

## Latin Words and Phrases occurring in Books and Conversation

a posterio'ri, from effect to cause  
 a prio'ri, from cause to effect  
 ab ini'tio, from the beginning  
 ad hom'inem, to the man; personal  
 ad infini'tum, to infinity  
 ad in'terim, in the mean while  
 ad lib'itum, at pleasure  
 ad valo'rem, according to value  
 al'ma ma'ter, a cherishing mother  
 (often applied to a university)  
 an'te bel'lum, before the war  
 a'qua vi'tae, brandy; spirit; alcohol  
 bo'na fi'de, in good faith  
 ca'sus bel'li, that which justifies war  
 cui bo'no? for whose benefit?  
 de fac'to, in fact; really  
 de ju're, by right  
 de no'vo, anew  
 De'o volen'te, God willing  
 disjec'ta mem'bra, scattered remains  
 ec'ce ho'mo! behold the man!  
 e plu'ribus u'num, one out of many  
 ex cathe'dra, with high authority  
 excel'sior, higher  
 ex'eunt om'nes, all go out  
 ex off'cio, by virtue of his office  
 ex par'te, on one side only  
 fa'cile prin'ceps, evidently preëminent  
 festi'na len'te, hasten slowly  
 in lo'co paren'tis, in the place of a  
 parent  
 in me'dias res, into the midst of  
 things  
 in memo'riam, in memory  
 in si'tu, in its original situation  
 in sta'tu quo, in the former state  
 in to'to, as a whole  
 in tran'situ, in passage  
 in'ter nos, between ourselves  
 ip'se dix'it, he himself said it  
 ip'so fac'to, in the fact itself  
 lap'sus lin'guae, a slip of the tongue  
 laus De'o, praise to God  
 me'um et tu'um, mine and thine

mira'bile dic'tu, wonderful to be told  
 mo'dus operan'di, manner of operation  
 mul'tum in par'vo, much in little  
 ne plus ul'tra, nothing further  
 no'lens vo'lens, willing or not  
 non com'pos men'tis, not sound in  
 mind  
 non seq'uitur, it does not follow  
 no'ta be'ne, mark well  
 pa'ri pas'su, with equal pace  
 par'ticeps crim'inis, an accomplice  
 pa'terfamil'ias, father of a family  
 pa'ter nos'ter, Our Father  
 per an'num, by the year  
 per cap'ita, by the head  
 per cen'tum, by the hundred  
 per di'em, by the day  
 per se, by itself  
 post mor'tem, after death  
 pro bo'no pub'lico, for the public good  
 pro et con, for and against  
 pro ra'ta, in proportion  
 pro tem'pore, for the time  
 quid pro quo, an equivalent  
 sic sem'per tyran'nis, ever so to tyrants  
 si'ne di'e, without day  
 si'ne qua non, an indispensable con-  
 dition  
 sua'viter in mo'do, gentle in manners  
 sub ro'sa, privately  
 su'i gen'cris, of its own kind  
 sum'mum bo'num, the chief good  
 ter'ra fir'ma, solid earth  
 ter'ra incog'nita, an unknown country  
 Ul'tima Thu'le, the utmost limit  
 va'de me'cum, constant companion  
 verba'tim et litera'tim, word for word  
 and letter for letter  
 vi'a, by way of  
 vi'ce ver'sa, the terms being ex-  
 changed  
 vi'va vo'ce, by the living voice  
 vox pop'uli, vox De'i, the voice of the  
 people is the voice of God