## Political Economy.

1769. Examine the theory of unproductive expenditure, as given by Adam Smith and Mill, and distinguish it from waste. *C. S. I., Final*, 1876. vii. 10.

1770. In what way does 'unproductive expenditure' or 'waste' affect the general well-being of society? Give instances of real waste. *Home Class I.*, 1876, viii. 10.

1771. Compare 'unproductive consumption' as defined and illustrated by Mr. Mill, with 'waste.' How does Adam Smith formulate waste? Can you show how the theory of production would have been assisted had greater attention been paid to this form of the consumption of wealth? C. S. I., Final, 1872. iv. 12.

1772. Show the fallacy in saying that the Castle balls are 'good for trade.' *Dublin Sen. Soph., II.T.,* 1876. iii. 12.

1773. It is supposed by some persons that expenditure by the rich in costly entertainments is good for trade. What is your opinion on the subject? *Queen's Univ. B.A., Hon.,* 1879. iii. 12.

1774. An Oxford undergraduate, with the applause of shopkeepers, bought twenty waistcoats, under the plea that he was doing good to trade. Examine the economical soundness of his act. Oxford 2nd Public, Pass, M.T., 1878. vi. 10.

1775. Is the extravagant expenditure of the rich