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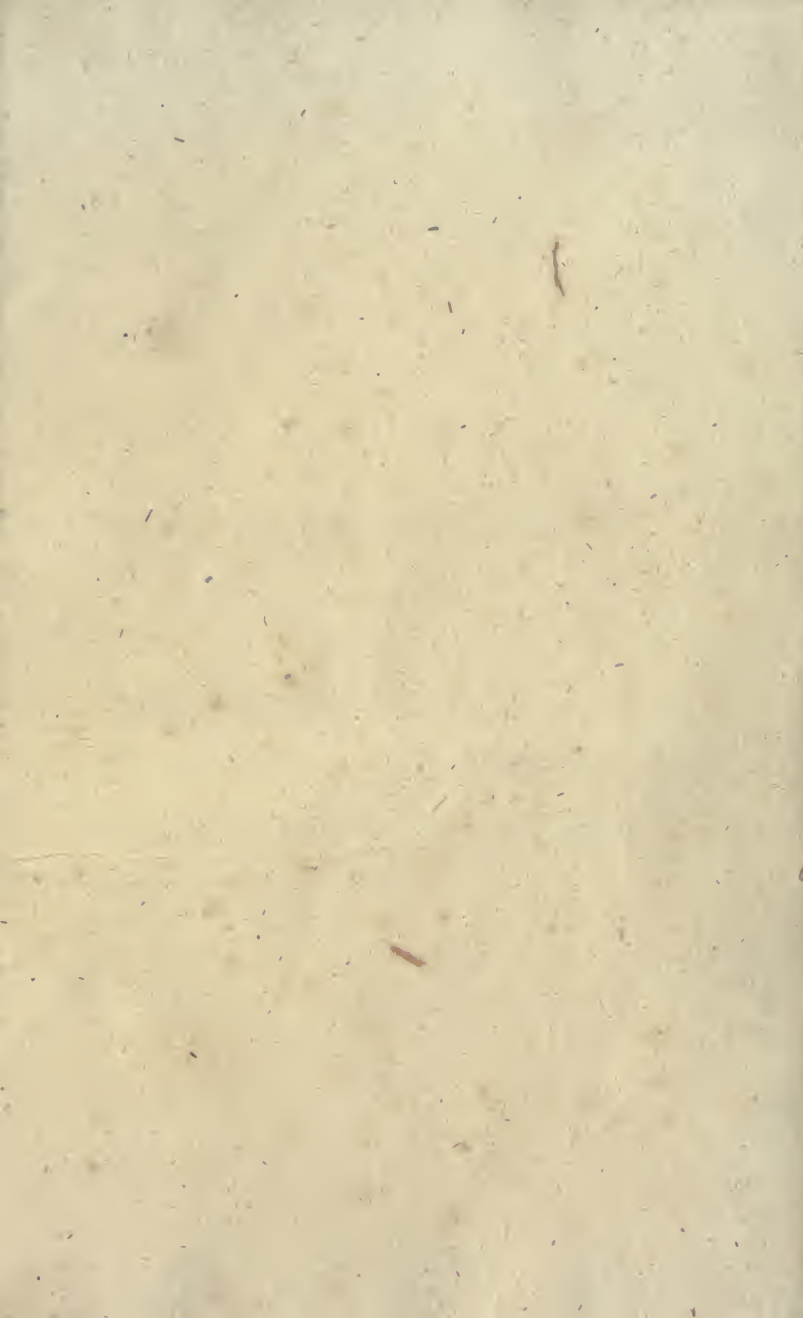
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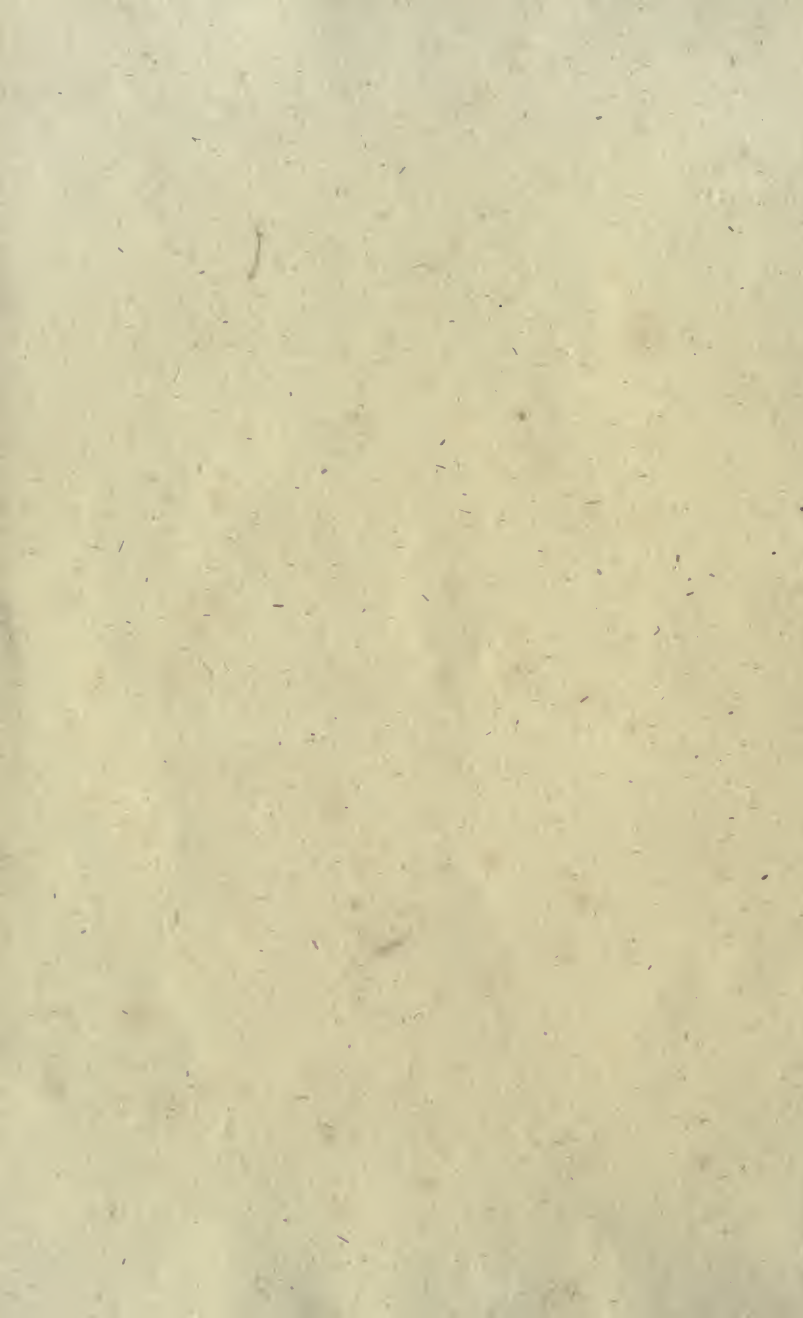


