

thirty-three, five hundred and forty-one, nine hundred and sixty-nine.

Ans. 3324.

9. Add together six, sixty-five, six hundred and fifty-five, three thousand six hundred and fifty-five, twenty-six thousand three hundred and fifty-nine.

Ans. 30740.

10. A man willed his estate to his wife, two sons, and four daughters. To his daughters he gave 2630 dollars apiece, to his sons, each 4647 dollars, and to his wife 3595 dollars; of what value was his estate?

Ans. 23409 dollars.

11. A man bought three houses and lots for 15780 dollars, and sold them so as to gain 695 dollars on each lot; for how much did he sell them?

Ans. 17865 dollars.

SUBTRACTION.

Explanatory Exercises.

17. A farmer having 8 cows, sold 3 of them, how many cows had he left?

ANALYSIS.—He had as many left as 8 cows less 3 cows, which are 5 cows. Therefore he had 5 cows left.

2. David has 9 peaches, and George has seven peaches; how many more peaches has David than George?

ANALYSIS.—Here, as in the former case, he has as many more as 9 peaches less 7, which are 2 peaches. Therefore he has 2 peaches more than George,

3. A merchant having 14 barrels of flour, sells nine of them; how many has he left?

4. Paid 19 dollars for a coat, and 4 dollars for a vest; how much more did the coat cost than the vest?

18. We see from the foregoing that **Subtraction** is the process of determining the difference between two numbers.

19. The **Minuend** is the number to be subtracted from.

20. The **Subtrahend** is the number to be subtracted.

21. The **Difference** or **Remainder** is the result obtained by the process of subtraction.

22. The sign —, is called *minus*, which signifies *less*. When placed between two numbers, it denotes that the one