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	<i>Male not Castrated.</i>	<i>Male Castrated.</i>	<i>Female.</i>
Before weaning lamb	Tup or ram- lamb	Wether-lamb Hogg-lamb	Ewe-lamb
After weaning but before shearing	Tup-hogg Hogg-ram	Wether-hogg Teg Hoggett	Ewe-hogg Ewe-teg
After first shearing	Young sheep tup	Dinmont <sup>3</sup>	Gimmer <sup>1</sup> Theave <sup>2</sup>
After second shearing	Ram		Ewe
Bearing lamb			
Not bearing lamb :			
(a) Sterile			{ Yeld ewe Barren gimmer
(b) Not put to ram			Yeld gimmer <sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Also written "gimber" in Lincoln, North Lincoln and South-West Lincoln. Chiefly a Midland and North-Country term, but also used in Norfolk.

<sup>2</sup> Also spelt "thaive," "thave"; in general use in Midlands and Southern England.

<sup>3</sup> Chiefly North Country—also spelt "dimment," "dimmond," "dinman."

<sup>4</sup> Very scattered in its use.