

COMMON EXAMINATION FOR ENTRANCE TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

SUBJECT—ENGLISH HISTORY.

[45 minutes.]

[Dates should be given where possible in all questions.]

I. Mention, without giving any details, *one* event that happened in the reign of each of the following Kings :—

Alfred, Henry II, Henry VII, Edward VII.

II. State *shortly* what events you connect with *three* of the following places and state where they are :—

Acre — Runnymede — Worcester — Cape Trafalgar —
Delhi — Sarajevo.

III. Write some 5 or 6 lines on *three* of the following, selecting *one* from each group :—

1. King William II—the Black Death—Wycliffe.
2. Cardinal Wolsey—William Cecil, Lord Burghley—
The Earl of Strafford.
3. The Massacre of Glencoe—Captain Cook and his
voyages—the Chartist.

IV. Write as interestingly as you can and as fully as you have time for on *one* of the following subjects :—

- (a) The Romans in Britain—how did they conquer it?
How did they govern it?
- (b) The Black Prince and Joan of Arc—what part did
each play in the Hundred Years' War between
England and France?
- (c) The career of Sir Robert Walpole—what good things
and what bad things did he do when Prime
Minister of England?
- (d) The League of Nations—What is it? and what does
it try to do?