

quer, *reculer pour mieux sauter*, circumvent, steal a march upon; overreach &c. 545; throw off one's guard; surprise &c. 508; snatch a verdict; way-lay, undermine, introduce the thin end of the wedge; play -a deep game, -tricks with; *ambiguus in vulgum spargere voces*; flatter, make things pleasant.

Adj. cunning, crafty, artful; skilful &c. 698; subtle, feline, vulpine; cunning as a -fox, -serpent; deep, -laid; profound; designing, contriving; intriguing &c. v.; strategic, diplomatic, politic, Machiavelian, time-serving; artificial; trick-y, -sy; wily, sly, insidious, stealthy; underhand &c. (*hidden*) 528; subdolous; deceitful &c. 545; crooked, arch, pawky, shrewd, acute; sharp, -as a needle; canny, astute, leery, knowing, up to snuff, too clever by half, not to be caught with chaff.

Adv. cunningly &c. *adj.*; slyly, on the sly, by a side wind.

Phr. diamond cut diamond.

Adv. in plain -words, -English; without mincing the matter; not to mince the matter &c. (*affirmation*) 535.

Phr. *Davus sum non Edipus; liberavi animam meam.*

Section IV. ANTAGONISM.

1°. Conditional Antagonism.

704. Difficulty.—**N.** difficulty; hardness &c. *adj.*; impracticability &c. (*impossibility*) 471; tough -, hard -, uphill-work; hard -, Herculean -, Augean-task; task of Sisyphus, Sisyphean labour, tough job, teaser, rasper, dead lift.

dilemma, embarrassment; perplexity &c. (*uncertainty*) 475; intricacy; entanglement &c. 59; cross fire; awkwardness, delicacy, ticklish card to play, knot, Gordian knot, *dignus vindice nocuus*, net, meshes, maze; coil &c. (*convolution*) 248; crooked path.

nice -, delicate -, subtle -, knotty-point; vexed question, *verata questio*, poser; puzzle &c. (*riddle*) 533; paradox; hard -, nut to crack; bone to pick, *crux, pons asinorum*, where the shoe pinches.

nonplus, quandary, strait, pass, pinch, pretty pass, stress, brunt; critical situation, crisis; trial, rub, emergency, exigency, scramble.

scrape, hobble, slough, quagmire, hot water, hornet's nest; sea -, peck-of troubles; pretty kettle of fish; pickle, stew, *imbroglio*, mess, ado; false position; set fast, stand; dead-lock, -set; fix, horns of a dilemma, *cul de sac*; hitch; stumbling block &c. (*hindrance*) 706.

V. be -difficult &c. *adj.*; run one hard, go against the grain, try one's

705. Facility.—**N.** facility, ease; easiness &c. *adj.*; capability; feasibility &c. (*practicability*) 470; flexibility, pliancy, &c. 324; smoothness &c. 255.

plain -, smooth -, straight-sailing; mere child's play, holiday task.

smooth water, fair wind; smooth -, royal-road; clear-coast, -stage; *tabula rasa*; full play &c. (*freedom*) 748. disen-cumbrance, -tanglement; deopilation; permission &c. 760.

V. be -easy &c. *adj.*; go on -, run-smoothly; have-full play &c. n.; go -, run-on all fours; obey the helm, work well.

flow -, swim -, drift -, go-with-the-stream, -tide; see one's way; have-it all one's own way, -the game in one's own hands; walk over the course, win at a canter; make -light of, -nothing of, -no bones of; be at home in &c. (*skilful*) 698.

render -easy &c. *adj.*; facilitate, smooth, ease; popularize; lighten, -the labour; free, clear; dis-encumber, -embarrass, -entangle, -engage; deobstruct, unclow, extricate, unravel; untie -, cut-the knot; disburden, unload, exonerate, emancipate, free from, deopilate; humour &c. (*aid*) 707; lubricate &c. 332; relieve &c. 834.

leave -a hole to creep out of, -the matter open; give -the reins to, -full

patience, put one out; put to one's -shifts, -wit's end; go hard with -, try-one; pose, perplex, &c. (*uncertain*) 475; bother, nonplus, gravel, bring to a dead lock; be -impossible &c. 471; be in the way of &c. (*hinder*) 706.

meet with -, labour under -, get into -, plunge into -, struggle with -, contend with -, grapple with- difficulties; labour under a disadvantage; be -in difficulty &c. *adj.*

fish in troubled waters, buffet the waves, swim against the stream, scud under bare poles.

have -much ado with, -a hard time of it; come to the -push, -pinch; bear the brunt.

grope in the dark, lose one's way, weave a tangled web, walk among eggs.

get into a -scrape &c. n.; bring a hornet's nest about one's ears; be put to one's shifts; flounder, boggle, struggle; not know which way to turn &c. (*uncertain*) 475; *perdre son Latin*; stick-at, -in the mud, -fast; come to a -stand, -dead lock; hold the wolf by the ears.

render -difficult &c. *adj.*; encumber, embarrass, ravel, entangle; put a spoke in the wheel &c. (*hinder*) 706; lead a pretty dance.

Adj. difficult, not easy, hard, tough; trouble-, toil-, irk-some; operose, laborious, onerous, arduous, Herculean, formidable; sooner -, more easily-said than done; difficult -, hard-to deal with; ill-conditioned, crabbed; not -to be handled with kid gloves, -made with rosewater.

awkward, unwieldy, unmanageable; intractable, stubborn, &c. (*obstinate*) 606; perverse, refractory, plaguy, trying, thorny, rugged; knot-ted, -ty; invious; path-, track-less; labyrinthine &c. (*convoluted*) 248; intricate, complicated, &c. (*tangled*) 59; impracticable &c. (*impossible*) 471; not-feasible &c. 470; desperate &c. (*hopeless*) 859.

embarrassing, perplexing, &c. (*uncertain*) 475; delicate, ticklish, critical; beset with -, full of -, surrounded by -, entangled by -, encompassed with- difficulties.

under a difficulty; in -difficulty, -hot water, -the suds, -a cleft stick, -a fix, -the wrong box, -a scrape &c. n., -deep water, -a fine pickle; *in extremis*; between -two stools, -Scylla and Charybdis; surrounded by -shoals, -breakers, -quicksands; at cross purposes; not out of the wood.

reduced to straits; hard -, sorely-pressed; run hard; pinched, put to it, straitened; hard-up, -put to it, -set; put to one's shifts; puzzled, at a loss, &c. (*uncertain*) 475; at-the end of one's tether, -one's wit's end, -a nonplus, -a standstill; gravelled, nonplussed, stranded, aground; stuck -, set-fast, up a tree, at bay, *aux abois*, driven-into a corner, -from post to pillar, -to extremity, -to one's wit's end, -to the wall; *au bout de son Latin*; out of one's depth; thrown out.

accomplished with difficulty: hard-fought, -earned.

