

When music, heavenly maid, was young. Cheerfulness, a nymph of healthiest hue, flung her bow across her shoulder. The sleeper, awakened by the dying yells of the dog, opened his eyes. They went forth from their fatherland, a fallen and fettered race. The contest between the king and the commons increased in bitterness. The signing of the great charter marks an era in English history. The voice of this truly great man reached all hearts. The song of the slaves, now redeemed from bondage, rose in joyful accents to heaven. The long contest between the English and the French was thus brought to a close. Having at last reached his destination, the boy sat down to rest. The constant motion of the waters of the ocean prevents putrefaction.

5. The Subject may be qualified by several Words or Phrases ; as,

The *gallant young officer, having ridden to the spot, and delivered his message*, returned to the camp.

EXERCISE XIV.

Name the Subjects in the following sentences, and point out the Qualifying Words and Phrases :—

The readers of English history cannot fail to see the gradual growth of the constitution. The fate of this enthusiastic and wonderful boy is deeply touching. Nelson, having arranged his order of battle, and having given his orders to the fleet, gave forth his memorable signal. The tiny little waves, laughing in the sunshine, and rippling on the sandy beach, filled the children's hearts with joy. The gentle rivulet, flowing through grassy meadows, winding round sunny nocks, and dashing over the steep rocks, at last reached the sea. Inspired with a deadly hatred of Antonio, full of craft and cunning, and burning for revenge, the wretched outcast Jew formed his plans. The keen, searching wit of Portia, tempered by the dignity of her rank, and softened by the refinement natural to a woman, has been greatly admired. The gentle, loving Cowper, lover of everything pure and good, the idol of his friends, and the most delightful poet of his century, was frequently there.

EXERCISE XV.

Supply a Qualifying Phrase or Qualifying Phrases to the following Subjects :—