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ARITHMETIC.

SECTION I.

DEFINITIONS, NUMERATION, SIMPLE ADDITION,
SIMPLE SUBTRACTION, SIMPLE MULTIPLICA-
TION, AND SIMPLE DIVISION.

1. Arithmetic is the study of numbers.
2. Numbers are expressions or characters that represent one or more things of the same kind. Thus *one, two, three, seven, eleven, twenty-six*, &c., are numbers.
3. Numbers may be expressed either by words or by characters.
4. Notation is the art of writing numbers by means of characters.
5. Numeration is the art of reading numbers thus expressed.
6. The characters used for the expression of numbers are either figures or letters.
7. Arabic Notation is the expression of numbers by figures.
8. Roman Notation is the expression of numbers by letters.