

(d) Complex sentence containing adjective proposition.

(e) Complex sentence containing noun proposition.

(f) Complex sentence containing adverb proposition.

(g) Complex sentence containing adjective, noun and adverb propositions.

II. Transpose into prose :—

"My life is cold, and dark, and dreary ;
It rains, and the wind is never weary ;
My thoughts still cling to the mouldering past,
But the hopes of youth fall thick in the blast,
And the days are dark and dreary."
—*Longfellow.*

III. Write a letter to a friend explaining the circumstances which render it necessary to take an ocean trip, and state the route you propose with names of places you expect to visit, etc., etc. The letter to be not less than 20 lines.

Additional for Senior Class.

IV. Paraphrase the following lines :—

(a) "Then suddenly, as one from sleep I started ;
For round about me all the sunny capes
Seemed peopled with the shapes
Of those whom I had known in days departed,
Apparelled in the loveliness which flames
On faces seen in dreams."—*Longfellow.*

N.B.—Senior class will omit question II.

WEST MIDDLESEX PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS.

From Second to Third Class.

READING.

Write the meanings of the italicized words and phrases. Answer the questions asked.

1. The bird that *soars on highest wing.*
2. Open your *hospitable* door. Mention two acts of hospitality.
3. The ass not liking the *complaisance* of his master.
4. *Urchins* stood with their *thievish eyes.* What is a thief?
5. There was an old *prophecy* that he should rule over Israel. Who?

6. He *managed* to send word to his *distracted* father.

7. He had hard work on their rough bush farm to make *both ends meet.*

8. Let the *young people mind* what the old people say. What do they say we should mind?

9. We ought to possess *courage* and *presence of mind.*

10. Thou comest with *sword, spear* and *shield.* Who was it came?

11. Write two verses from the "Evening Hymn."

12. Tell the story of "The Boy and the Starling."

13. To whom did God give the commandments? Write any two of them.

14. In the "Story of Mary and her Canary," what was Mary's fault? How was she cured?

15. Reading, page 183, first three paragraphs, "Birth of our Saviour."

SPELLING.

1. English rhyme.
2. He is grown a stalwart man.
3. Paws soft as dough (line of poetry).
4. You'll see the speckled hen.
5. don't, won't, she'd.
6. breakfast, cousins.
7. Some pretty hymn Ann sings.
8. They had stalks and no roots.
9. drowned, journey.
10. Tommy was quite afraid.
11. 'Twas reported of Tim.
12. O dearest Jenny Wren.
13. cushion, Christmas.
14. Master Timy's soup.
15. I'd scorn to intrude.
16. England, Walter.
17. It wouldn't be half so queer.
18. persevere, grievous.
19. The horses neighed.
20. Put the sieve in the meadow.
21. a mighty jerk, descendants.
22. sword, carcass, sheath.
23. epitaph, obstacles.
24. The bear almost squeezed her to death.
25. They've caught and killed scores.