

PROVINCIAL HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

GRADE IX.

ENGLISH.—IX.

9 to 11 a. m., Tuesday, 23 June, 1914.

1. Washington Irving in "The Voyage" corrects the impression that "at sea all is vacancy." Describe the happenings that made him change his mind.
2. Describe in your own words Sir Humphrey Gilbert's voyage to Newfoundland, paying attention to the character of Sir Humphrey as portrayed.
3. Write a full note on "Comparison of Adjectives," giving examples to illustrate your answer. Compare evil, much, old, bad, able.
4. Write a letter to a friend asking for a donation of a dozen books for a school library, naming the Authors you would prefer.
5. Tell the story of the Battle of the Lake Regillus.
6. Write a scheme of the tenses of the indicative mood of the verb *to love*.

7.
 From the proud mart of *Pisae*,
 Queen of the western waves,
 Where ride *Massilia's* *triremes*,
 Heavy with *fair-haired slaves*;
 From where sweet *Clanis* wanders
 Through corn and vines and flowers;
 From where *Cortona* lifts to heaven
 Her *diadem* of towers.

8. Write a short note on each of the italicized words.
- (a) *That* England *that* was wont to conquer others,
 Hath made a shameful conquest of itself.
 - (b) Tell father *when* he comes from work,
 I said "*good-night*" to him.
 - (c) Neither a borrower nor a *lender be*,
 For loan oft loses both *itself* and friend.

Analyse each sentence, and parse the words in italics.

FRENCH.—IX.

3 to 5 p. m., Tuesday, 23 June, 1914.

1. Translate: (a) My friend's dog was white. (b) Your father's horse is older. (c) This book is my sister's. (d) *Whose* knife is it? (e) From whom have you received these flowers?