



# CUASACH CHRÍOSTÓIR AÍ RAISHEALLAIGH

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NEAR BANTRY**

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He is fondly remembered as the "Master" and Principal Teacher of Inchiclogue National School near Bantry. He had a great love of the Irish language and an intense interest in local history and heritage.

Conscious that our everyday vocabulary is continually changing, Christy researched/recalled all the old phrases and words that were used in his younger days in the greater Bantry area, and he put together the following collection which is a delight to peruse.

<b>Ablach</b> .....	Glutton or voracious person
<b>Achasán (Asachán)</b> .....	Insult
<b>Adas</b> .....	Small com sack,(handstock)
<b>Adhascar</b> .....	Halter
<b>Áirneán</b> .....	Night work, sitting up late
<b>Aiceann Gaelach</b> .....	Light species of furze growing in tufts
<b>Amaí</b> .....	Hames
<b>An Inid</b> .....	Shrovetide
<b>Anonn 's Anall</b> .....	Backwards and forwards
<b>Ascaill</b> .....	Armpit
<b>Bacán</b> .....	Treadle of a spade
<b>Bachall</b> .....	An armfull
<b>Badhán</b> .....	Deaf person
<b>Bailcis</b> .....	Rag, garment
<b>Bainbhín</b> .....	Little banbh, Ace of Hearts
<b>Bainne Bearrtha</b> .....	Skim milk
<b>Bainne Buí</b> .....	Beastings
<b>Bainne Géar</b> .....	Sour milk
<b>Bainne Reamhar</b> .....	Thick milk
<b>Bainnicín</b> .....	Henbane (plant)

<b>Balbhán</b> .....	A dummy
<b>Barra Liobar</b> .....	Numbers of the fingers
<b>Barrphód</b> .....	Top sod (type of turf)
<b>Bascúin</b> .....	A blockhead
<b>Beach Gabhair</b> .....	Wasp
<b>Béalbhach</b> .....	Bridle bit
<b>Bean Sí</b> .....	Fairy woman
<b>Bearc</b> .....	Bundle carried on the back
<b>Béic</b> .....	Scream, shout
<b>Béilíoch</b> .....	Cavity under a flat stone
<b>Beisce</b> .....	Flat dish for calving milk, 'a keeler'
<b>Bior</b> .....	Spike, pointed rod
<b>Biríneach</b> .....	Seashore reed used for thatching or mats
<b>Bíchiúnach</b> .....	Thief
<b>Bladaire</b> .....	Flatterer, a valuable talker
<b>Bláthach</b> .....	Buttermilk
<b>Bodach</b> .....	Clown, lout
<b>Bodós</b> .....	Heifer, young cow
<b>Bórachán</b> .....	Person with crooked feet or bowlegged
<b>Bord</b> .....	Table
<b>Bothán</b> .....	Hut, hovel

<b>BRÁCA</b> .....	Harrow
<b>BRACHADH</b> .....	Corrupt matter in the eyes
<b>BREALL</b> .....	Idiot or foolish person
<b>BRÉAN</b> .....	Disgusted
<b>BRÉIDÍN</b> .....	Frieze, homespun cloth
<b>BRÍSTE</b> .....	Pants
<b>BRÓ</b> .....	Quern, handmill
<b>BROMACH</b> .....	Cloth
<b>BROSNA</b> .....	Broken wood for firing
<b>BRÚDAIRE</b> .....	Heavy person or beast
<b>BRUINNE DEARΣ</b> .....	Red murrain
<b>BRUS</b> .....	Small fragments
<b>BUACHALLÁN</b> .....	Rag weed
<b>BUAILE</b> .....	Farmyard where cows are milked
<b>BUAILEAM SCIATH</b> .....	Boasting
<b>BUAIRCÍN</b> .....	Timber peg at end of a spancel
<b>BUALADH BAS</b> .....	Clapping
<b>BUARACH</b> .....	Spancel
<b>BUDÁN</b> .....	Stump of animal's horn
<b>BUIINNE</b> .....	Wale in basketry
<b>BÚRNEACH</b> .....	Bellowing