Adv. with -difficulty, - much ado; hardly &c. *adj.*; uphill; against the -stream, - grain; *a rebours*; *invitâ Minervâ*; in the teeth of; at -, upon- a pinch; at long odds.

Phr. ay there's the rub; *hic labor hoc opus*; things are come to a pretty pass.

2°. Active Antagonism.

706. Hindrance.—**N.** prevention, preclusion, obstruction, stoppage; interruption, -ception, -clusion; hindrance, impediton; retard-ment, -ation; embarrassment, oppilation; coarctation, stricture, restriction; restraint &c. 751; inhibition &c. 761; blockade &c. (*closure*) 261.

inter-ference, -position; obtrusion; discouragement, -countenance.

impediment, let, obstacle, obstruction, knot, snag; check, hitch, *contretemps*, screw loose, grit in the oil.

bar, stile, barrier; turn-stile, -pike; gate, portcullis; barricade &c. (*defence*) 717; wall, dead wall, breakwater; bulk-head, block, buffer; stopper &c. 263; boom, dam, weir, burrock.

drawback, objection; stumbling-block, -stone; lion in the path; snag; snags and sawyers.

en-, in-cumbrance; clog, skid, shoe, spoke; drag, - chain, - weight; stay, stop; preventive, prophylactic; load, burden, fardel, *onus*, millstone round one's neck, *impedimenta*; dead weight; lumber, pack; nightmare, Ephialtes, incubus, old man of the sea; remora.

difficulty &c. 704; insuperable &c. 471- obstacle; estoppel; ill wind; head wind &c. (*opposition*) 708; trammel, tether, &c. (*means of restraint*) 752; hold back, counterpoise; damper, wet blanket, hinderer, marplot, kill-joy, interloper; opponent &c. 710.

V. hinder, impede, impedit, embarrass. keep -, stave -, ward- off; obviate; a-, ante-vert; turn aside, draw off, prevent, forefend, nip in the bud; retard, slacken, check, let; counter-act, -check; preclude, debar, foreclose, estop; inhibit &c. 761; shackle &c. (*restrain*) 751; restrict.

- obstruct, stop, stay, bar, bolt, lock; block, - up; belay, barricade; block -, stop- the way; dam up &c. (*close*) 261; put on the -break &c. *n.*; scotch -, lock -, put a spoke in- the wheel; put a stop to &c. 142; traverse, contravene;

707. Aid.—**N.** aid, -ance; assistance, help, opitulation, succour; support, lift, advance, furtherance, promotion; coadjuvancy &c. (*cooperation*) 709.

patronage, championship, countenance, favour, interest, advocacy.

sustentation, subvention, alimentation, nutrition, nourishment; manna in the wilderness; food &c. 298; means &c. 632. ministr-y, -ation; subministration; accommodation.

relief, rescue; help at a dead lift; supernatural aid; *deus ex machina*.

supplies, reinforcements, succours, contingents, recruits; support &c. (*physical*) 215; adjunct, ally, &c. (*helper*) 711.

V. aid, assist, help, succour, lend one's aid; come to the -aid &c. *n.*- of; contribute, subscribe to; bring -, give -, furnish -, afford -, supply- -aid &c. *n.*; give -, stretch -, lend -, bear -, hold out- a -hand, - helping hand; give one a -lift, - turn; take -by the hand, - in tow; help a lame dog over a stile, lend wings to.

relieve, rescue; set -up, - agoing, - on one's legs; bear -, pull- through; give new life to, be the making of; reinforce, recruit; set -, put -, push- forward; give -a lift, - a shove, - an impulse- to; promote, further, forward, advance; speed, expedite, quicken, hasten.

support, sustain, uphold, prop, hold up, bolster.

cradle, nourish; nurture, nurse, dry nurse, suckle, put out to nurse; manure, cultivate; foster, cherish, foment; feed - the flame.

serve; do service to, tender to, pander to; ad-, sub-, minister to; tend, attend, wait on; take care of &c. 459; entertain; smooth the bed of death.

oblige, accommodate, consult the wishes of; humour, cheer, encourage.

second, stand by; back, - up; pay the piper, abet; work -, make interest -, stick up -, take up the cudgels- for; take up -, espouse -, adopt- the cause

inter-rupt, -cept; oppose &c. 708; hedge -in, - round; cut off; interclude.

inter-pose, -fere, -meddle &c. 682.

cramp, hamper; clog, - the wheels; cumber; en-, in-cumber; choke; saddle -, load- with; over-load, -lay; lumber, trammel, tie one's hands, put to inconvenience; in-, dis-commode; discompose; hustle, drive into a corner.

run -, fall- foul of; cross the path of, break in upon.

thwart, frustrate, disconcert, balk, foil, baffle, snub, override, circumvent; defeat &c. 731; spike guns &c. (*render useless*) 645; spoil, mar, clip the wings of; cripple &c. (*injure*) 659; put an extinguisher on; damp; dishearten &c. (*dissuade*) 616; discouragement, throw cold water on, spoil sport; lay -, throw- a wet blanket on; cut the ground from under one, take the wind out of one's sails, undermine; be -, stand- in the way of; act as a drag; hang like a millstone round one's-neck.

Adj. hindering &c. *v.*; obstr-uctive, -uent; impedi-tive, -ent; intercipient; prophylactic &c. (*remedial*) 662.

in the way of, unfavourable; onerous, burdensome: cumb-rous, -ersome; obtrusive.

hindered &c. *v.*; wind-bound, water-logged, heavy laden; hard pressed.

unassisted &c. (*see assist &c. 707*); single-handed, alone; deserted &c. 624.

708. Opposition.—**N.** opposi-

tion, antagonism; oppug-nancy, -nation; impugnation; contravention; counter- action &c. 179; counterplot.

cross-fire, under-current, head-wind, clashing, collision, conflict.

competition, two of a trade, rivalry, emulation, race.

absence of -aid &c. 707; resistance &c. 719; restraint &c. 751; hindrance &c. 706.

