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New Mexico High School Elementary School Practice 2022-23 1000 Set

- 1 Q: What is the third word in a word square if the first two are "not" and "owe"?

A: ten

- 2 Q: What are the last two letters of the capital cities of these countries?
Ireland
Germany

A: in

- 3 Q: What is the term for a high, vertical or nearly vertical rock wall?

A: cliff

- 4 Q: The Chisholm Trail was about 1000 miles long. Since cattle drives only made about 15 miles per day, the entire drive would take about how many months?

A: 2

- 5 Q: What is the next line in the folksong that begins with these words?
All around the cobbler's bench
The monkey chased the weasel
The monkey thought 'twas all in fun

A: Pop goes the weasel

- 6 Q: What important invention consisted of a circular frame of wood, metal, or other hard substance, either in the form of a solid disk or a rim with spokes radiating from a central hub?

A: wheel

- 7 Q: No snakebite fatalities have occurred on what continent?

A: Antarctica

- 8 Q: Fred commutes 6 miles to work daily. At the end of a regular work week, he has traveled at least how many miles?

A: 60

- 9 Q: Using just the numbers 3, 7, and 5, what is the smallest number you can get by multiplying two of the numbers and adding the third to the product?

A: 22

- 10 Q: How many hours are in April?

A: 720 hours

- 11 Q: What possessive form of an animal name completes these cliches?
---- got your tongue
thinks he's the ---- meow

A: cat's

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12 Q: Snow or ice on the ground that has been reduced to a soft and somewhat watery mixture by above-freezing temperatures is called what?

A: slush

13 Q: Complete this proverb.
Advice to a fool goes in one ear and ...

A: out the other

14 Q: The largest modern land animal is the African elephant weighing some 5 tons. But this is just one-eighth of the weight of the largest dinosaurs. How much did they weigh?

A: 40 tons

15 Q: What is the term for a periodic rise and fall of ocean levels resulting from the gravitational force exerted by the Sun and Moon?

A: tide

16 Q: What is the name for an adult male chicken?

A: rooster

17 Q: What is the quotient if $18 \frac{3}{7}$ is divided by 8?

A: $2 \frac{17}{56}$

18 Q: This is from what British novel?
In every job that must be done,
There is an element of fun.
You find the fun, and the job's a game.

A: Mary Poppins

19 Q: What is the antonym of "first"?

A: last

20 Q: What are the last two accented words in this verse?
About the year of one B.C.
A gallant ship set out to sea,
To catch a whale and salt his tail.

A: salt, tail

21 Q: How many millimeters are in thirty centimeters?

A: 300

22 Q: What is the greatest common denominator of these numbers?
120 81 117

A: 3

23 Q: The book, "Jump! The Adventures of Br'er Rabbit," is a retelling of the stories of Uncle who?

A: Remus

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24 Q: What tool that is a kind of lever would you most likely use to remove a splinter?

A: tweezers

25 Q: To change centimeters to meters, divide by what number?

A: 100

26 Q: What word ends these clichés?

tickled to ----

bored to ----

scared to ----

A: death

27 Q: In Assyria, an emperor had a collection of 20,000 clay tablets inscribed in cuneiform. In ancient Alexandria, a building housed tens of thousands of scrolls. Today, such collections are housed in what kind of buildings?

A: libraries

28 Q: Who wrote this passage?

And today the great Yertle, the Marvelous he,

Is King of the Mud. That is all he can see.

And the turtles of course, all the turtles

are free

As turtles and, maybe, all creatures should be.

A: Dr. Seuss

29 Q: What wonders of the ancient world consist of millions of stone blocks mostly weighing more than two tons each?

A: pyramids

30 Q: This is a quote from what story?

"I don't care," said the Rat, doggedly. "I'm not coming, and that's flat. And I am going to stick to my old river, and live in a hole and boat as I've always done. And what's more, Mole's going to stick with me and do as I do, aren't you, Mole?"

A: The Wind in the Willows

31 Q: What is the Earth's period of rotation?

A: 1 day (24 hours)

32 Q: Name the northernmost U.S. capital city.

A: Juneau

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33 Q: What kind of stories that have evolved around such characters as these?

Stormalong
Joe Magarac
Pecos Bill
Paul Bunyan

A: tall tales (legends, folk tales)

34 Q: Name the tallest living mammal.

A: giraffe

35 Q: Name the molecule that gives plants their green color.

A: chlorophyll

36 Q: Express the ratio, 60/70, in lowest terms.

A: 6/7 (or 6 to 7)

37 Q: A potentially devastating ecological problem may result from the practically unchecked clear-cutting of the enormous rain forest in what country of South America?

A: Brazil

38 Q: What three words complete this saying born in the time of the American Revolution?

United we stand, ...

A: divided we fall

39 Q: What key word in this poem tells you the author is using a simile?

Like a small grey
coffee-pot
sits the squirrel.

