī-tok) 梅毒 syphilis, syphilitic virus

boe-u 梅雨 rainy season in early summer when plums are ripening

boeh (beh) 要公, 將要, 快要, 要是 just about to, to wish, want, will, sign of future This word is sometimes used to express a conditional clause

Boeh chai-ia" ē ho-thi", góa chiu bō giah hō-soa" lai. 要是不知道今天氣會好, 我就不要帶雨傘來。If I had known the weather would be nice, I would not have brought an umbrella.

Boeh khì, m̄ khì, chhut-chāi lí. 要去, 不去, 隨你便。Whether you go or not is up to you.

boeh-a (beh-á) 襪子 socks, stockings

Boeh á m̄? 要不? Do you want it or not? Will you take it or not? Will you accept it or not?

boeh-am-á 黃昏 dusk, toward dark, evening

boeh-bo 否則 otherwise

boeh-chai 假如事先知道 if one knows in advance

boeh hó à 快好了一 just about finished, recovering sick person

boeh khau bō bak-sai 欲哭無淚 You want to cry but there are no tears. There's just no way out.

boeh-ní 何用, 何事 ... , what good is it? ... , what's the matter?

boeh sí à 快死了一 at the point of death

boeh-sí-boeh-oah 要死不活 importune desperately, so sick a person doesn't know whether he will live or die

boeh-sok 襪帶 garter

boeh-thò (beh-thò) 襪套 wrappers worn either outside the stocking or in place of stockings as a protection from chafing with shoes

bok 目, eyes, chief or head, index, list or summary, inventory, item, look upon, to regard

chiat-bok 節目 program, items on a program

hang-bok 項目 heading, item

it-bok liú-jian 一目了然 understand fully at one glance

té-bók 题 <small>題</small> 目 <small>目</small> subject, title, heading, theme
bók (bak) 木 <small>木</small> tree, wood, timber, lumber
bók 牧 tend cattle, pasture, have charge of, superintend
bók 睦 friendly, peaceful, harmonious, kind, promote peace
bók 莫 negative, not, do not, there is not
bók-bé 木 <small>木</small> 馬 <small>馬</small> wooden horse for gymnastics, hobbyhorse, logs cut and fitted for transfer to a lumber collection point
bók-béng kí biáu 莫 <small>莫</small> 明 <small>明</small> 其 <small>其</small> 妙 <small>妙</small> very mysterious and abstruse, very strange, peculiar
I só·kóng é oē bók-béng kí biáu. 他 <small>他</small> 所 <small>所</small> 說 <small>說</small> 的 <small>的</small> , 莫 <small>莫</small> 名 <small>名</small> 其 <small>其</small> 妙 <small>妙</small> 。 Everything he says is strange.
Bó láng jíp-lái, án-chóáº chiº é bō khí, sit-chái bók-béng kí biáu. 沒 <small>沒</small> 有 <small>有</small> 人 <small>人</small> 進 <small>進</small> 來 <small>來</small> , 錢 <small>錢</small> 怎 <small>怎</small> 麼 <small>麼</small> 會 <small>會</small> 丟 <small>丟</small> , 實 <small>實</small> 在 <small>在</small> 莫 <small>莫</small> 名 <small>名</small> 其 <small>其</small> 妙 <small>妙</small> 。 No one went in, how come the money is gone. It's very strange.
bók-bin 牧 <small>牧</small> 民 <small>民</small> shepherd the people
bók-bók-siu 亂 <small>亂</small> 游 <small>游</small> , 在 <small>在</small> 水 <small>水</small> 中 <small>中</small> 掙 <small>掙</small> 扎 <small>扎</small> 。 無 <small>無</small> 固定 <small>定</small> 職 <small>職</small> 業 <small>業</small> , 找 <small>找</small> 不到 <small>到</small> 工 <small>工</small> 作 <small>作</small> 者 <small>者</small> struggle of person in difficulty, vagrant, unemployed (Lit. struggle in the water while drowning)
bók bù chun-tióng 目 <small>目</small> 無 <small>無</small> 尊 <small>尊</small> 長 <small>長</small> show no respect to elders and superiors
bók-chái (bók-liáu) 木 <small>木</small> 材 <small>材</small> , 木 <small>木</small> 料 <small>料</small> timber, lumber, wooden material
bók-chái-háng 木 <small>木</small> 材 <small>材</small> 行 <small>行</small> timber merchant, lumberman
bók-chéng (bak-chéng) 目 <small>目</small> 前 <small>前</small> at present, for the time being
bók-chháu 牧 草 <small>草</small> pasture
bók-chhek (bak-chhek) 目 <small>目</small> 測 <small>測</small> measure distance with the eyes
bók-chhek ko-chhim 莫 <small>莫</small> 測 <small>測</small> 高 <small>高</small> 深 <small>深</small> unfathomable, inscrutable
bók-chheng bi-siu (bi-chheng bók-siu) 目 <small>目</small> 清 <small>清</small> 眉 <small>眉</small> 秀 <small>秀</small> , 眉 <small>眉</small> 清 <small>清</small> 目 <small>目</small> 秀 <small>秀</small> handsome, beautiful
bók-chhiú 莫 <small>莫</small> 愁 <small>愁</small> don't worry
bók-chía 牧 者 <small>者</small> shepherd
bók-chián (bók-chéng) 目 <small>目</small> 前 <small>前</small> before or under the eyes, now, at present
bók-chián é hián-sióng 目 <small>目</small> 前 <small>前</small> 的 <small>的</small> 現 <small>現</small> 象 <small>象</small>

