dence, as that of a stranger or traveler. Walsh.

SOL, n. [Norm. soulze, soulds, souz, from L. solidus.

1. In France, a small copper coin; a penny; usually sou or sous.

2. A copper coin and money of account in

Switzerland.

SOL, n. [It.] The name of a note in music. SOLACE, v. t. [It. sollazzare, from L. solatium; solor, to comfort, assuage, relieve. See Console.]

1. To cheer in grief or under calamity; to comfort; to relieve in affliction; to console; applied to persons; as, to solace one's self with the hope of future reward.

SOL'ACE, v. i. To take comfort; to be cheered or relieved in griet. Obs. Shak. SOL'ACE, n. [It. sollazzo; L. solatium.]

Comfort in grief; alleviation of grief or anxiety; also, that which relieves in distress; recreation.

The proper solaees of age are not music and compliments, but wisdom and devotion.

SOL'ACED, pp. Comforted; cheered in

affliction. SOL'ACING, ppr. Relieving grief; cheer-

ing in affliction.

SOLA'CIOUS, a. Affording comfort or annisement. [Nol in use.] SOLAND'ER. n. [Fr. soulandres.] A dis-

case in horses. Dict. SOLAN-GOOSE, n. The gannet, (Pelecanus bassanus,) an aquatic fowl found on the coasts of Great Britain and Ireland. It Eneye.

produces inflammatory effects on men.

SO'LAR, a. [Fr. solaire; L. solaris, from sol, the sun, W. sul, Fr. soleil, It. sole, Sp. sol.]

1. Pertaining to the sun, as the solar system; or proceeding from it, as solar light; solar rays; solar influence.

2. Belonging to the sun; as solar herbs. Not used.

3. In astrology, born under the predominant influence of the sun; as a solar people. Dryden.

4. Measured by the progress of the sun, or by its revolution; as the solar year.

Solar flowers, are those which open and shut daily, at certain determinate hours.

Linne. Solar spots, dark spots that appear on the sun's disk, usually visible only by the telescope, but sometimes so large as to be seen by the naked eye. They adhere to the body of the sun; indicate its revolutions on its axis; are very changeable in their figure and dimensions; and vary in 5. In ship-building, a sort of lining, used to size from mere points to spaces 50,000 miles in diameter.

SOLD, pret. and pp. of sell.

SOLD, n. [from the root of soldier; Norm.

Salary; military pay. [Not in use.]

Spenser. SOL'DAN, for sullan, not in use. Milton. SOL'DANEL, n. [L. soldanella.] A plant. SOL'DER, v. l. [from L. solido, solidus.] To unite by a metallic eement. [See Soder.] 1. Single; being or acting without another; day.

SO'JOURNMENT, n. Temporary resi-||SOL'DER, n. A metallic cement. [See] Soder.]

> soudeyer, soudiers ; It. soldato ; Sp. soldado ; from L. solidus, a piece of money, the pay SOL/ECISM, n. [Gr. σολοικισμος, said to be of a soldier; Norm, soud, contracted from sould, pay, wages; soudoyer, to keep in pay; Sw. besolda, to count out money to, to pay; Dan. besolder, to give a salary or 1. Impropriety in language, or a gross deviawages.

I. A man engaged in military service; one whose occupation is military; a man enlisted for service in an army; a private,

or one in the ranks.

There ought to be some time for sober reflection between the life of a soldier and his death. Rambler.

2. To allay; to assuage; as, to solace grief. 2. A man enrolled for service, when on doty or embodied for military discipline; a private; as a militia soldier.

> military experience and skill, or a man of distinguished valor. In this sense, an oflieer of any grade may be denominated SOLECISTIE, a soldier.

SÖLDIERESS, n. A female soldier. Beaum. in use.]

SÖLDIERLIKE, \ a. Like or becoming a SOLZCIZE, v. i. [Gr. σολοιχόςω.] To commit solccism.

