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king - 74 / Ireland - 26 / Ulster - 23 / Fianna - 14 / Fairies - 11

a hundred maidens. After the	king	and queen had greeted their	420
had greeted their daughter, the	king	said, " We give you	420
wife ; for I am the	King	of "Tir-na-nOg." The feast	420
he asked permission of the	King	and of Niam. The King	426
King and of Niam. The	King	saw no difficulty, but Niam	426

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## Most Frequently used Lexical Words / 1945 / king

KING.....39 (1945)			
BURIAL OF	KING	CORMAC. " Crom Cruach and	1
Slaught Word of the words	King	Cormac said. They loosed their	16
loosed their curse against the	king	; They cursed him in his	18
laid : " He reigned a	king	for forty years, And shame	54
On linked shields once our	king	we bore From Dread-Spear and	90
And proudly bore away the	king	. At morning, on the grassy	126
Dechtire's brother was the High	King	who lived at the great	155
great doings of the High	King	and his Knights of the	156
past the place where the	king	sat playing chess with Fergus	166
which the chess-board lay. The	King	caught and held him by	166
is thy name ? asked the	King	. " Little Setanta am I	169
' Dechtire." Then the	King	welcomed him kindly, and told	170
you hear ? " said the	King	. " Will you take upon	172
" Hold," cried the	King	, seizing little Setanta " Why	175
a game of hurley, the	king	allowed him to come later	187
to come later. When the	king	and his party reached Culann's	188
to come after thee, O	King	, this night ? " asked Culann	189
Why dost thou ask ? (The	king	had quite forgotten about	191
the hound," said the	king	Setanta	
made ready to follow the	King	. "Set him free that he	193
" will be thine, O	king	. The moon had risen pale	195
against him ? " asked the	King	. It is you who have	200
hoofs of the cows. The	King	. " All I have now	205
was watching the cattle, the	King	of the Fairies made up	340
fairies' ring. Go to him,	King	of the Fairies came dancing	341
Of course it was the	King	, and drive him away."	348
his pipes. Then the Fairy	King	of the Fairies in another	352
for a calf! The Fairy	King	became very angry, and	353
the hill top. Then the	King	changed	
am the daughter of the	King	knew then that he could	358
of Virtues, and that the	King	of the Fairies once more	362
off the daughter of a	king	of Tir-na-nOg, and my name	397
of the daughter of the	king	was a giant named Fomor	410
meet and welcome them. The	king	by force. He kept her	410
	king	, who wept at their departure	416
	king	was at their head, wearing	419

## Most Frequently used Lexical Words / 1948 / king

KING.....35 (1948)			
the son of Art, High	KING	CORMAC One of the most	1
foretold that you shall be	King	of Ireland. He was slain	9
learn how to become a	king	in his place." "	9
him always. One day, when	king	, " said the boy. So	10
into the Queen's garden. The	King	Lughai was sitting in court	12
is the judgment of a	King	listened to the case and	12
judgment of a king."	king	. " King Lughai was very	13
his reign. This great pagan	King	Lughai was very angry and	14
said, " to bury our	king	is said to have become	16
last wish of the great	King	anywhere but at Bru na	17
the Triumphant, and Conor, Ulster's	king	was fulfilled. (Young Ireland	18
is Scáth, daughter of Ages,	King	Reader	
men of Ulster. Conor, the	King	. These four friends set out	25
him from his loyalty to	King	of Shadow-Land." " We	30
of his loyalty to his	King	, lay ill in his dun	100
as you owe loyalty to	King	Conor. Then death descended	105
Golden Hair. My father is	King	more	
Land of Youth. There the	king	. Will they tell also that	111
there lived in Ulster a	King	Conor." Then they debated	117
made a great feast. The	king	in the Land of Youth	139
should die in war."	King	and Queen gave their welcome	143
was handed over to the	King	named Conor Mac Neasa. On	162
feared the anger of the	King	came to the feast with	162
her married to the aged	King	Conor pitied the helpless infant	167
began to murmur against the	King	. Conor then sent for his	169
a foreign land." The	King	and so they decided to	175
of his sons that the	King	Conor, she agreed to help	176
to the dun of the	King	for allowing the brave brothers	182
over the dun of the	King	agreed to pardon the young	184
brave and noble heroes. The	King	would keep faith. " My	184
with Deirdre? " asked the	King	. The men were under the	188
beauty now remains." The	king	, " she said. "It is	191
his blood-stained face to the	King	who has those three on	195
up. He knew that the	King	. She is well," said	196
	King	told Labharcam to leave his	199
	King	. " I have seen them	204
	King	meant to put them to	211

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**Most Frequently used Lexical Words / 1948 / Ireland**