present aspect of affairs
bók-chó 木 <small>木</small> 造 <small>造</small> wooden
bók-gék chi kau 莫 <small>莫</small> 逆 <small>逆</small> 之 <small>之</small> 交 <small>交</small> uninterrupted friendship
bók-há 目 <small>目</small> 下 <small>下</small> the present, at present
Bók-hán-bék-tek 穆 <small>穆罕默德</small> Mohammed
bók-hí 木 <small>木</small> 魚 <small>魚</small> wooden fish used by a bonze as a drum or hand metronome to keep time when chanting prayers
bók-hóng 牧 放 <small>放</small> raise and care for sheep
bók-hui 莫 <small>莫</small> 非 <small>非</small> certainly, surely, can it be that
bók í sěng chiu 木 <small>木</small> 已 <small>已</small> -成 <small>成</small> 舟 <small>舟</small> the deed is done (Lit. The wood is already made into a boat.)
Bók í sěng chiu, taº tióh hóº in nñg é kiat-hun. 既 <small>既</small> 然 <small>然</small> 木 <small>木</small> 已 <small>已</small> -成 <small>成</small> 舟 <small>舟</small> , 就 <small>就</small> 該 <small>該</small> 讓 <small>讓</small> 他 <small>們</small> 兩 <small>兩</small> 個 <small>個</small> 結 <small>結</small> 婚 <small>婚</small> 。 It's already determined that they will be married..
bók-iók 沐 <small>沐</small> 浴 <small>浴</small> bathe, to steep in or receive favors, to soak in
bók-ióng 牧 養 <small>養</small> raise ranch or farm animals
bók-jí 木 <small>木</small> 耳 <small>耳</small> edible fungus that grows on the trunks of some trees
bók-kang (bak-kang) 木 <small>木</small> 工 <small>工</small> carpenter, wood-worker, carpentry
bók-kang-tiúº (bók-kang-chhíuº) 木 <small>木</small> 工 <small>工</small> 場 <small>場</small> , 木 <small>木</small> 工 <small>工</small> 廠 <small>廠</small> woodworking plant or shop
bók-kek 目 <small>目</small> 擊 <small>擊</small> eyewitness, to see with one's own eyes
bók-kek-chía 目 <small>目</small> 擊 <small>擊</small> 者 <small>者</small> eyewitness
bók-khek (bók-tiau) 木 <small>木</small> 刻 <small>刻</small> , 木 <small>木</small> 雕 <small>雕</small> wood engraving, woodcut
bók-khí (chhá-liáu) 木 <small>木</small> 器 <small>器</small> wood vessels, furniture
bók-khí-tiám 木 <small>木</small> 器 <small>器</small> 店 <small>店</small> wooden article store, wooden furniture store
bók-khong it-chhé 目 <small>目</small> 空 <small>空</small> 一 <small>一</small> 切 <small>切</small> so conceited that nothing enters his eyes, very arrogant
bók-kiám 木 <small>木</small> 劍 <small>劍</small> wooden sword
bók-kòai 難 <small>難</small> 怪 <small>怪</small> no wonder that, please excuse
bók-kòai i án-ne chó 難 <small>難</small> 怪 <small>怪</small> 他 <small>他</small> 這 <small>這</small> 樣 <small>樣</small> 做 <small>做</small> no wonder he acted in that way
bók-koe 木 <small>木</small> 瓜 <small>瓜</small> papaya
bók-lán-hoe 木 <small>木</small> 蘭 <small>蘭</small> 花 <small>花</small> small yellow flower, especially fragrant in the morning

B

B**bok-liau**

bok-liāu 木及料² lumber

bok-lín 瞪²鄰² friendly neighbors

bok-liòk (bok-lòk) 目及錄² index, table of contents, catalog, list

bok-mí (mí-á, mí-hoe) 木及棉², 棉²花² cotton

bok-moá 木及麻² coniferous hardwood tree

bok-nái-i 木及乃²伊²- mummy

bok-ngo² (ka-lé) 木及偶² puppet

bok-ngo²-hi (ka-lé-hí) 木及偶²戲² puppet show

bok-ní (bok-jí) 木及耳² edible fungus that grows on the trunks of some trees

bok-pán (pang-á) 木及板² blocks engraved for printing

bok-phiau 目及標² objective, target, aim
Hit ki ian-táng chò bok-phiau 以²那²煙² 因²為²目及標²。 That chimney is a landmark.

tát-kàu bok-phiau 達²到²目及標² reach or attain the goal

bok put-sek teng 目及不²識²丁² not to know a single word, ignorant

bok-sang 目及送² follow with the eyes

Bok-seng 木及星² the planet Jupiter

bok-su 牧²師², pastor, minister

Bok-su-kho 莫²斯²科² Moscow

bok-tai 莫²大² greatest

bok-tek 目及的² purpose, aim, goal, objective

bok-tek-but 目及的²物² objective, aim

bok-tek-te 目及的²地² destination

bok-thiok 牧²畜² stock farming, cattle breeding

bok-thiok-giap 牧²畜²業² pastoral industry, stock farming, ranching

bok-thoá² (hóe-thoá²) 木及炭² charcoal

bok-thoá²-oe 木及炭²畫² charcoal drawing

bok-tiau 木及雕² woodcarving
I bē-hiáu chioh-tiau, ē-hiáu bok-tiau. 他² 不²會²石²雕², 會²木²雕²。 He is not a stonemason, he's a woodcarver.

bok-tiōng 牧²杖² shepherd's staff

bok-tiong bǔ-jin 目及中²無²入² so arrogant that no one is important in his eyes

bok-tiú² 牧²場² stock farm, pasture, ranch

bok-tó² 目及睹² see directly, witness, see with one's eyes

bok-tóng 牧²童² shepherd, cowboy

bok-üi 莫²為² don't do it

bóng... (plus Verb) 姑²且², 將²就² content oneself with coarse food, trivial work and valueless books

bóng-kóng 隨²便²講² talk at random, sometimes idle jesting, half-joking, half in earnest, well now, just speak

bóng-khì 將²就² tolerable, not very good, but may do

Eng-ěng kū po-choá bóng khoá². 沒²事² 且²看²看²舊²報²紙²。 nothing to do but read old newspapers

Nā chhōe bō thau-ló², kang-iú iá tioh
bóng-chò. 如²找²不²著²工²作², 工²友²也²只²好²將²就²了²。 If you can't find a job, workers should do less meaningful work.

Phái²-chiáh sī phái²-chiáh, pak-tó² nā iau tioh bóng-chiah. 難²吃²是²難²吃², 肚²子²餓²了², 也²只²好²將²就²吃²了²。 True it is not good tasting, but when you are hungry anything will do.

bong (mo², bō²) 摸² touch, feel, feel about, feel for with fingers

ám-bong-bong 黑²漆²漆²的² very dark

bong khoá² ū sio bō²? 摸²摸²看²是²不²是²熱²的²? 有²沒²有²發²燒²? touch it to see if its hot

gau bong 做²事²慢²吞²吞² lagging, always procrastinating

hai-té bong-chiam 海²底²撈²針² impossible to find out, like trying to find a needle in a haystack (Lit. looking for a needle in the ocean)

bóng (báng, bōng) 網² net, network

bong (bong-bong) 惰², 放²蕩² thoughtless, careless, reckless

Chit ē gín-á chin bòng (bòng-bong) m̄ thak-chheh. 這²個²孩²子²很²放²蕩², 不²讀²書²。 This kid is very reckless, he won't study.

Lí chin bòng, sa²-tng chiah bē pá, iáu siú²-boeh bé tiān-sí. 你²很²糊²塗², 三²餐²不²飽², 還²想²要²買²電²視²。 You are very reckless, you don't eat three full meals a day but you are thinking of buying a television set.

