

# Yellow on the broom - the early days of a traveller woman

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A completely different connotation than I get with the term gypsies which to my mind has a negative connotation in and of itself, not that I necessarily agree with that either. What I don't get is this two faced, back stabbing among the community.

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. My fathers family originated from Logiealmond, Perthshire around the early 20th Century. The tinkers' camps were to be seen in sheltered spots throughout the glens and straths.

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My name is John Williamson. I'd be interested to know and also how I might find out more. Even when free from all hints of reproach, the name tinker signifies people whose way of life makes them outsiders.

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## The Yellow on the Broom: The Early Days of a Traveller Woman

Scottish Travellers have a secret cant, or language, the Beialrearich, which has never been written down. They would pitch their bow tents at the edge of villages and earn money there as tinsmiths, hawkers, horse dealers or pearl fishermen.

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They are like Gypsies of old but mostly came from Spain.

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