

**Zend** a language that formerly prevailed in Persia — imp. hom. of **Send** (dif. of sound of s and z).

**Zero** cipher, nothing — **Zero** a P. O. of Jasper Co. Illi., also of Landerdale Co. Missis. — **'s hero** his.

**Zest** a piece of orange or lemon peel — **zest** something that gives a relish or flavor — imp. hom. of **cest** a lady's girdle — **'s Este** is, his Este.

**Zinc** a metal — imp. hom. of **sink** to go down — **'s ink**.

**Zion** a hill of Jerusalem — **Zion** the theocracy or church of God — **Zion** a p. o. of counties in Indiana, Maryland, Illinois, Mississippi, N. Carolina, etc — **sigh on** — **'s eye on** his.

**Zone** a girdle — **zone** in geography, a division of the earth between parallels of lat. — **zone** in natural history, a band or stripe running round any object — imp. hom. of **sown** — **'s own** his own.

**Zoril** a fetid animal, a variety of the skunk — imp. hom. of **sorrel** of a reddish color — **sorrel** a plant, a tree — **Sorel** a t. of Canada.

**Zounds** an exclam. of anger or wonder — imp. hom. of **sounds** to sound — **'s hounds** his hounds.

