

APPENDIX A:

“EMOLUMENT” IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE DICTIONARIES, 1604-1806

Royal English Dictionary;

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E N G L I S H L A N G U A G E.

C O N T A I N I N G,
I. A FULL EXPLANATION of all the TERMS made USE of

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ALGEBRA,
ANATOMY,
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ARITHMETIC,
ASTRONOMY,
BOTANY,
CHEMISTRY,
DIALLING,
DIVINITY,
GARDENING,
GEOGRAPHY,
GEOMETRY,
GRAMMAR,

GUNNERY,
HERALDRY,
HIEROGLYPHICS,
HISTORY,
HUSBANDRY,
HYDRAULICS,
HYDROSTATICS,
LAW,
LOGIC,
MATHEMATICS,
MECHANICS,
MILITARY ART,
MUSIC,

NATURAL HISTORY,
NAVIGATION,
OPTICS,
PAINTING,
PERSPECTIVE,
PHILOSOPHY,
PNEUMATICS,
POETRY,
PRINTING,
RHETORIC,
SCULPTURE,
SURGERY,
SURVEYING, &c.

II. Tracing the WORDS from their original FOUNTAINS.

III. Explaining the various SENSES in which they are used, supported by Authorities from the best *English* Writers.

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within outwards; the expulsion or ejection of the fecal.

To E'MIT, V. A. [emitter, Lat.] to drive outwards; to dart; to send forth. In Law, to issue out according to the form prescribed.

E'MME'NAGOGUES, S. [εμμέναγος, Gr.] the monthly courses, and aye, to drive, or force] medicines that promote the courses.

E'MMET, S. [emmet, Sax.] See ANT.

E'MO'LLIEN', Part. or Adj. [emolliens, Lat.] softening, or rendering pliable.

E'MO'LLIENTS, S. in Medicine, such remedies as leach the acrimony of humour, and at the same time soften and supple the solids.

E'MOLUMENT, S. [emolumentum, Lat.] profit arising from an office or employ; gain, or advantage.

E'MO'TION, S. [Fr.] a violent struggle, or disturbance in the mind; a strong and vehement sensibility, or passion, excited either by a pleasing or a painful object.

To E'MPA'LE, V. A. [empaler, Fr. from paler, Lat. a pale or hake] to fortify, inclose, or defend.

E'MPA'LEMENT, S. in Botany, the cup or outmost part of a flower, which encloses the petals, or the foliation of the attice. See IMPALEMENT.

E'MPA'NNEL, S. [from panne, Fr. a skin or parchment] the waiting or entering the names of a jury in a parchment by a sheriff.

To E'MPA'NNEL, V. A. to summon a person to serve on a jury.

E'MPA'RANCE, S. [from parle, Fr.] in Law, motion or desire for a day of respite, to consider of the result of a cause; the conference of a jury in a cause committed to them.

E'MPA'SM, S. [εμπάσμα, of εμπάσσω, Gr. to sprinkle] in Pharmacy, a powder sprinkled on a body, to correct some ill smell.

To E'MPA'SSION, V. A. to move with a strong affection or passion, to excite the passions vehemently. "The tempter, all empation'd, thus b. gon." Par. Loft.

E'MPEROR, S. [emperar, Fr. imperator, Lat.] an absolute monarch, or supreme commander of an empire.

E'MPERY, S. [imperium, Lat. empire, Fr.] the command of an emperor; sovereign command; empire. "Your rights of birth, your empire." Shak.

E'MPHASIS, [Gr.] in Rhetoric, a force, stress, or energy in expression, action, or gesture. In Grammar, a remarkable stress of the voice placed on any word or syllable.

E'MPHAT'IC, or E'MPHAT'ICAL, Adj. forcible, strong, striking, or of great energy; striking the sight.

E'MPHAT'ICALLY, Adv. strongly, forcibly; full of energy, power, or significance; spoken with a great stress of voice. According to appearance, opposed to reality, from εμφάνησις.

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E'MPHYSE'MATOUS, Adj. [from εμφύσεις, Gr.] bloated; swelled; puffed up.

E'MPIRE, S. [Fr. from imperium, Lat.] the territory or extent of land under the jurisdiction or command of an emperor; imperial power; sovereign authority or command; command over any thing.

E'MPI'RIC, S. [εμπτικός, Gr.] one whose skill in medicine depends purely on practice and experiment, without any deductions or reason from the mechanical operation of medicines, or the nature, cause, and effects of diseases; a quack.

E'MPIRIC, or E'MPI'RICAL, Adj. dealing, or versed in experiments. Belonging to, or resembling a quack.

E'MPIRICALLY, Adv. after the manner of a quack, or one who is not regularly bred to physic.

E'MPIRICISM, S. quackery.

E'MPLA'STER, S. [emplastrum, Lat. εμπλαστρός, Gr.] in Surgery, a medicine of a stiff, glutinous consistence, composed of several ingredients, spread on paper, linen, or leather, and applied externally.