bóng 亡² die, perish, go away, absent or escaped

biat-bóng 滅²亡² be destroyed, perish,

destruction
hū-biō song-bōng 父死母喪亡 both parents are dead
liu-bōng 流亡 be exiled, wander in a strange land, fugitive
liu-bōng chēng-hú 流亡政府 government in exile
sí-bōng 死亡 death, die, perished
tín-bōng 陣亡 die in battle
bōng 忘却 forget, omit, miss a line, neglect, overlook
kám-in put-bōng 感恩不忘 gratefuly remembering favors
liám-liám put-bōng 念念不忘 remember and not forget
bōng 盲目 blind, dark, blind in heart
bún-bōng 文盲 illiterate
sek-bōng 色盲 color blindness
bōng 忙忙 hurried, in haste, busy, occupied
hong-bōng 慌忙 be confused, hurriedly, in a flurry
Chit-ē hong-bōng (kóá-kín, tioh-kip)
 soah bē-kì-tit. 一慌張就忘記了。 so confused, I forgot
bōng 茫茫 vast, boundless, vague, uncertain
bōng 蒙古 cover, cover up, wrap, naive, ignorant, to cheat, deceive, bear, suffer, short for Mongolia
bōng 瞳盲 blind (in the figurative sense), ignorant, stupid and obstinate, deceive, cheat
bōng (bū) 霧 fog
ta-bōng 罩霧, 下霧 be foggy, misty
bōng (bāng) 望 view, watch, hope, expect the 15th of each lunar month
bēng-bōng 名譽 fame, reputation
gióng-bōng 仰望 look up to
it-bōng bǔ-chè 一望無際 very vast, as flood
khat-bōng 渴望 long for or crave for, as a thirsty man longs for water
bōng (bō) 墓 a grave, tomb
chè-bōng (pái-bōng) 祭墓, 拜墓 worship at the grave
hún-bōng 墓地 grave, tomb
pōe-bōng (sau-bōng) 掃墓 sweep the graves on "chheng-beng" feast
bōng (bāng) 夢 dream, to dream, to see

visions, wishful-thinking
bīn-bāng (chò-bāng) 作夢 dream
bōng 妄想 absurd, untrue, false, ignorant, stupid, fanciful, reckless
bōng-a hak-hau 盲哑学校 school for the blind and mute
bōng-á-po 墓地 grave-yard, cemetery
bōng-bēng 亡命 flee from one's country, seek refuge
bōng-bēng chi tō (bōng-bēng-chia) 亡命之徒, 亡命者 political refugee, fugitive, exile
bōng-bin-tō (hok-bin-tō) 蒙面盜 masked bandit, robber or burglar
bong-bō-lō 找不到路, 摸不著頭緒 not to find the road in the dark, find no solution to a difficult case
Bō tiān-hōe, bong-bō-lō. 沒電燈摸不著路。 No electric light, can't find the way
Chit khoán tāi-chì góa m̄-bat chò-koe, bong-bō-lō. 這種事我沒做過, 摸不著頭緒。 This kind of thing I haven't done before, I can't figure it out.
bōng-bok 盲目 blind, lacking insight or understanding, reckless, aimless
bōng-bōng 茫茫 vast, boundless
bōng-bōng 做事滿不在乎 careless, irresponsible
bóng-bóng-á 還可以 barely adequate, not too bad
bóng-bóng-á-sí 得過且過 do what situation requires, to muddle or drift along
bōng-bōng biáu-biáu 茫茫渺渺 vast, boundless, helplessly ignorant, completely in the dark, completely at a loss
bōng-bōng tai-hái 茫茫大海 boundless ocean
bōng-bū 霧 fog, mist
bōng-chéng 妄證 false witness, perjury
Bōng-chéng 芒種 Grain in Ear (ninth solar term) 6th month 6th day in lunar calendar
bōng-chia 亡者 deceased people
bōng-chiōng 盲從 follow blindly
bōng-choa 掃墓時放置墓上之黃色金紙 gold-colored funeral paper for

B

B**bong-chok**

placing on top of tomb on Ching Ming Festival

bōng-chòk 望族 respected family in a community, family of renown

bōng chú sēng liōng 望子成龍 hope one's children will have a bright future

bōng-giān 妄言 speak recklessly or without forethought, wild talk, a lie

bóng-gó 打轉 turn, move in a circle

bóng-hap 聊聊 chat

bóng-héng 忘形 be carried away, be beside oneself with joy

bóng-hiong (bāng-hiong) 夢鄉 asleep, dreamland, sleep, slumber

bóng-hoai 忘懷 unmindful, forget, forgetful

bóng-hoe 做那 work aimlessly

bóng-hún 亡魂 the soul (spirit) of a dead person

bóng-ian-hó 毛毛細雨 drizzle

bóng-in 蒙恩 receive favors, be indebted for favors granted

bóng-in pōe-gí 忘恩背義 ungrateful, be forgetful of all favors one has been given

bóng-ióng 妄用 inordinate use, make improper use of

bóng-iu 忘憂 forget about things that make you sad

bóng-iú 亡友 deceased friend

bóng-iú-péⁿ (bóng-iú-chéng) 夢遊病夢 somnambulism, sleep walking

bóng-iúⁿ 亡羊 lost or stray sheep

bóng-iúⁿ pó-ló 亡羊補牢 shut the stable door when the steed is stolen - to take precaution when too late

bóng jǐ seng-ùi 望而生畏 be awestricken by merely looking at it

bóng-jian 茫然 vague, uncertain, ignorant

bóng-jian chū-sit 茫然自失 stupefied, dazed, bewildered

bóng-jin 盲人 blind person

bóng-jin kau-iok 盲人教育 education of the blind

bóng-kau-chia 望教者 catechumen (Catholic)

bóng-kéng (bāng-kéng) 夢境 dreamland

bóng-khoaⁿ 摸看 touch

bóng-khòng (bóng-khut) 墓擴, 墓穴

rough opening of a grave

bóng-kó (soái-á) 芒果 mango

Bóng-kó-chèng 蒙古症 Mongoliad

Bóng-kó-chhan 蒙古餐 Mongolian barbecue

Bóng-kó-lăng 蒙古人 Mongolians

Bóng-kó tai-hu 蒙古大湖 medical quack

bóng-koe 得過且過 just getting on so and so

bóng-koc 清明掃墓之祭品(棵) rice offerings at the grave on Ching Ming Festival

bóng-kok 亡國 conquered country, subjugated nation, fall of a nation, national doom

bóng-kóng 隨便說說 just talk on and on with little purpose

bóng-ku 荷居挂住 hanging around, no place to live

bong-leng 摸奶 touch a woman's breast

bóng-lěng 亡靈 departed spirits

bóng-lián-kau (bóng-liǎn chi kau) 忘年交, 忘年之交 friendship in which the difference in age between the friends is forgotten

bóng-lo 常向人要 beg

bóng-lún 姑且忍之 just bear it as well as you can

bóng Mi-sat 望彌撒 attend Mass (Catholic)

bóng-oán-kiaⁿ 望遠鏡 a telescope

bóng-pai 墓碑 tombstone

bóng-pe 蒙蔽 deceive, swindle, hide truth from a superior

Bóng-sek 蒙席 Monsignor (Catholic)

bóng-sian 好玩的人 people who are fond of playing and recreating

bóng-siat (bóng-üi) 夢遺 pollution in dreams or in sleep

bóng-sióng 妄想, 夢想 daydream, a daydream, absurd desire, desire wildly

bóng-so 到處跑 walk about

bong-tang bong-sai 摸東摸西 always at work at various things, so as to have no leisure

