

alternate; have as many phases as the moon.

Adj. change-able, -ful; changing &c. 140; mutable, variable, chequered, ever-changing; prote-an, -iform; versatile, unstead, inconstant; un-steady, -stable, -fixed, -settled; fluctuating &c. *v.*; restless; agitated &c. 315; erratic, fickle; irresolute &c. 605; capricious &c. 608; touch-and-go; inconsonant, fitful, spasmodic; vibratory; vagrant, wayward; desultory; afloat; alternating; alterable, plastic, mobile; transient &c. III.

Adv. see-saw &c. (*oscillation*) 314; off and on.

extinguishable, irreducible; dying, imperishable, indelible.
Int. stet.

Present Events.

151. Eventuality.—**N.** eventuality, event, occurrence, incident, affair, transaction, proceeding, fact; matter of -naked-fact; phenomenon; advent, business, concern; circumstance, particular, casualty, accident, adventure, passage, crisis, pass, emergency, contingency, consequence.

the world, life, things, doings, affairs; things-, affairs- in general; the times, state of affairs, order of the day; course-, tide-, stream-, current-, run-, march-of-things-, -events; ups and downs of life; chapter of accidents &c. (*chance*) 156; situation &c. (*circumstances*) 8.

V. happen, occur; take -place-, -effect; come, become of; come off-, -about-, -round-, -into existence-, -forth-, -to pass-, -on; pass, present itself; fall; fall-, turn-out; run, be on foot, fall in; be-fall-, -tide-, -chance; prove, eventuate, draw on; turn-, crop-, spring-, cast-up; super-, sur-vene; issue, arrive, ensue, arise, start, hold, take its course; pass off &c. (*be past*) 22.

meet with; experience; fall to the lot of; be one's-chance-, -fortune-, -lot; find; encounter, undergo; pass-, go-through; endure &c. (*feel*) 821.

Adj. happening &c. *v.*; going on, doing, current; in the wind, afloat; on-foot-, -the *tapis*; at issue, in question; incidental.

Adj. unchangeable, immutable; unalter-ed, -able; not to be changed, constant; permanent &c. 141; invariable, undeviating; stable, durable; perennial &c. (*diuturnal*) 110.

fixed, steadfast, firm, fast, steady, balanced; confirmed, valid; immovable, irremovable, riveted, rooted; settled, established &c. *v.*; vested; incontrovertible, stereotyped, indeclinable.

tethered, anchored, moored, at anchor, on a rock, firm as a rock; firmly-seated, -established &c. *v.*; deep-rooted, ineradicable; inveterate; obstinate &c. 606.

transfixed, stuck fast, aground, high and dry, stranded.

indefeasible, irretrievable, intransmutable, incommutable, irresoluble, irrevocable, irreversible, reverseless, indissoluble, -vable; indestructible, undeciduous; insusceptible, -of change.

Future Events?

152. Destiny.—**N.** destiny &c. (*necessity*) 601; future-, post-existence; future state, next world, world to come, after life; futurity &c. 121; everlasting-life-, -death; prospect &c. (*expectation*) 507.

V. impend; hang-, lie-over; threaten, loom, await, come on, approach, stare one in the face; fore-, pre-ordain; predestine, doom, have in store for.

Adj. impending &c. *v.*; destined; about to -be-, -happen; coming, in store, to come, going to happen, instant, at hand, near; near-, close-at hand; overhanging, hanging over one's head, imminent; brewing, preparing, forthcoming; in the wind, on the cards, in reserve; that-will-, -is-to-be; in prospect &c. (*expected*) 507; looming in the -distance-, -horizon-, -future; unborn, in embryo; in the womb of -time-, -futurity; pregnant &c. (*producing*) 161.

Adv. in-time-, -the long run; all in good time; eventually &c. 151; whatever may happen &c. (*certainly*) 474; as-chance &c. 156- would have it.

eventful, stirring, bustling, full of incident.

Adv. eventually; in-the event of-, -case; in the course of things; in the -natural-, -ordinary-course of things; as -things-, -times- go; as the world-goes-, -wags; as the -tree falls-, -cat jumps; as it may -turn out-, -happen.

Phr. the plot thickens.

SECTION VIII. CAUSATION.

1°. CONSTANCY OF SEQUENCE IN EVENTS.

153. [Constant antecedent.] **Cause.**

—**N.** cause, origin, source, principle, element; occasioner, prime mover, *primum mobile*; *vera causa*; author &c. (*producer*) 164; main-spring, agent; leaven; groundwork, foundation &c. (*support*) 215.

spring, fountain, well, font; fountain-, spring-head; *fons et origo*, genesis; descent &c. (*paternity*) 166; remote cause; influence.

pivot, hinge, turning-point, lever; key; proximate cause, *causa causans*; last straw that breaks the camel's back.

ground; reason-, -why; why and wherefore, rationale, occasion, derivation; final cause &c. (*intention*) 620; *les dessous des cartes*; undercurrents.

rudiment, egg, germ, embryo, bud, root, *radix*, radical, etymon, nucleus, seed, stem, stock, *stirps*, trunk, tap-root.

nest, cradle, nursery, womb, *nidus*, birth-place, hot-bed.

caus-ality, -ation; origination; production &c. 161.

