

marks for correct analysis according to the scheme.)

8. Parse:—To-night no moon we see. [15.]

(Count 100 marks a full paper.)

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GEOGRAPHY—3RD TO 4TH CLASS.

Time, 2 hours.

Limit of work.—SECOND CLASS.—Local geography; map of the school grounds. Definitions of the chief divisions of land and water. Talks and stories about animals, plants, peoples, air, sun, moon and shape of the earth. Pointing out oceans and continents on the Map of the World.

THIRD CLASS.—Definitions continued; first accurate knowledge, then the memorizing of the definition. The great countries, large cities and most prominent physical features on the Map of the World. Maps of the County of Middlesex, Ontario, Canada, America. Map drawing. Motions of the earth, seasons, zones.

1. What is a boundary line? Mention a mountain range that forms part of the boundary of a country; also a boundary river. State first the country, then the side bounded, then the boundary. [9.]

2. Give a descriptive tracing of the boundary of Middlesex, commencing at Belmont and going west, naming each township of Middlesex as you pass it. Example, "Starting from near Belmont we proceed west along the boundary-line between Westmin-

ster and Delaware on the north and Elgin County on the south until we come to the River Thames. The river flows between Caradoc, etc." Continue in this way until you come round to Belmont again. The composition of the answer will be considered in valuing it. [15.]

3. Draw a map of that part of Middlesex which has for its corners Parkhill, Lucan, London and Strathroy. Mark the railways, railway stations, and township boundaries contained in the part. Commencing at Parkhill draw the portion of the Grand Trunk from that village to Lucan, two inches long on your map. [15.]

4. Name in order the counties with their county towns that border on the county of Huron. [10.]

5. What and where are Toronto, Nipissing, Pelee, Brant, Muskoka and Fundy? [12.]

6. Commencing at the Pacific coast name in order the Provinces of Canada, their capitals and the situation of each capital. Put this answer in a ruled table, or draw a map and show the required information upon it. Six marks extra for a good outline map. [14.]

7. What and where are Liverpool, Paris, Alps, Caspian, Hindostan and Chili? [12.]

8. Tell why it is warmer here in summer than in winter. Or, why it is hotter in New Zealand at Christmas than on the 1st of July. [6.]

(Count 80 marks a full paper.)

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