IRELAND.....26 (1948)			
of the old Kings of	Ireland	was Cormac, son of Art	3
then became Ard Ri of	Ireland	. Cormac's mother had to flee	3
of Art, High King of	Ireland	. He was slain in battle	9
had to flee from Tara.	Ireland	was not prosperous during the	15
great king was fulfilled.	Ireland	Reader / Intermediate. 1948).	20
(Young		CUCHULAIN'S	
him across the waves to	Ireland	. Eleanor Hull. ("Cuchulain."	54
who guarded the coasts of	Ireland	long ago. Their chief camp	61
and finer than any in	Ireland	. Bran was the name of	69
hunting. In some parts of	Ireland	the "Fenian ovens "	72
his men. " Tales of	Ireland	for Irish Children." Marie	74
Children." Marie Bayne.	Ireland	Reader / Intermediate. 1948). THE	76
(Young			
Torach, in the north of	Ireland	, they roused a beautiful fawn	79
if there were anywhere in	Ireland	a bull as fine as	96
is the mightiest beast in	Ireland	. He is owned by Daire	97
the poets and story-tellers of	Ireland	will tell of this war	111
on me for ever in	Ireland	. " That day they fought	123
for many, many days.	Ireland	Reader / Intermediate. 1948). THE	134
(Young			
go back once more to	Ireland	. Try as she would, Niamh	144
at the thought of seeing	Ireland	again. He did not guess	150
by this time come to	Ireland	. The saint, we are told	154
the past. " Tales of	Ireland	for Irish Children." Marie	156
Children." Marie Bayne.	Ireland	Reader / Intermediate. 1948). THE	158
(Young			
be the loveliest woman in	Ireland	, but she will bring war	163
so they decided to leave	Ireland	and fly to a foreign	175
her and a return to	Ireland	without her. It was clear	187
man could part them.	Ireland	Reader / Junior. 1948).	228
(Young			

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**Most Frequently used Lexical Words / 1948 / Ulster**

ULSTER.....23 (1948)			
and skill. He went to	Ulster	to invite his companions to	24
Three of the chiefs of	Ulster	consented to go with him	25
and asked for news of	Ulster	, and of their friends and	47
is owned by Daire, an	Ulster	man." After that Maeve	97

out she sent spies to	Ulster	to find out it the	100
on all the men of	Ulster	. Conor, the King, lay ill	100
There was no hand in	Ulster	that could lift a spear	100
one fighting man left in	Ulster	, " said the spies. "	101
he guards the passes to	Ulster	. " " I do not	101
they approached the border of	Ulster	he told his men to	103
over the white plain to	Ulster	. Cuchulainn watched them from his	103
to desert the cause of	Ulster	. The two stood on opposite	105
Long ago there lived in	Ulster	a king named Conor Mac	162
one of the nobles of	Ulster	made a great feast. The	162
bring war and ruin upon	Ulster	. " On hearing this the	163
hearing this the men of	Ulster	were troubled. " Let the	164
him. Meanwhile, the nobles of	Ulster	began to murmur against the	182
the most valiant men in	Ulster	, " they said. " It	183
will escort you back to	Ulster	, " he said. " They	185
agreed to go back to	Ulster	with them. So the sons	187
galleys over the sea to	Ulster	. On landing they found a	188
great war which raged in	Ulster	for many a year and	223
bring war and ruin upon	Ulster	. After the death of Naoise	223

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**Most Frequently used Lexical Words / 1945 / Fianna**

FIANNA.....14 (1945)			
days when Fionn and the	Fianna	guarded our land a mighty	291
to Fionn, he called the	Fianna	to him and led them	292
hidden there. Fionn ordered	Fianna	to beat their swords against	293
the			
themselves and glared at the	Fianna	. Many of the young men	295
and though some of the	Fianna	shrank back, most of them	298
strange and fierce combat.	Fianna	surrounded the serpent by the	299
The			
Croker. St. Patrick and the	Fianna	. When Patrick brought to Erin	369
met the last of the	Fianna	Aged and grey and sad	373
And Oisín, last of the	Fianna	, Proudly made reply : " Hearts	381
that he survived the other	Fianna	three hundred years. This is	392
a lovely Spring morning, the	Fianna	were hunting near the shores	393
Oisín bade Fionn and the	Fianna	a sad farewell and mounted	406
him that Fionn and the	Fianna	had passed away, that Erin	428
yon western wood - The	Fianna	hunter loved it best, And	454

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**Most Frequently used Lexical Words / 1945 / Fairies**

FAIRIES.....11 (1945)

/ Preparatory Book. 1945).

THE	<b>FAIRIES</b>	OF THE HILL There is	338
said to belong to the	<b>fairies</b>	. The people of the village	339
the hill. This made the	<b>fairies</b>	very angry. They did not	340
cows. The King of the	<b>Fairies</b>	made up his mind to	340
cattle, the King of the	<b>Fairies</b>	came dancing before him in	341
away in horror. Then the	<b>fairies</b>	chased the cows till they	341
be found to face the	<b>fairies</b>	. Now in the next village	342
heard the voices of the	<b>fairies</b>	singing softly. Presently they.	347
		laughed	
was the King of the	<b>Fairies</b>	in another shape but he	352
Then the King of the	<b>Fairies</b>	once more took his true	362
green valley ; but whether the	<b>fairies</b>	came back to the hill	366