

"John Gilpin was a citizen
Of credit and renown."—*Cowper*.

II. *Number*.—Say what is the number of each noun in the exercise :—

The book contains forty-eight leaves or ninety-six pages.

Foxes have holes, and the birds of the air have nests.

There are thirty days in the month of September.

III. *Collective Nouns*.—Pick out the collective nouns in the following sentences :—

The School Board met to-day.

A committee was appointed to consider the subject.

The king had issued writs for a new Parliament.

IV. *Gender*.—Say what is the gender of each noun in the following :—

The pupils loved their teacher.

How many scholars are there in the school ?

"As the husband is, the wife is : thou art mated with a clown,

And the grossness of his nature will have weight to drag thee down."—*Tennyson*.

V. *Nominative Case*.—Say what nouns in the following are in the nominative case, and why they are so :—

All bloodless lay the untrodden snow.

By that sin fell the angels.

Jack went home. The teacher praised him.

VI. *Objective Case governed by Verbs ; Nominative Case*.—(a) Supply subjects and objects to the following verbs :—

Bought, break, was breaking, is calling.

(b) Give the case of each noun in this exercise :—

The sun pierced the clouds. The boy had never seen the sea.

VII. *Objective Case governed by Prepositions*.—Pick out the prepositions in the following, and say what nouns they govern :—

The tree was struck by lightning.

The garden is behind the house.

The children stayed at Cobourg during the holidays.

VIII. *Possessive Case*.—Turn the following phrases into the possessive form :—

The shade of the yew-trees.

The curse of the service.

The gloss of your new fortunes.

IX. *Nominative of Address*.—Pick out the nominatives of address :—

O mischief, thou art swift to enter in the thoughts of desperate men.

My liege, my father served your father all his life.

X. *Nominative Absolute*.—Pick out the nouns in the nominative absolute.

The sea being smooth, Tom was allowed to go for a sail.

The room being dark, Tom could not read.

The soldier charged, sword in hand.

XI. — *Prepositions Understood (Indirect Object)*.—Pick out the nouns governed in the objective by prepositions understood :—

The teacher taught the pupils geography.

The master paid his servants good wages.

His kindness brought the man many friends.

XII.—*Objective of Time, Space, Measurement*.—Pick out the nouns of time, etc., which are in the objective without a preposition.

The boys walked ten miles.

The man was in such a hurry that he could not stop a minute.

The field measures ten acres.

XIII. *Personal Pronouns*.—Pick out and parse fully the personal pronouns in the following :—

She lent me an umbrella because I had forgotten mine.

The footsteps visible in the sands are theirs.

Give it to him, and if he be not there give it to her.

XIV. *Relative Pronouns*.—Pick out and parse fully all the relative pronouns in the following :—

The girls whom we heard were singing.

The house that has fallen was badly built.

The girls who on holidays are over returned to school.

"He jests at scars that never felt a wound."—*Shakespeare*.

XV. *Relative Omitted*.—Say where relative pronouns are understood in the following :—

Have you brought the thing I sent you for ?

He did not get the punishment he deserved.