To E'MPLA'STER, V. A. to cover with a plaster.

E'MPLA'STIC, Adj. viscous; glutinous; fit to be applied as a plaster.

To E'MPLE'AD, V. A. [from plead] in Law, to indict, accuse, or prefer a charge against.

To E'MPLOY, V. A. [employer, Fr.] to set a person about a thing; to keep at work or exercise; to use as an instrument or means, or materials; to commission, or intrust with the management of an affair; to fill up time with study or undertaking; to pass or spend in busines.

E'MPLOY, S. the object which engaged the mind, or is the subject of action; a person's trade, business; a public office.

E'MPLOYABLE, Adj. capable of being used; fit to be applied or used. "These objects seem employable against this hypothesis." Boyle.

E'MPLOYER, S. one who sets a person above any undertaking; one who uses, or causes a thing to be used.

E'MPLOYMENT, S. business; the object of labour or industry; a person's trade, office, or post; an affair intrusted to the management of another.

To E'MPOISON, V. A. [empoisoner, Fr.] to destroy by poison, venom, or any deadly or mortal drug; to taint with poison. Figuratively, to deprave the ideas or principles of a person by bad advice, or feditious counsels.

E'MPOISONER, S. one who destroys another by poison.

E'MPOISONMENT, S. the practice or act of destroying by poison. "It were dangerous for secret empoisements." Bacon.

E'MPORETIC, Adj. [εμπορίκος, Gr.] that which is sold at common markets; belonging.

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EMBRO'IDERER, *n. f.* one that adorns cloths with needle-work.

EMBRO'IDERY, *n. f.* figures raised upon a ground; variegated needlework.

To EMBRO'IL, *v. a.* to distract; to confuse; to distract.

To EMBRO'THEL, *v. a.* to inclose in a brothel.

E'MBRYO, E'MBRYON, *n. f.* the offspring yet unfinished in the womb. The state of any thing yet not fit for production; yet unfinished.

EME'NDABLE, *adj.* capable of emendation; corrigeable.

EMENDA'TION, *n. f.* correction; alteration of any thing from worse to better. An alteration made in the text by verbal criticism.

EMENDA'TOR, *n. f.* a corrector; an improver.

E'MERALD, *n. f.* a green precious stone.

To EMER'GE, *v. n.* to rise out of any thing in which it is covered. To issue; to proceed. To rise; to mount from a state of depression or obscurity.

EMER'GENCE, EME'REGENCY, *n. f.* the act of rising out of any fluid by which it is covered. The act of rising into view. Any sudden occasion; unexpected casualty.

EMER'GENT, *adj.* rising out of that which overwhelms or obscures it. Rising in view, or notice. Proceeding from anything. Sudden; unexpectedly casual.

E'MEROIDS, EMERO'IDS, *n. f.* painful swellings of the hemorrhoidal veins; piles.

EMER'SION, *n. f.* the time when a star, having been obscured by its too near approach to the sun, appears again.

E'MERY, *n. f.* an iron ore.

EMET'IC, EME'TICAL, *adj.* having the quality of provoking vomits.

EME'TICALLY, *adv.* in such a manner as to provoke to vomit.

EMICA'TION, *n. f.* sparkling; flying off in small particles.

EMI'CITION, *n. f.* urine.

To E'MIGRATE, *v. n.* to remove from one place to another.

E'MIGRA'TION, *n. f.* change of habitation.

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E'MINENCE, E'MINENCY, *n. f.* loftiness. Summit. A part rising above the rest. A place where one is exposed to general notice. Exaltation. Celebrity. Supreme degree. Distinction; notice. A title given to cardinals.

E'MINENT, *adj.* high; lofty. Dignified; exalted. Conspicuous; remarkable.

E'MINENTLY, *adv.* conspicuously; in a manner that attracts observation. In a high degree.

E'MISSARY, *n. f.* one sent out of private messages; a spy; a secret agent. One that emits or sends out.

E'MISSION, *n. f.* the act of sending out; vent.

To E'MIT, *v. a.* to send forth; to let go. To let fly; to dart. To issue out juridically.

EMME'NAGOGUES, *n. f.* medicine that promote the courses.

E'MMET, *n. f.* an ant; a piforce.

To EMME'W, *v. a.* to mew or crop up.

E'MOLLIENT, *adj.* softening; foppling.

E'MOLLIENTS, *n. f.* such things as sheath and soften the asperities of the humours, and relax and supple the body.

E'MOLLIT'ION, *n. f.* the act of softening.

E'MOLUMENT, *n. f.* profit; advantage; gain.

E'MOTION, *n. f.* disturbance of mind; vehemence of passion.

To EMPA'LE, *v. a.* to fence with a pale. To fortify; to inclose; to fix in. To put to death by spitting on a stake fixed upright.

EMPA'NNEL, *n. f.* the writing or entering the names of a jury into a roll called by the sheriff, which he has summoned to appear.

