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| Nail, (iron) 鐵釘, t’ih ting, (finger)指甲, ‘tsz kah. |
| Nail, (to) 釘, ting’, (to the cross) 釘拉十字架上, ting’ ‘lá zeh zz’ ká long’. |
| Naked, 光身體, kwong sun ‘t’í, 赤身裸體 , tsáh sun lú’ ‘t’í. |
| Name, 名, ming, 名頭, ming deu, 名堂, ming dong, 名號, ming hau’, 名字, ming zz’, (family name) 姓, sing’, (literary name) 别號 ,bih hau’, (a good name) 好名聲, ‘hau ming sang. |
| Name, (to) 起名, ‘k’í ming, 叫, kiau’, (one’s self) 自家稱呼, zz’ ká t’sung hú’. |
| Nankeen, 紫花布, ‘tsz hwó pú’, 土布, ‘t’ú pú’, 赤布, t’sáh pú’. |
| Naphtha, 石油, záh yeu, 石漆, záh t’sih. |
| Napkin, 手巾, ‘seu kiun. |
| Narrate, 申說, sun söh, 話明白, wó’ ming báh . |
| Narrow, 狭, hah or yiah, 窄, tsah. |
| Narrow-minded, 小器, ‘siau k’í’, 見識勿多, kien’ suh veh tú. |
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| Nation, 國, kóh, 國, kwóh, 民, ming, 邦國, pong kóh. |
| Native, (dialect) 本地話, ‘pun dí’ wó’, (place) 本郷, ‘pun h’iang, 本籍, ‘pun dzih, (production) 土產, ‘t’ú ‘t’san. |
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| Nativity, (of our Lord) 救主生日, kieu’ ‘tsû sang nyih. |
| Natural, 自然, zz’ zén, 天生個, t’ien sang kú’. |
| Nature, 天地自然之理, t’ien dí’ zz’ zén tsz ‘lí, (of medicines) 薬性, yáh sing’, (of soils) 土性, ‘t’ú sing’, (human nature)人性, niun sing’. |
| Naval, (officer) 水师, ‘súe sz, (commander of fleet of armed boats) 水师提督, ‘sûe sz dí tóh. |
| Navel, (cord) 臍帶, dzí tá’. |
| Navigator, 行船個人, hang zén kú’ niun. |
| Nauseate, 發嘔心, fah ‘heu sing. |
| Near, 近, ‘giun, 相近, siang ‘giun, 附近, vú’ ‘giun, 到快, tau’ k’wá’. |
| Nearly, 差勿多, t’só veh tú, (dead) 死快者, ‘si k’wá’ ‘tsé. |
| Neat, 清修, t’sing sieu, 收作好看, seu tsoh ‘hau k’ön’. |
| Nebula, 星氣, sing k’í’. |
| Necessary, 不得已, peh tuh ‘í, 不得不然, peh tuh peh zén. |
| Necessaries, 須用個物事, sú yúng’ kú’ meh zz’. |
| Necessity, 免勿来個事體, ‘mien veh lé kú’ zz’ ‘t’í. |
| Neck, 頸骨, kiung kweh, 頭頸骨, deu kiung kweh. |
| Necklace, 頸環, kiung gwan, (necktie) 領巾, ‘ling kiun. |
| Need, 缺乏, k’iöh vah, 缺用, k’iöh yúng’, 乏用, vah yúng’, 必須要用, pih sü yau’ yúng’. |
| Needle, 針, tsun, 引線, ‘yúng sien’. |
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| Needle-work, 針線生活, tsun sien’ sang weh. |
| Needless, 勿必, veh pih, 勿要, veh yau’, 用勿着, yúng veh záh. |
| Needy, 窮苦, giúng ‘k’ú. |
| Neglect, 勿照應, veh tsau’ yung’, 勿留心, veh lieu sing, 忽略, hweh liáh, 輕慢, k’iung man’. |
| Negotiate, (fur others) 代人辦事體, dé’ niun ban’ zz’, (for peace) 商量大家和睦個事體, song liang dá’ ká hú mók kú zz’ ‘t’í, 講和, ‘kong hú. |
| Negotiator, 中人, tsúng niun. |
| Neighbour, 鄰舍, ling só’ , 隔壁, káh pih, 同鄉, dúng h’iang. |
| Neither, 全勿是, zén veh ‘zz, ( in the east nor in the west) 也勿拉東也勿拉西, ‘á veh ‘lá túng ‘á veh ‘lá sí. |
| Neophyte, 新進教個, sing tsing‘ kiau’ kú’. |
| Nephew, 阿姪, á dzeh, (sisters son) 外甥, ngá sang. |
| Nerve, 筋, kiun, 腦氣, ‘nau k’í’. |
| Nest, 窩巢, wú ziau, (birds) 鳥巢, ‘niau wú. |
| Net, 網, ‘mong, (fishing) 捉魚網, tsoh ng ‘mong. |
| Never, 從來勿曾, dzúng lé veh zung, (never been done) 一向勿做曾, ih h’iang’ veh zung tsú’, (can never be obtained) 終勿能得, tsúng veh nung tuh. |
| Neuter, 勿彼勿此, veh ‘pé veh ‘t’sz, (remains) 两面秃勿服, ‘liang mien’ t’oh veh vóh. |
| New, 新, sing, 新鮮, sing sieu. |
| News, 信息, sing sih, 新闻, sing vun, 消息, siau sih. |