V. be the -cause &c. *n.*- of; originate; give-origin-, -rise-, -occasion-to; cause, occasion, sow the seeds of, kindle, suscite; bring-on-, -to pass-, -about; produce; create &c. 161; set-up-, -afloat-, -on foot; found, broach, institute, lay the foundation of; lie at the root of.

procure; induce, draw down, open the door to, superinduce, evoke, entail, operate; elicit, provoke.

conduce to &c. (*tend to*) 176; contribute; have a -hand in-, -finger in-the pie; determine, decide, turn the scale; have a common origin; derive its origin &c. (*effect*) 154.

Adj. happened &c. *v.*; causal, original; prim-arr-, -itive-, -ordial; aboriginal; radical; embry-onic, -otic; in -embryo-, -ovo; seminal, germinal; at the bottom of; connate, having a common origin.

because &c. 155; behind the scenes.

154. [Constant sequent.] **Effect.**

—**N.** effect, consequence; deriva-tive, -tion; result; result-ant, -ance; upshot, issue, *dénouement*; end &c. 67; development, outgrowth, fruit, crop, harvest, product, bud.

production, produce, work, handiwork, fabric, performance; creature, creation; off-spring, -shoot; first-fruits, -lings; *prémices*.

V. be the -effect &c. *n.*- of; be -due-, -owing-to; originate -in-, -from; rise-, arise-, take its rise-, spring-, proceed-, emanate-, come-, grow-, bud-, sprout-, germinate-, issue-, flow-, result-, follow-, derive its origin-, accrue-from; come-to-, -of-, -out of; depend-, hang-, hinge-, turn-upon.

take the consequences, sow the wind and reap the whirlwind.

Adj. owing to; resulting from &c. *v.*; derivable from; due to; caused &c. 153- by; dependent upon; derived-, evolved-from; derivative; hereditary.

Adv. of course, it follows that, naturally, consequently; as a-, in-consequence; through, all along of, necessarily, eventually.

Phr. *cela va sans dire*, thereby hangs a tale.

155. [Assignment of cause.] **At-tribution.**—**n.** attribution, theory, Etiology, ascription, reference to, rationale; accounting for &c. *v.*; Palætiology,° imputation, derivation from. fil-, affil-iation; pedigree &c. (*paternity*) 166.

explanation &c. (*interpretation*) 522; reason why &c. (*cause*) 153.

v. attribute -, ascribe -, impute -, refer -, lay -, point -, trace -, bring home-to; put -, set-down-to; charge -, ground-on; invest-with, assign as cause, lay at the door of, father upon; account for, derive from, point out the-reason &c. 153; theorize; tell how it comes; put the saddle on the right horse.

Adj. attributed &c. *v.*; attributable &c. *v.*; refer-able, -rible; due to, derivable from; owing to &c. (*effect*) 154; putative.

Adv. hence, thence, therefore, for, since, on account of, because, owing to; on that account; from -this, - that-cause; thanks to, forasmuch as; whence, *propter hoc*.

why? wherefore? whence? how-comes, - is, - happens-it? how does it happen?

in -some, - some such- way; some-how, - or other.

Phr. that is why; *hinc ille lachrymæ*.

156. [Absence of assignable cause] **Chance.**†—**n.** chance, indetermina-tion, accident, fortune, hazard, hap, hap-hazard, chance-medley, random, luck, *racroc*, casualty, contingency, adventure, hit; fate &c. (*necessity*) 601; equal chance; lottery; toss up &c. 621; turn of the -table, - cards; hazard of the die, chapter of accidents; cast -, throw-of the dice; heads or tails, wheel of For-tune; *sortes*, - *Virgiliæ*.

probability, possibility, contingency, odds, long odds, run of luck.

theory of -Probabilities, - Chances; book-making; assurance; speculation, gaming, &c. 621.

v. chance, hap, turn up; fall to one's lot; be one's -fate &c. 601; stumble on, light upon; take one's chance &c. 621.

Adj. casual, fortuitous, accidental, adventitious, causeless, incidental, con-tingent, uncaused, undetermined, inde-terminate; possible &c. 470; unintentional &c. 621.

Adj. by-chance, - accident; casually; perchance &c. (*possibly*) 470; for aught one knows; as -good, - bad, - ill-luck &c. *n.*- would have it; as it may -be, - chance, - turn up, - happen; as the case may be.

2°. CONNECTION BETWEEN CAUSE AND EFFECT.