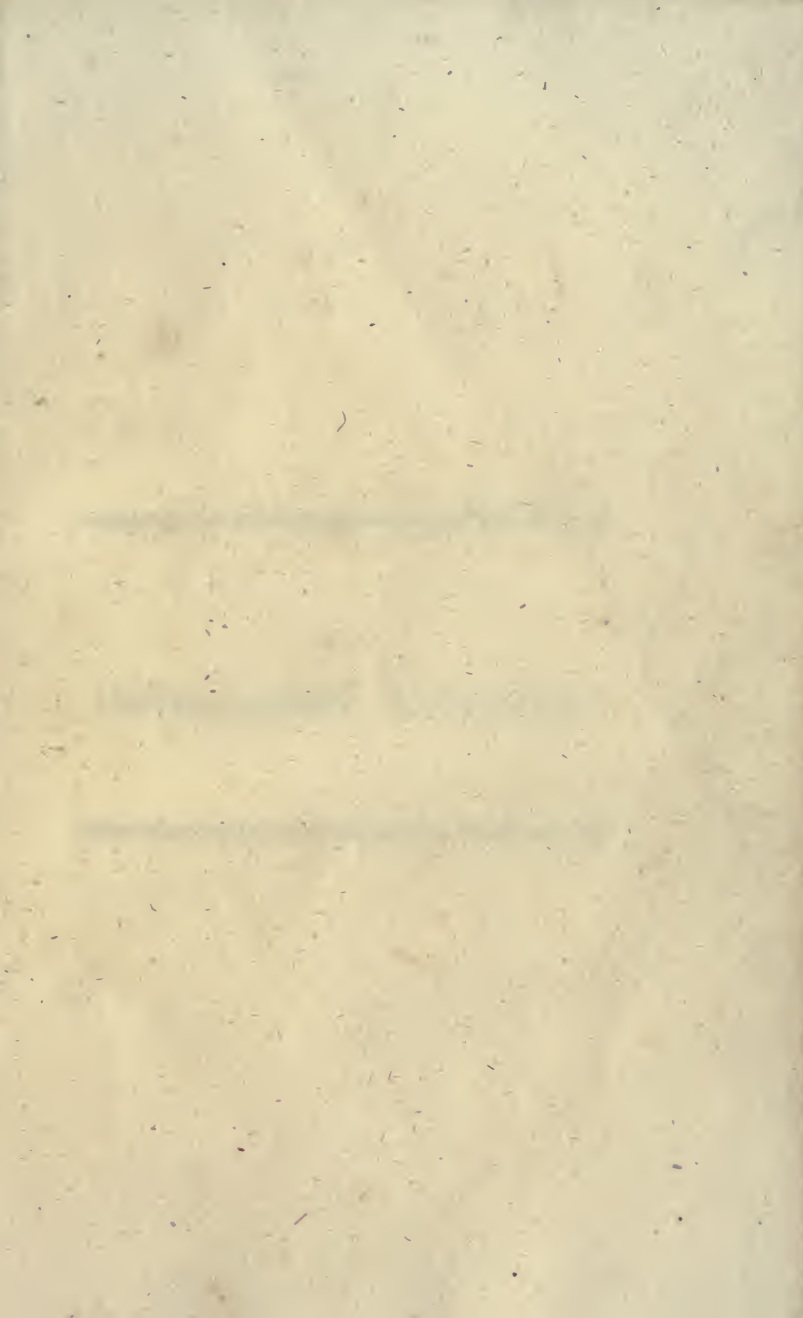


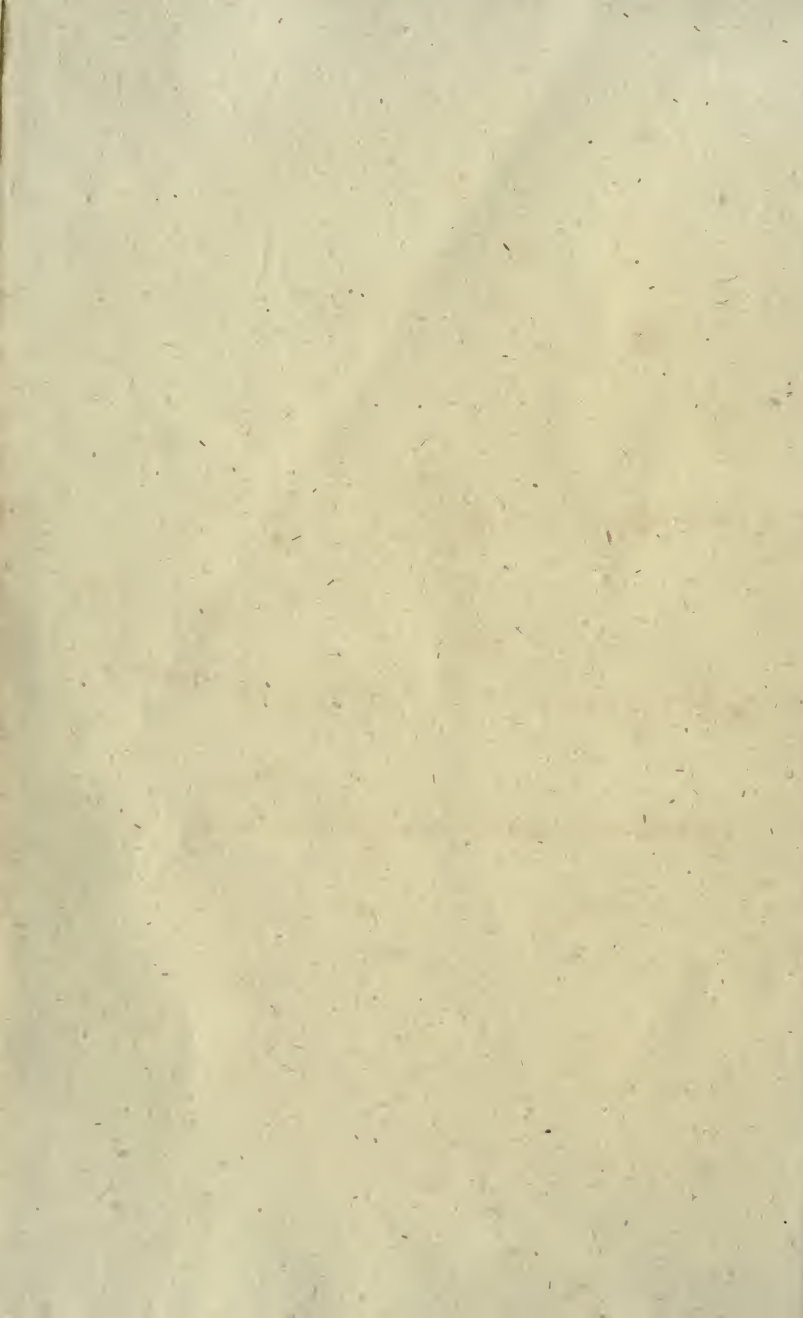
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WHERE THE FINAL CONSONANT SHOULD BE REPEATED  
IN SPELLING THE PAST TENSE AND THE  
PARTICIPLES OF ENGLISH VERBS.

