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[Middle English *ganet*, from Old English *ganot*; see **ghans-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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