

WORK AND PLAY SECTION

How Fast Can You Add?

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(a) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 1\ 0 \\ 1\ 1 \\ 1\ 2 \\ 1\ 3 \\ 1\ 4 \end{array}$	(b) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 2\ 1 \\ 2\ 2 \\ 2\ 3 \\ 2\ 4 \\ 2\ 5 \end{array}$	(c) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 3\ 2 \\ 3\ 3 \\ 3\ 4 \\ 3\ 5 \\ 3\ 6 \end{array}$	(d) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 4\ 3 \\ 4\ 4 \\ 4\ 5 \\ 4\ 6 \\ 4\ 7 \end{array}$	(e) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 5\ 4 \\ 5\ 5 \\ 5\ 6 \\ 5\ 7 \\ 5\ 8 \end{array}$	(f) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 6\ 5 \\ 6\ 6 \\ 6\ 7 \\ 6\ 8 \\ 6\ 9 \end{array}$	(g) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 7\ 6 \\ 7\ 7 \\ 7\ 8 \\ 7\ 9 \\ 8\ 0 \end{array}$	(h) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 8\ 7 \\ 8\ 8 \\ 8\ 9 \\ 9\ 0 \\ 9\ 1 \end{array}$	(i) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 9\ 8 \\ 9\ 9 \\ 1\ 0 \\ 1\ 1 \\ 1\ 2 \end{array}$
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(j) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 1\ 5 \\ 1\ 6 \\ 1\ 7 \\ 1\ 8 \\ 1\ 9 \end{array}$	(k) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 2\ 6 \\ 2\ 7 \\ 2\ 8 \\ 2\ 9 \\ 3\ 0 \end{array}$	(l) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 3\ 7 \\ 3\ 8 \\ 3\ 9 \\ 4\ 0 \\ 4\ 1 \end{array}$	(m) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 4\ 8 \\ 4\ 9 \\ 5\ 0 \\ 5\ 1 \\ 5\ 2 \end{array}$	(n) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 5\ 9 \\ 6\ 0 \\ 6\ 1 \\ 6\ 2 \\ 6\ 3 \end{array}$	(o) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 7\ 0 \\ 7\ 1 \\ 7\ 2 \\ 7\ 3 \\ 7\ 4 \end{array}$	(p) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 8\ 1 \\ 8\ 2 \\ 8\ 3 \\ 8\ 4 \\ 8\ 5 \end{array}$	(q) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 9\ 2 \\ 9\ 3 \\ 9\ 4 \\ 9\ 5 \\ 9\ 6 \end{array}$	(r) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 1\ 3 \\ 1\ 4 \\ 1\ 5 \\ 1\ 6 \\ 1\ 7 \end{array}$
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(s) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 2\ 0 \\ 2\ 1 \\ 2\ 2 \\ 2\ 3 \\ 2\ 4 \end{array}$	(t) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 3\ 1 \\ 3\ 2 \\ 3\ 3 \\ 3\ 4 \\ 3\ 5 \end{array}$	(u) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 4\ 2 \\ 4\ 3 \\ 4\ 4 \\ 4\ 5 \\ 4\ 6 \end{array}$	(v) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 5\ 3 \\ 5\ 4 \\ 5\ 5 \\ 5\ 6 \\ 5\ 7 \end{array}$	(w) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 6\ 4 \\ 6\ 5 \\ 6\ 6 \\ 6\ 7 \\ 6\ 8 \end{array}$	(x) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 7\ 5 \\ 7\ 6 \\ 7\ 7 \\ 7\ 8 \\ 7\ 9 \end{array}$	(y) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 8\ 6 \\ 8\ 7 \\ 8\ 8 \\ 8\ 9 \\ 9\ 0 \end{array}$	(z) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 9\ 7 \\ 9\ 8 \\ 9\ 9 \\ 1\ 0 \\ 1\ 1 \end{array}$	(ab) $\begin{array}{r} \underline{\quad} \\ 1\ 8 \\ 1\ 9 \\ 2\ 0 \\ 2\ 1 \\ 2\ 2 \end{array}$
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ABOVE there are many little problems in addition. If you want to acquire rapidity and accuracy in adding, study them as follows: Add the above columns and place your answers below the bottom line of each. When you have finished adding all the problems and have written the answers below each one, cover your answers with a narrow strip of thick paper.

