

ber into periods of three figures each, beginning at the right hand, the names of those periods will be,

First	period	Units.
Second	"	Thousands.
Third	"	Millions.
Fourth	"	Billions.
Fifth	"	Trillions.
&c.		&c.

Also, that the names of the places in each of those periods are the same, namely:

First	place,	Units.
Second	"	Tens.
Third	"	Hundreds.

7. The following plan is recommended to enable the scholar to write in figures any number dictated by the teacher.

Let the scholar write on his slate a number of noughts, or zeros; thus 000,000,000,000, marking them off into periods of three places each from the right;

Put U over the first period for Units.

T.....second.....Thousands.

M.....third.....Millions.

B.....fourth.....Billions.

B M T U

And so on. Thus 000,000,000,000. Then when a number is dictated to the pupil all he has to do is to put each figure under its proper place and fill up vacancies, if any, with 0s.

Thus, two thousand and five will be written thus in figures	2,005
Eighty-six thousand four hundred and three	86,403
Four hundred and thirty thousand three hundred and forty	430,340
Eight hundred and three millions one thousand and eleven	803,001,011
Five billions thirty-seven millions and six.	5,037,000,006

Ex. IV.

Write the following numbers in figures.

(1) One hundred and five, eight thousand seven hundred and ninety, thirty-seven thousand and seventy-one, thirty thousand four hundred and two, seventy-seven thousand seven hundred, twenty-four thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

(2) One hundred and five thousand four hundred and