**Term:** Symbol

**Quote:** Representations whose subject depends upon its object. That is which are intelligible to those who can comprehend a certain character of the object - if there are several objects, a common character. It is this sort of representation which a conception is; and which a word is, after it has once been acquired as a sign. I call this species of representation *Symbol*.


**References:** W 1:328

**Date of Quote:** 1865

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