

History—No. 1.

1. When did the Romans first enter Britain? When did they finally leave it? Mention some of the chief benefits derived from their occupation.
2. Describe the events which seated a Danish dynasty on the English throne at the beginning of the eleventh century.
3. How and when did England first gain a footing in Ireland?
4. From what occasion do you date the origin of the House of Commons in its present form? What kinds of Assembly were there in earlier times out of which it may be supposed to have grown?
5. It has been said that the Tudors knew when to give way, and the Stuarts did not know. Is this statement borne out by facts?
6. Account for the popularity of Charles II., and the unpopularity of William III.
7. Give the dates and results of the most important battles fought between Charles I. and his Parliament, and a description of one of them.
8. Trace the descent of Queen Victoria from Henry VII.
9. State briefly the cause which led to the "War of 1812." Name the principal battles fought during the war and the leaders on each side.
10. What was the cause of the Rebellion of 1837? Name the principal persons concerned in it, and give a short account of any one of them.