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BY W. HUBAND.

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The duplication of consonants, when an additional termination  
is assumed, forms a difficulty in our orthography, which has  
embarrassed the most correct and accurate writers.

WALKER'S *Rhym. Dict.*

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## PRELIMINARY REMARKS.



THE following pages form an Appendix to a volume of manuscript Essays on English Orthography.—The numerous verbs which they comprise, very frequently occur in English composition; yet their Orthography, which I find continually perplexing our most accurate writers, is not to be ascertained by any approved dictionary of our language.—The practical utility, therefore, of the annexed Vocabulary, I presume, will be readily admitted by those persons who may have occasion to consult it.

Among the grammatical mischiefs produced by miswriting the verbs I have here compiled, the following, perhaps, are not the least obvious.—By spelling such terms inaccurately, we frequently induce false *prosody* in reading English verse, and as frequently mislead students in the *pronunciation* of our language.

Almost every individual who studies to write English correctly, experiences continual doubts, in

what instances the final consonant of several verbs in the past tense and both participles, and likewise the final consonant of some irregular verbs in the active participle should be repeated; nor am I indeed aware of any popular work of accredited authority, which could clear up those difficulties for the inquisitive. It is true, that many of the terms which compose the following catalogue, may be found in Dr. Ash's English dictionary:—the general plan, however, of that voluminous compilation, has been so very frequently, and so very justly ridiculed by the learned, as to almost exclude it now, even from the shops of the book-sellers.\*—In the great folio and quarto editions of Dr. Johnson's dictionary, several of the words which I have here arranged, may be selected from among the quotations, which the truly learned and laborious compiler of that valuable work has introduced, for the purpose of

\* The reader, who is aware how closely the sciences of Orthography and Etymology are connected, is furnished with the following curious specimen of Dr. Ash's etymological learning.—In Johnson's dictionary, we find this article.—[CURMUDGEON. *n.*—It is a vicious way of pronouncing *cœur mechant*. Fr.—An unknown correspondent.] A person of ordinary intelligence, I apprehend, would understand Dr. Johnson to mean, that an unknown correspondent furnished him with this derivation.—Dr. Ash, however, adopts the foregoing article thus.—CURMUDGEON. *n.*—From the French *cœur*, unknown, and *mechant* a correspondent.

exemplifying the application of primitive verbs; yet, I apprehend, that circumstance can detract but little from the frequent convenience which a copious collection of those terms must afford to numerous persons, whom we may continually perceive are inaccurate in the orthography of them; and the more especially when we reflect, that the formidable price, as well as the inconvenient size of Dr. Johnson's work, necessarily disqualifies it for general use, and confines it almost exclusively to the libraries of the learned.

Perhaps the reader should be apprized, that independent of some anomalies in the orthography of the past tenses and participles of verbs, which usage seems to have permanently fixed in our language, our venerated Lexicographer has incautiously sanctioned some manifest inaccuracies in spelling derivative verbs.—These negligences, if registered without comment, in a vocabulary like this, would tend to materially corrupt our language.—I am aware, that Dr. Johnson, in treating on our orthography, in that admirable specimen of English composition prefixed to his dictionary, uses the following exculpatory expression:—"I have left in the *examples* to every author his own orthography unmolested, that the reader may balance suffrages, and judge between us."—It will be remembered, however, by the critical reader, that his judgment as an ortho-

grapher cannot be exercised in such instances as the following, which I have hastily selected from our dictionary, because, as the derivative verbs are not inserted in it's series, we cannot ascertain how the compiler himself would have written them.

“ Were I in no more danger to be misled by ignorance, than I am to be biassed [*biased*] by interest, I might give a very perfect account.”

LOCKE.

“ God has rivetted [*riveted*] the notion of himself into our natures.”

TILLOTSON.

Though the annexed vocabulary, upon a cursory view of it's contents, may appear to be incomplete and defective, yet I entertain a hope, that those persons who may have occasion to refer to it, will either by immediate example, or from analogous principle, seldom fail of obtaining the information they seek for.

I have very considerably abridged the number of words which the following catalogue should otherwise contain, by omitting almost every compound term, where the orthography of the final simple word, appeared to me sufficiently to ascertain it. On this principle I have very generally rejected such terms as *begetting*, *overtopping*, *underbidding*, &c. with a numerous list of compound words of a similar description. It may likewise be necessary to premise,



that I have omitted those few irregular verbs, which in forming their participles passive, drop the final vowel, and double the final consonant; as *bite—bitten, smite—smitten, write—written; chide—chidden, hide—hidden, ride—ridden*; the passive participles of those verbs are usually inserted in our dictionaries.

