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ANAGRAM.

Flei si thu a pyrelisp petse, Tso thiw belsruto rakd nda pedo; Nac ouy ustr em Culy edra, Kawl, diesbe me hitwiuo rfae. Amy I rayre fi I liwl, Lai royu ne srub pu hte ihll. Neth has erdwane this a gaulh, On' thu ony yma yemr llifa. P. S. SATEGHNUEA.

The following exercise for correction in Orthography, was recently given to candidates for the position of Principal in the Chicago schools. How many of our roaders can correct it properly without referring to a diction.

ary?

"Prefferring the kornelion huce, and sepperateing the innuendos, I will simply state that a peddlers poncy ate a potatoe out of a waggin whilst its owner anounst that he was a traveller, and had for sale Jewellerey, stashionary and every conseavible article of dry goods, and confest considderable embarsament, as he was not only nearly phrenzied but was almost sick with an oggzajjerated attack of tizzic, besides his ordinary affixion of kronik diareer."

ENIGMA.

I am composed of eleven letters. My 2, 4, 8 and 5, is part of the human body. My 0, 3, 8, 7, 3, 4 and 11, is one who instructs. My 2, 8 and 9, is part of a man's wearing enparel.

My 7,86,1 is a domestic animal. My 5, 10, 7, 1, 10, 11, is a title. My 5, 10, 11, and 8 is a lady's name. My 5, 8, 8, 11, 9, 2 is want. My whole is a monthly visitor.

JENNIE.

J. S. White sends us the following question from an old work for insertion.

One evening I chanced with a tinker to sit, Whose tongue ran a great deal too fast for his wit. He talked of his art with abundance of mettle, Go I asked him to make me a flat-bottomed kettle. Let the top and the bottom diameter be, In just such proportion as five is to three. Two we inches the depth I proposed, and no more; Of Wine gallons to hold seven-tenths of a soore He promised to do it, and straight to work went Got right the proportions, but wrong the content He altere'd it then, and the quantity found Correct, but the top measured far too much round; Till, making it either too big, or too little, The tinker at last, had quite spoild his fine kettle. But he vows he will bring his said promise to pass, Or else he will wasto every ounce of his brass. \$3 to save him from ruin, kind friend, find him out The diameters' length, for he'll ne'er do it, I doubt.

ALGEBRAIC PROBLEM.

From a cask containing 256 gallons of wine. a certain quantity is drawn, and then it is filled with water, and then the same quantity of the mixture is drawn, and so on for four times, filling up with water at every draught, when 01 gallons of pure wine is in the cask. How much wine is drawn each time?

H. N. CHUTE, Aylmer, Oat.

MATHEMATICAL PROBLEM.

This problem was inserted in last number, but on account of a typographical error which was overlooked at the time, it did not admix of solution.

The dissumference of an inscribed circle was the hypothenuse by 222, what inust the sides of the triangle be.

JOHN CAMERON.

Auswers, Solutions, &c. for last No.

Chatsworth.

ANAGRAM.

Nor pass the curious tentin lad, Who o'er the ingle hangs his head. And begs of neighbors books to read For hence arise, Thy Country's sons, who far are spread Beth bold and wise

THOMSON.

Correct answers from H. A. Thomas, John J. Forbes, John Cameron, J. B. Milne, Sam'l. Ranton, and H. Dickenson.

MATHEMATICAL PUZZLE.

The eagle is a gold coin of the U. S. worth \$10; consequently the answer is \$20.

Correct answers from J. C. Bennett, Allen Moyer, John Cameron, A. Murray, H. A. Thomas, John B. Milne, Sam'l. Ranton, H. Dickenson, P. S. Stenabaugh, Wm. Teskoy, and Henry Baynes.

ENIGMA-Answer Latitudinamianiam.

Correct answers from J. L. Hepburn, Allen Moyer, John J. Forbes, John Camer n. M. Simpson, H.A. Thomas, John B. Milne, Sam'l. Ranton, H. Dickenson, W. J. McDonald, Wm. Toskey, P. S. Stenabaugh, Henry Baynes and R. K. Kernighan.

RITHMETICAL PROBLEM, Ass. 36. We have received solutions of this problem by Algebra and Position, but have received no satisfactory solution by Analysis. Cannot some of our readers send us such a solution during the coming month?

Correct answers from Allen Moyer, John Cameron, M. Simpson, H. A. Thomas, John B. Milne, Sam'l. Ranton, H. Dickenson, W. J. McDonald, P. S. Stenabaugh, Wm. Teskoy and A. Murray.

ALGEBRAIC PROBLEM. SOLUTION.

 $12x^{2}-55x^{-2}-18x+6x^{-1}=\frac{1}{2}$ (1) multiplying by 12xt transposing and adding 16 to each side, we get $144x^4 - 216x^2 - 15x^2 + 72x + 16$ =676 (II), extracting the square root, we get $12x^3 - 9x - 4 = 26$ or $12x^2 - 9x - 30$ (III) Now completing the square, and extracting the eq. root, we get $24 \times 9 + 39 = 48$ or 30, wherefore x=2 or -1. Ans.

JOHN CAMERON,

Chatsworth, Ont.

Correct answers from Obed Smith, W. J. McDonald, and A. Marray.

In proof of S. B. Ganton's solution of Mathematical Problem in Saptember No., it was made to read #Join CP, then CP= CE." It should reed then CP=PE, &c.

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