Term: Virtual
Quote: …a “virtual x,” where x stands for a common noun, means something which is not an x, but which has, for whatever purpose may be uppermost, the virtue of an x, that is, such properties as make it equivalent to an x.
References: MS [R] 279:13
Date of Quote: 1906
URL: http://www.commens.org/dictionary/entry/quote-basis-pragmaticism-meditation-first