

DRAWING-BOOK EXERCISE IX.



Egg and Egg-Cup: Fig. 12.

DIRECTIONS FOR FIG. 12. — The curve next in importance to the ellipse is the ovoid, or egg-shape. It is here shown by the outline of an egg, a part of which appears above the egg-cup, while the rest is indicated by a dotted line in the cup. Draw the central vertical line, and then the horizontal lines, following the order of the numerals. Notice that the ovoid form is symmetrical only on its long axis. The top and bottom of the cup must, of course, be represented as ellipses. Note how the stem of the cup is drawn, the lines vanishing in the base, and that, too, before they reach the line 90.