157. Power.—**n.** power; poten-cy, -tiality; puissance, might, force; energy &c. 171; dint; right -hand, - arm; as-cendency, sway, control; pre-potency, -pollence; almightiness, omnipotence; authority &c. 737; strength &c. 159.

ability; ableness &c. *adj.*; compe-tency; effi-cency, -cacy; validity, co-gency; enablement; vantage ground; influence &c. 175.

pressure; elasticity; gravity, elec-tricity, magnetism, galvanism, voltaic electricity, voltaism, electro-magnetism; attraction; *vis-inertia*, - *mortua*, - *viva*; potential -, dynamic- energy; friction, suction.

capability, capacity; *quid valeant*

158. Impotence.—**n.** impotence; in-,dis-ability; disablement,impotence, imbecility; incapacity, -bility; inapt-, inept-itude; indocility; invalidity, in-efficiency, incompetence, disqualification.

telum imbelles, *brutum fulmen*, blank cartridge, flash in the pan, *vox et præ-terea nihil*, dead letter, bit of waste paper, dummy. inefficacy &c. (*inutility*) 645; failure &c. 732.

helplessness &c. *adj.*; prostration, pa-ralysis, palsy, apoplexy, syncope, sidera-tion, *deliquium*, collapse, exhaustion, soft-ening of the brain, emasculation.

cripple, old woman, muff, molly-coddle.

* Whewell, 'History of the Inductive Sciences,' book xviii. vol. iii. p. 397 (3rd edit.).
† The word *Chance* has two distinct meanings: the first, the absence of assignable cause, as above; and the second, the absence of *design*—for the latter see 621.

humeri quid ferre recusat; faculty, quality, attribute, endowment, virtue, gift, property, qualification, suscepti-bility.

v. be -powerful &c. *adj.*; gain -power &c. *v.*

belong -, pertain- to; lie -, be- in one's power; can.

give -, confer -, exercise- power &c. *n.*; empower, enable, invest; in-, en-due; endow, arm; strengthen &c. 159; com-pel &c. 744.

Adj. powerful, puissant; potent, -ial; capable, able; equal -, up- to; cogent, valid; effect-ive, -ual; efficient, effica-cious, adequate, competent; multi-, pleni-, omni-potent; almighty.

forcible &c. *adj.* (*energetic*) 171; in-fluential &c. 175; productive &c. 168

Adv. powerfully &c. *adj.*; by -virtue, - dint- of.

Adj. powerless, impotent, in-efficient, -ective; inept; un-fit, -fitted; un-, dis-qualified; unendowed; in-, un-apt; crippled, disabled &c. *v.*; armless.

harmless, unarmed, weaponless, defenceless, *sine ictu*, unfortified, indefensible, vincible, pregnable, untenable.

para-lytic, -lyzed; palsied, imbecile; nerve-, sinew-, marrow-, pith-, lust-less; emasculate, disjointed; out of -joint, - gear; un-nerved, -hinged; water-logged, on one's beam ends, rudderless; laid on one's back; done up, dead beat, exhausted, shattered, demoralized; gravelled &c. (*in difficulty*) 704; helpless, unfriended, fatherless; without a leg to stand on, *hors de combat*, laid on the shelf.

null and void, nugatory, inoperative, good for nothing; ineffectual &c. (*failing*) 732; inadequate &c. 640; inefficacious &c. (*useless*) 645.

159. [Degree of power.] **Strength.**—**n.** strength; power &c. 157; energy &c. 171; vigour, force; main -, phys-ical -, brute- force; spring, elasticity, tone, tension, tonicity.

stoutness &c. *adj.*; lustihood, stamina, nerve, muscle, sinew, thews and sinews, *physique*; pith, -iness; virility, vitality. athlet-ics, -icism; gymnastics, feats of strength.

adamant, steel, iron, oak, heart of oak; iron grip.

athlete, gymnast, acrobat; Atlas, Hercules, Antæus, Samson, Cyclops, Goliath; tower of strength; giant re-freshed.

strengthening &c. *v.*; invigoration, refreshment, refocillation.

[Science of forces] Dynamics, Statics.

v. be -impotent &c. *adj.*; not have a leg to stand on.

vouloir rompre l'anguille au genou,

- *prendre la lune avec les dents.*

collapse, faint, swoon, fall into a swoon, drop; go by the board; end in smoke &c. (*fail*) 732.

render -powerless &c. *adj.*; deprive of power; dis-able, -enable; disarm, in-capacitate, disqualify, unfit, invalidate, deaden, cramp, tie the hands; double up, prostrate, paralyze, muzzle, cripple, becripple, maim, lame, hamstring, draw the teeth of; throttle, strangle, *garrotte*;

ratten, silence, sprain, clip the wings of, put *hors de combat*, spike the guns; take the wind out of one's sails, scotch the snake, put a spoke in one's wheel; break the -neck, - back; un-hinge, -fit; put out of gear.

unman, unnerve, enervate; emas-culate, castrate, geld.

shatter, exhaust; weaken &c. 160.

unable, incapable, incompetent; ineffi-cient, -ective; inept; un-fit, -fitted; un-, dis-qualified; unendowed; in-, un-apt; crippled, disabled &c. *v.*; armless.

harmless, unarmed, weaponless, defenceless, *sine ictu*, unfortified, indefensible, vincible, pregnable, untenable.

para-lytic, -lyzed; palsied, imbecile; nerve-, sinew-, marrow-, pith-, lust-less; emasculate, disjointed; out of -joint, - gear; un-nerved, -hinged; water-logged, on one's beam ends, rudderless; laid on one's back; done up, dead beat, exhausted, shattered, demoralized; gravelled &c. (*in difficulty*) 704; helpless, unfriended, fatherless; without a leg to stand on, *hors de combat*, laid on the shelf.

null and void, nugatory, inoperative, good for nothing; ineffectual &c. (*failing*) 732; inadequate &c. 640; inefficacious &c. (*useless*) 645.