<b>BUI OΣ CIONN</b> .....	Upside down
<b>BUIDÚN</b> .....	Tail end
<b>BUIÓC</b> .....	New born baby
<b>CABAIRE</b> .....	Babbler, person with too much talk
<b>CABHLACH</b> .....	Walls of an old ruined house
<b>CABÓΣ</b> .....	Clown, a rustic, a labourer
<b>CAC IARAINN</b> .....	Kind of iron ore found in damp soils
<b>CADAR</b> .....	Effeminate person, a big fat woman
<b>CADARÁIL</b> .....	Foolish talk
<b>CAIBEÁN</b> .....	A little mouth
<b>CAIBÍN</b> .....	An old hat
<b>CAIDHSÉAR</b> .....	Mouth of a drain
<b>CAILLEACH</b> .....	Hag
<b>CAILICHÍN</b> .....	Ash plant for herding cattle
<b>CAISE</b> .....	A current
<b>CAISEARBHÁN</b> .....	Dandelion
<b>CAISTÍN</b> .....	Crafty little fellow
<b>CALAOIS</b> .....	Trickery
<b>CALTAR</b> .....	Coulter of a plough
<b>CAOCH</b> .....	Blind

<b>Caochán</b> .....	Blind creature
<b>Caoil Fhód</b> .....	Last narrow sod turned by plough to create the furrow
<b>CAORÁN</b> .....	Small bit of dried turf
<b>Céachc</b> .....	Plough
<b>Cealais</b> .....	Untidy or potbellied person
<b>CEANNRACH</b> .....	Halter or bridle
<b>Ceathannach</b> .....	Showery
<b>Céis</b> .....	Young cow
<b>Ceol</b> .....	Music
<b>Ciarós</b> .....	Cock roach, earwig, beetle
<b>Cíob</b> .....	Coarse mountain grass, sedge
<b>Ciotós</b> .....	Left handed person
<b>Cip-idir-ríl</b> .....	Confusion, commotion
<b>Ciseach</b> .....	Pathway or rust over wet ground
<b>Ciseán</b> .....	Basket
<b>Clais</b> .....	Furrow
<b>Clampar</b> .....	Dispute
<b>Cleamhuas</b> .....	Match
<b>Cleas naRéiste</b> .....	Knot which kills worms in cattle
<b>Cleithire</b> .....	Sturdy person

<b>Clíamhain Isteach</b> .....	Son in law who goes to live in the father in law's home
<b>Clíotar</b> .....	Clatter, rattling noise
<b>Cloch Speile</b> .....	Scythe stone
<b>Cnímhseáil</b> .....	Complaining
<b>Cnímhchós</b> .....	Remnant
<b>Cníopaire</b> .....	Miser
<b>Cochall</b> .....	Frown
<b>Codladh Griúín</b> .....	Pins and Needles
<b>Coileár</b> .....	Collar
<b>COINCÍN</b> .....	Upturned nose
<b>Cois Céim na Trócaire</b> .....	Three steps taken with a funeral
<b>CORCÁN</b> .....	Pot
<b>CORRA-ḡiob</b> .....	Posterior
<b>CORRA-mhíol</b> .....	Midge
<b>CORRABHUAIS</b> .....	Concern
<b>CORRÁN ḡḡUS Gabhlós</b> .....	Hook and gallogue (Timber fork)
<b>COSA FUAARA</b> .....	Stilts
<b>CRÁIN</b> .....	A sow
<b>CRAOBHABHAR</b> .....	Sty in the eyelid
<b>CREABHAR</b> .....	Woodcock
<b>CREACHAILL</b> .....	Log of bogwood

