

APPENDIX A:
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1604-1806

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An Alphabetical Table,

elect, chosen or picked out.
 elegancie, finenesse of speech.
 element, the first principle or beginning of
 any thing.
 eleemosuarie, he that giueth almes.
 elench, (g) a subtle argument.
 elevate, lift vp, or heave vp.
 elocution, good utterance of speech.
 eloine, to put, giue, or sell away.
 eluisk, froward.
 embellish, to make beautifull.
 § embark, } to ship a thing, or
 imbark, } load a ship.
 embezill, to steale or conuey away.
 embrion, a childe vnperfect in the mothers
 wombe.
 emancipate, to set at libertie.
 emblem, (g) a picture shadowing out some
 thing to be learned.
 eminent, appearing higher, or further out, or
 § emmot, pismire. (celling.
 emolument, profit or gaue.
 emphasis, (g) a forcible expressing.
 emperick (g) he that hath all his skill in phi-
 sicke by practise.
 § empire, government, or kingdome.
 emulation, enuie, imitation, desire to exceede
 another.

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of the Year moveth, or the Courie of the Year standeth on those Seasons, in one or other of which, the Fruits of the Earth are either sown, sprung up, coming to their Ripeness, or gather'd into the Barn.

Embezel. To steal, convey away, to spend, or waste.

Emblem. It properly signifieth any fine Work, cunningly set in Wood, or other Substance, as we see in Chets-Boards and Tables; notwithstanding it is commonly taken for a Picture, or other Device, shadowing some matter to be learned by it.

Emboft. A Term used by Hunters, when a Deer is so weary, that he foameth at the Mouth.

Embracer. A Law-Term, of him that, when a Matter is in Tryal, cometh for reward to the Bar, being no Lawyer, or Witness, and speaketh in favour of the Parties; or which laboureth the Jury, or useth any unlawful practice to make them give their Verdict as he would have them.

Embrocation. A Bathing of any part of the Body by the falling of the Liquor from aloft upon the part affected.

Embroid. To encumber, entangle, or pester.

Embryon. A Child unperfect in the Mother's Womb.

Embuscade, or Ambuscade. A lying in wait.

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Emendation. An amending.

Emerald. A precious Stone, the greenest of all other, for which cause it is very comfortable to the Sight. The best of these Stones are brought out of *Scythia*. And some affirm them to be taken out of the Grifins Nests, who do keep this Stone with great sedulity. It is found by experience (as *Albertus* writeth) that, if the *Emerald* be good, it inclineth the bearer thereof to chastity, and cannot endure the Action of Lust. There is also a Disease sounding near this Word, for which see *Hemorrhoid*.

Emergent. What issueth, riseth up, appeareth, or sheweth it self.

Eminence. Highness, Dignity, Honour.

Eminent. High, lofty, honourable.

Emissary. A busy fellow sent out for a Spy, or Scout, a Messenger always at hand.

Emission. A sending out, a sending forth.

Emit. To send out.

Emmanuel. An Hebrew Word expressing the Dignity of our Saviour, and it is interpreted, *God with us*.

Emollient. Softning, making supple or pliant.

Emolument. Profit, Gain, Advantage.

Empair. Diminish.

Empannel. To make up a Jury of Twelve or more Men.

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Effeminate. Womanish, nice.
Efficacie. Power, force.
Efficiencie. A bringing to passe.
Efficient. Which bringeth to passe.
Effigies. Ones picture, or ones true resemblance.
Efflagitate. To demand a thing earnestly.
Effrenation. Vnrulinesse.
Effusion. A pouring out.
Effusioes. Againe, often.
Egellidate. To thaw.
Egerminate. To spring, or bud out.
Egregious. Excellent, sometime vile, base.
Egresson. A going out.
Egyimonie. Great sorrow.
Egyitude. Griefe of mind.
Eiect. To cast out.
Eiection. A casting out.
Eiulation. A howling, or crying out.
Eiurate. To forswear, or resigne ones place.
Elaborate. To do a thing with great paines.
Elapidate. To rid out stones.
Elate. To lift vp, or proud, loftic.
Elation. A lifting vp.

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Elatrate. To speake out loud.
Elect. To chuse.
Election. A chusing, choise.
Electrum. Amber.
Electuarie. A medicine made with sirrups and powders.
Eleemosinarie. Which giueth almes.
Elegancie. Neatnesse.
Elegant. Fine, neat.
Elegiack. Mournefull.
Elegie. A mournefull song vsed at funeralls.
Elegiogypher. Which writes mournefull songs.
Element. The first matter of visible substance, from whence all things take their beginning, whereof there be foure, Fire, Aire, Water, and Earth.
Elementarie. Of or belonging to the Elements.
Elephancie. Leprosie.
Eleuate. To lift vp.
Elevation. A lifting vp.
Eleutherian. A Deliuerer.
Eliquament. Fatnesse of fish, or flesh.
Elixir. See *Quintessence.*
Elixate. To boile.
Elocution. Vtterance.

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Eloquence. The Art of Rhetoricke.
Elucubrate. To doe a thing by candlelight.
Elude. To deceiue.
Elusion. Deceit.
Elusate. To make blind of one eye.
Eluscation. Purblindnes.
Elysian. Of or belonging to *Elysium.*
Elysium. A pleasant place beneath, where Poets fained the foules of good men did rest.
Emaculate. To make cleane, to take out spots.
Emarginate. To take away the scurfe from the mouth of a wound.
Emasculate. To geld.
Embalme. To annoint with balme.
Embassie. A message from a Prince.
Embayling. Compassing.
Embellish. To make beautifull.
Embayned. Sooked.
Emberill. To steale, or conuey away.
Embleme. A picture commonly painted or shadowed, comprehending some matter to be learned by it.

