

- ing the feet of certain mammals, as horses, &c.; an animal with hoofs.
- hook** (hook), *n.* a curved piece of metal, bone, &c.; to hold or catch something; a fish-hook; sickle; a trap; an instrument for lopping or cutting; a cape or headland: *v.t.* to catch with, or as with, a hook; to gore or attack with the horns.
- hookah** (hook'ah), *n.* a pipe with a long flexible tube which draws the smoke through a vase containing perfumed water. Also hooka and hūqa. [Arabic.]
- hooked** (hookt), *p.adj.* curved like a hook.
- hooker** (hook'ēr), *n.* one who, or that which, hooks; a fishing-smack; a small Dutch vessel; any clumsy, ill-fitted, old craft.
- hook-worm** (hōök'wērm), *n.* a parasite which invades the human body by the feet and produces inanition by sucking the blood.
- hooligan** (hōō'li-gan), *n.* a rowdy; a noisy, coarse young man who haunts the streets at night and begs or steals for a livelihood. The name originated in Australia, but is now used all over the English speaking world.
- hoop** (hōōp, or hoop), *n.* a metal or wooden band to hold together the staves of a cask, &c.; the band of a finger-ring; a kind of crinoline; a large circular ring of metal or wood used by children for trundling; anything curved like a hoop; a whoop; the noise made in whooping-cough: *v.t.* to bind or secure with a hoop; encircle.
- hooper** (hoop'ēr), *n.* a cooper; the wild swan.
- hooping** (hoop'ing), *n.* material for making hoops; hoops collectively.
- hooping-cough**, same as whooping-cough.
- hoopoe** (hōō'pō), *n.* a bird with an erect crest and handsome plumage.
- hoot** (hōōt), *n.* a contemptuous shout: *v.t.* to jeer or drive with contemptuous shouts: *v.i.* to utter a hoot.
- hoove** (hōōv), *n.* a disease in cattle, in which the abdomen is distended.
- hop** (hop), *v.t.* [*p.t.* & *p.p.* hopped, *p.pr.* hopping], to leap over; impregnate with hops: *v.i.* to proceed by short leaps on one leg; skip with both legs; limp; to pick hops: *n.* a jump on one leg; a dance; a twining plant the ripened cones of which are used in brewing to impart a bitter taste to malt liquors: *adj.* pertaining to hops.
- hope** (hōp), *n.* the desire of good accompanied by expectation; anticipation; confidence; the object of hope: *v.t.* to expect with confidence or desire: *v.i.* to cherish a desire for good; trust confidently.
- hopeful** (hōp'fool), *adj.* full of hope; promising success.
- hopefully** (hōp'foo-li), *adv.* in a hopeful manner.
- hopeless** (hōp'les), *adj.* without hope; devoid of cheerfulness; despairing.
- hoplite** (hop'lit), *n.* an ancient Greek heavy-armed foot-soldier.
- hopper** (hop'ēr), *n.* one who, or that which, hops; a name for various leaping insects; a wooden trough or unnel through which grain passes into a mill; mechanism in a piano for lifting the hammer; a seed-basket used in sowing grain; a hop-picker; the basin of a water-closet.
- hoppet** (hop'et), *n.* a hand-basket; a dish for measuring ore.
- hopple** (hop'l), *v.t.* to hobble.
- hoppy** (hop'i), *adj.* full of, or tasting like, hops.
- hops**, see under hop.
- hopscotch** (hop'skōch), *n.* a children's game, in which a flat stone is driven from one numbered compartment to another by the player while he hops.
- horal** (hō'ral), *adj.* pertaining to, or lasting, an hour; hourly. Also horary. [Latin.]
- horde** (hōrd), *n.* a nomadic tribe or clan dwelling in tents or wagons; a vast multitude: *v.i.* to live, or act together, in hordes. [Turkish.]
- hordeine** (hōr'de-in), *n.* a starch-like substance obtained from barley.
- horehound**, same as hoarhound.
- horizon** (hō-ri'zun), *n.* the circular line where the sky and earth, or sea, appear to meet: hence the limit of one's mental vision.
- horizontal** (hor-i-zon'tal), *adj.* parallel to, or situated near, the horizon; level: opposed to vertical.

āte, ärm, at, awl; mē, mērgē, met; mīte, mit; nōte, nōrth, not; bōōn, book; hūe, hut; think, then.