V. oppose, counteract, run counter to; withstand &c. (*resist*) 719; control &c. (*restrain*) 751; hinder &c. 706;

antagonize, oppugn, fly in the face of, go dead against, kick against, fall foul of;

set -, pit-against; face, confront, cope with; make a -stand, - dead set- against;

set -oneself, - one's face- against; protest -, vote -, raise one's voice- against;

disfavour, turn one's back upon; set at

of; advocate, beat up for recruits, press into the service; squire, give moral support to, keep in countenance, countenance, patronize; lend -oneself, - one's countenance- to; smile -, shine- upon; favour, befriend, take in hand, enlist under the banners of; side with &c. (*cooperate*) 709.

be of use to; subserve &c. (*instrument*) 631; benefit &c. 648; render a service &c. (*utility*) 644; conduce &c. (*tend*) 176.

Adj. aiding &c. *v.*; auxiliary, adjuvant, helpful; coadjutant &c. 709; subservient, ministrant, ancillary, accessory, subsidiary.

at one's beck; friendly, amicable, favourable, propitious, well- disposed; neighbourly; obliging &c. (*beneficent*) 906.

Adv. with -, by- -the aid &c. *n.*- of; on -, in- behalf of; in -aid, - the service, - the name, - favour, - further-ance- of; on account of; for the sake of, on the part of; *non obstante*.

Int. help! save us! to the rescue!

709. Cooperation.—**N.** coopera-

tion; coadjuvancy, -tancy; coagency, coefficient; concert, concurrence, complicity, participation; union &c. 43;

combination &c. 48; collusion.

association, alliance, collegueship, jointstock, copartnership; confederatica &c. (*party*) 712; coalition, fusion; a long pull a strong pull and a pull all together; log-rolling, freemasonry.

unanimity &c. (*assent*) 488; *esprit de corps*, party spirit; clan-, partisan-ship; concord &c. 714.

V. cooperate, concur; conduct &c. 178; combine, unite one's efforts; keep -, draw -, pull -, club -, hang -, hold -, league -, band -, be banded- together;

stand -, put- shoulder to shoulder; act in concert, join forces, fraternize cling to one another, conspire, conce:t, lay ore's heads together; confederat-, be in

naught, slap in the face, slam the door in one's face.

be -, play-at cross purposes; counter-work, -mine; thwart, overthwart.

stem, breast, encounter; stem -, breast-the -tide, -current, -flood; buffet the waves; beat up -, make head-against; grapple with; kick against the pricks &c. (*resist*) 719; contend &c. 720 -, do battle &c. (*warfare*) 722 -with, -against.

contra-dict, -vene; belie; go -, run -, beat -, militate-against; come in conflict with.

emulate &c. (*compete*) 720; rival, spoil one's trade.

Adj. oppos-ing, -ed, &c. v.; adverse, antagonistic; contrary &c. 14; at variance &c. 24; at issue, at war with.

un-favourable, -friendly; hostile, inimical, cross, unpropitious.

in hostile array, front to front, with crossed bayonets, at daggers drawn; up in arms; resistant &c. 719.

competitive, emulous.

Adv. against, *versus*, counter to, in conflict with, at cross purposes.

against the -grain, -current, -stream, -wind, -tide; with a head-wind; with the wind -ahead, -in one's teeth.

in spite, in despite, in defiance; in the -way, -teeth, -face- of; across; a-, over-thwart; where the shoe pinches; in spite of one's teeth.

though &c. 30; even; *quand même*; *per contra*.

Phr. *nitor in adversum*.

710. Opponent. -N. opponent, antagonist, adversary; adverse party, opposition; enemy &c. 891; assailant.

oppositionist, obstructive; brawler, wrangler, brangler, disputant.

malcontent; Jacobin, Fenian; demagogue, reactionist.

rival, competitor.

aide-de-camp, secretary, clerk, associate, marshal; right-hand; candle-, bottle-holder; hand-maid; servant &c. 746; puppet, cat's-paw, jackal; tool, *âme damnée*; satellite, adherent.

votary; secta-rian, -ry; seconder, backer, upholder, abettor, advocate, partisan, champion, patron, friend at court, mediator.

friend in need, Jack at a pinch, *deus ex machina*, guardian angel, tutelary genius.

712. Party. -N. party, faction, side, denomination, communion, set, crew, band, horde, posse, phalanx; family, clan, &c. 166.

league with; collude, understand one another, play into the hands of, hunt in couples.

side -, take side -, go along -, go hand in hand -, join hands -, make common cause -, strike in -, unite -, join -, mix oneself up -, take part -, cast in one's lot- with; join -, enter into- partnership with; rally round; follow the lead of; come to, pass over to, come into the views of; be -, row -, sail- in the same boat; sail on the same tack.

be a party to, lend oneself to; participate; have a -hand in, -finger in the pie; take -, bear- part in; second &c. (*aid*) 707; take the part of, play the game of; espouse a -cause, - quarrel.

Adj. cooperating &c. v.; in -cooperation &c. n., - league &c. (*party*) 712; coadju-vant, -tant.

favourable &c. 707- to; un-opposed &c. 708.

Adv. as one man &c. (*unanimously*) 488; shoulder to shoulder.

711. Auxiliary. -N. auxiliary; recruit; assistant; adju-vant, -tant; adjunct; help, -er, -mate, -ing hand; midwife; colleague, partner, mate, *confrère*, cooperator coadju-tor- trix; col-laborator.

ally; friend &c. 890, confidant, *fidus Achates*, pal, *alter ego*.

confederate; ac-, complice; accessory, - after the fact; *particeps criminis*.

713. Discord. -N. disagreement &c. 24; dis-cord, -accord, -sidence, -sonance; jar, clash, shock; jarring, jostling &c. v.; screw loose.

variance, difference, dissension, misunderstanding, cross purposes, odds, *brouillerie*; division, split, rupture, disruption, division in the camp, house divided against itself, disunion, breach; schism &c. (*dissent*) 489; feud, faction.

quarrel, dispute, tiff, *tracasserie*, squabble, altercation, words, high words; wrangling &c. v.; jangle, brabble, cross questions and crooked answers, snip-snap; family jars.

polemics; litigation; strife &c. (*contention*) 720; warfare &c. 722; outbreak, open rupture, declaration of war.

broil, brawl, row, racket, hubbub, rixation; embroilment, embrangement, *imbroglio*, *fracas*, breach of the peace, piece of work, scrimmage, rumpus; breeze, squall; riot, disturbance, &c. (*disorder*) 59; commotion &c. (*agitation*) 315; bear garden, Donnybrook Fair.

subject of dispute, ground of quarrel, battle ground, disputed point; bone -of contention, - to pick; apple of discord, *casus belli*; question at issue &c. (*subject of inquiry*) 461; vexed question, *vexata questio*, brand of discord.

troublesome times; cat-and-dog life; contentiousness &c. *adj.*; enmity &c. 889; hate &c. 898; Kilkenny cats; disputant &c. 710; strange bedfellows.