160. Weakness.—**n.** weakness &c. *adj.*; debility, atony, relaxation, languor, enervation; impotence &c. 158

infirmity; effeminacy, feminality; fra-gility, flaccidity; inactivity &c. 683.

declension -, loss -, failure- of strength; delicacy, invalidation, decre-pitude, asthenia, adynamy, cachexy, *ca-chexia*, sprain, strain.

reed, thread, rope of sand, house of cards.

soft-, weak-ling; infant &c. 129; youth &c. 127.

v. be -weak &c. *adj.*; drop, crumble, give way, totter, tremble, shake, halt, limp, fade, languish, decline, flag, fail, have one leg in the grave.

render -weak &c. *adj.*; weaken, en-feeble, debilitate, shake, deprive of

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V. be -strong &c. *adj.*, -stronger; overmatch.

render -strong &c. *adj.*; give -strength &c. *n.*; strengthen, invigorate, brace, nerve, fortify, sustain; harden, case-harden, steel; gird; screw -, wind -, set-up; gird -, brace-up one's loins; recruit, set on one's legs; vivify; refresh &c. 689; resect; reinforce &c. (*restore*) 660.

Adj. strong, mighty, vigorous, forcible, hard, adamant, stout, robust, sturdy, hardy, powerful, potent, puissant, valid.

resistless, irresistible, invincible, proof against, impregnable, unconquerable, indomitable, inextinguishable, unquenchable; incontestable; more than a match for; over-powering, -whelming; all-powerful; sovereign.

able-bodied; athletic; Herculean, Cyclopean, Atlantean; muscular, brawny, wiry, well-knit, broad-shouldered, sinewy, strapping, stalwart, gigantic.

man-ly, -like, -ful; masculine, male, virile.

un-weakened, -allayed, -withered, -shaken, -worn, -exhausted; in full-force, -swing; in the plenitude of power.

stubborn, thick-ribbed, made of iron, deep-rooted; strong as -a lion, - a horse, - brandy; sound as a roach; in -fine, - high-feather; like a giant refreshed.

Adv. strongly &c. *adj.*; by-force &c. *n.*; by main force &c. (*by compulsion*) 744.

Phr. 'our withers are unwrung.'

strength, relax, enervate; un-brace, -nerve; cripple, unman, &c. (*render powerless*) 158; cramp, reduce, sprain, strain, blunt the edge of; dilute, impoverish; decimate; extenuate; reduce -in strength, - the strength of; *mettre de l'eau dans son vin*.

Adj. weak, feeble, debile; impotent &c. 158; relaxed, unnerved, &c. *r.*; sap-, strength-, power-less; weakly, unstrung, flaccid, adynamic, asthenic; nervous.

soft, effeminate, feminine, womanly; frail, fragile, shattery; flimsy, unsubstantial, gimcrack, gingerbread; rickety, cranky; creaky; drooping, tottering, &c. *a.*; broken, lame, withered, shattered, shaken, crazy, shaky; palsied &c. 158; decrepit.

languid, poor, infirm; faint, -ish; sickly &c. (*disease*) 655; dull, slack, evanid, spent, short-winded, effete; weatherbeaten; decayed, rotten, worn, seedy, languishing, -wasted, washy, laid low, pulled down, the worse for wear.

un-strengthened &c. 159, -supported, -aided, -assisted; aidless, defenceless, &c. 158.

on its last legs; weak as a -child, -baby, -chicken, -cat, -rat; weak as -water, - water gruel, - gingerbread, -milk and water.

Phr. *non sum qualis eram*.

3°. POWER IN OPERATION.

161. Production. - **N.** production, creation, construction, formation, fabrication, manufacture; building, architecture, erection, edification; coinage; organization; *usus formativus*; putting together &c. *v.*; establishment; workmanship, performance; achievement &c. (*completion*) 729.

flowering, fructification, bringing forth &c. *v.*; parturition, birth, birth-throe, child-birth, delivery, confinement, travail, labour, midwifery, obstetrics; geniture; gestation &c. (*maturation*) 673; evolution, development, growth; genesis, generation, *epigenesis*,

162. [Non-production.] Destruction. - **N.** destruction; waste, dissolution, breaking up; di-, dis-ruption; consumption; disorganization.

fall, downfall, ruin, perdition, crash, smash, havoc, *délabrement, débâcle*; break-down, -up; prostration; desolation, *bouleversement*, wreck, wrack, shipwreck, cataclysm.

extinction, annihilation; destruction of life &c. 361; knock-down blow; doom, crack of doom.

destroying &c. *v.*; demolition, -ishment; overthrow, subversion, suppression; abolition &c. (*abrogation*) 756;

pro-creation, -generation, -pagation; fecundation, impregnation.

spontaneous generation; *arche-genesis, -biosis*; *bio-, abio-, homo-, xeno-genesis*; authorship, publication; works, *œuvre*.

edifice, building, structure, fabric, erection, pile, tower, flower, fruit.