More. SO/LELY, adv. Singly; alone; only; with-

SÖLDIERSHIP, n. Military qualities; military character or state; martial skill; be-Shak. havior becoming a soldier.

body of military men.

I charge not the soldiery with ignorance and contempt of learning, without exception. Swift.

Obs.

Sidney. SOLA'NO, n. A hot S.E. wind in Spain which SOLE, n. [Sax. sol; D. zool; G. sohle; Dan. sole; Fr. id.; It. suolo, soil and sole; Sp. suela, the sole of the foot, and suolo, soil; L. solea, solum; that which sets or is set or laid. The radical sense coincides with that of sill.}

1. The bottom of the foot; and by a figure, Shak. Spenser. the foot itself.

2. The bottom of a shoc; or the piece of lether which constitutes the bottom.

The caliga was a military shoe with a very thick sole, tied above the instep. Arbuthnot. The part of any thing that forms the bottom, and on which it stands upon the

ground. Elm is proper for mills, soles of wheels, and pipes.

4. A marine fish of the genus Pleuronectes, so called probably because it keeps on or near the bottom of the sea. These fish abound on the British coast, and hence the name of sole bank, to the southward of Ireland. This fish sometimes grows to the weight of six or seven pounds.

Dict. Nat. Hist. prevent the wearing of any thing.

6. A sort of horn under a horse's hoof.

Encye. SOLE, v. l. To furnish with a sole; as, to sole a shoe.

SOLE, a. [L. solus; Fr. seul; It. Sp. solo;

probably from separating; Ar. M. Class Sl. No. 3.]

individual; only. God is the sole creator and sovereign of the world.

SOLDIÉR, n. soljur. [Fr. soldal; Norm. 2. In law, single; unmarried; as a femme

derived from Soli, a people of Attica, who being transplanted to Cilicia, lost the purity of their language.]

tion from the rules of syntax; incongruity of words; want of correspondence or

consistency.

A barbarism may be in one word; a solerism must be of more. Johnson, from Cicero.

2. Any unfitness, absurdity or impropriety. B. Jonson.

Cesar, by dismissing his guards and retaining his power, committed a dangerous solecism in politics. . Middleton.

3. Emphalically, a brave warrior; a man of SOL/ECIST, n. [Gr. σολοικίζος.] One who is guilty of impropriety in language. Blackwall.

mated SOLECIST'IC, Solectistics of the solecistic solectistics of the solectistics of the solecistic solectistics of the solectistic solectistics of the solectistic solectistics of the solectistics of the solectistic solectist manner. Blackwall.

out another; as, to rest a cause solely on one argument; to rely solely on one's own strength.

SOLDIERY, n. Soldiers collectively; the solenne; Solenne; Sp. solenne; L. solennis, from solenne; Sp. solenne; L. solennis, from soleo, to be accustomed, to use, that is, to hold on or continue, as we have wont, from G. wohnen, to dwell.]

1. Anniversary; observed once a year with

religious ceremonies.

The worship of this image was advanced. and a solemn supplication observed every year. Stillingfleet.

[I doubt the correctness of this definition of Johnson; or whether solemn, in our language, ever includes the sense of anniversary. In the passage cited, the sense of anniversary is expressed by every year, and if it is included in solemn also, the sentence is tautological. I should say then, that solemn in this passage of Stillingfleet, has the sense given in the second definition below.]

Religiously grave; marked with pomp and sauctity; attended with religious

His holy rites and solemn feasts profan'd.

3. Religiously serious; piously grave; devont; marked by reverence to God: as solemn prayer; the solemn duties of the sanctuary.

4. Affecting with seriousness; impressing or adapted to impress seriousness, gravity or reverence; sober; serious.

There reign'd a solemn silence over all.

Spenser. To 'swage with solemn touches troubled thoughts.

5. Grave; serious; or affectedly grave; as a solemn face.

6. Sacred; enjoined by religion; or attended with a serious appeal to God; as a solemn oath.

7. Marked with solemnities; as a solemn