V. be -discordant &c. *adj.*; disagree, come amiss &c. 24; clash, jar, jostle,

community, body, fellowship, sodality, solidarity; con-, fraternity; brother-, sister-hood.

knot, gang, *clique*, ring, circle; *coterie*, club, *casino*. corporation, corporate body, guild; establishment, company; co-, partnership; firm, house; joint concern, joint-stock company.

society, association; instit-ute, -ution; union; trade-union; league, alliance, *Verein*, *Bund*, *Zollverein*, combination; league -, alliance- offensive and defensive; coalition; federation; confederation, -cy; junto, cabal, *camarilla*, *camorra*, *brigue*; freemasonry; party spirit &c. (*cooperation*) 709.

staff; *dramatis personæ*.

V. unite, join; club together &c. (*cooperate*) 709; cement -, form- a party &c. n.; associate &c. (*assemble*) 72.

Adj. in -league, -partnership, -alliance &c. n.

bonded -, banded -, linked &c. (*joined*) 43- together; embattled; confederated, federative, joint.

Adv. hand in hand, side by side, shoulder to shoulder, *en masse*.

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714. Concord. -N. concord, accord, harmony, symphony; agreement &c. 23; sympathy &c. (*love*) 897; response; union, unison, unity; bonds of harmony; peace &c. 721; unanimity &c. (*assent*) 488; league &c. 712; happy family.

rapprochement; *réunion*; amity &c. (*friendship*) 888; alliance, *entente cordiale*, good understanding, conciliation, peacemaker.

V. agree &c. 23; accord, harmonize with; fraternize; be -concordant &c. *adj.*; go hand in hand; run parallel &c. (*concur*) 178; understand one another; pull together &c. (*cooperate*) 709; put up one's horses together, sing in chorus.

side -, sympathize -, go -, chime in -, fall in- with; come round; be pacified &c. 723; assent &c. 488; enter into the -ideas, -feelings- of; reciprocate.

hurler avec les loups; go -, swim- with the stream.

keep in good humour, render accordant, put in tune; come to an understanding, meet half-way; keep the -, remain at-peace.

Adj. concordant, congenial; agreeing &c. v.; in- accord &c. n.; harmonious, united, cemented; banded together &c. 712; allied; friendly &c. 888; fraternal; conciliatory; at one with; of one mind &c. (*assent*) 488.

at peace, in still water; tranquil &c. (*pacific*) 721.

Adv. with one voice &c. (*assent*) 488; in concert with, hand in hand; on one's side.

pull different ways, conflict, have no measures with, misunderstand one another; live like cat and dog; differ; dissent &c. 489; have a -bone to pick, -crow to pluck- with.

fall out, quarrel, dispute; litigate; controvert &c. (*deny*) 536; squabble, wrangle, jangle, brangle, bicker, nag; spar &c. (*contend*) 720; have -words &c. n. with; fall foul of.

split; break -, break squares -, part company- with; declare war, try conclusions; join -, put in- issue; pick a quarrel, fasten a quarrel on; sow -, stir up- dissension &c. n.; embroil, entangle, disunite, widen the breach; set -at odds, -together by the ears; set -, pit- against.

get into hot water, fish in troubled waters, brawl; kick up a -row, -dust; turn the house out of window.

Adj. discordant; disagreeing &c. v.; out of tune, ajar, on bad terms; dissentient &c. 489; un-reconciled, -pacified quarrelsome, unpacific; gladiatorial, controversial, polemic, disputatious; factious; liti-gious, -gant; pettifogging.

at odds, at loggerheads, at daggers drawn, at variance, at issue, at cross purposes, at sixes and sevens, at feud, at high words; up in arms, together by the ears, in hot water, embroiled.

torn, disunited.

Phr. *quot homines tot sententia*; no love lost between them, *non nostrum tantas componere lites*.

715. Defiance.—**N.** defiance; daring &c. v.; challenge, *cartel*; threat &c. 909; war-cry, -whoop.

V. defy, dare, beard; brave &c. (*courage*) 861; bid defiance to; set at -defiance, -naught; hurl defiance at; dance the war dance; snap the fingers at, laugh to scorn; disobey &c. 742.

show -fight, -one's teeth, -a bold front; bluster, look big, stand akimbo; double -, shake- the fist; threaten &c. 909. -challenge, call out; throw -, fling- down the -gauntlet, -gage, -glove.

Adj. defiant; defying &c. v.; with arms akimbo. †

Adv. in -defiance, -the teeth- of; under one's very nose.

Int. do your worst! come if you dare! come on! marry come up!

Phr. *noli me tangere*; *nemo me impune lacessit*.

716. Attack.—**N.** attack; assault, -and battery; onset, onslaught, charge, aggression, offence; incursion, inroad, invasion; irruption; outbreak; *estrupade*, *ruade*; *coup de main*, *sally*, *sortie*, *camisade*, raid, foray; run -at, -against; dead set at.

storm, -ing; boarding, *escalade*; siege, investment, obsession, bombardment, cannonade.

fire, volley; platoon -, file- fire; *fusillade*; sharp-shooting, broadside; raking -, cross- fire; volley of grapeshot, *feu d'enfer*.

cut, thrust, lunge, pass, *passado*, *carte and tierce*, home thrust; *coup de bec*; kick, punch, &c. (*impulse*) 276.

battue, *razzia*, *Jacquerie*, *dragonnade*; devastation &c. 162.

717. Defence.—**N.** defence, protection, guard, ward; shielding &c. v.; propugnation; -preservation &c. 670; guardianship.

self-defence, -preservation; resistance &c. 719.

safeguard &c. (*safety*) 664; screen &c. (*shelter*) 666, (*concealment*) 530; fortification; muni-tion, -ment; bulwark, fosse, moat, ditch, intrenchment; dike, dyke; parapet, sunk fence, embankment, mound, mole, bank; earth-, field-work; fence, wall, dead wall, contravallation; paling &c. (*inclosure*) 232; palisade, haha, stockade, *stocado*; barri-er, -cade, boom; portcullis, *chevaux de frise*; aba-, abat-, abba-tis; *vallum*, circumvallation, battlement, rampart, scarp; e-, counter-scarp; glacis, casemate.

assailant, aggressor, invader.
base of operations, point of attack.