V. produce, perform, operate, do, make, gar, form, construct, fabricate, frame, contrive, manufacture; weave, forge, coin, carve, chisel; build, raise, edify, rear, erect, put together; set -, run-up; establish, constitute, compose, organize, institute; achieve, accomplish, &c. (*complete*) 729.

flower, bear fruit, fructify, teem, ean, yeon, farrow, drop, pup, kitten, kindle; bear, lay, bring forth, give birth to, lie in, be brought to bed of, evolve, pullulate, usher into the world.

make productive &c. 168; create; beget, get, generate, fecundate, impregnate; pro-create, -generate, -pagate; engender; bring -, call-into -being, -existence; breed, hatch, develop, bring up.

induce, superinduce; suscite; cause &c. 153; acquire &c. 775.

Adj. produc-ed, -ing &c. *v.*; productive of; prolific &c. 168; creative; formative; gen-etic, -ial, -ital; pregnant; *enceinte*, big -, fraught- with; in the family way, teeming, parturient; in the straw, brought to bed of; puerper-al, -ous.

architectonic.

confound; exterminate, extinguish, quench, annihilate; snuff -, put -, stamp -, trample-out; lay -) trample-in the dust; prostrate; tread -, crush -, trample-under foot; lay the axe to the root of; make -short work, - a clean sweep, - mincemeat-of; cut up root and branch; fling -, scatter-to the winds; throw overboard; strike at the root of, sap the foundations of, spring a mine, blow up; ravage with fire and sword; cast to the dogs; eradicate &c. 301.

Adj. destroyed &c. *v.*; perishing &c. *v.*; trembling -, nodding -, tottering- to its fall; in course of -destruction &c. *n.*; extinct.

destructive, subversive, ruinous, incendiary, deleterious; destroying &c. *v.*; suicidal; deadly &c. (*killing*) 361.

Adv. with -crushing effect, - a sledge-hammer.

Phr. *delenda est Carthago*.

163. Reproduction. - **N.** reproduction, renovation; restoration &c. 660; renewal; new edition, reprint, revival, regeneration, palinge-

* Huxley.

nesia, revivification; apotheosis; resuscitation, reanimation, resurrection, reappearance; Phoenix.

generation &c. (*production*) 161; multiplication.

V. reproduce; restore &c. 660; revive, renovate, renew, regenerate, revivify, resuscitate, reanimate, refashion, stir the embers, put into the crucible; multiply, repeat.

crop up, spring up like mushrooms.

Adj. reproduced &c. *v.*: renascent, reappearing; reproductive.

162. Producer.—**N.** producer, originator, inventor, author, founder, generator, mover, architect; maker &c. (*agent*) 690.

166. Paternity.—**N.** paternity; parentage; consanguinity &c. 11.

parent, father, sire, dad, papa, *paterfamilias*, *abba*; genitor, progenitor, procreator; ancestor; grand-sire, -father.

house, stem, trunk, tree, stock, *stirps*, pedigree, lineage, line, family, tribe, sept, race, clan; genealogy, descent, extraction, birth, ancestry; forefathers, patriarchs.

motherhood, maternity; mother, dam, *mamma*, *materfamilias*.

Adj. paternal, parental; maternal; family, ancestral, linear, patriarchal.

168. Productiveness.—**N.** productiveness &c. *adj.*; fecundity, fertility, luxuriance, uberty.

pregnancy, pullulation, fructification, multiplication, propagation, procreation; superfetation.

milch cow, rabbit, hydra, warren, seed-plot, land flowing with milk and honey; protoplasm; fertilization.

V. make-productive &c. *adj.*; fructify; procreate, generate, fertilize, spermatize, impregnate; fecund-ate, -ify; teem, multiply; produce &c. 161; conceive.

Adj. productive, prolific; teem-ing, -ful; fertile, fruitful, frugiferous, fruit-bearing; fecund, luxuriant; pregnant, uberous.

procre-ant, -ative; generative, life-giving, spermatic; multiparous; omnific; propagable.

parturient &c. (*producing*) 161; profitable &c. (*useful*) 644.

170. Agency.—**N.** agency, operation, force, working, strain, function, office, maintenance, exercise, work, swing, play; inter-working, -action.

causation &c. 153; instrumentality &c. 631; influence &c. 175; action &c. (*voluntary*) 680; *modus operandi* &c. 627.

quicken-ing -, maintaining- power; home stroke.

V. be -in action &c. *adj.*; operate, work; act, - upon; perform, play, support, sustain, strain, maintain, take effect, quicken, strike.

165. Destroyer.—**N.** destroyer &c. (destroy &c. 162); cankerworm &c. (*bane*) 663; iconoclast; assassin &c. (*killer*) 361; executioner &c. (*punish*) 975.

167. Posterity.—**N.** posterity, progeny, breed, issue, offspring, brood, litter, seed, farrow, spawn, spat; family, grandchildren, heirs.

child, son, daughter; bantering, scion; shoot, sprout, olive branch, sprit, branch; off-shoot, -set; ramification; descendant; heir, -ess; heir -apparent, - presumptive; chip of the old block; rising generation.

heredity, straight descent, sonship, line, lineage, filiation, primogeniture.

