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## Question Drawer.

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### QUESTIONS.

W.G.W.—(1) Is the holder of a Second-Class certificate, obtained in 1889, eligible to write on Part I. of the Fourth Form, new Regulations?

K.A.W.—(2) Please state what Drawing books and what copybooks are required for Entrance and Public School Leaving Examinations for 1897. Is any memorizing required for Public School Leaving?

E.I.S.—(3) Can you inform me whether or not Botany has been substituted for Euclid on the Public Leaving Examinations for 1897?

L.R.E.—(4) In the East Victoria Promotion Examinations, in your last number, I notice one question in Geography relating to Asia, and one to the West Indies. I understand that the limit of work in Geography for Third Class is North America, Dominion of Canada, Ontario, and Europe. Am I correct?

M. Mc.—(5) What kind of sentences are, (a) "I shall (will?) go to Montreal to-morrow, unless something prevents me"; (b) We must be diligent, else we shall not learn"?

### ANSWERS.

(1) Yes.

(2) Same as for 1896, viz., Authorized Copybook No. 6; Authorized Drawing Book, No. 5, for Entrance; Authorized Drawing Book No. 6, for Public School Leaving. The work for either may be done in any blank books, providing it covers the prescribed course. No discrimination will be made in favor of the authorized books. No selections have been prescribed for memorization.

(3) It has not. No change of requirements is made for 1897. See editorial article on third page of THE JOURNAL.

(4) The limit of work for Promotion Examinations is not fixed by the Department, but by the local authorities, presumably the Inspector. It may, therefore, vary in different inspectorates.

(5) Both are complex, conditional. Unless is evidently equivalent to: *if* (something does not) prevent, etc.; *else* to: *If* (we are) *not* diligent, etc.

### EDUCATIONAL GLOBES.

Two educational globes, which are on exhibition in the window of Fred. G. Steinberger & Co.'s school supply house, at 37 Richmond street west, are attracting considerable attention, especially among those interested in education. They were manufactured especially for the World's Fair, and received the highest award, both medal and diploma. They are designed for the practical study of geography and the celestial sphere. The instruments are mechanically arranged, and founded on the mechanism attached to the German Fraunhofer mounted equatorial, which is now considered the only correct resolvent of all problems which can arise in the study of the two sections of knowledge.

## Literary Notes.

Madame Calvé and Madame Melba will both appear in the next issue of *The Ladies' Journal* with articles on the voice. Madame Melba has written before and is, in fact, no novice with the pen, but this is Madame Calvé's first attempt at authorship. She wrote the article in French, and after an English translation had been made of it she had the original manuscript bound between morocco covers as a souvenir of her *début* as a writer.

*The Arena* closes its sixteenth volume with the November number, which is one of the most notable issues of that progressive magazine. It contains striking papers on the money question by Prof. Frank Parsons, of the Boston University School of Law; Justice Walter Clark, LL.D., of the Supreme Bench of North Carolina; Hon. William H. Standish, and B. O. Flower, the editor. Among the other articles is a paper by Mrs. Mary M. Harrison, who has for years made a study of child life, on "Children's Sense of Fear," which will be of especial interest to those engaged in training the young.

Pupils of the Canada Business College, Chatham, seem to meet with wonderful successes in securing choice positions. It will be noticed in the advertisement which appears this week that one of the pupils, John Pierce, has secured a good position as stenographer with the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co., in Montreal, and another pupil, Arch. McPherson, has secured the position of assistant bookkeeper with the Goid Bicycle Co., Brantford. Last week we noticed the placing of three others, Aggie Turner as stenographer with D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich.; Mattie Sechrist as bookkeeper with Corrington & Long, Trent, Mich.; and Olive Lindley as stenographer in the G.R. & I. Railway Office, Grand Rapids. Every one of these is a choice appointment, and it must be gratifying to the proprietors of this popular school to have their pupils meet with such favor with the business public.

I hear men speak continually of going to a "better world," rather than of its coming to them; but in that prayer which they have straight from the lips of the Light of the World, there is not anything about going to another world; only of another government coming into this, which will constitute it a world indeed—new heavens and a new earth: "Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."—*John Ruskin.*

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