

d'un coup le jeune prince se lèvo avec l'air de gravité et d'assurance d'un homme supérieur qui a pris son parti: "Messieurs, dit-il, j'ai résolu de "ne jamais faire une guerre injuste, mais de n'en finir une légitime que "par la perte de mes ennemis. Ma resolution est prise; j'irai attaquer le "premier qui se déclarera; et quand je l'aurai vaincu, j'espère faire quel- "que peur aux autres." Ces paroles étonnèrent tous ces vieux conseillers; ils se regardèrent sans oser répondre. Enfin, étonnés d'avoir un tel roi, et hontoux d'espérer moins que lui, ils regrettent avec admiration ses ordres pour la guerre.

2. May the indefinite pronoun *on* be used as a feminine and as a plural? Give two examples shewing either that it can or that it cannot. When is *l'on* used instead of *on*?

3. What is the distinction between *conjunctive* and *disjunctive* personal pronouns? Illustrate your answer by examples introducing *il* and *lui*.

4. When is *some* translated by *quelques* and when by *des*? and when is *de* used for *des*. Give examples.

5. Write out the Present of *s'en aller*, the Imperfect of *prendre*, the Past Definite of *craindre* and the Future of *faire*, all in the Indicative mood. Write out also the Present and Imperfect Subjunctive of *dire*.

6. Write a few phrases shewing the idiomatic use of the verbs *faire* and *venir*.

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#### BRITISH HISTORY.

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1. On what did William the Conqueror base his claim to the throne of England? What were the prominent traits of his character?

2. Name the foreign possessions of Henry II. State how and when each was acquired and how and when lost?

3. Write a short sketch of the reign of Richard II.

4. What circumstances and causes led to the accession of William of Orange to the throne of England?

5. How did England acquire Canada? Of what European war was this acquisition an episode? How did she lose her American Colonies?

6. What great events are associated with Thomas à Becket, the Black Prince, John Hampden, General Monk, Clive?