Adj. filial.

169. Unproductiveness.—**N.** unproductiveness &c. *adj.*; infertility, sterility, infecundity; impotence &c. 158; unprofitableness &c. (*inutility*) 645.

waste, desert, Sahara, wild, wilderness, howling wilderness.

V. be -unproductive &c. *adj.*; hang fire, flash in the pan, come to nothing.

Adj. unproductive, inoperative, barren, addle, unfertile, unprolific, arid, sterile, unfruitful, infecund; *sine prole*; fallow; teem-, issue-, fruit-less; unprofitable &c. (*useless*) 645; null and void, of no effect.

come -, bring- into -operation, - play; have -play, - free play; bring to bear upon.

Adj. operative, efficient, efficacious, practical, effectual.

at work, on foot; acting &c. (*doing*) 680; in -operation, - force, - action, - play, - exercise; acted - wrought-upon.

Adv. by the -agency &c. *n.* - of; through &c. (*instrumentality*) 631; by means of &c. 632.

171. Physical Energy.—**N.** energy, physical energy, force; keenness &c. *adj.*; intensity, vigour, strength, elasticity; go; high pressure.

acri-mony, -tude; causticity, virulence, poignancy; harshness &c. *adj.*; severity, edge, point; pungency &c. 392.

cantharides; seasoning &c. (*condition*) 393.

activity, agitation, effervescence; ferment, -ation; ebullition, splutter, perturbation, stir, bustle; voluntary energy &c. 682; quicksilver.

resolution &c. (*mental energy*) 604; exertion &c. (*effort*) 686; excitation &c. (*mental*) 824.

V. give -energy &c. *n.*; energize, stimulate, kindle, excite, exert; sharpen, intensify; inflame &c. (*render violent*) 173; wind up &c. (*strengthen*) 159.

strike, - into, - hard, - home; make an impression.

Adj. strong, energetic, forcible, active; intense, deep-dyed, severe, keen, vivid, sharp, acute, incisive, trenchant, brisk.

rousing, irritating; poignant; virulent, caustic, corrosive, mordant, harsh, stringent; double-edged, - shotted, - distilled; drastic, escharotic; racy &c. (*pungent*) 392.

potent &c. (*powerful*) 157.

Adv. strongly &c. *adj.*; *fortiter in re*; with telling effect.

Phr. the steam is up; *vires acquirit eundo*.

173. Violence.—**N.** violence, inclemency, vehemence, might, impetuosity; boisterousness &c. *adj.*; effervescence, ebullition; turbulence, bluster; uproar, riot, row, rumpus, *le diable à quatre*, devil to pay, all the fat in the fire.

severity &c. 739; ferocity, rage, fury; exacerbation, exasperation, malignity; fit, paroxysm, orgasm; force, brute force; outrage; *coup de main*; strain, shock, shog; spasm, convulsion, throe; hysterics, passion, &c. (*state of excitability*) 825.

out-break, -burst; burst, bounce, dis-silience, discharge, volley, explosion,

172. Physical Inertness.—**N.** inertness, dulness &c. *adj.*; inertia, *vis inertiae*, inertiion, inactivity, torpor, languor; quiescence &c. 265; latency, inaction.

mental inertness; sloth &c. (*inactivity*) 683; inexcitability &c. 826; irresolution &c. 605; obstinacy &c. 606; permanence &c. 141.

V. be -inert &c. *adj.*; hang fire, smoulder.

Adj. inert, inactive, passive; torpid &c. 683; sluggish, dull, heavy, flat, slack, tame, slow, blunt; lifeless, dead; uninfluential.

latent, dormant, smouldering, unex-erted.

Adv. inactively &c. *adj.*; in -sus-pense, -abeyance.

174. Moderation.—**N.** moder-ation; lenity &c. 740; temperateness, gentleness, &c. *adj.*; sobriety; quiet; mental calmness &c. (*inexcitability*) 826.

moderating &c. *v.*; relaxation, remis-sion, mitigation, tranquillization, as-suagement, contemperation, pacification, measure, *juste milieu*, golden mean, *ἄριστον μέτρον*.

moderator; lullaby, sedative, lenitive, demulcent, rose-water, balm, poppy, opi-ate, anodyne, milk, opium, 'poppy or mandragora'; wet blanket; palliative.

V. be -moderate &c. *adj.*; keep with-in -bounds, - compass; sober -, settle-

blow up, blast, detonation, rush, eruption, disposition, torrent.

turmoil &c. (*disorder*) 59; ferment &c. (*agitation*) 315; storm, tempest, rough weather; squall &c. (*wind*) 349; earthquake, volcano, thunderstorm.

fury, dragon, demon, tiger, beldame, Ti-iphone, Megæra, Alecto, madcap, wild beast; fire-eater &c. (*blusterer*) 887.