<b>CRICEÁLAÍ</b> .....	Plunderer
<b>CRIOCHÁIN</b> .....	Small potato
<b>CROBH LIATH</b> .....	Mildew, mould
<b>CROBHNASC</b> .....	Rope from fore leg to horn on a cow
<b>CRÓICÍN</b> .....	Small hut for sheep, cattle or fowl
<b>CRÚCÁLAÍ</b> .....	One who claws at things
<b>CRÚIBÍN</b> .....	Little claw or hoof
<b>CUIṢION</b> .....	Churn
<b>CUIṢ</b> .....	Yoke
<b>CUIṢEAL</b> .....	Coupling rope between a pair of plough horses
<b>CÚIRLIÚN</b> .....	Curlew
<b>CÚLÓS</b> .....	One who rides behind another on horseback
<b>CÚNSÓS</b> .....	Nest of honeybees in meadow
<b>CUPÓS</b> .....	Dock (plant)
<b>ḌAILCÍN</b> .....	Foster child, mean fellow
<b>ḌALLA MULLÓS</b> .....	Blindness, delusion
<b>ḌEOCH AN ḌORÁIS</b> .....	Parting drink, one for the road
<b>ḌIABHAL</b> .....	Devil
<b>ḌIDEARÁLAÍ</b> .....	One who hesitates a lot

<b>ḌÍODÁNAÍ</b> .....	Unsteady person, inclined to stagger
<b>ḌÍÚṢ</b> .....	Suck, drink to the dregs
<b>ḌOICHEALLACH</b> .....	Mean
<b>ḌOIRNÍN</b> .....	Handle for holding a scythe
<b>ḌOMHNACH FÉACH SUAS</b> .....	Look up Sunday, final day of Shrove
<b>ḌONÁIN</b> .....	Wretched individual
<b>ḌONAS</b> .....	Bad luck, misfortune
<b>ḌORCÁIN</b> .....	Yearling bull
<b>ḌORIN</b> .....	Fist, handful
<b>ḌRADAIRE</b> .....	One with long front teeth
<b>ḌREOILÍN</b> .....	Wren
<b>ḌRÍODAR</b> .....	Waste
<b>ḌROMRACH</b> .....	Backband on horse
<b>ḌUADÁLAÍ</b> .....	A dance, an awkward person
<b>ḌUBHLUACHAR NA BLIANA</b> .....	Depths of winter
<b>ḌÚCHAS</b> .....	Birth right, heritage
<b>ḌUILEASC</b> .....	Edible sea weed
<b>ḌÚIRSE ḌÁIRSE</b> .....	Idle talk, hearsay
<b>EASCÚ LUACHRA</b> .....	Lizard
<b>EIRÍ IN ÁIRDE</b> .....	Pride
<b>FADHBÁIN</b> .....	Large potato



<b>Faic</b> .....	Nothing
<b>Fáilte</b> .....	Welcome
<b>Falcaire</b> .....	Large potato, hollow in centre
<b>Fear a'Tí</b> .....	Man of the house
<b>Féaránach</b> .....	Animal that grazes
<b>Féasós</b> .....	Beard
<b>Feircín</b> .....	Firkin
<b>Feichleos</b> .....	Sinew
<b>Feochadán</b> .....	Thistle
<b>Fionnán</b> .....	Long coarse white grass growing on marshy land
<b>Fice Fuaithe</b> .....	Entwined
<b>Flaichiúil</b> .....	Generous
<b>Flúirse</b> .....	Plenty, abundance
<b>Fóiscín</b> .....	Little year old ewe
<b>Folláin</b> .....	Healthy, sound
<b>Fostúc</b> .....	Precarious youngster, fit to be hired
<b>Focháin</b> .....	Shelter
<b>Fraochán</b> .....	Hurt (plant) whortle berry
<b>Fuachtán</b> .....	Chilblain
<b>Fuadar</b> .....	Rush, hurry, bustle
<b>Fuadarálaí</b> .....	Fussy person