A: like

40 Q: The easternmost part of California borders on what state?

A: Arizona

41 Q: If a shaft makes one rotation every 3600 seconds, how many rotations does it make in one hour?

A: 1

42 Q: Name the legislative branch of U.S. federal government.

A: Congress

43 Q: What is the answer to this J.R.R. Tolkien riddle?

What has roots as nobody sees,
Is taller than trees
Up, up it goes,
And yet never grows?

A: mountain

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44 Q: What occurs when water droplets in clouds coalesce and become heavy enough to fall?

A: precipitation (rain, snow)

45 Q: Divide $\frac{3}{5}$ by $\frac{1}{15}$.

A: 9

46 Q: On the obverse side of the Great Seal of the United States, what projectiles are symbolic of the 13 original states?

A: arrows

47 Q: Eight percent of what number is 200?

A: 2500

48 Q: What part of the eyeball regulates the amount of light striking the retina?

A: pupil

49 Q: If you have ten white golf tees and ten black golf tees in a bag, how many would you have to pull out randomly to be certain you would have two with matching colors?

A: three

50 Q: The temperature was 27 degrees below zero but then it dropped 15 degrees. What was the resulting temperature?

A: -42 degrees

51 Q: What are three consecutive integers such that their sum is 27?

A: 8, 9, 10

52 Q: The name of what kind of storm rhymes with "spittoon" and "raccoon"?

A: typhoon

53 Q: A sloth started vigorously climbing a tree at 1:45 p.m. and climbed continuously until 7:15 p.m. How long did it climb?

A: 5 hrs 30 min (5.5 hrs)

54 Q: According to Ben Franklin, how much is earned by saving a penny?

A: a penny

55 Q: What is the term for a natural satellite that orbits a planet?

A: moon

56 Q: What British legendary character robbed from the rich and gave to the poor?

A: Robin Hood

57 Q: What Grimm fairy tells the story of a woodcutter who is granted some wishes when he vows not to cut down a certain tree, but ends up with just some pudding that is not stuck to his nose?

A: The Three Wishes

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58 Q: Common to all venomous reptiles are what kind of teeth that inject venom?

A: fangs

59 Q: The northern limit of Baja California is what U.S. state?

A: California

60 Q: What is the name for a piece of land that juts out into a body of water?

A: peninsula

61 Q: What noun indicates the immediate region in which a person lives?

A: neighborhood

62 Q: What is the last word in this poem by Shel Silverstein?

Oh, if you're a bird, be an early bird
And catch the worm for your breakfast plate.
If you're a bird, be an early bird,
But if you're a worm, sleep ...

A: late

63 Q: Complete the last line in this verse.

Last night I saw upon the stair
A little man who wasn't there.
He wasn't there again today,
Oh how ...

A: I wish he'd go away

64 Q: What is the last meaning of the word used four times in this sentence?

You can bank on his banking at the bank on
the west bank of the river.

A: shore (border, edge)

65 Q: Name the rhythmic rising and falling of water observed along the shores of oceans, seas, and large lakes.

A: tides

66 Q: What name completes this quote?

Once upon a time there were three billy-goats,
who went up to the hillside to make themselves
fat, and the name of all three was ...

A: Gruff

67 Q: In 1807, Fulton's steamboat, the Clermont, steamed 150 miles up the Hudson River from New York to Albany in 32 hours. To the nearest whole number, the ship traveled at how many miles per hour?

A: 5

68 Q: What term for a special, large chair is an anagram of "hornet"?

A: throne

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69 Q: The Earth and what other heavenly body are approximately the same distance from the Sun?

A: Moon

70 Q: As the saying goes, "When sounds travel far and wide, a stormy day will betide". This bit of lore is only true in summer if the air is moist and what?

A: warm

71 Q: What is the perimeter of a square with a side of seven feet?

A: 28 feet

72 Q: What kind of tree do you always carry in your hand?

A: palm

73 Q: Name the device suspended below the hull of a ship by which a vessel may be turned.

A: rudder

74 Q: Convert the decimal .0009 to percent.

A: .09%

75 Q: 63 divided by -9 equals what?

A: -7

76 Q: The tract of land that houses the U.S. federal government was named after what explorer?

A: Christopher Columbus

77 Q: 20% of what number is 36?

A: 180

78 Q: What is the quotient when 66,822 is divided by 74?

A: 903

79 Q: A basket contains five apples. How can you divide them such that each of five kids get one apple each while one apple remains in the basket?

A: One kid gets his apple in the basket.

80 Q: What homograph means either a summit or a spinning toy?

A: top

81 Q: The surface of what planet receives enough energy from the Sun to maintain an average temperature above the freezing point of water but much lower than the boiling point?