V. attack, assault, assail; set -, fall- upon; charge, impugn, break a lance with, enter the lists.

assume -, take- the offensive; be -, become- the aggressor; strike the first blow, throw the first stone at; lift a hand -, draw the sword- against; take up the cudgels; advance -, march- against; march upon, invade, harry; come on, show fight.

strike at, poke at, thrust at; aim -, deal- a blow at; give -, fetch- one a -blow, -kick; have a -cut, -shot, -fling, -shy- at; be down -, pounce- upon; fall foul of, pitch into, launch out against; bait, slap on the face; make a -thrust, -pass, -set, -dead set- at; bear down upon.

close with, come to close quarters, bring to bay.

ride full tilt against; let fly at, dash at, run a tilt at, rush at, tilt at, run at, fly at, have at, let out at; make a -dash, -rush at; attack tooth and nail; strike home; drive -, press- one hard; be hard upon, run down, strike at the root of.

lay about one, run a muck.

fire upon, -at, -a shot at; shoot at, pop at, level at, let off a gun at; open fire, pepper, bombard, shell, pour a broadside into; fire -a volley, -red-hot shot; spring a mine.

throw -a stone, -stones- at; stone, lapidate, pelt; hurl -at, -against, -at the head of.

beset, besiege, beleaguer; lay siege to, invest, open the trenches, plant a battery, sap, mine; storm, board, scale the walls.

cut and thrust, bayonet, butt; kick, strike, &c. (*impulse*) 276; whip &c. (*punish*) 972.

Adj. attacking &c. v.; aggressive, offensive, obdional.

up in arms.

Adv. on the offensive.

Int. 'up and at them!'

718. Retaliation.—**N.** retaliation, reprisal, retort; counter-stroke, -blast, -plot, -project; retribution, *lex talionis*; reciprocity &c. (*reciprocity*) 12.

tit for tat, give and take, blow for

butress, abutment; shore &c. (*support*) 215.

breastwork, *banquette*, curtain, mantlet, bastion, redan, ravelin; advanced -, horn -, out- work; barb-ican, -ican; redoubt; fort-elage, -alice; lines.

loop-hole, machicolation; sally-port. hold, stronghold, fastness; asylum &c. (*refuge*) 666; keep, donjon, fortress, citadel, capitol, castle; tower, -of strength; fort, barracoon, pah, scone, martello tower, peel-house, rath; wooden walls.

buffer, corner-stone, fender, apron, mask, gauntlet, thimble, carapace, armour, shield, buclier, *egis*, breastplate, cuirass, habergeon, mail, coat of mail, hauberk, lorication, helmet, casque, *picket-haube*, csako, shako, bearskin; panoply; truncheon &c. (*weapon*) 727.

garrison, picket, piquet; defender, protector; guardian &c. (*safety*) 664; body guard, champion; knight-errant, Paladin; propugner.

V. defend, forfend, fend; shield, screen, shroud; fence round &c. (*circumscribe*) 229; fence, intrench; guard &c. (*keep safe*) 664; guard against; take care of &c. (*vigilance*) 459; bear harmless; keep -, ward -, beat- off; hinder &c. 706.

parry, repel, propugn, put to flight; give a warm reception to [ironical]; hold -, keep- at -bay, -arm's length.

stand -, act- on the defensive; show fight; maintain -, stand- one's ground; stand by; hold one's own, bear -, stand- the brunt; fall back upon, hold, stand in the gap.

Adj. defending &c. v.; defensive; mural; armed, -at all points, -cap-à- pie, -to the teeth; panoplied; iron-plated, -clad; loop-holed, castellated, machicolated, casemated; defended &c. v.; proof against.

Adv. defensively; on the -defence, -defensive; in defence; at bay, *pro aris et focis*.

Int. no surrender!

Phr. defence not defiance.

719. Resistance.—**N.** resist-ance, stand, front, oppugnation; opposi-tion &c. 708; renitence, reluctance, recalcitration; kicking &c. v. repulse, rebuff.

insurrection &c. (*disobedience*) 742;

blow, *quid pro quo*, a Rowland for an Oliver, measure for measure, diamond cut diamond, the biter bit. a game at which two can play.

recrimination &c. (*accusation*) 938; revenge &c. 919; compensation &c. 30; reaction &c. (*recoil*) 277.

V. retaliate, retort, turn upon; pay off, - back; pay in -one's own, - the same coin; cap; reciprocate &c. 148; turn the tables upon, return the compliment; give -a *quid pro quo* &c. *n.*, - as much as one takes; give and take, exchange fisticuffs; be -quits, - even- with; pay off old scores.

serve one right, be hoist on one's own petard, throw a stone in one's own garden, catch a Tartar.

Adj. retaliating &c. *v.*; retalia-tory, -tive.

Adv. in retaliation; *en revanche*.

Phr. *mutato nomine de te fabula narratur*; *par pari refero*; *tu quoque*; you're another; *suo sibi gladio hunc jugulo*.

calcitrant, -nitent, -pulsive, -pellant; up in arms.

proof against; unconquerable &c. (*strong*) 159; stubborn, unconquered; indomitable &c. (*persevering*) 604a; unyielding &c. (*obstinate*) 606.

Int. hands off! keep off!

720. Contention.—**N.** contention, strife; contest, -ation; struggle; belligerency; opposition &c. 708.

controversy, polemics; debate &c. (*discus* *m*) 476; war of words, logomachy, litigation; paper war; high words &c. (*quarrel*) 713; sparring &c. *v.* competition, rivalry; corival-ry, -ship; agonism, *concours*, match, race, horse-racing, heat, steeple-chase, handicap; regatta; field-day; sham fight, Derby day; turf, sporting, bull-fight, tauro-machy.

wrestling, pugilism, boxing, fisticuffs, spar, mill, set-to, round, bout, event; prize-fighting; quarter-staff, single stick; gladiatorship, gymnastics; athletic-s, - sports; games of skill &c. 840. shindy; *fracas* &c. (*discord*) 713; clash of arms; tussle, scuffle, broil, fray; affray, -ment; velitation; col-, luctation; brabble, *brigue*, scramble, *mêlée*, scrimmage, bush-fighting.

free -, stand up -, hand to hand -, running- fight.

conflict, skirmish; ren-, en-counter; *rencontre*, collision, affair, brush, fight; battle, - royal; combat, action, engagement, joust, tournament; tilt, -ing; tournay, list; pitched battle.

strike; turn -, lock -, barring- out; *levée en masse*, *Jacquerie*; riot &c. (*disorder*) 59.

