

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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-, carry -, gain- the -day, - prize, - palm; have -the best of it, - it all one's own way, - the game in one's own hands, - the ball at one's feet, - one on the hip; walk over the course; carry all before one, remain in possession of the field.

speed; make progress &c. (*advance*) 282; win -, make -, work -, find -one's way; strive to some purpose; prosper &c. 734; drive a roaring trade; make profit &c. (*acquire*) 775; reap -, gather -the -fruits, - benefit of, - harvest; make one's fortune, get in the harvest, turn to good account; turn to account &c. (*use*) 677.

triumph, be triumphant; gain -, obtain -a victory, - an advantage; chain victory to one's car.

surmount -, overcome -, get over -a difficulty, - an obstacle &c. 706; *se tirer d'affaire*; make head against; stem the -torrent, - tide, - current; weather -the storm, - a point; turn a corner, keep one's head above water, tide over; master; get -, have -, gain- the -better of, - best of, - upper hand, - ascendancy, - whip hand, - start of; distance; surpass &c. (*superiority*) 33.

defeat, conquer, vanquish, discomfit; over-come, -throw, -power, -master, -match, -set, -ride, -reach; out-wit, -do, -flank, -manœuvre, -general, -vote; take the wind out of one's adversary's sails; beat, - hollow; rout, lick, drub, floor, worst; out -down, - to flight, - to the rout, - *hors de combat*, - out of court.

silence, quell, nonsuit, checkmate, upset, confound, nonplus, stalemate, trump; baffle &c. (*hinder*), 706; circumvent, elude; trip up, - the heels of; drive -into a corner, - to the wall; run hard, put one's nose out of joint.

settle, do for; break the -neck of, -back of; capsize, sink, shipwreck, drown, swamp; subdue; subjugate &c. (*subject*) 749; reduce; make the enemy bite the dust; victimize, roll in the dust, trample under foot, put an extinguisher upon.

answer, - the purpose; avail, prevail, take effect, do, turn out well, work well, take, tell, bear fruit; hit -it - the mark, - the right nail on the head; nick it; turn up trumps, make a hit; find one's account in.

Adj. succeeding &c. v.; successful;

not -succeed &c. 731; make -vain efforts &c. n.; do -, labour -, toil-in vain; lose one's labour, take nothing by one's motion; bring to naught, make nothing of; wash a blackamoor white &c. (*impossible*) 471; roll the stone of Sisyphus &c. (*useless*) 645; do by halves &c. (*not complete*) 730; lose ground &c. (*recede*) 283; fall short of &c. 304.

miss, - one's aim, - the mark, - one's footing, - stays; slip, trip, stumble; make a -slip &c. n., - blunder &c. 495, - mess of, - botch of; bitch it, miscarry, abort, go up like a rocket and come down like the stick, reckon without one's host; get the wrong sow by the ear &c. (*blunder, mismanage*) 699.

limp, halt, hobble, titubate; fall, tumble; lose one's balance; fall -to the ground, - between two stools; flounder, falter, stick in the mud, run aground, split upon a rock; run -, knock -, dash -one's head against a stone wall; break one's back; break down, sink, drown, founder, have the ground cut from under one; get into -trouble, -a mess, -a scrape; come to grief &c. (*adversity*) 735; go to -the wall, - the dogs, - pot; lick -, bite -the dust; be -defeated &c. 731; have the worst of it, lose the day, come off second best, lose; fall a prey to; succumb &c. (*submit*) 725; not have a leg to stand on.

come to nothing, end in smoke; fall -to the ground, - through, - stillborn, -flat; slip through one's fingers; hang -, miss -fire; flash in the pan, collapse; topple down &c. (*descent*) 306; go to wrack and ruin &c. (*destruction*) 162.

go amiss, go wrong, go cross, go hard with, go on a wrong tack; go on -, come off -, turn out -, work -ill; take -a wrong, - an ugly -turn.

be all -over with, - up with; explode; dash one's hopes &c. (*disappoint*) 509; defeat the purpose; sow the wind and reap the whirlwind, jump out of the frying pan into the fire.

Adj. unsuccessful, successless; failing, tripping, &c. v.; at fault; unfortunate &c. 735.

abortive, addle, stillborn; fruitless, bootless; ineffectual, -ive; inefficient &c. (*impotent*) 158; inefficacious; lame, hobbling, *décousu*; insufficient &c. 640; unavailing &c. (*useless*) 645.

prosperous &c. 734; triumphant; flushed -, crowned-with success; victorious; set up; in the ascendant; unbeaten &c. (*see beat &c. v.*); well-spent; felicitous, effective, in full swing.

Adv. successfully &c. *adj.*; with flying colours, in triumph, swimmingly; à merveille, beyond all hope; to some -, to good -purpose; to one's heart's content.

