

la véhémence des reproches, les commissaires se présentent à la porte du vieux célibataire, qui, instruit de l'objet de leur mission, leur remet cent guinées, en disant, " Vous vous étonnez de bien peu de chose. J'ai ma manière de ménager et de dépenser. L'une fournit à l'autre, et toutes deux font mon bonheur."

2. Translate into French:—In order to make the elephant come out, his master threw him a large quantity of faggots and pointed out to him that he must slip them one after another under his feet. The elephant soon found himself on a level with the ground, nevertheless he did not hasten to come out. Then his master held out to him things good to eat. The temptation was too strong and he at length decided to leave the place which he had found so agreeable.

SECTION II.

3. Give in full the past (preterite) definite of *aller*, and *venir*, the imperfect subjunctive of *voir*, and the imperfect indicative of *vouloir*.

4. Name the simple tenses active and give the second person plural of all these tenses of *pouvoir* and *dire*.

5. Ask five questions (of at least ten words each) in French and give in full suitable replies to these questions.

SECTION III.

6. Write in the plural *canal*, *cheval*, *œil*, *clou* and *chou*; and in the feminine, *muët*, *blanc*, *long*, *frais*, *faux*. How are the degrees of comparison expressed in French?

7. Explain, with examples, the use of the expressions, *on*, *en*, *y*, and *ne.....que*.

8. (Must be taken by all the pupils). Write from dictation the passage read to you.

MENTAL ARITHMETIC (GRADE II. ACADEMY).

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| 1. What is 25 per cent. of \$3,600 ? | Ans..... |
| 2. What is the cost of 640 yds. at \$6.25 cents a yd. ? | Ans..... |
| 3. Reduce £22 to pence. | Ans |
| 4. Multiply the square of 25 by 25. | Ans..... |
| 5. Subtract 19 shillings from £20. | Ans..... |
| 6. How many inches are in 2 miles ? | Ans |
| 7. Add $6\frac{2}{3} + 8\frac{3}{4} + 9\frac{1}{2} + 3\frac{1}{4}$. | Ans..... |
| 8. Deduct 3 per cent. from \$35,000. | Ans..... |
| 9. Multiply 123,456,789 by 91. | Ans..... |
| 10. Simplify $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{5}{6} \times \frac{7}{8} \times \frac{9}{10}$. | Ans..... |