For certain grammatic anomalies which are apparent upon a critical examination of some of the articles included in the annexed vocabulary, I consider myself in no degree responsible. It was my object to take down the terms which I have registered, not as I might conceive they ought to be, but as I find they have been written by our most correct authors. Hence, in manifest violation of a very just grammatical rule insisted upon by Lowth, Walker, and others, I have written, *counselled, worshipped, libelled, revelled, &c.* after the most approved English writers; though such orthography is neither conformable to analogy, nor justified by pronunciation; but in truth, why we should write with Dr. Johnson, *accosted*, from the French *accoster*, yet *acquitted*, from the French *acquiter*, with several other words equally anomalous, I confess I am at a loss to conjecture.—The general usage of our most accurate writers, is in fact the only rule which can properly govern us in these orthographical difficulties.

Every language, says our great philologer, has it's anomalies, which though inconvenient, and in themselves once unnecessary, must be tolerated among the imperfections of human things.—These anomalies

when they become thoroughly embodied into a language, set the most elaborate expostulations of criticism at defiance; and can never after be wisely rejected, or judiciously rectified.



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VERBS ending with a single consonant, preceded by a single vowel, and, if of more than one syllable, having the accent on the last, double the consonant in every part of the verb in which a syllable is added.

Perhaps it may sufficiently illustrate the preceding rule, to observe, that conformable to the principle which it establishes, our correct authors write *befitting*, and *benefiting*, in the participles of their respective verbs.





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Abet, abetted  
Abhor, abhorred  
Abut, abutted  
Acquit, acquitted  
Admit, admitted  
Allot, allotted  
Amit, amitted  
Annul, annulled  
Appal, appalled  
Apparel, apparelled  
Avel, avelled  
Aver, averred  
  
Bag, bagged  
Ban, banned

Bar, barred  
Barrel, barrelled  
Bed, bedded  
Befal, befalling  
Beg, begged  
Begin, beginning  
Bet, betted  
Bethral, bethralled  
Bib, bibbed  
Bid, bidding  
Blab, blabbed  
Blot, blotted  
Blur, blurred  
Bob, bobbed  
Bowel, bowelled

## 14. B C

**Brag**, bragged  
**Brim**, brimmed  
**Bud**, budded  
  
**Cabal**, caballed  
**Cancel**, cancelled  
**Cap**, capped  
**Capot**, capotted  
**Carol**, carolled  
**Cavil**, cavilled  
**Channel**, channelled  
**Chap**, chapped  
**Char**, charred  
**Chat**, chatted  
**Chip**, chipped  
**Chisel**, chiselled  
**Chit**, chitted  
**Chop**, chopped  
**Clap**, clapped  
**Clip**, clipped  
**Clod**, clodded  
**Clog**, clogged  
**Clot**, clotted  
**Club**, clubbed  
**Cod**, coddled  
**Cog**, cogged  
**Commit**, committed  
**Compel**, compelled  
**Complot**, complotted  
**Con**, conned  
**Concur**, concurred

## C D

**Confer**, conferred  
**Control**, controlled  
**Coquet**, coquetted  
**Counsel**, counselled  
**Cram**, crammed  
**Crib**, cribbed  
**Crop**, cropped  
**Crum**, crummed  
**Cub**, cubbed  
**Cudgel**, cudgelled  
**Cup**, cupped  
**Cut**, cutting  
  
**Dab**, dabbed  
**Dag**, dagged  
**Dam**, dammed  
**Dap**, dapped  
**Debel**, debelled  
**Defer**, deferred  
**Demit**, demitted  
**Demur**, demurred  
**Deter**, deterred  
**Dig**, digging  
**Dim**, dimmed  
**Din**, dinned  
**Dip**, dipped  
**Dishevel**, dishevelled  
**Dispel**, dispelled  
**Distil**, distilled  
**Dog**, dogged  
**Don**, donned

Dot, dotted  
 Drag, dragged  
 Dram, drammed  
 Drib, dribbed  
 Drip, dripped  
 Drivel, drivelled  
 Drop, dropped  
 Drub, drubbed  
 Drug, drugged  
 Drum, drummed  
 Dub, dubbed  
 Duel, duelled  
 Dun, dunned  
  
 Embar, embarred  
 Embowel, embowelled  
 Emit, emitted  
 Empannel, empannelled  
 Enamel, enamelled  
 Enrol, enrolled  
 Entrap, entrapped  
 Equip, equipped  
 Escot, escotted  
 Excel, excelled  
 Expel, expelled  
 Extil, extilled  
 Extol, extolled

