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Chroith	Colm shook his head.
Ní raibh	“The buyer wasn’t even willing to meet with me.
Dúirt	An assistant told me that they had just ordered vacuum cleaners from Japan at a price that was ten percent cheaper than ours.”
Lig	Kelly groaned. “That price is reduced as much as I can.”
Lig	He groaned again.
Bhíos	“I was certain that you would get an order from the Nolans.
Níl	I don’t know what will happen to us now.”
Dheifrih	He hurried out.
Shuigh	Colm sat in a chair and set his chin disappointedly on his hand.
Stán	The girl stared at him with pity.
Tá	“You seem tired. Will you drink a cup of tea?”
Ba bhreá	“I’d love one,” said Colm.
Rug	She grabbed the kettle that was steaming, put a teabag in a cup and poured water on it.
Chuir	She put milk in the cup. “Sugar?”
Spúnóg	“One spoon, please,” said Colm.
Thug	Mary gave the cup to him and he took a sip from it.
Seans	“Perhaps you were right,” he said thoughtfully.
Is cosúil	“It seems I’m not much good as a travelling salesman.”
Ní ortsa	“It’s not your fault.
Níl rith	“You’re not lucky [the running of the race isn’t with you].
Níl sé	Neither is Kelly.
D’oibrigh	He worked very hard on this device.
Tá sé	He’s deep in debt.
Is eagal	I’m afraid that it won’t be long until he’s bankrupt.”
D’éirigh	Colm got up.
Ní bheidh	“No he won’t! I’ll have a large order for him tomorrow.”
D’fhéach	Mary looked at him sharply.
Ba mhór	There was a big difference between this young man and the arrogant man she saw when he came to them the first time.