

FOREWORD

It was the aim of the Author to furnish the pupil a thorough training in both oral and written Arithmetic by well-classified exercises;

To treat Mental Arithmetic with as much care as becomes its importance as an everyday necessity, and a well-recognized mind driller;

To supply a large number of simple, graded, practical problems dealing with trading, farming, manufacturing features as well as with up-to-date questions, like money saving, hygiene, antialcoholism;

To give theory (unhappily slighted nowadays) a pretty extensive development, but based upon observation and induction.

We hope that this new book will appeal to the teachers as both pretty and practical, and that they will amicably greet it.