Now add each column again and place each answer above the line at the *top* of each column. Uncover your answers at the bottom and compare them with the answers at

the top. Let your answers remain if you have the same answer at the top that you have at the bottom.

If any of the columns do not have the same answer at top and bottom, erase both answers. Again add each column of which the answer had to be erased in the same way as you did at first. Repeat this until all of the columns have the same answers twice. After learning to add correctly, you will want to learn to add rapidly. Here is the way to learn to add fast.

(Please turn to page 178.)

JOSE BECOMES A READER

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the house, he is heard singing, "Fifteen men on a dead man's chest, Yo ho ho, and a bottle of rum.")

Maria: Why, that is John Silver.

Pedro: Who is John Silver? He looks terrible to me. (John Silver enters.)

Maria: I'll let him tell who he is. John Silver, please tell us who you are.

John Silver: Well, I'm a pirate. I went to Treasure Island to dig for hidden gold. You can read all about me in the book by Robert Louis Stevenson called *Treasure Island*.

José: I wouldn't mind to read about that old cut-throat pirate. Maybe I will read about him. Look at these old-fashioned girls coming in. Who are they? (Meg, Beth, Amy, and Jo enter.)

Maria: These are my four little women friends, Jo, Beth, Amy, and Meg, whom Louisa M. Alcott tells about in one of her books called *Little Women*. And here are two more of my book companions, Bobby and his sister Sue. Come in, Bobby and Sue. (Bobby and Sue enter.) I am glad you are here even if you are late.

Tom Sawyer: I'm sorry, but Huck and I must be going.

Other Storybook People: Yes, and we must go, too. Goodbye, Maria and Anita.

And goodbye, Pedro. Goodbye, José. We hope you will learn to know us, José, and make us your companions, just like Maria has done. (Curtain closes as they start out.)

SCENE III

The same as Scene I. Maria, Anita, José, and Pedro are talking.

Maria: Well, José, this afternoon you met some of my storybook friends. What do you think of them, Jo?

José: Do you mean, Maria, that all those people are in books?

Maria: Yes, and there are many more just as interesting.

José: I should like to see them.

Maria: You can read about them, Jo.

José: I think I begin to see why you like so well to read, Maria.

Maria: Why don't you become a reader, José? You can get books from the school library. And magazines, too. One of the best of these is a magazine called *The Young Citizen*. It is the magazine for young people. It has splendid stories in it and games, and lots of interesting information. And many other things.

José: Well, Maria, I think I shall become a reader, too. And I'm going to begin right now by reading your copy of *The Young Citizen*. (Holds

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How to Secure Rapidity

Add these columns twice each day for five days in succession. Then do not look at them for one day.

Then add them twice each day for four days; put them out of sight for two days.

Again, add them twice each day for three days; do not look at them for three days.

Next, add them twice each day for two days; do not look at them for four days.

Then add them twice in one day. You will be surprised at the amount of speed you have gained in adding.

Remember that "practice makes perfect." If you want to be able to add numbers quickly and correctly you must be willing to do the labor involved in this method. It certainly will pay you to do so.

Here are the correct answers to the problems on page 170. Check answers: (a) 60 (b) 115 (c) 170 (d) 225 (e) 280 (f) 335 (g) 390 (h) 445 (i) 230 (j) 85 (k) 140 (l) 195 (m) 250 (n) 305 (o) 360 (p) 415 (q) 470 (r) 75 (s) 110 (t) 165 (u) 220 (v) 275 (w) 330 (x) 385 (y) 440 (z) 315 (ab) 100.

up a copy of *Treasure Island* in one hand and a copy of *The Young Citizen* in the other. (Curtain.) — Adapted from *The Instructor*.