V. be -violent &c. *adj.*; run high, ferment, effervesce; romp, rampage; run -wild, - riot; break the peace; rush, tear; rush head-long, -foremost; run a muck, raise a storm, make a riot; make -, kick up - a row; bluster, rage, roar, riot, storm; boil, - over; fume, foam, come in like a lion, wreak, bear down, ride rough -shod, out -Herod Herod; spread like wildfire.

break -, fly -, burst- out; bounce, explode, go off, displode, fly, detonate, thunder, blow up, flash, flare, burst; shock, strain.

render -violent &c. *adj.*; sharpen, stir up, quicken, excite, incite, urge, lash, stimulate; irritate, inflame, kindle, suscite, foment; accelerate, aggravate, exasperate, exacerbate, convulse, infuriate, madden, lash into fury; fan -, add fuel to - the flame; *oleum addere camino*.

explode, let -off, - fly; discharge, detonize, fulminate.

Adj. violent, vehement; warm; acute, sharp; rough, rude, ungentle, bluff, boisterous, wild; brusque, abrupt, waspish; impetuous; rampant.

turbulent; disorderly; blustering, raging &c. *v.*; troublous, riotous; tumultu-ary, -ous; obstreperous, uproarious; extravagant, unmitigated; ravening, tameless; frenzied &c. (*insane*) 503; desperate &c. (*rash*) 863; infuriate, furious, outrageous, frantic, hysteric, in hysterics.

fiery, flaming, scorching, hot, red-hot, ebullient, savage, fierce, ferocious, fierce as a tiger.

excited &c. *v.*; un-quelled, -quenched, -extinguished, -repressed, -bridled, -ruly; headstrong; un-governable, -appeasable, -mitigable; un-, in-controllable; insup-, irre-pressible.

spasmodic, convulsive, explosive; detonating &c. *v.*; volcanic, meteoric; stormy &c. (*wind*) 349.

Adv. violently &c. *adj.*; amain; by -storm, - force, - main force; with might and main; tooth and nail, *vi et armis*, at the point of the sword, - bayonet; at one fell swoop; with a high hand, through thick and thin; in desperation, with a vengeance; à -, à toute-outrance; head-long, -foremost.

down, keep the peace, remit, relent; take in sail.

moderate, soften, mitigate, temper, accoy; at-, coe-temper; mollify, lenify, dull, take off the edge, blunt, obtund, sheathe, subdue, chasten; sober -, ton-

-, smooth- down; weaken &c. 160; lessen &c. (*decrease*) 36; check; palliate, tranquilize, assuage, appease, swage, lull, soothe, compose, still, calm, cool, quiet, hush, quell, sober, pacify, tame, damp, lay, allay, rebate, slacken, smooth, alleviate, rock to sleep, deaden, smother; throw -cold water on, - a wet blanket over; slake; curb &c. (*restrain*) 751; tame &c. (*subjugate*) 749; smooth over; pour oil on the -waves, - troubled waters; pour balm into, *mettre de l'eau dans son vin*.

go out like a lamb, 'roar you as gently as any sucking dove.'

Adj. moderate; lenient &c. 740; gentle, mild; cool, sober, temperate, reasonable, measured; tempered &c. *v.*; calm, unruffled, quiet, tranquil, still; slow, smooth, untroubled; tame; peaceful, -able; pacific, halcyon.

un-exciting, -irritating; soft, bland, oily, demulcent, lenitive, anodyne; hypnotic &c. 683; sedative.

mild as mother's milk; milk and water.

Adv. moderately &c. *adj.*; gingerly; *piano*; under easy sail, at half speed; within -bounds, - compass; in reason.

Phr. *est modus in rebus*.

4°. INDIRECT POWER.

175. Influence.—**N.** influence; importance &c. 642; weight, pressure, preponderance, prevalence, sway; predomi-nance, -nancy; ascendancy; dominance, reign; authority &c. 737; capability &c. (*power*) 157; interest.

footing; purchase &c. (*support*) 215; play, leverage, vantage ground, tower of strength, host in himself; protection, patronage, auspices.

V. have -influence &c. *n.*; be -influential &c. *adj.*; carry weight, weigh, tell; have a hold upon, magnetize, bear upon, gain a footing, work upon; take -root, - hold; strike root in.

run through, pervade; prevail, dominate, predominate; out-, over-weigh; over-ride, -bear; gain head; rage; be -rise &c. *adj.*; spread like wildfire; have -, get -, gain -the upper hand, - full play.

be -recognized, - listened to; make one's voice heard, gain a hearing; play a -part, -leading part -in; take the lead, pull the strings; turn -, throw one's weight into -the scale; set the fashion, lead the dance.

Adj. influential; important &c. 642; weighty; prevailing &c. *v.*; prevalent, rise, rampant, dominant, regnant, predominant, in the ascend-ant, hegemonical.

Adv. with telling effect.

176. Tendency.—**N.** tendency; apt-ness, -itude; proneness, proclivity, bent, turn, tone, bias, set, leaning to, predisposition, inclination, propensity, susceptibility; liability &c. 177; quality, nature, tempera-ment; idio-crazy, -syncrasy; cast, vein, grain; humour, mood; drift &c. (*direction*) 278; con-duciveness, -ducement; applicability &c. (*utility*) 644; subservience &c. (*instrumentality*) 631.

V. tend, contribute, conduce, lead, dispose, incline, verge, bend to, trend, affect, carry, redound to, bid fair to, gravitate towards; promote &c. (*aid*) 707.