<b>Fuairchéidh</b> .....	Negligent person, usually behind time
<b>Fuiscí</b> .....	Whiskey
<b>Fúscaire</b> .....	Fussy person
<b>Futa Fata</b> .....	Common talk, confused talk
<b>Gabháil</b> .....	As much as can be taken between ones arms
<b>Gad</b> .....	Twisted twig
<b>Gailleach</b> .....	Earwig
<b>Gal</b> .....	Vapour, steam, smoke
<b>Gam</b> .....	Foolish person
<b>Gamal</b> .....	Stupid looking person
<b>Garbhós</b> .....	A sally
<b>Garsún</b> .....	Young boy
<b>Gead</b> .....	White star on a horse's forehead
<b>Geáitsí</b> .....	Antics, airs, gestures
<b>Gealas</b> .....	Suspender, braces
<b>Gearcach</b> .....	Nestling, baby bird
<b>Gibiris</b> .....	Gibberish
<b>Giobal</b> .....	Rag
<b>Glaise</b> .....	Stream, rivulet
<b>Glám</b> .....	Snatch, hold, grasp
<b>Glasán</b> .....	Sea lettuce, finch

<b>Glib</b> .....	Long hair hanging over the eyes
<b>Glic</b> .....	Clever
<b>Glişín</b> .....	Rattle-brained person
<b>Gliosar</b> .....	Addled egg
<b>Glosar</b> .....	Empty noise
<b>Glúiníneach</b> .....	Knee disease in cattle, the herb milkworth
<b>Gob</b> .....	Beak-like mouth
<b>Grabhas</b> .....	Frown, grouse
<b>Grafadh</b> .....	Hoeing, grabbing the surface
<b>Grafán</b> .....	Hoe, grubber
<b>Grídeal</b> .....	Griddle
<b>Gríosach</b> .....	Ashes containing small coals of fire
<b>Dulla Builín</b> .....	Outcry, noise of chase
<b>Dúm nó Dám</b> .....	Word or movement
<b>Durrais Durrais</b> .....	Used in driving away pigs
<b>Idir Dáil is Pósadh</b> .....	Engaged
<b>Inneall Baince</b> .....	Mowing machine
<b>Inneall Buailce</b> .....	Threshing machine

<b>Inneall Cúicála</b> .....	Knitting machine
<b>Inneall Crúice</b> .....	Milking machine
<b>Inneall Fuála</b> .....	Sewing machine
<b>Inneall Scartha</b> .....	Seperator
<b>Iomaire</b> .....	Ridge as for potatoes
<b>Lá Philib a' Chleice</b> .....	Tibb's Eve
<b>Ladhár</b> .....	Space between toes and fingers
<b>Laecharnca na bó riabhaiche</b> ..	Days of the brindled cow, (Last days of March or first days of April)
<b>Laincis</b> .....	Spaniel, restriction
<b>Láirín</b> .....	Little mare
<b>Lámh Laidir</b> .....	Violence
<b>Lámh Uachtar</b> .....	Upper hand
<b>Lárthán</b> .....	Row of raked in hay ready to be made into cocks
<b>Lascaí</b> .....	Welt, side seams of a boot from sole to instep, shoe hatchet
<b>Leac an Tinnteáin</b> .....	Hearth stone
<b>Leac na bPian</b> .....	Hell or purgatory
<b>Leadhb</b> .....	Useless person, shaving, clod
<b>Leadránach</b> .....	Slow, lingering
<b>Leath Cheann</b> .....	Head leaning to one side, Half glass of drink