Phr. *veni vidi vici*, the day being one's own, one's star in the ascendant; *omne tulit punctum*.

stultified, befooled, dished, sacrificed.

wide of the mark &c. (*error*) 495; out of one's reckoning &c. (*inexpectation*) 508; left in the lurch; thrown away &c. (*wasted*) 638; unattained; uncompleted &c. 730.

Adv. unsuccessfully &c. *adj.*; to little or no purpose, in vain, *re infectâ*.

Phr. the bubble has burst, the game is up, all is lost; the devil to pay; *parturiunt montes &c.* (*disappointment*) 509.

733. Trophy.—**N.** trophy; medal, prize, palm; laurel, -s; bays, crown, chaplet, wreath, civic crown; insignia &c. 550; feather in one's cap &c. (*honour*) 873; decoration &c. 877; garland, triumphal arch. triumph &c. (*celebration*) 883; flying colours &c. (*show*) 882. *monumentum ære perennius*.

734. Prosperity.—**N.** prosperity, welfare, well-being; affluence &c. (*wealth*) 803; success &c. 731; thrift, roaring trade; good -, smiles of -fortune; blessings, godsend.

luck; good -, run of -luck; sunshine; fair -weather, - wind; palmy -, bright -, halcyon -days; piping times, tide, flood, high tide.

Saturnia regna, Saturnian age; golden -time, - age; bed of roses; fat of the land, milk and honey, loaves and fishes.

made man, lucky dog, *enfant gâté*, spoiled child of fortune.

upstart, *parvenu*, skipjack, mushroom.

V. prosper, thrive, flourish; be -prosperous &c. *adj.*; drive a roaring trade; go on -well, - smoothly, - swimmingly; sail before the wind, swim with the tide; run -smooth, - smoothly, - on all fours.

rise -, get on -in the world; work -, make -one's way; look up; lift -, raise -one's head, make one's fortune, feather one's nest.

aground, grounded, swamped, stranded, cast away, wrecked, foundered, capsized, shipwrecked, non-suited; foiled; defeated &c. 731; struck -, borne -, broken- down; down-trodden: overborne, -whelmed; all up with.

lost, undone, ruined, broken; bankrupt &c. (*not paying*) 808; played out; done -up, - for; dead beat, ruined root and branch, *flambé*, knocked on the head; destroyed &c. 162.

frustrated, crossed, unhinged, disconcerted, dashed; thrown -off one's balance, - on one's back, - on one's beam ends; unhorsed, in a sorry plight.

hoist on one's own petard: victimized,

pressure of the times, iron age, evil day, time out of joint; hard -, bad -, sad-times; rainy day, cloud, dark cloud, gathering clouds, ill wind; visitation, infliction; affliction &c. (*painfulness*) 830; bitter pill; care, trial; the sport of fortune.

trouble, hardship, curse, blight, blast, load, pressure.

mis-hap, -chance, -adventure, -fortune; disaster, calamity, catastrophe; accident, casualty, cross, reverse, check, *contretemps*, rub.

losing game; falling &c. v.; fall, down-fall; ruin-ation, -ousness; undoing; extremity; ruin &c. (*destruction*) 162.

flower, blow, blossom, bloom, fructify, bear fruit, fatten.

keep oneself afloat; keep -, hold-one's head above water; light -, fall-on one's -legs, -feet; drop into a good thing; bear a charmed life; bask in the sunshine; have a -good, -fine-time of it; have a run, -of luck; have the -good fortune &c. *n.* to; take a favourable turn; live-on the fat of the land, -in clover.

Adj. prosperous; thriving &c. *v.*; in a fair way, buoyant; well-off, -to do, -to do in the world; set up, at one's ease; rich &c. 803; in good case; in -full, -high-feather; fortunate, lucky, in luck; born-with a silver spoon in one's mouth, -under a lucky star.

auspicious, propitious, providential. palmy, halcyon; agreeable &c. 829; *couleur de rose*.

Adv. prosperously &c. *adj.*; swimmingly; as good luck would have it; beyond all hope.

Phr. one's star in the ascendant, all for the best, one's course runs smooth.

Phr. one's star is on the wane; one's luck -turns, -fails; the game is up, one's doom is sealed, the ground crumbles under one's feet, *sic transit gloria mundi, tant va la cruche à l'eau qu'à la fin elle se casse*.

736. Mediocrity.—**n.** moderate -, average-circumstances; respectability; middle classes; mediocrity; golden mean &c. (*mid-course*) 628, (*moderation*) 174.

v. jog on; go -, get on- -fairly, -quietly, -peaceably, -tolerably, -respectably.

DIVISION (II.) INTERSOCIAL VOLITION.*

Section I. GENERAL INTERSOCIAL VOLITION.