bóng-te 墓地 site of a grave or tomb, cemetery

bóng-tek 望德 act of hope, virtue of hope

(Catholic)	
bong-thi ^a -chhin-chhin 不知 ^a 天 ^a 高 ^a 地 ^a 厚 ^a	not to know any obstacles, not to be intimidated
bōng-tiā ^a 墓 ^a 庭 ^a level place just in front of a grave	
bōng-tiāu ^a 召 ^a receive God's call	
bong-tioh 摸 ^a 到 ^a touched	
bōng-tīng 盲 ^a 腸 ^a , 閨 ^a 尾 ^a blind gut, appendix	
bōng-tīng-iām 盲 ^a 腸 ^a 炎 ^a appendicitis	
bóng-to ^a 得 ^a 過 ^a 且 ^a 過 ^a just getting along, put up with, be satisfied with	
bóng-tóng 齒 ^a 莽 ^a coarse, rude, hurried, reckless, careless in action, rude in manner	
bóng-tóng 妄 ^a 動 ^a reckless or rash actions, act recklessly or rashly	
bóng-üi 妄 ^a 為 ^a act without principle or wildly, untoward behavior, reckless acts	
bōng-üi (bōng-siat) 夢 ^a 遺 ^a involuntary emissions of semen (as in sleep)	
bú 武 ^a military as opposed to civil, force, warlike	
bún-bú 文 ^a 武 ^a civil and military	
bún-bú chōan-chai ^a 文 ^a 武 ^a 全 ^a 才 ^a master of both the-pen and the sword	
bún-bú pah-koa ^a 文 ^a 武 ^a 百 ^a 官 ^a all the civil and military officials	
iāu-bú iōng-ui 耀 ^a 武 ^a 揚 ^a 威 ^a show off one's strength of power	
bú 舞 ^a dance, prance, brandish, wave, agitate	
kau-che-bú 交 ^a 際 ^a 舞 ^a social dance	
thiāu-bú 跳 ^a 舞 ^a dance	
bú 侮 ^a insult, ridicule, disgrace, ill-treat	
bú 摟 ^a stroke, touch, soothe, comfort, console, bring up, rear	
bú 無 ^a no, not, there is not	
bú 巫 ^a wizard or witch, sorcery, witchcraft	
bú 誣 ^a accuse falsely, bring a false charge against	
bú 務 ^a attend to, strive after, must, necessary, used as a suffix to express business, duty, affairs, etc	
chè-bú 債 ^a 務 ^a debt, obligation	
gōa-bú 外 ^a 務 ^a foreign affairs	
hok-bú 服 ^a 務 ^a serve, service	

ka-bú 家 ^a 務 ^a private or domestic affairs	
kong-bú 公 ^a 務 ^a public business or affairs	
bú (phū) 噴 ^a spurt, blow, snort, puff out, spray	
bú (bōng) 霧 ^a fog, mist	
ta-bú 罩 ^a 霧 ^a the fog gathers	
bú 瞎 ^a 矇 ^a 的 ^a , 視 ^a 力 ^a 弱 ^a 的 ^a dim vision, blurred	
bak-chiu bú 眼 ^a 花 ^a eyes dim	
bú-á-kia ^a (bú-kia ^a) 母 ^a 子 ^a mother and children	
bú-ai 母 ^a 愛 ^a mother, maternal love	
bú-bēng (bō-miā) 無 ^a 名 ^a nameless, anonymous	
bú-bēng-chí 無 ^a 名 ^a 指 ^a the ring finger	
bú-bēng eng-hiōng 無 ^a 名 ^a 英 ^a 雄 ^a unsung hero, unknown soldier	
bú-bēng-sí 無 ^a 名 ^a 氏 ^a anonymous (a term usually used to indicate a person who contributes to a charitable cause but doesn't want his name revealed)	
bú-bēng siáu-chut 無 ^a 名 ^a 小 ^a 卒 ^a nameless soldier, one of the nameless, worthless common people	
bú-bí put-chí 無 ^a 微 ^a 不 ^a 至 ^a down to the very last detail, very thoughtful	
bú-bōng chi chai 無 ^a 妄 ^a 之 ^a 災 ^a unexpected misfortune, uncalled for disaster or calamity	
bú-chè 無 ^a 際 ^a unlimited, boundless	
it-bóng bú-chè 一 ^a 望 ^a 無 ^a 際 ^a there are no bounds as far as one can see	
bú che ^a i sú 無 ^a 濟 ^a 於 ^a 事 ^a won't help the matter, not enough by a long shot, inadequate, to no avail	
bú-chéng 誣 ^a 證 ^a perjury, give false testimony	
bú-chéng (bō-chéng) 無 ^a 情 ^a heartless, ruthless, devoid of emotion or feeling	
Bú-chhiong khí-gí 武 ^a 昌 ^a 起 ^a 義 ^a Wuchang Uprising on October 10, 1911, which led to the downfall of the Ching Dynasty and the birth of the Republic of China	
bú chí-kéng 無 ^a 止 ^a 境 ^a have no limit or boundary	
bú-chí ^a (bó-chí ^a , bō-kim) 母 ^a 金 ^a principal, capital lent	
bú-chiòng 武 ^a 將 ^a military commander, general	

B

B**bu-chit ji chiong**

bū-chīt jí chiong 無×疾×而×終× die without any apparent ailment or disease

bū-chō 無×助× helpless

bū-chong 武×裝× armament, arm oneself with

bū-chong chhím-liok 武×裝×侵×略× armed aggression

bū-chong kái-tí 武×裝×解×除× disarmament

bū-chong pō-tui 武×裝×部×隊× armed forces

bū-chúi (phū-chúi) 噴×水× blow or spray water with the mouth when ironing cloths, watering house plants, to spray water or insecticide

bū-ě 母×的× female animal

bū-ek 無×益× unprofitable, useless

Chiah-hun tui sin-thé bū-ek. 吸×煙×對×身×體×無×益×。 Smoking is bad for your health.

bū-éng bū-chong 無×影×無×蹤× not a trace left

bū-gāi (bō-gāi) 無×礙× do not matter, no harm, not in the way, all right

bū-ge 武×藝× technique, military art or accomplishments

bū-giǎn khó-tap 無×言×可×答× at a loss for a reply

bū-hai 無×害× harmless, not injurious

bū-hai 誣×害× accuse falsely

bū-hām 誣×陷× incriminate falsely

bū-hān 無×限× unlimited

bū-hān-che 無×限×制× not limited, without qualification

bū-hān kong-si 無×限×公×司× ordinary business partnership

bū-hān-liōng 無×限×量× unlimited, not circumscribed by limits, indefinite, boundless, immense, without measure

bū-hān tōa 無×限×大× infinity

bū-hāu 無×效× ineffective, useless, to no avail, not valid

bū-hēng 無×形× formless

bū-hēng-tiong 無×形×中× imperceptibly, insidiously, unbeknown

bū hēng-üi-leng-lek-jin 無×行×為×能×力×人× person without disposing capacity in law

bū-hiō 無×後× heirless, without posterity

bū-hoa-kó 無×花×果× fig

bū-hoat (bō hoat-tō) 無×法×, 沒×辦×法× no

help for it, lawless (Lit. no plan)

bū-hoat bū-thian 無×法×無×天× lawless and godless, totally devoid of conscience and respect for law

bū-hoat khó si 無×法×可×施× unable to do anything about it

bū-hoat khó tǐ 無×法×可×治× there is no remedy for it, there is no way to settle the matter

bū-hóe 噴×火× blow flames out of the mouth or volcano

bū-hōe 舞×會× dancing party

bū-hōng 無×妨× doesn't matter, unimportant, does not constitute an obstacle or obstruction

bū-hong put khí-lōng 無×風×不×起×浪×

There must be a cause or reason for something (Lit. If there is no wind there are no waves.)