A: Earth

82 Q: Name the device around which a wheel rotates.

A: axle

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- 83 Q: This ad by Mobil Oil was an allusion to what literary work?
Follow Your Own Yellow Brick Road.
- A: The (Wonderful) Wizard of Oz
- 84 Q: The southernmost town in Central America is in what country?
- A: Panama
- 85 Q: Within cocoons, caterpillars change into what insects?
- A: butterflies (moths)
- 86 Q: How many seconds are in 2 1/2 minutes?
- A: 150
- 87 Q: What word is missing in these cliches?
right under your ----
follow your ----
lead around by the ----
cut off your ---- to spite your face
- A: nose
- 88 Q: What direction on a compass is exactly opposite from northeast?
- A: southwest
- 89 Q: This line taken from a nursery rhyme refers to what type of insect?
Your house is on fire.
- A: ladybug
- 90 Q: What is another name for twisters?
- A: tornadoes
- 91 Q: What legendary bovine is indicated by this line?
I've forgot most of the other figgurs, but I
remember he measured forty-two axe handles
between the eyes.
- A: Babe (the Blue Ox)
- 92 Q: What punctuation mark follows forceful commands or interjections?
- A: exclamation point
- 93 Q: According to the proverb, what are you supposed to do before you leap?
- A: look
- 94 Q: What is the denominator in 7/56?
- A: 56
- 95 Q: What is the collective name for limbless reptiles?
- A: snakes

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96 Q: What one-word palindrome indicates a visual organ?

A: eye

97 Q: Name the cardinal points of a compass.

A: north, south, east, west

98 Q: How many seconds are in 35 minutes?

A: 2100 seconds

99 Q: A marina has spaces for 6 rows with 20 moorings in each row. There are only 15 empty moorings. How many boats are in this marina?

A: 105

100 Q: What game consists of a board with 225 squares and individual letters printed on wooden or plastic tiles?

A: Scrabble

101 Q: If you have 26 socks and 14 of them are white while the rest are black, how many pairs of socks do you have?

A: 13

102 Q: What verb begins these cliches?

---- to conclusions

---- in the lake

---- ship

---- on the bandwagon

A: jump

103 Q: Water in a pond and coffee in a cup both assume a level surface. If we hang a plumb bob above either of these surfaces, it will be exactly perpendicular to them. This is accounted for by what force?

A: gravity

104 Q: What did Chicken Licken cause Ducky Lucky, Goosey Loosey, Turkey Lurkey, and Gander Lander to believe was happening?

A: The sky was falling.

105 Q: According to the adage, how many miles will someone take if you give him 5 inches?

A: 5 miles

106 Q: These are the prime factors of what number?

2 2 2 3 3 7

A: 504

107 Q: How many hours are in four days?

A: 96

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108 Q: What is the term for once around a track in a running sport?

A: lap

109 Q: What creature is usually in this tongue twister?
How much wood could a groundhog chuck if a
groundhog could chuck wood?

A: woodchuck

110 Q: How many nouns are in this line by John Adams?
Fear is the foundation of most governments.

A: 3

111 Q: What is 2 to the fourth power?

A: 16

112 Q: Name the national park in southern Florida.

A: Everglades

113 Q: Instruments such as the tuba and trumpet are made mainly of what metal?

A: brass

114 Q: What is the common term for the rapid vaporization of a liquid resulting from the application
of heat?

A: boiling

115 Q: A factory produces $\frac{7}{8}$ -lb. glass orbs. How many pounds of glass are required to produce
600 of these orbs?

A: 525 pounds

116 Q: Wind blowing across the surface of a body of water produces what phenomena?

A: waves

117 Q: This is from what Dr. Seuss story?
The lions and tigers and that kind of stuff
They have up here now are not quite enough.
You see things like these in just any old zoo.
They're awfully old fashioned. I want
something new!

A: If I Ran the Zoo

118 Q: Divide 19,758 by 37.

A: 534

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119 Q: What prepositional phrase is the title of this poem by William Thackeray?

First I saw the white bear, then I saw the black
Then I saw the camel with a hump upon his back
Then I saw the grey wolf with mutton in his maw
Then I saw the elephant waving of his trunk
Then I saw the monkeys, mercy - how
unpleasantly they smelt!

A: At the Zoo

120 Q: You start out facing north. You turn left, then left again, then do an about-face. In what direction are you finally facing?

A: north

121 Q: What is the product of 85 and 0?

A: 0

122 Q: What is the total of the following?

20% of 100
60% of 100
100% of 100

A: 180

123 Q: What is the sum of these decimal numerals?

15.4
1.48
22
.01

A: 38.89

124 Q: If the product of two factors is zero, what can be said about the factors?

A: One of them is zero.

125 Q: How many feet are in 11 yards?

A: 33

126 Q: 5 is to 7.5 as 6 is to what?

A: 9

127 Q: Name the leather case used to hold a pistol on one's belt.

A: holster

128 Q: On an alphabetical list of the U.S. states in the Pacific Northwest, which is last?

A: Washington

129 Q: Divide 88,445 by 95.

A: 931

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130 Q: What punctuation mark indicates that part of a word of more than one syllable has been carried over from one line to the next?

