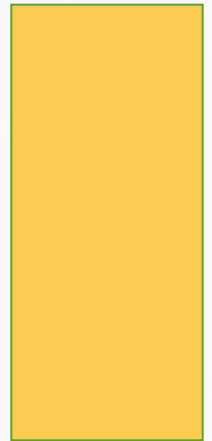


# DIALECT WORDS

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# DIALECT WORDS ARE...

...words which in the process of integration of the English national language remained beyond its literary boundaries, and their use is generally confined to a definite locality.

# COCKNEY

- initial **h** is dropped

**house** - /aus/ (or even /a:s/)

- /th/ become /f/

**think** > /fink/

- **t** between vowels becomes a glottal stop

**water** > /wo?'/

- diphthongs change

**time** > /toim/

**brave** > /braiv/

# SCOTTISH ENGLISH

- final /**ai**/ > /**i**/ **ee** (eye), **dee** (die), **lee** (lie)

- /**ou**/ > /**ei**/

**ake** (oak), **bate** (boat), **hame** (home), **stane** (stone), **gae** (go)

- /**au**/ > /**u:**/

**about**, **house**, **cow**, **now** (often spelled oo or u)

- /**æ**/ > /**a**/ **Man**, **lad**, **sat**...

**Bairn = Child**

**Kirk = Church**

**To big = To build**

**Aye = Yes**

# WELSH ENGLISH

- Lush = very nice
- Chopsing = arguing
- Gomping = unpleasant, nasty
- Tidy darts = good
- Tamping = furious
- Shonky = of low quality

# IRISH DIALECT

- Arseways (mess)
  - Boyo (boy)
  - Boozer (pub)
- Dear (expensive)
  - Da (father)
- Chiseller (child)
- Babby (baby)

# AMERICAN ENGLISH

- Rubbish – Trash
  - Autumn – Fall
  - Form – Grade
  - Engine – Motor
  - kick off - to die
  - bushed – tired
- Jeans, well (healthy), guess (suppose), plenty, barbecue

- Doughnuts:

belly sinkers, doorknobs, dunkers, fatcakes, bismarks, friedcakes, cymbals, simballs, boil cakes, etc.

# AUSTRALIAN ENGLISH

**/t/ - /tʃ/**

**r**-dropping after vowels

Aboriginal words:

Kangaroo (joey, wallaby = small kangaroo)

woomera - a weapon

corroboree - a ceremony

Footy = football

Oldies = parents

Chocky = teacher



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