Adj. tending &c. *v.*; conducive, working towards, in a fair way to, calculated to; liable &c. 177; subservient &c. (*instrumental*) 631; useful &c. 644; subsidiary &c. (*helping*) 707.

Adv. for, whither.

177. Liability.—**N.** lia-bility, -bleness; possibility, contingency; suscepti-vity, -bility.

V. be -liable &c. *adj.*; incur, lay oneself open to; run the -, stand a- chance; lie under, expose oneself to, open a door to.

Adj. liable, subject; in danger &c. 665; open -, exposed -, ob-noxious -to; unexempt from; apt to; dependent on; incidental to, contingent, incidental, possible, on the cards, within range of, at the mercy of.

5°. COMBINATIONS OF CAUSES.

178. Concurrence.—**N.** concur-rence, cooperation, cogency; union; agreement &c. 23; consent &c. (*assent*) 488; alliance; concert &c. 709; part-nership &c. 712.

175a. Absence of Influence.—**N.** impotence &c. 158; inertness &c. 172; irrelevancy &c. 10.

V. have no -influence &c. 175.

Adj. uninfluential; unconduc-ing, -ive, -ting to; powerless &c. 158; irre-levant &c. 10.

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179. Counteraction.—**N.** coun-teraction, opposition; contrariety &c. 14; antagonism, polarity; clashing &c. *v.*; collision, interference, resistance, renitence, friction; reaction; retroaction

V. con-cur, -duce, -spire, -tribute; agree, unite; hang -, pull-together &c. (*cooperate*) 709; help to &c. (*aid*) 707. keep pace with, run parallel; go -, go along -, go hand in hand- with.

Adj. concurring &c. *v.*, concurrent, in alliance with, banded together, of one mind, at one with.

Adv. with one consent.

&c. (*recoil*) 277; counterblast, neutralization &c. (*compensation*) 30; *vis inertia*; check &c. (*hindrance*) 706.

voluntary -opposition &c. 708, - resistance &c. 719; repression &c. (*restraint*) 751.

V. counteract; run counter, clash, cross; interfere -, conflict- with; jostle; go -, run -, beat -, militate- against; stultify: antagonize, oppose &c. 708; withstand &c. (*resist*) 719; hinder &c. 706; repress &c. (*restrain*) 751; react

&c. (*recoil*) 277.

undo, neutralize; counterpoise &c. (*compensate*) 30; overpoise.

Adj. counteracting &c. *v.*: antagonistic, conflicting, retroactive, renitent, reactionary; contrary &c. 14.

Adv. although &c. 30; in spite of &c. 708; against.

CLASS II.

WORDS RELATING TO SPACE.

SECTION I. SPACE IN GENERAL.

1° ABSTRACT SPACE.

180. [Indefinite space.] **Space.**—

N. space, extension, extent, superficial extent, expanse; room, scope, range, latitude, field, way, expansion, compass, sweep, play, swing, spread.

spare -, elbow -, house- room; stowage, roomage, margin; opening, sphere, arena.

open -, free- space; void &c. (*absence*) 187; waste; wild-, wilder-ness; moor-, land; *campagna*.

abyss &c. (*interval*) 198; unlimited space; infinity &c. 105; world; ubiquity &c. (*presence*) 186; length and breadth of the land.

proportions, acreage; acres, - roods and perches; square-inches, - yards &c.

Adj. spacious, roomy, extensive, expansive, capacious, ample: wide-spread, vast, world-wide, unencircumscribed; boundless &c. (*infinite*) 105; shore-, track-, path-less.

Adv. extensively &c. *adj.*; wherever; everywhere; far and -near, - wide; right and left, all over, all the world over; throughout the -world, - length and breadth of the land; under the sun, in every quarter; in all -quarters, -lands; here there and everywhere; from -pole to pole, - China to Peru, - Indus to the pole, - Dan to Beersheba, - end to end; on the face of the earth, in the wide world, from all points of the compass: to the -four winds, - uttermost parts of the earth.

180a. Inextension.— **N.** in-, non-extension; point; atom &c. (*smallness*) 32.

181. [Definite space.] **Region.**— **N.** region, sphere, ground, soil, area, realm, hemisphere, quarter, district, beat, orb, circuit, circle; pale &c. (*limit*) 233; com-, de-partment; domain, tract, territory, country, canton, county, shire, province, *arrondissement*, parish, township, *commune*, ward, wapentake, hundred, riding; principality, duchy, kingdom.

arena, precincts, *enceinte*, walk, march; patch, plot, enclosure, close, *enclave*, field, court; street &c. (*abode*) 189.

clime, climate, zone, meridian, latitude.

Adj. territorial, local, parochial, provincial.

182. [Limited space.] **Place.**— **N.** place, lieu, spot, point, dot; niche, nook, &c. (*corner*) 244; hole; pigeon-hole &c. (*receptacle*) 191; compartment; premises, precinct, station; abode &c. 189; locality &c. (*situation*) 183.

ins and outs; every hole and corner. **Adv.** somewhere, in some place, wherever it may be, here and there, in various places, *passim*.