

SUBJUNCTIVE MOOD.

Present Tense.

SINGULAR.	PLURAL.
1. If I be,	1. If we be,
2. If thou be,	2. If you be,
3. If he be;	3. If they be.

Past Tense.

SINGULAR.	PLURAL.
1. If I were,	1. If we were,
2. If thou wert,	2. If you were,
3. If he were;	3. If they were.

IMPERATIVE MOOD.

Be (you—thou, ye).

INFINITIVES.

Present—to be. *Perfect*—to have been. (*Gerunds*)—being; having been.

PARTICIPLES.

Present—being.*Past*—been.*Perfect*—having been.

F.

LIST OF IRREGULAR VERBS.

Explanation.—When a verb has a past or past participle, or both, of the regular conjugation, this fact is indicated by placing *ed* after the form or forms. This *-ed* is to be suffixed to the root, care being taken to observe the rule of spelling for derivative words.

When the *-ed* is in heavy type, it indicates that the *-ed* form is preferable.

The forms in *italics* are either out of use, seldom used, or not used by the best authors.

PRESENT.	PAST.	PAST PARTICIPLE.
abide	abode	abode
arise	arose	arisen
awake	awoke, <i>-ed</i>	awaked
be or am	was	been
bear (<i>to bring forth</i>)	bore, <i>bare</i>	born
bear (<i>to carry</i>)	bore, <i>bare</i>	borne
beat	beat	beaten, <i>beat</i>
begin	began	begun
behold	beheld	beheld
belay	belaid, <i>-ed</i>	belaid, <i>-ed</i>
bend	bent, <i>-ed</i>	bent, <i>-ed</i>