V. resist; not -submit &c. 725; repugn, reluctant, withstand; stand up -, strive -, bear up -, be proof -, make head- against; stand, - firm, - one's ground, -the brunt of, -out; hold -one's ground, - one's own, - out.

breast the -wave, - current; stem the -tide, - torrent; face, confront, grapple with; show a bold front &c. (*courage*) 861; present a front; make a -, take one's- stand.

kick, - against; recalcitrate, lick against the pricks; oppose &c. 708; fly in the face of; lift the hand against &c. (*attack*) 716; rise up in arms &c. (*war*) 722; strike, turn out; draw up a round robin &c. (*remonstrate*) 932; revolt &c. (*disobey*) 742; make a riot.

prendre le mors aux dents; take the bit between the teeth; sell one's life dearly, die hard, keep at bay; repel, repulse.

Adj. resisting &c. *v.*; resist-ive, -ant; refractory &c. (*disobedient*) 742; re-

calcitrant, -nitent, -pulsive, -pellant; up in arms.

proof against; unconquerable &c. (*strong*) 159; stubborn, unconquered; indomitable &c. (*persevering*) 604a; unyielding &c. (*obstinate*) 606.

721. Peace.—**N.** peace; amity &c. (*friendship*) 888; harmony &c. (*concord*) 714; tranquillity &c. (*quiescence*) 265; truce &c. (*pacification*) 723; pipe -, calumet- of peace.

piping time of peace, quiet life; neutrality.

V. be at peace; keep the peace &c. (*concord*) 714; make peace &c. 723.

Adj. pacific; peace-able, -ful; calm, tranquil, untroubled, haleyon: bloodless.

Phr. the storm blown over: the lion lies down with the lamb.

death-struggle, struggle for life or death, Armageddon; hard knocks, sharp contest, tug of war.

naval engagement, *naumachia*, sea-fight.

duel, -lo; single combat, monomachy, satisfaction, *passage d'armes*, passage of arms, affair of honour; triangular duel; hostile meeting, digladiation; appeal to arms &c. (*warfare*) 722.

deeds -, feats- of arms; pugnacity; combativeness &c. *adj.*; bone of contention &c. 713.

V. contend; contest, strive, struggle, scramble, wrestle; spar, square; exchange -blows, - fisticuffs; fib, justle, tussle, tilt, box, stave, fence; skirmish; fight &c. (*war*) 722; wrangle &c. (*quarrel*) 713.

contend &c. -, grapple -, engage -, close -, buckle -, handy -, try conclusions -, have a brush &c. *n.* -, tilt- with; encounter, fall foul of, pitch into, clapperclaw, run a tilt at; oppose &c. 708; reluct.

join issue, come to blows, go to loggerheads, set to, come to the scratch, exchange shots, measure swords, meet hand to hand; take up the -cudgels, - glove, - gauntlet; enter the lists; couch one's lance; give satisfaction; appeal to arms &c. (*warfare*) 722.

lay about one; break the peace.

compete -, cope -, vie -, race- with; outvie, emulate; run a race; contend &c. -, stipulate -, stickle- for; insist upon, make a point of.

Adj. contending &c. *v.*; together by the ears, at loggerheads, at war, at issue.

competitive, rival; belligerent; contentious, combative, bellicose, unpeaceful; warlike &c. 722; quarrelsome &c. 901; pugnacious; pugilistic, gladiatorial; paestric, -al

Phr. *a verbis ad verbera*; a word and a blow.

722. Warfare.—**N.** warfare; fighting &c. *v.*; hostilities; war, arms, the sword; Mars, Bellona, grim visaged war, *horrida bella*.

appeal to -arms, - the sword; ordeal -, wager- of battle; *ultima ratio regum*, arbitrament of the sword.

battle array, campaign, crusade, expedition; mobilization; state of siege; battle-field &c. (*arena*) 728.

art of war, tactics, strategy, castration; general-, soldier-ship; military evolutions, ballistics, gunnery; chivalry; gunpowder, shot.

battle, tug of war, &c. (*contention*) 720; service, campaigning, active service, tented field; fire-cross, trumpet, clarion, bugle, pibroch, slogan; war-cry, -whoop; battle cry, beat of drum, rappel, tom-tom; calumet of war; word of command; pass-, watch-word.

war to the -death, - knife; *guerre à mort*, - outrance; open -, internecine -, civil-war.

V. arm; raise -, mobilize- troops; raise up in arms; take up the cudgels &c. 720; take up -, fly to -, appeal to -arms, - the sword; draw -, unsheathe-

723. Pacification.—**N.** pacification, conciliation; reconcil-iation, -ement; shaking of hands, accommodation, arrangement, adjustment; terms, compromise; amnesty, deed of release.

peace - offering; olive - branch; calumet -, preliminaries- of peace.

truce, armistice; suspension of -arms, - hostilities; breathing-time; convention; flag of truce, white flag, *parlementaire*, *cartel*.

hollow truce, *par in bello*; drawn battle

V. pacify, tranquillize, compose; allay &c. (*moderate*) 174; reconcile, propitiate, placate, conciliate, meet halfway, hold out the olive-branch, heal the breach, make peace, restore harmony, bring to terms.

settle -, arrange -, accommodate- matters, - differences; set straight; make up a quarrel, *tantas componere lites*; come to -an understanding, - terms; bridge over, hush up; make -it, - matters- up; shake hands.

raise a siege; put up -, sheathe- the sword; bury the hatchet, lay down one's arms, turn swords into ploughshares;

the sword; dig up the hatchet; go to -, declare -, wage -, let slip the dogs of war; cry havoc; kindle -, light the torch of war; raise one's banner, - the fire-cross; hoist the black flag; throw -, fling away the scabbard; enrol, enlist; take the field; take the law into one's own hands; do -, give -, join -, engage in -, go to battle; flesh one's sword; set to, fall to, engage, measure swords with, draw the trigger, cross swords; come to -blows, - close quarters; fight; combat; contend &c. 720; battle -, break a lance with. serve -, be on -service, - active service; campaign; wield the sword, shoulder a musket, smell powder. be under the fire; spill -, imbrue the hands in - blood.

carry on -war, - hostilities; keep the field; fight the good fight; fight it out, - like devils, - one's way, - hand to hand; sell one's life dearly.

Adj. conten-ding, -tious, &c. 720; armed, - to the teeth, - cap-à-pie; sword in hand; in -, under -, up in - arms; at war with; bristling with arms; in -battle array, - open arms, - the field; embattled.

unpacific, unpeaceful; belligerent, combative, armigerous, bellicose, martial, warlike; mili-tary, -tant; soldier-like, -ly; chivalrous; strategical, internecine.

Adv. *flagrante bello*, in the -thick of the fray, - cannon's mouth; at the -sword's point, - point of the bayonet.

Int. *ve victis!* to arms! to your tents O Israel!

Phr. the battle rages.

