

COMMON EXAMINATION FOR
ENTRANCE TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND
ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE, DARTMOUTH.

SUBJECT—**SCRIPTURE.**

[45 minutes.]

I. 1. A certain mother took her son to be brought up by the priest in the temple. The boy heard the voice of God speaking to him by night, he grew up to be a leader of the people and eventually it fell to his lot to anoint the first king of Israel.

Name :—(a) the mother, (b) the son, (c) the priest, (d) the place where the temple was at that time, (e) the man who was anointed to be the first king of Israel.

2. This first king of Israel had a son who became the great friend of a shepherd boy who was afterwards to become king himself. At the end, the king and his son met their death on a certain mountain when they were fighting against a people who were always the most bitter enemies of the Israelites.

Name :—(a) the son, (b) the shepherd boy who was his friend, (c) the mountain where the king and his son lost their lives, (d) the Israelites' most bitter enemies. (e) Quote any few lines of the beautiful lament written about the king and his son by the son's friend after their death.

II. Write not more than 5 or 6 lines on **one** of the following :—

- (a) The sin of Adam and Eve.
- (b) The sin of Cain.
- (c) The sin of Judas Iscariot.
- (d) The sin of Ananias and Sapphira.

III. (a) What does the word Gospel mean ?

- (b) How many men wrote a version of the Gospel story ?
- (c) By what name is a writer of a Gospel known ?
- (d) Which of the Gospel writers were also Apostles ?
- (e) Which writer of a Gospel continued his story in the Acts of the Apostles ?

[P. T. O.]

IV. Among other miracles Our Lord—

- (a) Changed water into wine.
- (b) Fed 5000 people from five barley loaves and a few small fishes.
- (c) Restored health to ten lepers.
- (d) Raised a friend from the dead.

Choose one of these and write a short description of what happened.

V. *Either,*

In the month of June there occur the Feasts of St. Barnabas and St. Peter.

Write a short account of what you know of *one* of these men.

Or,

How did Our Lord use the flowers and the birds to illustrate His teaching?

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