Fag, fagged  
 Fan, fanned  
 Fat, fatted

Fib, fibbed  
 Fig, figged  
 Fin, finned  
 Fit, fitted  
 Flag, flagged  
 Flam, flammed  
 Flap, flapped  
 Flat, flatted  
 Flit, flitted  
 Flog, flogged  
 Flop, flopped  
 Fob, fobbed  
 Forbid, forbidding  
 Forestal, forestalled  
 Foretel, foretelling  
 Forget, forgetting  
 Fret, fretted  
 Fub, fubbed  
 Fulfil, fulfilled  
 Fur, furred

Gad, gadded  
 Gag, gagged  
 Gambol, gambolled  
 Gem, gemmed  
 Get, getting  
 Gip, gipped  
 Glad, gladded  
 Glib, glibbed  
 Glut, glutted  
 Gnar, gnarred

## 16 G H J I

God, godded  
 Gospel, gosselled  
 Gravel, gravelled  
 Grin, grinned  
 Grovel, grovelled  
 Grub, grubbed  
 Gum, gummed  
 Gut, gutted

Hag, haggged  
 Handsel, handselled  
 Hap, happed  
 Hatchel, hatchelled  
 Hem, hemmed  
 Hip, hipped  
 Hit, hitting  
 Hitchel, hitchelled  
 Hop, hopped  
 Hovel, hovelled  
 Hug, hugged  
 Hum, hummed  
 Hyp, hypped

Jam, jammèd  
 Japan, japanned  
 Jar, jarred  
 Jet, jettèd  
 Jig, jiggèd

Immit, immittèd  
 Impel, impellèd

## I J K L

Incur, incurred  
 Infer, inferred  
 Instal, installed  
 Instil, instilled  
 Inter, interred  
 Intermit, intermitted  
 Inthral, inthralled  
 Intromit, intromitted

Job, jobbed  
 Jog, jogged  
 Jug, juggèd  
 Jut, juttèd

Ken, kennèd  
 Kennel, kennelled  
 Kernel, kernelled  
 Kid, kiddèd  
 Kidnap, kidnapped  
 Knab, knobbed  
 Knap, knapped  
 Knit, knitting  
 Knot, knotted  
 Knub, knobbed

Lag, lagged  
 Lap, lapped  
 Let, lettèd  
 Level, levelled  
 Libel, libelled  
 Lig, liggèd



Lip, lipped	Nut, nudded
Lob, lobbed	
Lop, lopped	Occur, occurred
Lug, lugged	Omit, omitted
	Onset, onsetting
Mad, madded	
Man, manned	Pad, padded
Manumit, manumitted	Pan, panned
Map, mapped	Pannel, pannelled
Mar, marred	Parcel, parcelled
Marshal, marshalled	Pat, patted
Marvel, marvelled	Patrol, patrolled
Mat, matted	Peg, pegged
Miscal, miscalled	Pen, penned
Mispel, misspelled	Permit, permitted
Mistel, mistelling	Pig, pigged
Mob, mobbed	Pin, pinned
Model, modelled	Pip, piped
Mop, mopped	Pistol, pistolled
Mud, mudded	Pit, pitted
	Plan, planned
Nab, nabbed	Plat, platted
Nap, napped	Plod, plodded
Net, netted	Plot, plotted
Nib, nibbed	Plug, plugged
Nim, nimmed	Pod, podded
Nip, nipped	Pommel, pommelled
Nod, nodded	Pop, popped
Nousel, nouselled	Postil, postilled

Pot, potted  
 Pout, pouted  
 Prefer, preferred  
 Pretermit, pretermitted  
 Prig, prigged  
 Prim, primmed  
 Prog, progged  
 Prop, propped  
 Propel, propelled  
 Pulvil, pulvilled  
 Pun, punned  
 Pup, pupped  
 Put, putting

Quarrel, quarrelled

Quip, quipped  
 Quit, quitting  
 Quod, quodded

Ram, rammed

Rap, rapped  
 Ravel, ravelled  
 Rebel, rebelled  
 Rebut, rebutted  
 Recal, recalled  
 Recur, recurred  
 Refel, refelled  
 Refer, referred  
 Regret, regretted

Remit, remitted  
 Repel, repelled  
 Revel, revelled  
 Rid, ridding  
 Rig, rigged  
 Rip, ripped  
 Rival, rivalled  
 Rivel, rivelled  
 Rob, robbed  
 Rot, rotted  
 Rowel, rowelled  
 Rub, rubbed  
 Run, running  
 Rut, rutted