bū-i bū-khō 無×依×無×靠× with no one to turn to or rely on, completely helpless

bū i-sek (bō i-sek) 無×意×識× unconsciousness, unintentional, involuntary

bū-i-tiong (bō i-tiong) 無×意×中× unexpectedly, unintentionally, by accident

bū-iān bū-kò (bō-iān bō-kò) 無×緣×無×故× without cause or reason, no kith and kin

Góa kah i bū-iān bū-kò. 我×跟×他×毫×無×關係×。 He is no kith and kin of mine.

bū-iōk (bú-ióng, bù-iáng) 摻×育×, 摻×養× bring up, rear, bring to maturity, only about humans, raise children

bū (bō) iōng-bú chi tē 無×用×武×之×地× wasted talent, big fish in a little pond, "Full many a flower is made to blush unseen and waste its sweetness on the desert air." (Lit. no room to use one's martial arts)

bū-iu bū-lí 無×憂×無×慮× without sorrow and anxiety

bū-jiok 侮×辱× slight, insult

bū-ka khó kui 無×家×可×歸× homeless

bū-kan 不×相×干× no concern of mine or yours, nothing to do with you, me or him

bū-kè chi po 無×價×之×寶× priceless treasure

bú-chěng sī bú-kè chi pó. 友情是無價之寶。 Friendship is a priceless treasure.	bú-kiōng-chīn 無窮盡。 endless, boundless, limitless, interminable.
bú-kè khó si 無計可施， at the end of one's rope, helpless, powerless	bú-kiōng-siáu 無窮小。 infinitesimal (math term)
bú-kék 無極。 limitless, endless	bú-kiōng-tāi 無窮大。 infinite, infinitely great (math term)
kám-in bú-kék 感恩無極。 infinitely obliged	bú-kò 誣告。 accuse falsely, false accusation
bú-khá put-séng-su 無巧不成書。 it happened that..., There would have been no story to tell but for that coincidence.	bú-ko 無故。 without cause or reason
bú-khe chi tám 無稽之談。 groundless rumor	bú-ko 無辜。 the innocent, not guilty
bú-kheh 舞客。 dance hall customer	sát-hái bú-ko 殺害無辜。 kill the innocent
bú-khek 舞曲。 dance music, dance tune	bú-koa 武官。 military official, a military attache in a embassy
bú-khí 武器。 arms, a weapon	bú-koan 無關。 no relationship, no concern, no connection, to have nothing to do with
bú-khó nái-hó 無可奈何。 having no alternative, have to, powerless	bú-kong 武功。 military achievements, fighting skills
bú-khúi 無愧。 with a clear conscience, able to look people straight in the eye	bú-kong shíu-lók 無功受祿。 get the reward without real achievements or contributions
bú-khún-sek 無菌室。 isolation ward, germ-free room	bú-lang 摻弄。 play with, to romp, play jokes on
bú-kí 無期。 no definite term or date, with no end in sight	bú-lék 武力。 military power, by force
bú-ki-bút (bú-ki-thé) 無機物(體)。 inorganic matter	iōng bú-lék ap-ché 用武力壓制。 ride roughshod over
bú-ki hoá-hák 無機化學。 inorganic chemistry	iōng bú-lék kái-koat 用武力解決。 resort to arms, settle a dispute with arms
bú-ki hoá-hák-bút 無機化學物。 inorganic compounds	bú-lék-kám 無力感。 sense of lacking strength
bú-kí put-iú 無奇不有。 nothing is too strange	bú-lék kan-siap 武力干涉。 interfere by use of force
bú-kí tō-héng 無期徒刑。 life imprisonment	bú-léng 無能。 incompetent, inefficient, incapable, without talent
bú-kía (bú-á-kía) 母子。 mother and children	bú-léng üi-lék 無能為力。 unable to help, can't do anything about it
bú-kiap 武俠。 chivalrous	bú-lí 舞女。 dancing-girls, taxi dancer
bú-kiap-phí 武俠片。 motion pictures depicting the chivalry and prowess of ancient swordsmen	bú-lí chhú-náu 無理取鬧。 make trouble without a cause, make trouble out of nothing
bú-kiap siáu-soat 武俠小說。 novels about chivalry	bú-liáu 無聊。 dejected, purposeless, unhappy, uneasy, silly, tiresome, tasteless
bú-kióng 無疆。 boundless, limitless	Tak-jit tioh thak-chheh, chin bú-liáu. 每天要讀書，真無聊。 To have to study every day is very tasteless.
bú-kióng 無窮。 endless, boundless, limitless, inexhaustible, interminable	Bó tāi-chí thang chò, chin bú-liáu. 無事。
bú-kióng bú-chín 無窮無盡。 endless, boundless, limitless, interminable	

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B**bu-lióng**

可^以做^事, 真^的無^聊。 Not to have anything to do is very tiresome.

bú-liōng 無^量 immeasurable (Buddhist term)

bú-lóa 誣^賴 implicate falsely

bú-lōng 傷^弄 make a fool of

bú-lōng 務^農 engaged in farming

bú-nāi-hàn 無^賴漢^人 vagabond, a reckless, abandoned character

bú-nāi-ho (bó-ta-óá) 無^奈何^已, 不^得已^已 no other recourse, no alternative, no help for it

Bú-nāi-ho, soah tiōh án-ni chò 無^奈何^已, 結^果得^到這^樣做^事。 There was no other alternative so it had to be done.

bú-ok put-chok 無^惡不^作 capable of committing every crime under the sun

bú-óng put-li 無^往不^利 lucky in every endeavor, successful in whatever one does

bú-pé 舞^弊 corruption, manage a matter unfairly without the knowledge of a superior, indulge in malpractices especially officials

bú-pé-an 舞^弊案^事 corruption case (legal)

bú-phoa 舞^伴 dancing partner

bú-pí 無^比 peerless, incomparable, matchless

bú-pian 無^邊 limitless, vast and expansive

bú-pó 巫^婆 witch

bú-po 舞^步 dance step

bú-sa-sá 摸^摸頭^緒 unable to fathom, uncomprehending

Kha-chhiú bān ē láng, nā nñg-hāng-á
khang-khöe, i to bú-sa-sá a. 手^腳慢^的人^事, 如^果有^一一些^事情^會, 他^就忙^得不^可開^交。 People who are not handy get all mixed up when they have two or three tasks to do at the same time.

bú sam put-séng-lé 無^三不^成禮^貌 everything comes in three's, omne trium perfectum

bú-sán kai-kip 無^產階^級 proletariat

bú-sí 無^視 ignore, take no account of

bú-sí bú-chiong 無^始無^終 without beginning without end, eternal

bú-sí bú-khek 無^時無^刻 every minute and every moment

bú-sí bú-té 無^時無^地 every minute and everywhere

bú-sin 武^身 knight

bú-sin-lún 無^神論^教 atheism

bú-sin-lún-chía 無^神論^者 atheist

bú-siōng 無^常 inconstant, irregular

I ē i-kian hoán-hok bú-siōng. 他^的意^見見^反覆^反無^常。 His opinion is unstable.