<b>Leath Scéal</b> .....	Excuse
<b>Leathlaí</b> .....	Shaft of cart
<b>Liashan</b> .....	Trowel
<b>Liobar</b> .....	Untidy person, hanging lip
<b>Liúdramáin</b> .....	Lanky, lazy person
<b>Loch Léin</b> .....	Gathering under the armpit
<b>Loiúiche</b> .....	Disk of a chum-dash
<b>Luacair</b> .....	Rushes, sedges
<b>Lúbaire</b> .....	Rogue, twister, crafty person
<b>Lúbán</b> .....	Bow, loop
<b>Lúidín</b> .....	Little finger
<b>Madh Bhán</b> .....	Edible seaweed
<b>Mádh Mór</b> .....	Best trump
<b>Madra Gaoithe</b> .....	Incomplete rainbow, said to be a sign of stormy weather
<b>Máinteáin</b> .....	Reclaimed peatland
<b>Máiomh</b> .....	Boasting, envying
<b>Mallacht</b> .....	Curse
<b>Margadh anLuain</b> .....	Monday bargain, considered unlucky
<b>Meadhraín</b> .....	Reel in the head, dizziness
<b>Méasram</b> .....	Migraine, dizziness

<b>Méaruaíl</b> .....	Phosphorescent light
<b>Meas</b> .....	Value, regard, respect
<b>Meascán Mearaí</b> .....	Delusion, bewilderment
<b>Meatacháin</b> .....	Coward, weakling
<b>Meidir</b> .....	Chum
<b>Méiscré</b> .....	Crack in the hands
<b>Méich Mhóin</b> .....	Best quality turf
<b>Meicheal</b> .....	Gang, party for haymaking or turfing
<b>Mí na Meala</b> .....	Honeymoon
<b>Mí-ádh</b> .....	Misfortune, ill-luck
<b>Mianach</b> .....	Quality, inherent talent
<b>Míle Murdail</b> .....	Horror of horrors
<b>Misneach</b> .....	Courage, spirit, vigour
<b>Mochoill</b> .....	Fleece, bush of hair
<b>Muinne</b> .....	Fen, morass, swamp
<b>Mullach</b> .....	Summit, height
<b>Múnlach</b> .....	Puddle, dirty water, animal urine
<b>Náire</b> .....	Shame, disgrace
<b>Níúdaí Nádaí</b> .....	Dead and alive person
<b>Níúdar-néadar</b> .....	Indecision, undecided reply
<b>Nóinín</b> .....	Daisy

<b>Οίche αι δά Choineall Δέας.....</b>	6th January, Little Christmas Day
<b>Οίche Chinn Bliana .....</b>	Night New Year's Eve
<b>Οίche na Coda Móire .....</b>	New Year's Eve
<b>Oishean.....</b>	Oven, bastible
<b>Oishear .....</b>	Windgall, skin irritation
<b>Óinseach.....</b>	Fool, foolish girl
<b>Oinseach.....</b>	Fool
<b>Oloσón .....</b>	Loud wailing, alas
<b>ÓR ná Airsead.....</b>	Gold nor silver
<b>Pallcós.....</b>	Blow, thump
<b>Patallós.....</b>	Chubby child
<b>Píce .....</b>	Pike, fork
<b>Pilibín Míos .....</b>	Lapwing
<b>Piseos .....</b>	Superstitious practice, charm, spell
<b>Plaic.....</b>	Large bite, mouthful
<b>Plámás.....</b>	Flattery, cajolery
<b>Plannic .....</b>	Plank or board
<b>Plásáin.....</b>	Smooth patch
<b>Pleidhche .....</b>	Fool, simpleton, stump, stake