724. Mediation.—**N.** media-tion, -torship, -tization; inter-vention, -position, -ference, -meddling, -cession; parley, negotiation, arbitration; flag of truce &c. 723; good offices, peace-offering; diploma-tics, -cy; compromise &c. 774.

mediator, intercessor, peacemaker, make-peace, negotiator, go-between; diplomatist &c. (*consignee*) 758; moderator.

V. media-te, -tize; inter-cede, -pose, -fere, -vene; step in, negotiate; meet half-way; arbitrate; *magnas componere lites*.

Adj. mediatory.

725. Submission.—**N.** submission, yielding; non-resistance; obedience &c. 743.

surrender, cession, capitulation, resignation.

obeisance, homage, kneeling, genuflexion, courtesy, curtsy, *kotou*, prostratation.

V. succumb, submit, yield, bend, resign.

lay down -, deliver up- one's arms; lower -, haul down -, strike one's -flag, - colours.

surrender, - at discretion; cede, capitulate, come to terms, retreat, beat a retreat; draw in one's horns &c. (*humility*) 879; give -way, - ground, - in, - up; cave in; suffer judgment by default; bend, - to one's yoke, - before the storm; reel back; bend - knuckle- -down, - to, - under; knock under.

eat -dirt, - the leek, - humble pie; bite -, lick- the dust; be -, fall at one's feet; craven; crouch before, throw oneself at the feet of; swallow the -leek, - pill; kiss the rod; turn the other cheek; *avaler les cou-leuvres*, gulp down.

obey &c. 743; kneel to, bow to, pay homage to, cringe to, truckle to; bend the -neck, - knee; kneel, fall on one's knees, bow submission, courtesy, curtsy, *kotou*.

pocket the affront; make -the best of, - a virtue of necessity; grin and abide, shrug the shoulders, resign oneself; submit with a good grace &c. (*bear with*) 826.

Adj. surrendering &c. v.; submissive, resigned, crouching; down-trodden; down on one's marrow bones; on one's banded knee; un-, non-resisting; pliant &c. (*soft*) 324; undefended.

untenable, indefensible; humble &c. 879.

Phr. have it your own way; it can't be helped; amen &c. (*assent*) 488.

726. Combatant.—**N.** combatant; disputant, controversialist, polemic, litigant, belligerent; competitor, rival, corival; fighter, assailant; champion, Paladin; moss-trooper, swashbuckler, fire-eater, duellist, bully, bludgeon-man, rough, fighting-man, prize-fighter, pugilist, boxer, bruiser, the fancy, gladiator, athlete, wrestler; fighting-, game-cock; swordsman, *sabreur*.

warrior, soldier, Amazon, man-at-arms, armigerent; campaigner, veter-
ran; red-coat, military man, *rajput*.

armed force, troops, soldiery, military, forces, sabaath, the army, stand-
ing army, regulars, the line, troops of the line, militia, yeomanry, volun-
teers, trainband, fencible; auxiliary -, reserve- forces; reserves, *posse*
comitatus, national guard, *gendarme*, beefeater; guards, -man; yeomen
of the guard, life guards, household troops.

janissary; myrmidon; Mama, Mame-luke; spahee, *spahi*, Cossack,
Croat, Pandour; irregular. *franc-tireur*, *bashi-bazouk*, *guerilla condot-
tiere*; mercenary.

levy, draught; *Land-wehr*, -*sturm*; conscript, recruit, cadet, raw levies.

private, - soldier; rank and file, peon, trooper, sepoy, *légionnaire*, le-
gionary, food for powder; officer &c. (*commander*) 745; subaltern, ensign,
standard bearer; spear-, pike-man; halberdier, lancer; musketeer, cara-
bineer, rifleman, sharpshooter, yager, skirmisher; grenadier, fusileer;
archer, Bowman.

horse and foot; horse -, foot- soldier; cavalry, horse, artillery, horse-
artillery, infantry, light horse, *voltigeur*, *Uhlán*, mounted rifles, dragoon,
hussar; light -, heavy- dragoon; heavy; *cuirassier*; gunner, cannoneer,
bombardier, artilleryman, matross; sapper, - and miner; engineer; light
infantry, rifles, *chasseur*, *zouave*; military train, coolie.

army, *corps d'armée*, host, division, battalia, column, wing, detach-
ment, garrison, flying column, brigade, regiment, *corps*, battalion, squad-
ron, company, platoon, battery, subdivision, section, squad; piquet,
picket, guard, rank, file; legion, phalanx, cohort; cloud of skirmishers.

war-horse, charger *destrier*.

marine, man of war's man, &c. (*sailor*) 269; navy, wooden walls,
naval forces, fleet, flotilla, armada, squadron.

man-of-war; H. M. S.; line-of-battle ship, ship of the line, iron-clad,
turret-ship, ram, Monitor, floating battery; first-rate, frigate, sloop of
war, gunboat, bomb-vessel; flag-ship, guard ship, cruiser; privateer;
tender; store -, troop- ship; transport, catamaran.

727. Arms.—**N.** arm, -s; weapon, deadly weapon; arma-ment,
-ture; panoply, stand of arms; armour &c. (*defence*) 717; armoury &c.
(*store*) 636.

ammunition; powder, - and shot; gunpowder, cartridge; ball cart-
ridge, *cartouche*, fire-ball; 'villanous saltpetre.'

sword, sabre, broadsword, cutlass, falchion, scimitar, cimeter, brand, whinyard, bilbo, glaive, glave, rapier, skean, Toledo, Ferrara, tuck, claymore, creese, kris, dagger, dirk, hanger, poniard, stiletto, stylet, dudgeon, bayonet; sword-bayonet, -stick; side arms, foil, blade, steel; axe, bill; pole-, battle-axe; gisarm, balberd, partisan, tomahawk, bowie-knife; at-, att-, yat-aghan; yatachan; ass-agais, -eguay; good -, trusty -, naked-sword; cold steel.

club, mace, truncheon, staff, bludgeon, cudgel, life-preserver, shillelah; hand-, quarter-staff; bat, cane, stick, knuckle-duster.

gun, piece; fire-arms; artillery, ordnance; siege -, battering- train; park, battery; cannon, gun of position, heavy gun, field piece, mortar, howitzer, carronade, culverin, basilisk; falconet, jingal, swivel, *pederero*, *bouche à feu*; petard, torpedo; *mitrailleu-r*-, *se*; infernal machine, smooth bore, rifled cannon; Armstrong -, Lancaster -, Paixhan -, Whitworth -, Parrott -, Krupp- gun.

small arms; musket, -ry, firelock, fowling-piece, rifle, *fusil*, caliver, carbine, blunderbus, musketoon, Brown Bess, matchlock, harquebuss, *arquebuse*, haguebut; pistol, -et; petronel; smallbore; breach-, muzzle-loader; revolver, repeater; Minié -, Enfield -, Westley Richards -, Snider -, Martini-Henry- rifle; needle-gun, *chassepot*; wind-, air-gun.

bow, cross-bow, balister, catapult, sling; battering-ram &c. (*impulse*) 276; gunnery; ballistics &c. (*propulsion*) 284.

missile, bolt, projectile, shot, ball; grape; grape -, canister -, bar -, cannon -, langrel -, langrage -, round -, chain-shot; bullet, slug, stone, brickbat, grenade, shell, bomb, carcass, rocket; congreve, - rocket; shrapnel, *mitraille*; thunderbolt.

pike, lance, spear, spontoon, javelin, dart, djerrid, arrow, reed, shaft, bolt, boomerang, harpoon, gaff.

