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Bhí	Colm was hoping to get a new job soon.
Ach	But a week after he left the pub, he was still without a job.
Bhí	The money he got from Mrs. O'Lonargain was almost spent and he knew that he wouldn't have enough to pay for his lodging for the following week.
Buaileadh	There was a knock on the door and the landlady came in with his breakfast.
Bean	She was a thin, middle-aged woman.
Bhí	Stress and worry were marked out on her face, but there was kindness in her eyes and her voice.
Tá	"It's raining heavily," she said.
Ní	"It's not a good day to go out looking for work."
Níl	"I don't have any choice," said Colm.
Caithfidh	"I have to get a job urgently."
Ná	"Don't be worried about paying for next week."
Is féidir	"I can wait a little while until you're working again."
Táim	"I'm very grateful to you, Mrs. O'Neil."
Ach	"But I don't like to be using you."