<b>Plucamas .....</b>	Mumps
<b>Doc-léim .....</b>	Back jump
<b>Docán Gabhair.....</b>	He goat
<b>Doicín.....</b>	Poteen
<b>Dorc.....</b>	Tune, riverbank
<b>Dorcach .....</b>	Bog
<b>Draiseach Buí .....</b>	Indian meal, stirabout
<b>Droimpín .....</b>	A bird's posterior
<b>Dúca Padhail.....</b>	Toadstool
<b>Dúicín.....</b>	Mask, blind man's buff
<b>Dusaire .....</b>	Sour looking person
<b>Rabhtaí Lá 'Ie Bríde .....</b>	Gales around the start of February
<b>Rabhtaí Lá 'Ie Pádrais .....</b>	Gales around Saim Patrick's day
<b>Rabhtaí Rua na hIúide.....</b>	Strong Shrove gales
<b>Ráca.....</b>	Rake
<b>Raidhse .....</b>	Plenty
<b>Rámhain.....</b>	Spade
<b>Rí-rá.....</b>	Fuss, confusion
<b>Rochall.....</b>	Spancel for the front legs of an animal
<b>Róscáire.....</b>	Rogue
<b>Ropaire .....</b>	Robber, thief

<b>Ruaille Buaille</b> .....	Commotion, rough and tumble
<b>Rúicín</b> .....	Knuckle, ankle bone
<b>Rú cáil</b> .....	Rooting like a pig
<b>Scailp</b> .....	Sod, clod, scraw
<b>Scairbhín na hCuach</b> .....	Rough / cold weather end of April and start of May
<b>Sceabha</b> .....	A skew, slant or slope
<b>Sceach</b> .....	Bush, thorn bush
<b>Scealpós</b> .....	Chip, splinter
<b>Scearcán</b> .....	Tick, bug
<b>Sceon</b> .....	Terror, panic
<b>Scilléad</b> .....	Skillet, little pot
<b>Sciobós</b> .....	Potato basket
<b>Sciollán</b> .....	Part of a potato containing the eye
<b>Scolb</b> .....	Spar for thatching, splinter of wood or bone
<b>SCRAICH</b> .....	Green sod, scraw
<b>SCRÍOS</b> .....	Ruin, destruction
<b>SCROGALL</b> .....	Throath
<b>Seachránáí</b> .....	Wanderer, rover
<b>Seán Báite</b> .....	Variety of long seaweed, too much water in the whiskey

<b>Seán Buí</b> .....	John Bull, any vicious person
<b>Seán na Gealaí</b> .....	Jack o'the lantern
<b>Seán Salach</b> .....	Carrion crow
<b>Seán Saor</b> .....	Cheap Jack, dealer at fairs and markets
<b>Séirseálaá</b> .....	Bustles, rummager
<b>Seirsín</b> .....	Light rope
<b>Seisreach</b> .....	Team of horses
<b>Sí-shaoithe</b> .....	Whirlwind
<b>Sibín</b> .....	Illicit public house
<b>Síochán</b> .....	Peace
<b>Síosán</b> .....	Stripe, rope bound heap of grain
<b>Slabhra Seisrí</b> .....	Plough chain
<b>Slachtmhar</b> .....	Tidy, neat, in good condition
<b>Sleán</b> .....	Turf-spade, slane
<b>Slibearálaí</b> .....	One who does odd jobs, one who hangs about
<b>Slibire</b> .....	Person without energy or intelligence, tall gaunt person
<b>Sliocht</b> .....	Race, seed, posterity
<b>Slisne</b> .....	Chip, thin wedge
<b>Sloḡ</b> .....	Gulp, amount of liquid taken in one swallow

