

THE HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR LEAVING AND UNIVERSITY PASS MATRICULATION.

HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY.

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A.—ENGLISH AND CANADIAN HISTORY.

1. Give a brief account of the reign of William III., so far as it may be described under the following heads:—

(a) The attitude of the various religious bodies towards the Crown, in England, Scotland and Ireland, (b) The Civil War in Ireland, (c) The National Debt, (d) The Bank of England, (e) Rise of Party Government, (f) Foreign Politics, (g) Personal Character of the King.

2. Give some account of the political situation and of the events in the reign of George III. bearing on the development of the freedom of the Press and the increase of its influence. Mention any legislation or other parliamentary action during the period (1688—1815), concerned with liberty of publication. What hindered the progress of the Press under the first two Georges?

3. Tell what you know of the younger Pitt's schemes of (a) financial, (b) constitutional reform. To what extent were they successfully carried out?

4. Describe, as clearly and as fully as possible, the causes leading to the Revolutionary War which resulted in the independence of America. What part did Canada play in that struggle?

5. Name, and, by means of a map, give the position of the American Colonies which declared their independence in 1776.

B.—ANCIENT HISTORY.

6. State the causes (immediate and remote) of the Peloponnesian War, and give a concise account of that struggle from the destruction of the Athenian armament at Syracuse to the downfall of Athens.

7. Outline briefly the struggle at Rome between the Patricians and the Plebeians from its commencement down to the passing of the Licinian Rogations. Describe the legislation embodied in those statutes.

8. "The allies of the Athenians, in the Peloponnesian War, were Chios, Lesbos, Plataeae, the Messenians at Naupactus, the greater part of Acarnania, Zacynthus and Corcyra." What and where was each of the places mentioned in this sentence?

9. Name and give the situation of the various countries and provinces which constituted the Roman Empire at the death of Augustus. As far as possible, give both ancient and modern names.

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1. Write an account of the New Learning, and the connection therewith of Colet, Erasmus, Warham and More. Show on what grounds the "Utopia" may claim to be considered the "typical book of the Revival."

2 "It is only by thoroughly realising the temper of the nation on religious and civil subjects, and the temper of the King, that we can understand the long Parliamentary conflict which occupied the whole of James's reign. But to make its de-