Sag, sagged

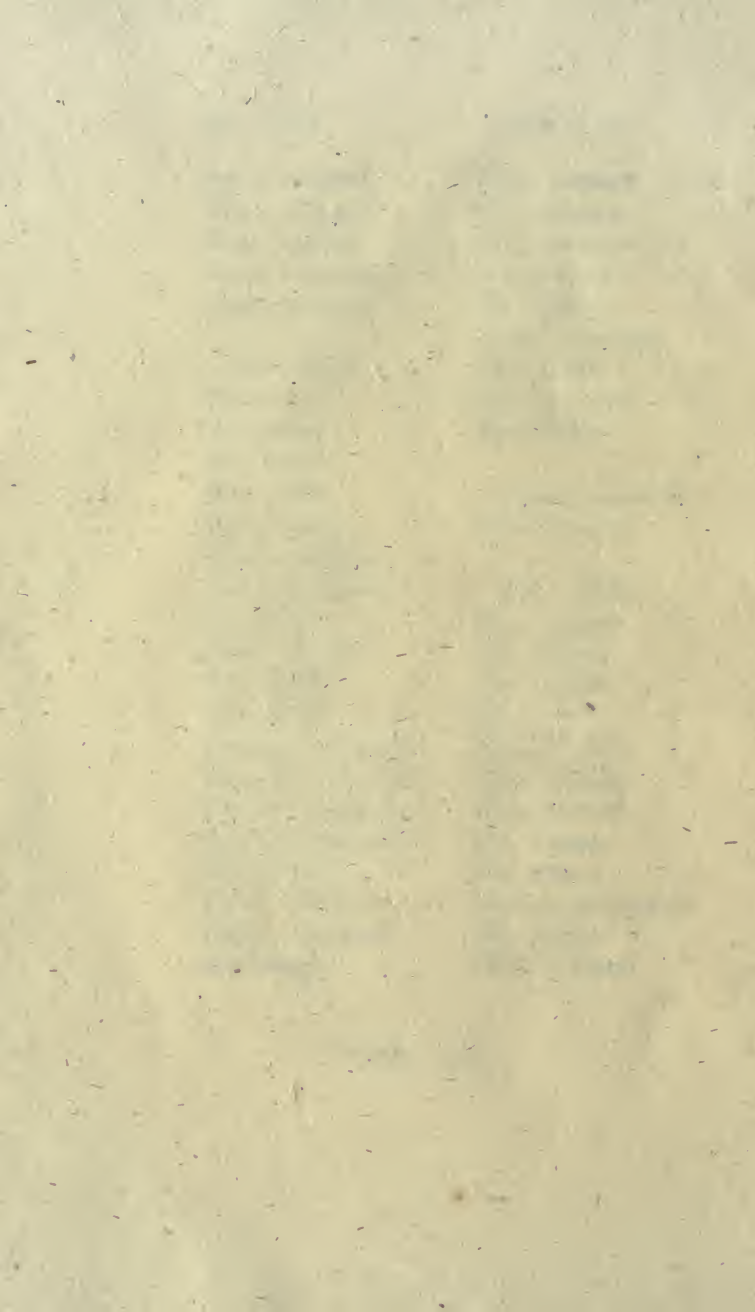
Sap, sapped  
 Scab, scabbed  
 Scan, scanned  
 Scar, scarred  
 Scrub, scrubbed  
 Scud, scudded  
 Scum, scummed  
 Set, setting  
 Sham, shammed  
 Shed, shedding  
 Ship, shipped  
 Shog, shogged  
 Shovel, shovelled

Shred, shredded	Spar, sparred
Shrivel, shrivelled	Spet, spatted
Shrug, shrugged	Spin, spinning
Shun, shunned	Spit, spitting
Shut, shutting	Split, splitting
Sin, sinned	Spot, spotted
Sip, sipped	Sprig, sprigged
Sit, sitting	Sprit, spritted
Skim, skimmed	Spur, spurred
Skin, skinned	Squab, squabbed
Skip, skipped	Squat, squatted
Slam, slammed	Stab, stabbed
Slap, slapped	Star, starred
Slip, slipped	Stem, stemmed
Slit, slitting	Step, stepped
Slop, slopped	Stir, stirred
Slot, slotted	Stop, stopped
Slur, slurred	Strap, strapped
Smut, smutted	Strip, stripped,
Snap, snapped	Strut, strutted
Snip, snipped	Stub, stubbed
Snivel, snivelled	Stud, studded
Snot, snotted	Stum, stummed
Snub, snubbed	Stun, stunned
Saug, snugged	Stut, stutted
Sob, sobbed	Submit, submitted
Sop, sopped	Sum, summed
Sot, sotted	Sun, sunned
Span, spanned	Sup, supped

