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| Light, (a lamp) 點燈, ‘tien tung, (a fire) 生火, sang ‘hú. |
| Lighter, (a) 駁船, póh zén. |
| Lightly, 輕輕個, k’iung k’iung kú’, (look upon) 看輕, k’ön’ k’iung. |
| Lightning, 電,dien’, 閃電, sén dien’, 㬦晱, hoh ‘h’ien. |
| Like, 相同, siang dúng, 像似, siang zz’, 相像, siang ziang’, 倒像, ‘tau ziang, 好像, ‘hau ziang’, 如同, zû dúng, (like him) 忒伊一樣, t’eh í ih yang’, 恰得我一樣, hah tuh ‘ngú ih yang’. |
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| Like, (to)中意, tsúng’ í’ , 喜歡, ‘h’í hwén, (not like) 嫌, hien. |
| Likeness, 像, ziang’, 小照, ‘siau tsau’, 圖像, dú ziang’, (take a likeness) 傳神, dzén zun, 照像, tsau’ ziang’. |
| Likewise, (and further)并且, bing’ ‘t’sia, (did likewise) 實蓋能做, zeh ké’ nung tsú. |
| Lilac, 藍蓮, lan lien. |
| Lily, (seeds lotus do. ) 蓮子, lien ‘tsz. |
| Limbs, (four) 四肢, sz’ tsz. |
| Lime, 石灰, sáh hwé, (kiln)灰窯, hwé yau. |
| Limit, 交界, kiau ká’, 界限, ká’ han’. |
| Limit, (to) 限定, han’ ding’. |
| Line, (string) 線, sien’, (on paper) 畫線,wáh sien’. |
| Linen, 麻布, mó pú’, (grass cloth) 葛布, köh pú’, 细麻布, sí’ mó pú’. |
| Linger, 逗遛, deu’ lieu, 久留, ‘kieu lieu. |
| Linguist, 通事, t’úng zz’. |
| Lining, 袷裏, kah ‘lí. |
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| Link, 相連, siang lien, (link one’s self with others for bad purposes) 勾串别人做惡事, keu t’sén’ bih niun tsú’ oh zz’ . |
| Linseed, 胡麻子, hú mó ‘tsz. |
| Lintel, 門楣, mun mé. |
| Lion, 獅子, sz ‘tsz. |
| Lip, 嘴唇, ‘tsz zun, (harelipped) 缺嘴, k’iöh ‘tsz. |
| Liquid substances, 流動個物事, lieu dúng’ kú meh zz’. |
| Liquorice, 甘草, kén ‘t’sau. |
| List, 目錄, moh lóh, 清單, t’sing tan, (of person) 人丁册, niun ting t’sáh. |
| Listen, 聽,t’ing. |
| Literal, (meaning) 字面上個意思, zz’ mien’ long’ kú í sz’ |
| Literary, (attainments) 學問, hoh vun’, (examination) 考試, ‘k’au sz’, (chief provincial superintendent of) 學臺, hoh dé. |
| Little, 小, ‘siau, 細小, sí’ ’siau, (to a small extent) 稍為 ,‘sau wé, (know a little of )頗曉, ‘p’ú ‘hiau, (a little time) 片刻, p’ien’ k’uk. |
| Live, 生, sung, 活, weh, 度日子, dú’ nyih ‘tsz, (on hills) 住拉山上, dzû’ ‘lá san long’. |
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| Livelihood, (work for) 做生活吃飯, tsú’ sang weh k’iuh van’. |
| Lively, 活潑潑, weh p’eh p’eh. |
| Liver, 肝, kûn. |
| Living, 活個, weh kú’. |
| Load, 擔子, tan ’tsz, 擔,tan. |
| Load, (to) 裝載, tsong tsé’. |
| Loadstone,磁石, dzz záh, 鐵噏石, h’ih t’ih záh. |