

- To *cram up* one, to ply him with falsehoods.
(University), a *cram*, a translation.
- The infatuated Mr. Bouncer madly persisted . . . in going into the school clad in his examination coat, and padded over with a host of *crams*.—*C. Bede: Verdant Green*.
- Crammer** (common), a falsehood; a liar; one expert in "cramming," *i.e.*, preparing hastily candidates for examination; the head of a "cramming" establishment.
- Cramped, crapped** (popular and thieves), killed or hanged.
- Cramping cull** (old cant), the executioner.
- Crap in the hand** (popular), stinginess or meanness.
- Crap words** (old cant), sentence of death.
- Cranberry eye** (American). When a man's eye is bloodshot, generally from drinking alcohol, he is often called a boy with a *cranberry eye*. The American cranberry is very much larger than the English variety, and bears a resemblance to an inflamed optic.
- Crank.** *Vide* COUNTERFEIT CRANK. (American), insane, eccentric, or a monomaniac. (Old), gin and water.
- Crap** (old cant), money; the gallows.
- And what if at length, boys, he come to the *crap*?
Even rack-punch has some bitter in it.
—*Ainsworth: Rookwood*.
- To *crap*, to hang.
(Printers), applied to "pie," or mixed-up type, that a compositor neglects to clear away; equivalent to the popular name for excrement.
(Popular), to *crap*, to ease oneself.
- Crapping casa** (low theatrical), the W.C.
- Crapny** (gypsy), a turnip, a button or nail head. Sometimes *krafny*.
- Crawl** (tailors), one who uses undignified means to curry favour with an employer or foreman.
- Crawler** (common), explained by quotation.
Every hansom-cab, or *crawler*, is in itself an express waggon on a small but sufficient scale.—*Bird o' Freedom*.
Also a cab which goes slowly to pick up fares. A mean, contemptible fellow.
- Craw-thumper** (popular), a Roman Catholic (Hotten). In America a native of Ireland, *i.e.*, Irish Catholic.
Wanted a servant-maid. No pulings or *craw-thumpers* need apply.—*Philadelphia Public Ledger*.
- Craze** (common), used in reference to anything in great vogue that is "the rage" for the time being.