A: hyphen

131 Q: A promise is not supposed to count if you do what with your fingers?

A: cross them

132 Q: What is the function of these materials?

- rubber around metal wires
- spun fiberglass in walls
- goose down in sleeping bags

A: insulation

133 Q: Perform the indicated operation and express the answer in lowest terms.

$$1 \frac{5}{32} + 3 \frac{7}{16}$$

A: $4 \frac{19}{32}$

134 Q: What do these prefixes mean?

- ante-
- pre-

A: before

135 Q: What is the lowest common denominator?

$$\frac{1}{5} \quad \frac{1}{7} \quad \frac{1}{10} \quad \frac{1}{14}$$

A: 70

136 Q: Express $91\frac{1}{9}$ as a mixed number.

A: $101 \frac{2}{9}$

137 Q: Subtract the square of 20 from the square of 30.

A: 500

138 Q: Multiply 46 by 96.

A: 4416

139 Q: A boxing kangaroo is a national symbol of what country?

A: Australia

140 Q: What is this poem about?

Bigger than a baseball
Smaller than a basketball
What could it be?
You catch it with a glove
You hit it with a bat
What could it be?

A: softball

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- 141 Q: What natural body process has two main functions including excretion of waste products such as salts and cooling the body by the evaporation of water from the skin surface?
- A: perspiration (sweating)
- 142 Q: Which continent lacks forests?
- A: Antarctica
- 143 Q: The hundred-thousandths place is occupied by what numeral in this decimal number?
1234.567890
- A: 9
- 144 Q: With its name derived from the Latin word for circle, what kind of entertainment traditionally features juggling, trapeze artists, trained animals, and tightrope walkers?
- A: circus
- 145 Q: What is the simple predicate in this line by Mao Zedong?
Let a hundred flowers bloom.
- A: Let
- 146 Q: This legend is from what U.S. state?
At Maui, in the Haleakala volcano, a great battle ensued between fire and water.
- A: Hawaii
- 147 Q: What keeps the planets in their orbits around the Sun and keeps the Moon in orbit around the Earth?
- A: gravitation (gravity)
- 148 Q: If middle C is 1 and the next white key to the right is 2, then what is the letter name for the note that would correspond with the seventh white key?
- A: B
- 149 Q: In peak years, beaver pelts sold for \$6 apiece, enabling many trappers to make about \$1000 per season. To the nearest whole number, how many beavers would a trapper have to sell to earn at least that amount?
- A: 167
- 150 Q: What is the source of practically all heat in the atmosphere?
- A: Sun
- 151 Q: Name the portion of a baseball infield raised some 15 inches at its crest, upon which the pitcher takes his position.
- A: mound
- 152 Q: The Bering Sea forms part of the border of what U.S. state?
- A: Alaska

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153 Q: What form of literature is an account of a person's life as told by his son?

A: biography

154 Q: An idiom meaning "to reveal a secret" is to let what kind of animal out of the bag?

A: cat

155 Q: Convert 0.0024% into a decimal.

A: 0.000024

156 Q: Transform this into an interrogative sentence.

The dog bit the postman.

A: Did the dog bite the postman?

157 Q: Name the organizational feature of written English by which a sentences related to a single topic are presented as a group.

A: paragraph

158 Q: The world's distance record for a 10-pound pumpkin shot from an air cannon is 4086 feet or how many yards?

A: 1362

159 Q: What number completes this poem?

A letter is an uncompound sound
Of which no division can be found.
These sounds to certain characters we fix,
Which in the English tongue are ...

A: twenty-six

160 Q: With increasing distance from their source, what happens to icebergs?

A: They become smaller (shrink, reduced in size)

161 Q: What common fraction corresponds to 175%?

A: $1 \frac{3}{4}$

162 Q: This is about what animal?

When one is relaxed, his more than 30,000
quills are hidden among much longer,
yellow-tipped hairs of the animal's coat.

A: porcupine

163 Q: What term reminiscent of an article of clothing indicates a single application of paint on a surface?

A: coat

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164 Q: What is the simple predicate in this line?

Abruptly and without warning, the old
trotting horse jumped from the trailer.

A: jumped

165 Q: LXXXII is the equivalent of what Arabic numeral?

A: 82

166 Q: What character said this?

I meant what I said
And I said what I meant ...
An elephant's faithful
One hundred percent.