728. Arena.—*n.* arena, field, platform; scene of action, theatre; walk, course; hustings; stage, boards, &c. (*playhouse*) 599; amphitheatre; Coli-, Colos-seum; Flavian amphitheatre, hippodrome, circus, race-course, *corso*, turf, cockpit, bear-garden, playground, *gymnasium*, *palaestra*, ring, lists; tilt-yard, -ing ground *Campus Martius*, *Champ de Mars*.

theatre -, seat- of war; battle-field, -ground; field of -battle, -slaughter; Aeldama, camp; the enemy's camp; trysting-place &c. (*place of meeting*) 74.

Section V. RESULTS OF VOLUNTARY ACTION.

729. Completion.—*n.* completion; accomplish-, achieve-, fulfilment; performance, execution; des-, dis-patch; consummation, culmination; finish, conclusion; close &c. (*end*) 67; terminus &c. (*arrival*) 292; winding up; *finale*, *denouement*, catastrophe, issue, upshot, result; final -, last -, crowning -, finishing-, -touch, - stroke; last finish, *coup de grace*; crowning of the edifice; coping-, key-stone; superstructure, *ne plus ultra*, work done, *fait accompli*.
elaboration; finality; completeness &c. 52.

v. effect, -uate; accomplish, achieve, 238

730. Non-Completion.—*n.* non-completion, -fulfilment; shortcoming &c. 304; incompleteness &c. 53; drawn -battle, - game; work of Penelope

non-performance, inexecution; neglect &c. 460.

v. not -complete &c. 729; leave unfinished &c. *adj.*, - undone; neglect &c. 460; let -alone, - slip; lose sight of.

fall short of &c. 304; do things by halves, scotch the snake not kill it; hang fire; be slow to; collapse &c. 304.

Adj. not completed &c. *v.*; incomplete &c. 53; uncompleted, unfinished,

compass, consummate, nammer out; bring to -maturity, - perfection; perfect; complete; elaborate.

do, execute, make; go -, get-through; work out, enact; bring -about, - to bear, - to pass, - through, - to a head.

des-, dis-patch; knock -, finish -, polish-off; make short work of; dispose of, set at rest; perform, discharge, fulfil, realize; put in -practice, - force; carry-out, - into effect. - into execution; make good; be as good as one's word.

do thoroughly, not do by halves, go the whole hog; be in at the death &c. (*persevere*) 604a; carry through, play out, exhaust.

finish, bring to a close, &c. (*end*) 67; wind up, stamp, clinch, seal, set the seal on, put the seal to; give the -final touch &c. *n.* to: put the -last, - finishing-hand to; crown, - all; cap.

ripen, culminate; come to a -head, - crisis; come to its end; die -a natural death, - of old age; run -its course, - one's race; touch -, reach -, attain- the goal; reach &c. (*arrive*) 292; get in the harvest.

Adj. completing, final: concluding-, -sive; crowning &c. *v.*: exhaustive.

done, completed, &c. *v.*; done for, sped, wrought out; highly wrought &c. (*preparation*) 673; thorough &c. 52; ripe &c. (*ready*) 673.

Adv. completely &c. (*thoroughly*) 52; to crown all, out of hand.

Phr. the race is run; *actum est*; *finis coronat opus*; *consummatum est*; *c'en est fait*; it is all over; the game is played out, the bubble has burst.

731. Success.—*n.* success, -fulness; speed; advance &c. (*progress*) 282.

trump card; hit, stroke; lucky -, fortunate -, good- hit, - stroke; bold -, master-stroke; *coup de maître*, checkmate; half the battle, prize; profit &c. (*acquisition*) 775.

continued success; good fortune &c. (*prosperity*) 734; time well spent.

advantage over; upper-, whip-hand; ascendancy, mastery; expugnation, conquest, victory, subdual: subjugation &c. (*subjection*) 749.

triumph &c. (*exultation*) 884; proficiency &c. (*skill*) 698; conqueror, victor; master of the -situation, - position.

v. succeed; be -successful &c. *adj.*; gain one's -end, - ends; crown with success.

gain -, attain-, carry -, secure -, win-a point, - an object; manage to, contrive to; accomplish &c. (*effect. complete*) 729; do -, work-wonders.

come off -well, - successful, - with flying colours; make short work of; take -, carry- by storm; bear away the bell; win -one's spurs, - the battle; win

unaccomplished, unperformed, unexecuted; sketchy, adtle.

in progress, in hand; going on, proceeding; on one's hands.

Adv. re infecta.

732. Failure.—*n.* failure; non-success, -fulfilment; dead failure, successlessness; abortion, miscarriage; *brutum fulmen* &c. 158; labour in vain &c. (*inutility*) 645; no go; inefficacy; inefficaciousness &c. *adj.*; vain -, ineffectual -, abortive -attempt, - efforts; flash in the pan, 'lame and impotent conclusion'; frustration; slip 'twixt cup and lip &c. (*disappointment*) 509.

blunder &c. (*mistake*) 495; fault, omission, miss, oversight, slip, trip, stumble, claudication, footfall; false -, wrong-step; *faux pas*, titubation, *bévue*, *faute*, lurch; botchery &c. (*want of skill*) 699; scrape, mess, *fiasco*, breakdown.

mishap &c. (*misfortune*) 735; split, collapse, smash, blow, explosion.

repulse, rebuff, defeat, rout, overthrow, discomfiture; beating, drubbing; *quietus*, nonsuit, subjugation; check-, stale-, fool's-mate.

fall, downfall, ruin, perdition; wreck &c. (*destruction*) 162; death-blow; bankruptcy &c. (*non-payment*) 808.

losing game, *affaire flambée*.
victim; bankrupt.

v. fail; be -unsuccessful &c. *adj.*;
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