737. Authority.—**n.** authority; influence, patronage, power, preponderance, credit, *prestige*, prerogative, jurisdiction; right &c. (*title*) 924.

divine right, dynastic rights, authoritativeness; absolut-eness, -ism; despotism; *jus nocendi*.

command, empire, sway, rule; dominion, -ation; sovereignty, supremacy, suzerainty; lord-, head-ship; chiefdom;

v. be -ill off &c. *adj.*: go hard with; fall on evil, -days; go on ill; not -prosper &c. 734.

go-downhill; -to rack and ruin &c. (*destruction*) 162, -to the dogs; fall, -from one's high estate; decay, sink, decline, go down in the world; have seen better days; bring down one's grey hairs with sorrow to the grave; come to grief; be all-over, -up-with; bring a-wasp's, -hornet's-nest about one's ears.

Adj. unfortunate, unblest, unhappy, unlucky; im-, un-prosperous; luck-, hapless; out of luck; in trouble, in a bad way, in an evil plight; under a cloud; clouded; ill -, badly-off; in adverse circumstances; poor &c. 804; behind-hand, down in the world, decayed, undone; on the road to ruin, on its last legs, on the wane; in one's utmost need.

planet-struck, devoted; born-under an evil star, -with a wooden ladle in one's mouth; ill-fated, -starred, -omened. adverse, untoward; disastrous, calamitous, ruinous, dire, deplorable.

Adv. if the worst come to the worst, as ill luck would have it, from bad to worse, out of the frying pan into the fire.

738. [Absence of authority] Laxity.—**n.** laxity; lax-, loose-, slack-ness; toleration &c. (*lenity*) 740; freedom &c. 748.

anarchy, interregnum; relaxation; loosening &c. *v.*; remission: dead letter, *brutum fulmen*, misrule; licence, licentiousness; insubordination &c. (*disobedience*) 742; lynch law &c. (*ill-gality*) 964.

* Implying the action of the will of one mind over the will of another.

seignior-y, -ity; master-y, -ship, -dom; government &c. (*direction*) 693; diction, control.

hold, grasp; grip, -e; reach; iron sway &c. (*severity*) 739; fangs, clutches, talons; rod of empire &c. (*sceptre*) 747.

reign, régime, dynasty; director-, dictator-ship; protector-ate, -ship; caliphate, pashawlic, electorate; presidency, -tship; administration; pro-, consul-ship; prefecture; seneschalship; magistrature, -cy.

empire; monarchy; king-hood, -ship; royalty, regality; arist-archy, -ocracy; oligarchy, democracy, demagogu; republic, -anism; socialism; mob law, mobocracy, ochlocracy; *vox populi, imperium in imperio*; bureaucracy; beadle-, bumble-dom; stratocracy; military-power, -government; feodality, feudal system, feudalism.

Thearchy, dinarchy; du-, tri-, heter-archy; du-, tri-umvirate; auto-cracy, -nomy; limited monarchy; constitutional-governement, -monarchy.

gyn-archy, -ocracy, -æocracy; petticoat government.

[Vicarious authority] commission &c. 755; deputy &c. 759; permission &c. 760.

state, realm, body politic, *posse comitatus*.

person in authority &c. (*master*) 745; judicature &c. 965; cabinet &c. (*council*) 696; seat of-governement, -authority; head-quarters.

[Acquisition of authority] accession; installation &c. 755.

v. authorize &c. (*permit*) 760; warrant &c. (*right*) 924; dictate &c. (*order*) 741; have -, hold -, possess -, exercise -, exert -, wield-authority &c. *n.*

be-at the head of &c. *adj.*; hold -, be in -, fill an-office; hold -, occupy-a post; be -master &c. 745.

rule, sway, command, control, administer; govern &c. (*direct*) 693; lead, preside over, reign; possess -, be seated on -, occupy-the throne; sway -, wield-the sceptre; wear the crown.

have -, get-the -upper, -whip-hand; gain a hold upon, preponderate, dominate, rule the roast; over-ride, -rule, -awe; lord it over, hold in hand, keep under, make a puppet of, lead by the nose, turn round one's little finger, bend to one's will, hold one's own, wear the breeches; have -the ball at one's feet, -it all one's own way, -the game in one's own hand, -on the hip, -under one's thumb; be master of the situation; take the lead, play first fiddle, set the fashion; give the law to; carry with a high hand; lay down the law; 'ride the whirlwind and direct the storm'; rule with a rod of iron &c. (*severity*) 739.

ascend -, mount-the throne; take the reins, -into one's hand; assume-authority &c. *n.*, -the reins of government; take -, assume-the-command.

be governed by, be in the power of.

Adj. ruling &c. *v.*; regnant, at the head, dominant, paramount, supreme, predominant, preponderant, in the ascendant, influential; gubernatorial; imperious; authoritative, executive, administrative, clothed with authority, official, *ex officio*, imperative, peremptory,