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**SECOND CONSONANTAL SOUND SHIFT IN GERMANIC LANGUAGES:**

**How High German Developed from Low German, 500-700 A.D.**

LOW GERMAN LANGUAGES:			HIGH GERMAN	
English	Dutch	Plautdietsch		Standard German
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	↓			↓
	<u><b>p</b></u>		<b>p -&gt; pf</b>	<u><b>pf</b></u>
apple	appel	Aupel		Apfel
pan	pan	Paun		Pfanne
plant	plant	Plaunt		Pflanze
	<u><b>p</b></u>		<b>p -&gt; f</b>	<u><b>f</b></u>
help (n.)	hulp	Help		Hilfe
hope (v.)	hopen	hope		hoffen
soap	zeep	Seep		Seife
	<u><b>t</b></u>		<b>t -&gt; z</b>	<u><b>z</b></u>
ten	tien	tian		zehn
toe	teen	Tee		Zehe
two	twee	twee		zwei
	<u><b>t</b></u>		<b>t -&gt; ss</b>	<u><b>t</b></u>
eat (v.)	eten	äte		essen
foot	voet	Foot		Fuss
kettle	ketel	Kjätel		Kessel
	<u><b>d</b></u>		<b>d -&gt; t</b>	<u><b>t</b></u>
dream	droom	Droom		Traum
drink (v.)	drinken	drinkje		trinken
ladder	ladder	Lada		Leiter
	<u><b>v-sound</b></u>		<b>v/w -&gt; b</b>	<u><b>b</b></u>
over	over	äwa		über
seven	zeven	säven		sieben
weave (v.)	weven	wäwe		weben
	<u><b>k</b></u>		<b>k -&gt; ch</b>	<u><b>ch</b></u>
awake	wakker	wacka		wach
book	boek	Buak or Book		Buch
cook (v.)	koken	koake		kochen