bú-siōng 無^上 nothing above, the acme, nonpareil

bú-siōng kong-éng 無^上光^榮 matchless honor, the highest honor

bú-só 無^數 innumerable, vast numbers

bú-só put-chái 無^所不知^在 omnipresent

bú-só put-chí 無^所不知^至 There is no place to which it does not extend.
(addicted to all sorts of wickedness)

bú-só put-chò (chok; **bú-só** put-üi) 無^所不知^不作^事, 無^所不知^不為^事 there is nothing that (he) will not do (generally refers to evil), given to every vice

bú-só put-léng 無^所不知^不能^能 omnipotent, almighty

bú-só put-thong 無^所不知^不通^達 there is nothing which he does not understand

bú-só put-ti 無^所不知^不知^曉 omniscient

bú-só-üi (**bú-só-üi**) 無^所謂^乎 don't mind, one way or the other, do not care

chhin-chhai sek bú-só-üi 隨^便便^便什麼^麼顏^色。 色^都無^所謂^乎 Any color will do.

bú-só-a-tiān (bó-só-a-tiān) 無^線電^話 radio, wireless telegraph, telecommunication

bú-só-a tian-oe (bó-só-a tian-oe) 無^線電^話 radio telephone

bú-só-a tian-po (bó-só-a tian-po) 無^線電^報 radiogram, wireless telegram

bú-su 武^士 warrior

bú-su chū-thong 無^師自^通 acquire a skill without being taught

bú-su seng-hui 無^事生^非 make trouble out of nothing

bú-su-to 武^士刀^劍 knight's sword

bú-su-to 武^士道^義 Samurai spirit, Bushido warrior code

bú-sut 摳^恤 relieve

bú-sut 武^術 skills in boxing, fencing, etc., fighting skill or feat

bú-sút 巫 ^术 sorcery, witchcraft, art of black magic, diabolical arts
bú-sut-kim 摩 ^恤 恤 ^金 a pension
bú-tái 舞 ^台 stage
chéng-tí bú-tái 政 ^治 舞 ^台 stage of politics
chiú ^a bú-tái 上 ^台 舞 ^台 come on the stage
bú-tái-kiók 舞 ^台 劇 ^小 stage play
bú-té-chú-ióng 無 ^地 自 ^容 extremely embarrassed or ashamed (Lit. no place to hide)
bú-tek 無 ^敵 not equaled, cannot be matched, without a rival
bú-tek-chhiú 無 ^敵 手 ^手 cannot be matched, without a rival
bú-tháu kóng-án 無 ^頭 公 ^案 an unverified case
Chhōe bō chéng-kì ē chiu-sí bú-tháu kóng-án. 找不到到證據的就不是無頭公案。An unverified case means not being able to find any evidence.
bú-thí 無 ^恥 shameless
bú-thia ^a 舞 ^廳 dance hall
bú-ti 無 ^知 ignorant
bú-tí 舞 ^池 dance floor
bú-ti ē héng-üi 無 ^知 的 ^行 為 ^々 ignore behavior
bú-tiám 無 ^玷 no flaw, no defect
Bú-tiám Sèng-bó 無 ^玷 聖母 ^母 the Immaculate Mother (Catholic)
bú-tiong seng-iú 無 ^中 生 ^有 make something out of nothing, fabricate, invent, to frame up
bú-tiu ^a 舞 ^場 dance hall
bú-tó (thiáu-bú) 舞 ^蹈 , 跳 ^舞 dance
bú-tó 無 ^道 tyranny, tyrannical, injustice, unjust
bú-tó 無 ^度 without restraints, very indulgent
bú-toa ^a 武 ^旦 actors who take the parts of female warriors, character of a female warrior
bú-toan 武 ^斷 jump to conclusions without regard to reason, logic, propriety, etc, decide arbitrarily
bú-toan 無 ^端 without cause or reason, unjustified
bú-tok put-tióng-hu 無 ^毒 不 ^{丈夫} 夫 ^女 Ruth-

lessness is the mark of a truly great man, one who is not ruthless is not a truly great man
bú-tóng bú-phái (bó-tóng bó-phái) 無 ^黨 無 ^派 派 ^々 without party affiliation of any sort, non-partisan
bú tóng ī thiong 無 ^動 於 ^衷 unmoved, hardhearted, callous, remain firm, stand pat
bú-tún (bú-thún) 肥 ^短 short and stout
bú-tún bú-tún 肥 ^矮 的 ^々 short and stout
bui 眇 ^々 squint
bui-bak 眇 ^々 眼 ^々 squint
bui-bui (bak-chiu bui-bui) 眼 ^々 睛 ^々 半 ^々 閉 ^々 eyes half-opened (closed)
bún 穿 ^々 creep or crawl in or out of a hole
bún 吻 ^々 corners of the mouth, lips, to kiss
bă-bún-chhiò 微 ^々 笑 ^々 smile
chiap-bún 接 ^々 吻 ^々 kiss
bún (mňg) 門 ^々 door, gateway, sect, family, an opening
bún 文 ^々 writing, composition, literature, culture, education, elegant, cultured, civil
chò-bún 作 ^々 文 ^々 compose, composition
Eng-bún 英 ^々 文 ^々 written English
kó-bún 古 ^々 文 ^々 ancient writings
kong-bún 公 ^々 文 ^々 official documents
su-bún 斯 ^々 文 ^々 cultured or refined person
thian-bún 天 ^々 文 ^々 astronomy
bún 聞 ^々 hear, learn, make known, to smell
hong-bún 風 ^々 聞 ^々 rumor
sin-bún 新 ^々 聞 ^々 news
to-bún to-kian 多 ^々 聞 ^々 多 ^々 見 ^々 having much experience
bún 聞 ^々 famous
bún 問 ^々 ask, inquire, investigate
cha-bún 查 ^々 問 ^々 investigation, interrogate
hák-bún 學 ^々 問 ^々 learning, knowledge
kò-bún 顧 ^々 問 ^々 adviser
sím-bún 審 ^々 問 ^々 try a case, interrogate
bún 憶 ^々 melancholy, depressed, oppressive or suffocating weather or room, stuffy
iu-bún 憂 ^々 悶 ^々 sad and grieved
kái-bún 解 ^々 悶 ^々 dispel melancholy
bún-béng 文 ^々 明 ^々 civilization
bún-béng ē sè-kai 文 ^々 明 ^々 世 ^々 界 ^々 civilized