To EMPA'NNEL, *v. a.* to summe to serve on a jury.

EMPA'RANCE, *n. f.* it signifies a desire or petition in court of a d to pause what is best to do.

EMPA'SM, *n. f.* a powder to correct the bad scent of the body.

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der with ornaments; to adorn silk, velvet, or other stuff with ornaments.

EMBROIDERER, S. one who works a thing with flowers, or other ornaments, of raised needle work.

EMBROIDERY, S. the enriching with figures wrought with the needle; figures raised or wrought on a ground with a needle.

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Emancipáion, *s.* a deliverance from slavery.
 Emas'culate, *v., a.* to castrate, to effeminate
 Emasculation, *s.* a castration, effeminacy.
 Embále, *v. a.* to bind up, to inclose
 Embálm, *v. a.* to impregnate with spices (ing)
 Embálmer, *s.* one who preserves bodies by embalm.
 Embar, *v. a.* to shut in, hinder, block up, stop
 Embárgo, *s.* a prohibition to sail
 Embárk, *v.* to put or go on shipboard
 Embarkátion, *s.* a putting or going on shipboard
 Embárrass, *v., a.* to perplex, entangle, distress
 Embárraſſment, *s.* perplexity, distress, trouble
 Embáſe, *v., a.* to impair, degrade, make worse
 Embáſſor, *s.* one sent on a public message
 Embaſſage, E'mbassy, *s.* a public message
 Embáttle, *v. a.* to arrange in order of battle
 Embáy, *v. a.* to inclose in a bay, wet, wash
 Embéllish, *v. a.* to adorn, beautify, set off
 Embéllishment, *s.* ornament, decoration
 Embers, *s. pl.* hot cinders or ashes
 Embézzle, *v. a.* to steal privately, waste, spoil
 Embézzlement, *s.* a misappropriating a trust
 Embláze, *v. a.* to blazon, adorn, paint
 Emblem, *s.* a moral device, a representation
 Emblem, *v. a.* to represent allusively
 Emblemat'ical, *a.* allusive, using emblems
 Emblemat'ically, *ad.* allusively
 Emblemat'ist, *s.* a writer or inventor of emblems
 Embolism, *s.* an intercalation, time inserted
 Embóſt, *v. a.* to adorn with rising work, to inclose
 Embóſſing, *s.* the art of making figures in relief
 Embóſſment, *s.* relief, rising work
 Embóttle, *v. a.* to include in bottles, to bottle
 Embow'el, *v. a.* to take out the entrails
 Embráce, *v. a.* to squeeze in kindness, to welcome
 Embráce, Embrácément, *s.* a clasp, a hug
 Embras'ure, *s.* a battlement, an opening in a wall
 Embrocate, *v. a.* to foment a part diseased

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Embrocátion, *s.* a fomentation
 Embroider, *v. a.* to adorn with figure-work
 Embroiderer, *s.* one who embroiders
 Embroidery, *s.* variegated needle-work
 Embroit, *v. a.* to disturb, confuse, distract
 Embroth'el, *v. a.* to inclose in a brothel
 Embryo, *s.* a child indistinctly formed, any thing
 Embúrse, *v. a.* to restore money owing. (unfinished)
 Emendation, *s.* a correction, an alteration
 Emerald, *s.* a green precious stone
 Em'ege, *v. n.* to issue, to rise out of
 Em'ergency, *s.* a rising out of, great necessity
 Em'ergent, *part. a.* coming into sight, sudden
 Emérſion, *s.* a rising out of water
 Emet'ic, *a.* provoking vomits, *s.* a vomit
 Emicátion, *s.* a sparkling, a glittering
 Emicition, *s.* a making of urine
 Emigrate, *v. n.* to remove from place to place
 Emigrátion, *s.* a change of habitation
 Em'inence, *s.* height, honor, top, a cardinal's title
 Em'inent, *a.* high, lofty, remarkable, exalted
 Em'inently, *ad.* conspicuously, in a high degree
 Em'issary, *s.* a secret agent, a spy
 Emis'sion, *s.* a throwing out, vent, shooting
 Emit, *v. a.* to dart, let fly, issue out
 E'mmet, *s.* an ant, a pismire
 Emméw, *v. a.* to mew or coop up
 Emólient, *a.* softening, suppling
 Emolli'tion, *s.* the act of softening
 Emol'ument, *s.* profit, advantage, benefit
 Emotion, *s.* disturbance of mind, a sudden motion
 Empále, *v. a.* to inclose, fortify, fence in
 Empánel, *v. a.* to settle a jury
 Empánnel, *s.* the schedule of a jury
 Empássion, *v. a.* to move with passion, to affect
 E'mperor, *s.* a monarch superior to a king
 E'mphasis, *s.* a remarkable stress on a word
 Emphat'ical, *a.* strong, forcible, striking
 Emphat'ically,