

Y.

Y. is an usual prefix to adjectives and participles in our old authors. It came from the Saxons; hence ymynced, minced; yslyt, slit; &c. *I* is often substituted for it. V. Gloss. to Chaucer, and Lye in Jun. Etym. v. I.

It occurs perpetually for *i*, as ymynced, yslyt, &c. and so in MS. Editoris also.

Written *z*. 7. 18. alibi. used for *gh*, 72. MS. Ed. 33. Chaucer. v. *Z*. Hence ynouhz, 22. enough.

So MS. Ed. passim. Quere if *z* is not meant in MSS for *g* or *t* final.

Dotted, *y*, after Saxon manner, in MS. Ed. as in Mr. Hearne's edition of Robt. of Gloucester.

Ycorve. 100, 101. cut in pieces. icorvin, 133. Gloss. to Chaucer. v. *Icorvin*, and *Throtycorve*.

Zelow. 194. *yelow*. MS. Ed. 30. yellow. A. S. zealupe and zelep.

Yolkes. 18. i. e. of eggs. Junius, v. *Yelk*.

Ygrond. v. Gronden.

Yleefshed. 18. cut it into slices. So, *lesh* it, 65. 67. *leach* is to slice, Holme III. p. 78. or it may mean to *lay in the dish*, 74. 81. or distribute, 85. 117.

Ynouhz. 22. ynowh, 23. 28. ynowh, 65. ynow. MS. Ed. 32. Enough. Chaucer has *inough*.

Yfer. 22. 61. id est *ifere*, together. *Feer*, a Companion. Wicklif, in *Feer* and *Scukyngfeer*. Chaucer. v. *Fere*, and *Yfere*. Junius, v. *Yfere*.

Yfette. Proem. put down, written.

Yfaldid. 29. scalded.

Yfode. 29. *ifode*, 90. *sodden*, 179. boiled. MS. Ed. II. 11. Chaucer. all from to feeth.

Yfope. 30. 63. Yfop. MS. Ed. 53. the herb Hyssop. Chaucer. v. *Ifope*.

Yforced. v. forced.

Yfasted. 62. qu.

Zif,