

'Necessitarianism' (pub. 11.01.15-15:23). Quote in M. Bergman & S. Paavola (Eds.), *The Commens Dictionary: Peirce's Terms in His Own Words. New Edition*. Retrieved from <http://www.commens.org/dictionary/entry/quote-lowell-lectures-1903-sixth-lecture-probability>.

Term: Necessitarianism

Quote: [Here] you have the three commonest forms of necessitarianism. *A* holds that every feature of all facts conforms to some law. *B* holds that the law fully determines every fact, but thinks that some relations of facts are accidental. *C* holds that uniformity within its jurisdiction is perfect, but confines its application to certain elements of phenomena.

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