

Summary

Korrö

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The name *Korrö* (*Corro quern*, 1545) has previously been interpreted as containing the dialect word *korra*, meaning ‘puddle, pool’. Since enclosure maps from the early 19th century record the name *Korrö å (ån)* for what is now the river Ronnebyån, both upstream and downstream of Korrö Mill, the author considers that *Korrö* was originally a river name. In Swedish dialects there is also a verb *korra*, meaning ‘to make a murmuring, rippling sound’, which makes better sense as the name of a river. The correct interpretation of *Corro quern* is thus probably ‘the mill on the murmuring river’.