A: Horton

167 Q: "Minn of the Mississippi" follows what kind of animal in a trip down the great river?

A: turtle

168 Q: Male is to hero as female is to what?

A: heroine

169 Q: Cutting a number in half and multiplying it by ten is the same as multiplying the original number by what?

A: 5

170 Q: Which state was named after a prominent resident of Virginia?

A: Washington

171 Q: A pile of fossilized eggs weighed 34.2 pounds. Each egg weighed .6 pound. How many eggs were in the pile?

A: 57

172 Q: Express $7\frac{3}{5}$ as an improper fraction.

A: $\frac{38}{5}$

173 Q: "One book in "The Chronicles of Narnia" by C.S. Lewis is entitled, "The Voyage of the Dawn" what?"

A: Treader

174 Q: Three out of every five Jupiterians have black spots on their third hand. How many Jupiterians are expected to have such spots in a meeting of seventy such creatures?

A: 42

175 Q: What structures on male members of the deer family are made of bone and are shed each year?

A: antlers

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176 Q: A sentence should begin with a capital letter and end with a period, a question mark, or what other punctuation mark?

A: exclamation point

177 Q: Ontario, Huron, and Erie are three of the five Great Lakes. Name the others.

A: Superior, Michigan

178 Q: Find two consecutive integers whose sum is 35.

A: 17, 18

179 Q: How many minutes are in 6 hours and 9 minutes?

A: 369 minutes

180 Q: Multiply 2.006 by .081.

A: .162486

181 Q: In "Alice in Wonderland," what is Alice's cat named?

A: Dinah

182 Q: Name the dimension in which events can be ordered from the past through the present to the future.

A: time

183 Q: 165 divided by 11 equals what?

A: 15

184 Q: In "The Phantom Tollbooth," what kind of creature is Humbug?

A: insect

185 Q: This one-liner is about what kind of animals?

Large, naked, raw carrots are acceptable as food only to those who lie in hutches eagerly awaiting Easter.

A: rabbits (bunnies)

186 Q: What sentence summarizes the central idea of a paragraph?

A: topic sentence

187 Q: What is the literal translation of the name for the constellation Ursa Major?

A: Great Bear

188 Q: The oldest permanent European settlement in the U.S. is adjacent to what body of water?

A: Atlantic Ocean

189 Q: Express $\frac{63}{72}$ in lowest terms.

A: $\frac{7}{8}$

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190 Q: Negative numbers have values less than what?

A: zero

191 Q: Name the short story by Frank Stockton which ended with the protagonist standing in an arena before two doors.

A: The Lady or the Tiger

192 Q: What is the third word in the word square if the first two are "bag" and "ape"?

A: get

193 Q: 6 is the ratio of one year to how many months?

A: 2

194 Q: What part of a map might tell you that a capital city is represented by a red square, a major city by a small red circle, an especially high mountain by a black triangle, and a national border by a narrow red line?

A: key (legend)

195 Q: What is the LCM of 4 and 5?

A: 20

196 Q: What word completes these cliches?

that's old ----

at the drop of a ----

eat my ----

hold onto your ----

A: hat

197 Q: What is the remainder no matter what odd number you divide by 2?

A: 1

198 Q: If June 1st is the first Monday of the month, and you start on that day and ride your bike 15 miles every weekday and 25 miles each weekend day, how many miles do you ride that month?

A: 500

199 Q: Name all letters which should be capitalized in this sentence.

everyone knows the myth of george

washington's throwing a silver dollar across

the potomac.

A: e g w p

200 Q: What is the next number in this sequence?

4 7 10 13 ...

A: 16

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- 201 Q: The name of what bird is missing in these lines by Shel Silverstein?
Tell me who can catch a ----? Lou can.
Just how few can ride the ----? Two can.
What kind of goo can attach you to the ----?
Glue can.
Who can write some more about the ----?
You can!
- A: toucan
- 202 Q: The Sun heats the Earth the most at the equator and least at what regions?
- A: the poles
- 203 Q: Vasco Balboa was the first European to see what body of water?
- A: Pacific Ocean
- 204 Q: In "Charlotte's Web," what word does Charlotte write above Wilbur's pen because he is "not proud" and "close to the ground"?
- A: humble
- 205 Q: Add these decimals.
three tenths
seventeen hundredths
- A: 47 hundredths
- 206 Q: What is the term for light, freshly fallen snow?
- A: powder
- 207 Q: What is the set of natural numbers less than the square root of 64?
- A: (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7)
- 208 Q: This relates to the history of what country?
The Manitoba Act of 1870 created a new province and British Columbia entered the Dominion the next year.
- A: Canada
- 209 Q: You get on an elevator on the ninth floor. It goes up 5 floors, then up 8 more, then down 6, up 3, and finally down 7. You are now on what floor?
- A: 12th floor
- 210 Q: The Battle of Yorktown was the last battle of what war?
- A: American Revolution (Revolutionary War)
- 211 Q: What are the candles mentioned in this line?
Night's candles are burnt out.
- A: stars

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212 Q: Name the unit of currency in Mexico.

