

Glossary for IOW Songs Part 1

Glossary

Ash - stubble

Bivers - flickers

Cappender - carpenter

Flower knot - flower bed

Harled up - entangled

Harling up the knittles - entangling the strings for tying the bundles of sacks

Hoped up - perplexed, troubled

Lynch - a strip of copse, generally on a hillside

Mumchance - shy person who sits silent in company

Nammet time - harvest bread, cheese and beer taken at four o'clock

Overright - opposite

Scrow - cross-looking, scowling, overcast

Skillen - the lean-to outhouse

Slaabacks - clumsy ignorant people

Sluggard - someone with a lazy manner

Snoodlen - nestling

Spire - reeds

Tutty - nosegay

Zool - a stake for fastening hurdles to

Zote - silly, out of one's mind

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Auver-right - opposite

Bresh - impetuous

Breshes in the dew - wets her feathers

Bwoylen - the whole lot

Dumbley Dore (Dumbledore) - humble bee / bumble bee

Flower knot - flower-bed

Hames bells - placed on the horse collar or above the head

Lynch - a strip of copse, generally on a hillside

Middling dido - a great disturbance

Nammet time - harvest bread, cheese and beer taken at four o'clock

Nanny light-o'-love - an insulting term

Show hackle - to be ready to fight

Wuzbird - whore's bird