<b>Smacht</b> .....	Control, discipline	<b>Stáisiún</b> .....	Nag, old horse, worthless person
<b>Sméaróid</b> .....	A burning coal	<b>Stail</b> .....	Stallion
<b>Smuairle</b> .....	Saliva, dropping from nose	<b>Staimpí</b> .....	Potato cake
<b>Sná Céireach</b> .....	Waxed thread	<b>Strácáil</b> .....	Trudging along, struggling, striving
<b>Snas</b> .....	Polish, gloss	<b>Stráice</b> .....	Lanky person, long thin slice
<b>Sobal</b> .....	Froth, suds, lather	<b>Straille</b> .....	Untidy girl
<b>Soc</b> .....	Sock or share of a plough	<b>Stráille</b> .....	Tall lazy aimless person
<b>Socair</b> .....	Smooth, calm, quiet	<b>Streannicán</b> .....	Tune, lilt
<b>Spásáí</b> .....	Clumsy legs, long flat feet	<b>Suathós</b> .....	Shaker, disturber
<b>Spáid</b> .....	Spade	<b>Súsán</b> .....	Rope of straw or hay
<b>Spailpín</b> .....	Migratory labourer, mean worthless person	<b>Suim</b> .....	Interest, regard, quantity
<b>Spairc</b> .....	Poor quality turf, turf left in bog from previous season	<b>Súiste</b> .....	Flail for threshing
<b>Sparán</b> .....	Purse	<b>Súlach</b> .....	Soup, juice, gravy, dirty water, farmyard filth
<b>Spior-spear</b> .....	Easily solved problem	<b>Súmaire</b> .....	Sponger, parasite
<b>Splannc</b> .....	Flash	<b>Táirseach</b> .....	Threshold
<b>Spóla Feola</b> .....	Joint, piece of meat	<b>Taisce</b> .....	Store, hiding place
<b>SpRé</b> .....	Dowry	<b>Táich-fheichleann</b> .....	Woodbine, honeysuckle
<b>Sraoth</b> .....	Sneeze, snort	<b>Talc</b> .....	Strong firmly built person
<b>Sráthar</b> .....	Straddle for horse or donkey	<b>Talmhós</b> .....	Nest of wild honey bees in old meadows
<b>Stáca</b> .....	Stack, stake or post		
<b>Stasún</b> .....	Stubborn horse, frost bitten potato		

<b>Taobh Fhód</b> .....	Side sod turned by plough or spade in planting potatoes
<b>Taoibhín</b> .....	Side patch on a shoe
<b>Taoscán</b> .....	Fair quantity, vessel for bailing
<b>Tásc ná Tuairisc</b> .....	Tidings of somebody living or dead
<b>Teaspach</b> .....	Exuberance, ardour, liveliness
<b>Tobán</b> .....	Tub
<b>Tochas</b> .....	Itch
<b>Tóin</b> .....	Bottom, lower part
<b>Tóir</b> .....	Chase, pursuit, search
<b>Tomhaisín</b> .....	Small quantity or measure
<b>Toran</b> .....	Noise, rumble
<b>Tórramh</b> .....	Wake
<b>Tráichnín</b> .....	Strong blade of grass used for freeing pipe
<b>Tréan</b> .....	Strong
<b>Trí-na-chéile</b> .....	Mixed up, confused
<b>Trioblóid</b> .....	Trouble
<b>Triop-creap</b> .....	Clamp, clatter
<b>Trom</b> .....	Heavy
<b>Trom Luí</b> .....	Nightmare

<b>Trua</b> .....	Pity, sympathy
<b>Trucaíl</b> .....	Cart for horse or donkey
<b>Truflais</b> .....	Rubbish, foolish chatter
<b>Truslós</b> .....	Hop, long bounding stride
<b>Tuairgín</b> .....	Pounding tool
<b>Tuairc</b> .....	Crash, thud, heavy blow
<b>Túirnín Lín</b> .....	Spinning wheel
<b>Tuisciún</b> .....	Four penny piece
<b>Turas</b> .....	Journey
<b>Uachtar</b> .....	Cream
<b>Uafásach</b> .....	Terrible
<b>Uasal</b> .....	Noble
<b>Uisce Beatha</b> .....	Whiskey
<b>Uisce faoi Thalamh</b> .....	Intrigue
<b>Uisce Liath</b> .....	Mixture of milk and water used as a drink
<b>Úcamáil</b> .....	Fumbling, groping
<b>Úcamálaí</b> .....	Fumbler, awkward person



Credit goes to Christy for recalling the original placename Droichead na Siorraí and having a sign bearing this lovely old name erected at Pearsons Bridge on the R 584 road.





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