A: peso

213 Q: What simple verb tense is used to tell what is going on right now?

A: present tense

214 Q: You watch the position of the Sun on a summer day. Over several hours, the Sun appears to move toward which cardinal direction?

A: west

215 Q: Round off .192837465 to the nearest hundred-thousandth.

A: .19284

216 Q: What is the sum of $1/2$, $-3/4$, and $-5/8$?

A: $-7/8$

217 Q: What are those animal appendages called that resemble claws but do not come to a sharp point?

A: nails

218 Q: An everglade is a swampy grassland. The best-known example of an everglade is in what U.S. state?

A: Florida

219 Q: According to the proverb, how many words is a single picture worth?

A: 1000

220 Q: What special kind of letters are in these words?
forecastle, whistle, aisle, campaign, scissors

A: silent letters

221 Q: What optical instrument on submarines submerged at shallow depths enables the viewing of the surrounding sea and air?

A: periscope

222 Q: 30% of what number is 300?

A: 1000

223 Q: This is about what?
Except for what appears to be their circular motion around Polaris, they remain fixed in their positions with respect to one another.

A: stars

224 Q: What fictional character lost a shadow?

A: Peter Pan

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225 Q: What term that rhymes with "skinny" characterizes a sound produced by zebras and horses?

A: whinny

226 Q: Multiply .0035 by 2.04.

A: .00714

227 Q: If you are instructed to open your "Tale of Two Cities" novel to the facing pages whose page numbers add up to 95, what is the number of the page on your left?

A: 47

228 Q: Find the product of 27 and $31\frac{1}{2}$.

A: $850\frac{1}{2}$

229 Q: Complete this proverb.

A barking dog ...

A: never bites

230 Q: What is worn out when one stays too long for a visit?

A: one's welcome

231 Q: Name the kind of buildings that house horses.

A: stables

232 Q: Matter in which phase is most easily compressible?

A: gas

233 Q: This is about what?

You'll note the life of Dick Szymanski
Is not all roses and romanski.
He centers the ball, he hears a roar-
Is it a fumble or a score?
He accomplishes amazing feats.
And what gets photographed? His cleats.

A: football

234 Q: What is the next word in this verse about Independence day?

They signed that piece of parchment
The leaders of this land -
Knowing, divided they would fall
But, together they could ...

A: stand

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235 Q: In "Revolting Rhymes", Roald Dahl modified what fairy tale and completed it with these lines?

"Oh Daddy," cried the Baby Bear,
"My porridge gone! It isn't fair!"
"Then go upstairs," the Big Bear said,
"Your porridge is upon the bed,
But as it's inside mademoiselle,
You'll have to eat her up as well."

A: Goldilocks and the Three Bears

236 Q: Which body of the solar system has a nearside that is visible from Earth and a farside that isn't?

A: Moon

237 Q: What country of the northwestern Pacific is an archipelago consisting of four large islands and over three thousand smaller ones?

A: Japan

238 Q: Add these numbers.

+10 -20 +30 -40 +50 -60 +70

A: 40

239 Q: Convert $22 \frac{2}{5}$ into an improper fraction.

A: $112/5$

240 Q: What is the lowest common denominator?

$1/3$
 $1/2$
 $1/5$

A: 30

241 Q: What does the prefix mean in these words?

monotreme
monosyllabic
monotheism
monorail
monotone

A: one (or single or alone)

242 Q: Correct the one wrong word in this line.

Voting is to be done by secret ballad.

A: ballot

243 Q: What that is cast upon the waters always falls on its buttered side?

A: bread

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- 244 Q: This is a misheard version of part of what solemn promise?
One naked individual,
With liver, tea, injustice for all.
- A: Pledge of Allegiance
- 245 Q: What is the official language of Cuba?
- A: Spanish
- 246 Q: Divide $\frac{6}{5}$ by 8 and express in lowest terms.
- A: $\frac{3}{20}$
- 247 Q: What landmass is bordered to its northeast by the Red Sea, the Indian Ocean to its east, the Mediterranean to its north, and the Atlantic to its west?
- A: Africa
- 248 Q: What is the additive inverse of $-\frac{1}{4}$?
- A: $\frac{1}{4}$
- 249 Q: Next to Russia, what country is, in terms of area, the second-largest in Asia?
- A: China
- 250 Q: Divide 32.2 by 2.3.
- A: 14
- 251 Q: What pole weapon consists of a shaft of wood with a pointed head?
- A: spear
- 252 Q: The scale of a map is $\frac{3}{8}$ inches equals 100 miles. How far apart are two cities $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches apart on the map?
- A: 400 miles
- 253 Q: What is the verb in this sentence?
Minestrone, dancing the mambo,
met Monrovia's mate.
- A: met
- 254 Q: What is the collective name for these creatures?
aedes mosquito
ladybird
cecropia moth
locust
walking stick
duck louse
- A: insects (invertebrates)
- 255 Q: What is the set of odd numbers greater than 151 but less than 163?
- A: 153, 155, 157, 159, 161

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256 Q: What structures in the body offers support, protects your organs, manufactures blood cells, and provides places for muscle attachment?

