(more or less, according to sense) of the poem in which they occur:—curfew— hamlet—clarion— lisp— penury—tenour.

- 4. Explain the sentence "Their lot forbade," by pointing to whom "their" refers, and by pointing out the things forbidden them by their lot.
- 5. Write 3 stanzas beginning,—"Far from the madding crowd's ignoble strife.
- 6. Write the lines in which Gray suggests some hoary-headed villager might describe his own (Gray's) ways of passing his time. (11 lines enough).
- 7. Finish the verse beginning: "Full many a gem." Also write the same verse in your own words.
- 8. Name some of the almost daily pleasant experiences of a villager (1) in early morning, (2) at evening time. Use either your own or the poet's words.

The above examination paper on Gray's Elegy was taken by 124 pupils. The following obtained the first 10 places on the general list.

All girls except one—Mews.

The following are the names of the first 5 in each class, taken from the same list.

## MR. HILLYARD'S.

Mews, A. Ayre, H. Green, H. Blair, K. James, C.

## MISS MARCH'S.

Milley, M. Young, M. Inkpen, W. Sirving, E. White, M.

## MR. WHITEWAY'S.

Hann, F Noseworthy, F. Ayre, C. Dutot, C. Rodger, W.

## MISS TAYLOR'S.

Miller, A. Giles, M. Jardine E. Tucker, F. Bastow, E.