P 5 – benison – blessing, benediction

P 7 fulling of cloth – to make full in sewing

P 16 prie-dieu – prayer desk

P 25 Ned was bucked by her invitation

P 41 codpiece - a flap or bag concealing an opening in the front of men's breeches especially in the 15th and 16th centuries

P 44 Concupiscence – strong desire, especially sexual desire

P 60 clumsy sallies – clumsy outbursts

P 76 prior – the superior ranking next to the abbot of a monastery

P 76 priory – a religious house under a prior

P 79 when he had done – when he had finished

P 85 clerestory - an outside wall of a room or building that rises above an adjoining roof and contains windows

P 96 lateen – sail extended by a long spar slung to a low mast

P 142 quayside – land bordering a structure at a landing place

P 144 profanation – profanity

P 171 imperious - commanding

P 171 scrabbling - scrambling

P 182 cambric – a fine thin white linen fabric, or a similar cotton fabric

P 207 virginal – a small rectangular spinet (an early harpsichord) having no legs

P 253 frippery – ostentatious clothing

P 275 jerkin – a close-fitting hip-length usually sleeveless jacket

P 310 trunnion – a pin or pivot on which something can be rotated

P 316 hucksters - peddlers

P 317 petulantly – insolently or rudely

P 326 trenchant – keen, sharp

P 330 turfed out – kicked out

P 339 rapacity - insatiability

P 343 bargee - bargeman

P 364 surplice - a loose white outer ecclesiastical vestment usually of knee length with large open sleeves

P 381 obsequies – funeral rites

P 382 cortege - procession

P 387 scruple - hesitate

P 399 taper – a long waxed wick used especially for lighting candles, lamps, fires

P 400 rope match – rope used to light a fire

P 400 linstock - a staff having a pointed foot (as for sticking into the ground) and a forked tip and formerly used to hold a lighted match for firing cannon

P 405 cope - a long enveloping ecclesiastical vestment

P 417 rucked up – lifted up

P 423 reliquary - a container or shrine in which sacred relics are kept

P 430 chancel - the part of a church containing the altar and seats for the clergy and choir

P 475 arch remarks – playful, saucy remarks

P 478 kirtle – a long gown or dress worn by women

P 486 chuckling – make a continuous gentle sound

P 486 gorse – a spiny yellow-flowered European shrub of the legume family

P 492 fobbed off - deceived

P 527 sangfroid – self-possession especially under strain

P 540 The Rivals has character Mrs Malaprops, from which we get the word malapropism

P 542 rackety – lacking stability

P 549 pilaster - an upright architectural member that is rectangular in plan and is structurally a pier but architecturally treated as a column and that usually projects a third of its width or less from the wall

P 551 caryatid – a draped female figure

P 563 culverin – a long cannon of the 16th and 17th centry

P 568 Dandy fever – dengue fever

P 588 arquebus - a matchlock gun invented in the 15th century which was portable but heavy and was usually fired from a support

P 597 arquebusiers – the people that shoot such a gun

P 638 chary - cautious

P 639 flibbertigibbet – a silly, flighty person

P 642 rapscallion - rascal

P 718 ostler – variant of hostler – one who takes care of horses or mules

P 722 drayman – one whose work is hauling by dray (cart or wagon)

P723 harry – to force to move along by harassing

P 759 refectory – a dining hall, as in a monastery

P 760 pinnace – a light sailing ship

P 782 dogsbody – drudge

P 792 galleass - a large fast galley used especially as a warship by Mediterranean countries in the 16th and 17th centuries and having both sails and oars but usually propelled chiefly by rowing

P 797 poop deck – a partial deck above a ship’s main afterdeck

P 799 bowsprit – a large spar projecting forward from the stem of a ship

P 807 Nonpareil – as a word, it means having no equal

P 813 confraternity – a society devoted especially to a religious cause

P 816 confit box – a box for holding meat that has been cooked and preserved in its own fat

P 830 career – to go at top speed especially in a headlong manner

P 831 precipitately - abruptly

P 842 sybarite – a voluptuary, that is, a person whose chief interests are luxury and the gratification of sensual appetites

P 851 consistory court – council

P 876 by the mass – gosh?

P 885 scapegrace – an incorrigible rascal

P 886 lord chamberlain - the most senior officer of the [Royal Household of the United Kingdom](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Royal_Households_of_the_United_Kingdom), supervising the departments which support and provide advice to the [Sovereign of the United Kingdom](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Monarchy_of_the_United_Kingdom) while also acting as the main channel of communication between the Sovereign and the [House of Lords](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/House_of_Lords).

P 891 – broach the gunpowder – to pierce (as a cask) in order to draw the contents

P 892 ructions – fights

P 900 voluptuary – interested mainly in sensual pleasure

P 901 sybaritic – sensual