B

bun - ge 文藝 ^文 art and literature, literary arts	bun - ge chok-phín 文藝 ^文 作品 ^品 literary works or productions
bun - běng sǐ-tāi 文明 ^文 時 ^明 代 ^時 age of civilization, an enlightened age	bun - ge hók-heng 文藝 ^文 復興 ^復 the Revival of Learning, the Renaissance
bun - běng thian-ha 聞名 ^聞 天下 ^名 world-famous	bun - ge - kài 文藝 ^文 界 ^界 literary circles
bun - bōng 文盲 ^文 an illiterate	bun - giǎn (bun - giǎn - bún) 文言 ^文 , 文言文 ^文 the written language used in old China which is vastly different from the spoken language
bun - bú 文武 ^文 civil and military affairs, the pen and the sword	bun - gōa-hàn (gōa-háng - ě) 門外漢 ^門 外 ^外 行 ^漢 outsider, not in the trade or profession
bun - bú choán-chái 文武 ^文 全才 ^全 excel in both literary and military arts	bun - hak 文學 ^文 literature, letters
bun - bú koá (bun - bú koá - oán) 文武 ^文 官員 ^官 civil and military officers	hiān-tāi bun - hak 現代 ^現 文學 ^文 modern literature
bun - bú pah-koá 文武 ^文 百官 ^百 all the various civil and military officials	kó-tián bun - hák 古典 ^古 文學 ^文 classic literature
bun - bú siang-choán 文武 ^文 雙全 ^雙 adept with the pen and the sword	Bun - hák-hé 文學 ^文 系 ^系 Department of Literature
bún-bún -(á)- chhío 微 ^微 笑 ^笑 smile	Bun - hák-i 文學 ^文 院 ^院 College of Liberal Arts
bún-bún -á- thiá 陣 ^陣 痛 ^痛 dull throbbing pain	bun - hák-ka 文學 ^文 家 ^家 man of letters, literary man
bún-bún put-lók 悶 ^悶 悶 ^悶 不 ^樂 樂 ^樂 melancholy, sad and depressed	bun - hák-kai 文學 ^文 界 ^界 literary world, circles or arena
Chòe-kín tak-jit bún-bún put-lók . 最近 ^最 天 ^天 悶 ^悶 不 ^樂 樂 ^樂 。 Lately he has been sad and depressed every day.	bun - hák kek-bēng 文學 ^文 革命 ^革 literary revolution
bún-bút 文物 ^文 products of a culture	bun - hák phok-sū 文學 ^文 博士 ^博 Doctor of Literature
bún-chhí 地 ^地 鼠 ^鼠 earth mouse or rat, mole	bun - hák sek-sú 文學 ^文 碩士 ^碩 Master of Arts, MA
bún-chhí (mǐng-chhí) 門市 ^門 sell retail	bun - hák-sú 文學 ^文 史 ^史 history of literature
bún-chhí-pō (mǐng-chhí-pō) 門市 ^門 部 ^部 retail section	bun - hák-sú 文學 ^文 士 ^士 Bachelor of Arts, BA
bún-chhío 微 ^微 笑 ^笑 smile	bun - hau 問候 ^問 send greetings or inquire after
bún-chín (mǐng-chín) 門診 ^門 診 ^診 treat patients at the OPD: outpatient service	bun - hian 文獻 ^文 records, documents, scientific literature
bún-chín-pō (mǐng-chín-pō) 門診 ^門 診 ^診 部 ^部 outpatient department (OPD)	bun - ho 文豪 ^文 eminent writer, a great man of letters
bún-chiong 文章 ^文 writing, composition, an essay	bun - hō 問號 ^問 a question mark "?"
bún-chip 文集 ^文 collection of prose works	bun - hō (mǐng-hō) 門戶 ^門 戶 ^戶 door, family
bún-chit 文職 ^文 civil post as distinct from military post	bun - hō khai-hòng 門戶 ^門 戶 ^戶 開放 ^放 the open-door policy, open the door to or for...
bún-chit pin-pin 文質 ^文 彬 ^彬 fine both in accomplishments and in nature, elegant and refined in manner	Bun - hō khai-hòng chú-gí 門戶 ^門 戶 ^戶 開放 ^放 主義 ^主 Open Door Policy
bún-chiu 文章 ^文 an essay, article, paper, writing, composition	bun - hō (mǐng-hō) siong-tong 門當 ^當 戶對 ^戶 social position being equal in a matrimonial alliance
bún-chōe (mǐng-chōe) 問罪 ^問 call a person to account, rebuke, reprimand, reprove, condemn	bun - hoa 文化 ^文 culture, civilization

b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a chhím-liok 文化侵略 cultural aggression	b <small>ún</small> -lúu s <small>ím</small> -hoa 問柳尋花 associate with prostitutes
b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a chuí-chún 文化水準 cultural standing or level	b <small>ún</small> -lúu s <small>ím</small> -hong 問柳尋芳 visit places of ill fame
b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a hoat-tát ē kok-ka 文化發達的國家 nations where civilization and enlightenment flourish	b <small>ún</small> -ngá 文雅 elegance, elegant, genteel, refined, gracefulness, to act as a gentleman or in a gallant way
b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a kau-líu 文化交流 cultural exchange	I kóng-oē chin b <small>ún</small> -ngá. 他講話很文雅。He speaks very gracefully.
b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a-sia 文化城 cultural or civilized city	Hit ē láng chin b <small>ún</small> -ngá. 那個人很文雅。That person is very elegant.
b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a-sú 文化史 cultural history	b <small>ún</small> -oe 燭燒鍋 pot for cooking in casserole
b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a sú-giáp 文化事業 cultural enterprise	b <small>ún</small> -páng-sú-pó 文房四寶 (毛筆, 硯台, 墨, 紙) the four instruments used in writing (writing brush, ink stone, ink stick and writing paper)
b <small>ún</small> -h <small>ò</small> a ủn-tōng 文化運動 culture movement	b <small>ún</small> -phêng 文評 literary criticism
b <small>ún</small> -hoat 文法 grammar	b <small>ún</small> -pín 文憑 diploma, certificate, documentation, credentials
b <small>ún</small> -hong (m <small>óng</small> -hong) 門風 reputation of a family, family tradition, the ways of a family	b <small>ún</small> -pit 文筆 writer's pen, literary talent
b <small>ún</small> -ji 文字 letters, characters	b <small>ún</small> -pok (pok-kóa) 問卜, 占卦 consult a diviner, inquire by divination
Tiong-b <small>ún</small> -ji 中文文字 Chinese characters	b <small>ún</small> pōng-khang 穿過隧道 go through the tunnel
Eng-b <small>ún</small> -ji 英文文字 English alphabet, letters	b <small>ún</small> put-tùi té 文不對題 content of the writing is inconsistent with the title
b <small>ún</small> -jin 文人 literary man, man of letters, literati, a civilian	b <small>ún</small> -sé 問世 just off the press, to actively participate in public affairs
b <small>ún</small> -jin 聞人 famous person	b <small>ún</small> -seng 門生 pupil, disciple
b <small>ún</small> -jiok su-seng 文弱書生 an ineffectual scholar, pusillanimous bookworm	b <small>ún</small> -sim b <small>ú</small> -khui 問心無愧 examine oneself and find nothing to be shamed of, with a clear conscience
b <small>ún</small> -kau 文教 culture and education	b <small>ún</small> -sin 文身, 非勞力工作者 white collar worker
b <small>ún</small> -ke khí-bú 聞雞起舞 diligent and full of enthusiasm (Lit. When the rooster crows in the morning he raises to dance.)	b <small>ún</small> -soán 文選 selection of literary works
b <small>ún</small> khang 穿洞 go into a hole	b <small>ún</small> -su 文書 documents, records
B <small>ún</small> -kho B <small>ún</small> -hak-hé 文科, 文學系 Department of Literature	b <small>ún</small> -sú 文詞 words
b <small>ún</small> -khú 文具 stationery	b <small>ún</small> -sú 文辭 diction, speech
b <small>ún</small> -khú-tiám 文具店 stationery store	b <small>ún</small> -tán (b <small>ún</small> -tán-iú) 文旦, 文旦柚 type of shaddock, a pomelo from "Moa-tau"
b <small>ún</small> -kia 文件 papers, document, writing	b <small>ún</small> -tap 問答 questions and answers, dialogue, catechism
b <small>ún</small> -kò 文告 public notice, announcement in writing, manifesto, message from the president issued on an important occasion	b <small>ún</small> -té 問題 problem, question, exam questions
b <small>ún</small> -koá 文官 civil servant	b <small>ó</small> b <small>ún</small> -té 沒有問題 be out of the question, matters little
b <small>ún</small> -kú (b <small>ún</small> -khú) 文具 stationery	
b <small>ún</small> -kú-tiám (b <small>ún</small> -khú-tiám) 文具店 a stationery store	