A: bones

257 Q: In what state is the southernmost point of the 48 contiguous U.S. states?

A: Florida

258 Q: What is the sum of these numbers?

269 -19 28 -122

A: 156

259 Q: How many feet are in the sum of $6\frac{2}{3}$ yards and $9\frac{1}{3}$ yards?

A: 48 feet

260 Q: Depicted in art works from ancient Babylon, Assyria, Greece, and Egypt, what musical instruments made of various alloys have the appearance of round, domed plates?

A: cymbals

261 Q: What did the young author actually mean when he wrote this?

Ancient Egyptians lived in the Sara Dessert.

A: Sahara Desert

262 Q: Millie walks about 4 miles per hour. A cockroach living in her cellar travels about .06 times as fast. Express as a decimal in mph the speed of this insect.

A: .24

263 Q: The 50 U.S. states average 46,270,000 acres of land each, but they range from Alaska with 375 million acres to what state with .8 million acres?

A: Rhode Island

264 Q: Name the legendary literary character who pulled a sword from a stone.

A: Arthur

265 Q: Name the westernmost continental U.S. state.

A: Alaska

266 Q: When a fraction has a numerator and denominator that are the same number, the fraction equals what?

A: 1

267 Q: In what James Thurber story must a prince find 1000 jewels and unfreeze thirteen clocks that the evil duke has stopped to free a princess?

A: The Thirteen Clocks

268 Q: What tune for piano was named for the fact that it is played with two forefingers resembling Oriental eating implements?

A: chopsticks

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269 Q: Complete this phrase from a poem by Longfellow.
One if by land and two if by ...

A: sea

270 Q: What five letter word becomes shorter when you add two letters to it?

A: short

271 Q: Multiply 6 by $\frac{3}{5}$.

A: $3\frac{3}{5}$ (or $\frac{18}{5}$)

272 Q: What is the next number in this sequence?
2 -1 -4 -7 ...

A: -10

273 Q: This excerpt is from what fairy tale?
In the morning she was asked how she had slept.
"Oh, very badly!" said she. "I have scarcely closed my eyes all night. Heaven only knows what was in the bed, but I was lying on something hard, so that I am black and blue all over my body. It's horrible!"

A: The Princess and the Pea

274 Q: After what category of sentence is the question mark used?

A: interrogative

275 Q: What is the last word in this poem about a shipwreck in Canada?
De win' can blow lak hurricane,
An' s'pose she blow some more,
You can't get drown' on Lac St. Pierre
So long as you stay on ...

A: shore

276 Q: This is a summary of what part of a story?
Ishmael boards a whaling ship. It's neurotic captain wants to find a white whale. The whale sinks the ship and everyone dies except Ishmael.

A: plot

277 Q: What is the plural of "salmon"?

A: salmon

278 Q: What is the third letter of the alphabet with the "ay" sound?

A: K

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279 Q: What in Wyoming erupts an average of every 64.5 minutes?

A: Old Faithful

280 Q: What part of speech is omitted three times in this ill-begotten sentence?

Can you lend me crate of tomatillos
till end of month?

A: articles

281 Q: What is described in this riddle?

Runs all day and never walks,
Often murmurs, never talks.
It has a bed but never sleeps,
It has a mouth, but never eats.

A: a river

282 Q: These words are from what nursery rhyme?

One a penny, two a penny

A: Hot Cross Buns

283 Q: The transition period when snow and ice melts is called the spring what?

A: thaw

284 Q: Of all the stars in the universe, which is closest to Earth?

A: the Sun

285 Q: The horseless carriage of the 1890s was a predecessor of what modern contraption?

A: automobile (car)

286 Q: All rivers of Argentina drain into what body of water?

A: Atlantic Ocean

287 Q: Name the highest mountain on the world's largest continent.

A: Mt. Everest

288 Q: Name the phenomenon of light bouncing off a surface.

A: reflection

289 Q: Express .3% as a decimal.

A: .003

290 Q: If you bought 6 pairs of socks for \$4 each and 3 pairs of shoes for \$38 each, excluding tax, how much did you spend?

A: \$138

291 Q: Name the geographically largest U.S. state adjacent to the Pacific Ocean.

A: Alaska

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292 Q: What bird is depicted on the Great Seal of the United States?

A: bald eagle

293 Q: What is the product of $8\frac{3}{5}$ and 5?

A: 43

294 Q: One diagonal through the Four Corners monument goes through Arizona and Colorado. The other diagonal goes through what two states?

