Till his eye darkened and his helmet wagged;

And at a sudden swerving of the road,

Though happily down on a bank of grass,

The Prince, without a word, from his horse fell.

Geraint and Enid.

(d) For me, I thank the saints, I am not great.

Eor if there ever come a grief to me

I cry my cry in silence, and have done.

None knows it, and my tears have brought me good:

But even were the griefs of little ones

As great as those of great ones, yet this grief

Is added to the griefs the great must bear,

That howsoever much they may desire

Silence, they cannot weep behind a cloud.

Guinevere.

For Public School Leaving and Entrance.

(a) Then she, who held her eyes upon the ground,

Elaine, and heard her name so tost about,

Flushed slightly at the slight disparagement

Before the stranger knight, who, looking at her,

Full courtly, yet not falsely, thus returned:

"If what is fair be but for what is fair,

And only queens are to be counted so,

Rash were my judgments then, who deem this maid

Might wear as fair a jewel as is on earth,

Not violating the bond of like to like."

Lancelot and Elaine.

(b) These are slanders: never yet Was noble man but made ignoble talk.

He makes no friend who never made a foe.

But now it is my glory to have loved

One peerless, without stain: so let me pass,

My father, howsoe'er I seem to you,

Not all unhappy, having loved God's best

And greatest, though my love had no return;

Yet, seeing you desire your child to live,

Thanks, but you work against your own desire;

For if I could believe the things you say

I should but die the sooner.

Lancelot and Elaine

(c) When on my bed the moonlight falls,

I know that in thy place of rest By that broad water of the west, There comes a glory on the walls;

The marble bright in dark appears

As slowly steals a silver flame Along the letters of thy name And o'er the number of thy years.

In Memoriam.

(d) We leave the well-beloved place

Where first we gazed upon the sky;

The roofs that heard our earliest cry,

Will shelter one of stranger race. We go, but ere we go from

As down the garden walks I move,

Two spirits of a diverse love Contend for loving masterdom.

In Memoriam.