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Embolning. A tossing or heauing vp like the sea.
Embryon. A child in the mothers wombe, ere it haue perfect shape.
Embrued. Stained with bloud, or so.
Emedeluged. Drowned.
Emedull. To declare, to take out the marrow.
Emendicate. To beg, or craue almes.
Eminence. Highnes, dignitie.
Eminent. High, honourable.
Emit. To send.
Emmanuel. God with vs.
Emolliment. An asswaging.
Emolument. Profit, gaine.
Emparmell. To make vp a Iurie of twelue men.
Emperick. A Physician onely by practise.
Emperie. Command.
Emphasis. A most plaine signification of ones mind.
Emphaticall. That which is vttered with most expresse signification.
Emplead. To sue one.
Empyriall Heauen. The highest heauen about the firmament.

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those days till night, and then onely a Cake baked under the Embers or ashes which they called *panem subcineritium*, or *Ember-bread*. *Turb. Car.* But Sir *Hen. Spelm. de Concil* says the ~~the~~ word is *Imber* from the old Sax. *Imbren*.

Embellish (Fr *Embellir*) to beautifie, garnish, adorn, be-deck, trim up, or set out unto the eye.

To **Embezzele** (*forte ab Ital. Invaligiare, i. in sacco ponere*) to steal or pilfer. *Min.*

Emblem (*emblemata*) is properly any fine work cunningly set in wood or other substance, as we see in Chests, boards and Tables, notwithstanding it is commonly taken for a sweet moral symbol consisting of picture and words, by which some weighty matter is declared. See *Art of making Devises*, p. 7.

Emblematical (*emblematicus*) pertaining to an Emblem.

Emblematis, he that makes Emblems.

Emblement, a Law term, signifying strictly the profits of Land which hath been sowed; but the word is sometimes used more largely, for any profits that arise and accrue naturally from the ground, as grass, fruit, or trees, hemp, flax, &c. *Mr. Shep.*

Embolism (*embolismus*) the adding a day or more to a year, Leap-year.

Emboliment (Fr. *embouchement*) a moulthing or putting

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into the mouth of; a subornation or fore-Instruction; a lesson given or conned before-hand. *Malvezzies transf. later.*

Embof, A term used by hunters when a Deer is so hard chased that he foams at the mouth, and hangs out the tongue; it comes from the Span. *des embocar, i. to cast out of the mouth.*

Embracer, A Law term, and is he that, when a matter is in trial, comes for reward to the Bar, being no Lawyer nor witness, and speaks in favour of one of the parties: or who labors the Jury, or useth any unlawful practice, to make them give their Verdict as he would have them.

Embrocation (*Ital. embrocatione*) a fomenting, besprinkling or gentle bathing the head or any other part, with a liquor falling from aloft upon it, in the manner of rain.

Embryon (*embryo*) a child in the mothers womb, before it has perfect shape; and by Metaphor, any thing before it has perfection.

Embryon, pertaining to an Embryon.

Emusement (from the Fr. *emboucher*) a falling into the Sea, as a River doth.

Emendat (from *emendo*) is an old word, yet still used in the accounts of the Inner-Temple; where so much in *Emendals* at the foot of an account, signifies so much in

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in bank or stock for the House, *a. a mending or increasing the common purse.*

Emendator (*emendatio*) an amending, mending, reformation or correction.

Ementition (*ementitio*) a lying or forging.

Emergency (from *emerge*) an issuing or coming out, a rising up out of the water.

Emergent (*emergens*) issuing or running out: this word is often used when we speak of an *Emergent occasion*, which is, when it riseth out of somewhat done before.

Emerald (from the Span. *esmeralda*, Lat. *Smaragdus*) a precious stone, the greenest of all other, and is therefore very comfortable to the sight. The best of this sort are brought out of *Scythia*, and some affirm them to be taken out of the Griffins nest. It is found by experience (as *Albertus* writes) that if the *Emerald* be good, it inclines the bearer to chastity, and cannot endure the action of lust. There is also a disease sounding near this word, for which see *Hemorroide*.

Emetique (from the Gr.) vomiting.

Emigration (*emigratio*) a departing, a going from one place to live at another.

Emication (*emicatio*) a shining or appearing aloft.

Emnency (*eminentia*) excellency passing or standing above others. Also a particu-

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lar title of honor given to all Cardinals, and is held to be above *Excellency*.

Emissary (*emissarius*) a suborned accuser, a Spye, a Tale-bearer, one sent out, a Scout.

Emergor (from *emerge*) a rising or appearing out, a coming out.

Emission (*emissio*) a shooting, sending or casting forth.

Emitte (*emitto*) to send forth, to publish abroad, to cast out.

Emmanuel (Hebr. God with us) one of the names under which our Saviour Christ was foretold by the Prophets, *Isa. 7. 14. Matth. 1. 23.* The union of two natures in one person of our Redeemer is noted in this word, *Joh. 1. 14.*

Emollid (*emollidus*) soft, tender, nice, effeminate.

Emollient (*emolliens*) a making soft, pliant or loose *Emollient medicines, i. mollifying or asswaging, such are milk, hony, &c.*

Emolument (*emolumentum*) profit gotten by labor and cost

Emotio (*emotio*) a stirring or moving forth.

Empale. See *Impale*.

Empanel, A Law term and signifies the writing or entering the names of a Jury into a Parchment Schedule, Roll or paper by the Sheriff, which he hath summoned to appear for the performance of such publick service as Jurors are employed in.

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