Swab, swabbed  
 Swag, swagged  
 Swig, swigged  
 Swim, swimming  
 Swop, swopped  
  
 Tag, tagged  
 Tan, tanned  
 Tap, tapped  
 Tar, tarred  
 Ted, tedded  
 Thin, thinned  
 Throb, throbbled  
 Thrum, thrummed  
 Tin, tinned  
 Tinsel, tinselled  
 Tip, tipped  
 Top, topped  
 Trammel, trammelled  
 Transcur, transcurred  
 Transfer, transferred  
 Transmit, transmitted  
 Trap, trapped  
 Travel, travelled  
 Trepan, trepanned  
 Trig, trigged

Trim, trimmed  
 Trip, tripped  
 Trot, trotted  
 Tug, tugged  
 Tun, tunned  
 Tunnel, tunnelled  
 Tup, tuppued  
 Twin, twinned  
 Twit, twitted  
  
 Victual, victualled  
 Unrol, unrolled  
  
 Wad, wadded  
 Wag, wagged  
 War, warred  
 Wed, wedded  
 Wet, wetted  
 Whet, whetted  
 Whip, whipped  
 Whiz, whizzed  
 Win, winning  
 Wit, witting  
 Worship, worshipped  
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 Wrap, wrapped.



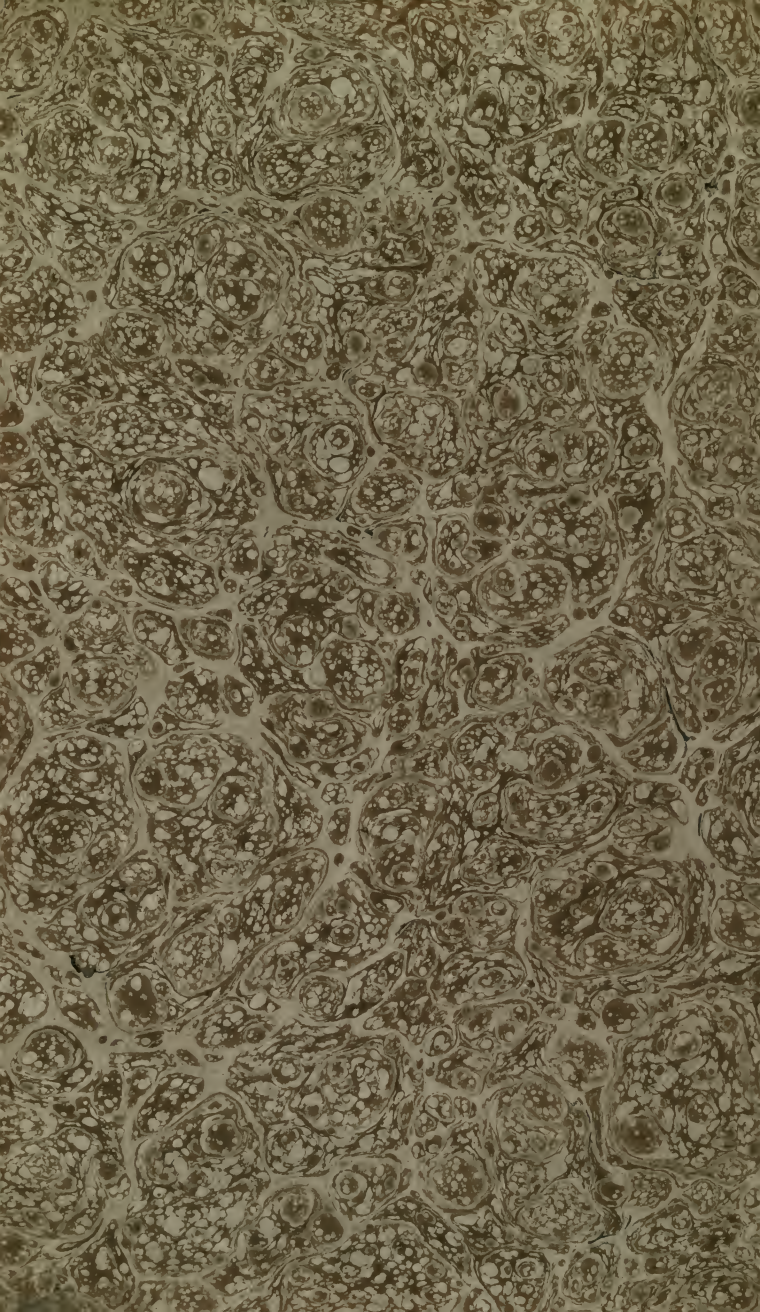












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