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B**bun-te ji-tong**

ū bun-te 有^文問^文題^文 come into question, cause trouble

hoat-seng bun-te 發生^文問^文題^文 gives rise to questions, gives rise to certain problems,

seng-oah bun-te 生^文活^文問^文題^文 the question of living, gaining a livelihood, matter of living

bun-te ji-tong 問^文題^文兒^文童^文 problem child

bun-te siau-lian 問^文題^文少^文年^文 juvenile delinquent

bun-thang (bin-thang) 蝦^文蟲^文 intestinal worm

bun-tin 問^文津^文 show interest in something, ask how things are done, ask about news

bun-to 門^文徒^文 disciple

bun-toa 文^文壇^文 the literary world, the world of letters

chāi bun-toa chin ū mia 在^文文^文壇^文很^文有^文名^文 win a name in the literary world

bun-tong ho-tui 門^文當^文戶^文對^文 well-matched, a married couple that get along well together

but 物^文 thing, matter, substance, article, goods, affairs of life, creature, a class, a sort

bān-but 萬^文物^文 all things

jin-but 人^文物^文 person, personage

kōai-but 怪^文物^文 monster, apparition, spook

sit-but 植^文物^文 plants, vegetation

tōng-but 動^文物^文 animals

but 没^文 sink, drown, be submerged, go into hiding, obscurity or oblivion, take property away from another, die, dead

bǎi-but 埋^文沒^文 bury or hide so that it may never be found

but bí kè liām 物^文美^文價^文廉^文 excellent quality and reasonable price for merchandise

but-chéng 物^文証^文 material evidence proof

but chīn kí iōng 物^文盡^文其^文用^文 Every thing should be used to its full extent.

but-chit 物^文質^文 matter, substance

but-chit bun-bēng 物^文質^文文^文明^文 material civilization

but-chit chū-gi 物^文質^文主^文義^文 materialism

but-chit kiān-siat 物^文質^文建^文設^文 physical development or progress of a commu-

nity or country

but-chit put-biat-lut 物^文質^文不^文滅^文律^文 law of conservation of matter

but-chit seng-oah 物^文質^文生^文活^文 physical life, material life

but-chit-siōng 物^文質^文上^文 material, physically

but-chit-siōng ē an-üi 物^文質^文上^文的^文安^文慰^文 material comforts

Lǎng su-iāu cheng-sin-siōng kap but-chit-siōng ē an-üi. 人^文需^文要^文精^文神^文上^文和^文物^文質^文上^文的^文安^文慰^文. Man needs both spiritual and material consolations.

but-chu 物^文資^文 goods, commodities, materials, resources

but-chu 物^文主^文 owner of a thing

but-chu hong-hu 物^文資^文富^文 abound (be rich) in natural resources

but-chu khoat-hoat (put-chiok) 物^文資^文缺^文乏^文 (不足) shortage of materials

but í hi üi kùi 物^文以^文稀^文為^文貴^文 A thing is valued if it is rare.

but í lūi chū 物^文以^文類^文聚^文 Birds of a feather flock together.

but-ioh 没^文藥^文 myrrh

but-iok 物^文慾^文 worldly desires, craving for material things

but-kè 物^文價^文 prices of various articles, commodity prices

but-kè chí-so 物^文價^文指^文數^文 price index

but-kè pho-tōng 物^文價^文波^文動^文 price fluctuations

but-kè thóng-ché 物^文價^文統^文制^文 price control

but-kè ún-tēng 物^文價^文穩^文定^文 stability of commodity prices

but kek chek hóan (pit hóan) 物^文極^文則^文反^文, 物^文極^文必^文反^文 As soon as a thing reaches one extremity, it reverses its course. (Lit. The pendulum swings both ways.)

but-khí lán-bōng 没^文齒^文難^文忘^文 remember a favor as long as one lives

but kok iú chú 物^文各^文有^文主^文 Everything has its owner.

but kok iú lūi 物^文各^文有^文類^文 Each thing has its classification.

but kui góan-chú 物^文歸^文原^文主^文 An object must be returned to its owner.

but-lek 物^文力^文 one's resources, the value of one's property and estate, personal

effects

Put-tān khiam jin-lek, iā khiam but-lek.

不_レ但_レ人_レ力_レ不_レ足_レ也_レ缺_レ物_レ力_レ。

Not only run short of human power,
but also fall short of material
resources

but-lí 物_レ理_レ physics

but-lí-hak 物_レ理_レ學_レ physics

but-lí-hak-chia 物_レ理_レ學_レ者_レ physicist

but-lí-hak-siōng 物_レ理_レ學_レ上_レ physical

but-lí hòa-hak 物_レ理_レ化_レ學_レ physical chemistry, physics and chemistry

but-lí liau-hoat 物_レ理_レ療_レ法_レ physical therapy

but-lí pian-hoa 物_レ理_レ變_レ化_レ physical changes

but-lí tī-liau 物_レ理_レ治_レ療_レ physiotherapy

but-phín 物_レ品_レ article, goods, commodities

but-phín-soe 物_レ品_レ稅_レ commodity tax

but-sán 物_レ產_レ product, produce

but-sek 物_レ色_レ search for, look for, hunt up

Pai-thok lí kā góa tau but-sek chit keng

chhu. 拜_レ託_レ幫_レ我_レ物_レ一_レ間_レ房_レ

子_レ。 Will you be so kind as to help
me look for a house?

**but-siu 没_レ收_レ confiscation, seizure, confis-
cate**

Hō^一 keng-chhat but-siu khì. 被_レ警_レ察_レ沒_レ
收_レ去_レ。 be confiscated by the police

**but-the 物_レ體_レ body, substance, object
(physics term)**