

## GEOGRAPHY.

1. Describe New Zealand fully with respect to surface, climate, natural, productions, and the industrial occupations of the people.
2. Name the principal islands of the East Indian Archipelago, state to whom they belong, and mention the chief products.
3. Write a general description of the great mountain systems of Asia.
4. Draw an outline map (as large as your paper will admit) of Great Britain and Ireland, and mark on it Liverpool, Hull, Milford Haven, Portsmouth, Plymouth, Aberdeen, Greenock, Belfast, Cork, and Limerick.
5. What, in your opinion, causes earthquakes? Give your reasons fully.

## LATIN.

1. Translate—

Cerberus haec ingens latratu regna trifauci  
 Personat, adverso recubans immanis in antro :  
 Cui vates, horrere videns jam colla colubris,  
 Melle soporatum, et medicatis frugibus, offam  
 Objicit. Ille, fame rabiâ, tria guttura pandens,  
 Corripit objectam, atque immania terga resolvit  
 Fusus humi, totoque ingens extenditur antro.  
 Occupat Aeneas aditum, custode sepulto,  
 Evaditque celer ripam irremeabilis undae.

2. Who was the "vates" here spoken of? Give some account of her.

3. Scan—

"Et centumgeminus Briareus, ac bellua Lernae."  
 "Deturbat, laxatque foros; simul accipit alveo."

4. Translate—

Quandoquidem Ausonios conjungi foedere Teucris  
 Haud licitum, nec vestra capit discordia finem;  
 Quae cuique est fortuna hodie, quam quisque secat spem,  
 Tros Rutulusve fuat, nullo discrimine habebō:  
 Seu, fatis, Italū castra obsidione tenentur,  
 Sive errore malo Trojae, monitisque sinistris.  
 Nec Rutulos solvo. Sua cuique exorsa laborem  
 Fortunamque ferent: rex Jupiter omnibus idem:  
 Pata viam invenient.

5. Explain the cases of *foedere*, *discrimine*, *cuique* (both of them), and *omnibus*.

6. Translate—

Contra ea Titurius sero facturos clamitabat, quum majores manus hostium adjunctis Germanis convenissent, aut quum aliquid calamitatis in proximis hibernis esset acceptum; brevem consulendi esse occasionem; Caesarem arbitrari profectum in Italiam; neque aliter Carnutes interficiendi Tasgetii consilium fuisse capturos, neque Eburones, si ille adesset, tanta cum contemptione nostri ad castra venturos esse; non hostem auctorem sed rem spectare; subesse Rhenum; magno esse Germanis dolori Ariovisti mortem et superiores nostras victorias; ardere Galliam, tot contumeliis acceptis sub populi Romani imperium redactam, superiore gloria rei militaris extincta.

7. Parse fully *adjunctus*, *interficiendi*, *adesset*, and *dolori*.

8. Translate—

In omni Gallia eorum nominum, qui aliquo sunt numero atque honore, genera sunt duo: nam plebes paene servorum habetur loco, quae per se nihil audet et nullo adhibetur consilio. Plerique, quum aut aere alieno, aut magnitudine tributorum, aut injuria potentiorum premuntur, sese in servitutem dicant nobilibus: in hos eadem omnia sunt jura quae dominis in servos. Sed de his duobus generibus alterum est Druidum, alterum equitum.

9. Where was the chief settlement of the Druids, and what doctrines did they teach?

## FRENCH.

1. Translate—

Un jour que Charles XII. roi de Suède dictait des lettres à un secrétaire, une bombe tomba sur la maison, perça le toit, et vint éclater près de la chambre même du roi; la moitié du plancher tomba en pièces, et, par un bonheur étonnant, nul des éclats qui sautaient en l'air n'entra dans la chambre, dont la porte était ouverte. Au bruit de la bombe et au fracas de la maison, qui semblait tomber, la plume échappa des mains du secrétaire: "Qu'y a-t-il donc?" lui dit le roi d'un air tranquille; "pourquoi n'écrivez-vous pas?" Celui-ci ne put répondre que ces mots: "Eh! sire, la bombe!" "Hé bien," reprit le roi, "qu'a de commun la bombe avec la lettre que je vous dicte? Continuez."

2. Write the third pers. sing. fut. ind. and third pers. pl. imp. subj. of the verbs in italics in the above passage.

3. Name the tenses formed from the present participle, and show by examples how they are formed in the four regular conjugations.

4. Translate "Next Monday will be Easter Monday, the 10th of April, 1882." (Write the dates in words.)

5. Give the meanings of *croit*, *des*, *doux*, *parti*, *sort*, *sourit*, *suit*, *très*. Write down, with their meanings, words similarly sounded but differently spelt.

6. Write a short letter in French asking that you may receive an appointment in the Civil Service, stating your qualifications, and mentioning the department to which you would like to be attached.