A: Utah and New Mexico

295 Q: What punctuation mark is used after initials?

A: period

296 Q: Simplify $1\frac{3}{8}$ divided by $5\frac{1}{2}$.

A: $\frac{1}{4}$

297 Q: These are what kind of instruments?

tuba
trombone
trumpet
French horn

A: brass (or wind)

298 Q: What form of precipitation can be as large as softballs?

A: hail

299 Q: Divide 1 by $\frac{2}{3}$.

A: $\frac{3}{2}$

300 Q: What are you doing when you carefully change one variable and directly observe its effect on another variable?

A: an experiment

301 Q: In the fraction $\frac{9}{17}$, which number is the numerator?

A: 9

302 Q: Name Dr. Seuss' egg-hatching elephant.

A: Horton

303 Q: According to the rhyme, what is made of sugar, spice, and all that's nice?

A: little girls

304 Q: In what story by Dodie Smith do all the dogs in England aid in recovering fifteen Dalmatian puppies which had been stolen to be made into a fur coat?

A: The Hundred and One Dalmatians

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305 Q: Twelve ounces is what fraction of a pound?

A: $\frac{3}{4}$

306 Q: What is the term for a sudden release of liquid, solid, or gaseous material from an opening in the Earth's crust?

A: eruption

307 Q: Name the flap of skin that can cover and protect an eye.

A: eyelid

308 Q: What kind of creature is the black widow?

A: spider

309 Q: Atlanta is the capital of what state?

A: Georgia

310 Q: Beside the crooked stile, the crooked man found a crooked sixpence which he used to buy a crooked what?

A: cat

311 Q: Transform this affirmative statement into an interrogative one.
She is talking.

A: Is she talking?

312 Q: Seals and whales develop thick layers of fat called what?

A: blubber

313 Q: What word is missing from these cliches?

turn a deaf ----

bend your ----

chew your ----

in one ---- and out the other

A: ear

314 Q: What punctuation mark indicates individual authorship, omission of letters in contractions, or the possessive case?

A: apostrophe

315 Q: If a submarine can submerge at a rate of 220 feet per minute, how deep will it be in 11 minutes and 30 seconds?

A: 2530 feet

316 Q: Name the discoloration of the skin that appears shortly after an impact injury.

A: bruise

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- 317 Q: What pages in a book should you open to if you are told to find facing pages whose page number sum is 83?
- A: 41 and 42
- 318 Q: In what story by E.B. White is a mouse born to an apartment-dwelling Park Avenue family?
- A: Stuart Little
- 319 Q: What are two consecutive integers whose sum is 45?
- A: 22, 23
- 320 Q: In what opera does Geppeto find a log that he carves into a puppet?
- A: Pinocchio
- 321 Q: Name the capital of Idaho.
- A: Boise
- 322 Q: What is the first silent letter in the lyrics of the U.S. national anthem?
- A: h
- 323 Q: This jingle helps you recall the values for what?
X shall stand for playmates ten
V for five stout stalwart men
I for one as I'm alive
C for hundred
D for hundreds five
M for a thousand soldiers true, and
L for 50, I'll tell you.
- A: Roman numerals
- 324 Q: Gloria works in a zebra striping shop from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with a 40 minute unpaid lunch break and two 10-minute coffee breaks. In a 5-day week at \$9 per hour, how much does she gross?
- A: \$360
- 325 Q: Where does the little boy actually live in the lyric that was misinterpreted as this?
One for the little boy who lives down the drain.
- A: down the lane
- 326 Q: The British billion is a million million or 1 followed by 12 zeroes. In the U.S., we call this number one what?
- A: trillion
- 327 Q: Since an octopus has 1920 suction cups on its tentacles, how many does it have on each?
- A: 240
- 328 Q: How many millimeters are in one centimeter?
- A: 10

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329 Q: What is 7% of 500?

A: 35

330 Q: What is the set of missing numbers in this set?

A: {9, 11, 13}

331 Q: Convert $\frac{7}{15}$ to one hundred twentieths.

A: $\frac{56}{120}$

332 Q: The Rockies are to the U.S.A. as what mountains are to South America?

A: Andes

333 Q: Round 17,522 to the nearest thousand.

A: 18,000

334 Q: When you face south, west is which of your sides?

A: right

335 Q: Instead of dew, what forms if the air temperature is below freezing?

A: frost

336 Q: How many states have "South" in their names?

A: 2

337 Q: Divide 6.34 by .8.

A: 7.925

338 Q: What is the capital of South Dakota?

A: Pierre

339 Q: During July in the Northern Hemisphere, what is the most common form of precipitation?

A: rain

340 Q: What is the term for loyalty and devotion to one's own country?

A: patriotism (allegiance)

341 Q: What is the meaning of the prefixes in "undaunted" and "uncouth"?

A: not

342 Q: Who, according to J.M. Barrie, said that "she thought she could get well again if children believed in fairies"?

A: Tinker Bell

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- 343 Q: What organ in your body comes equipped with several accessories including a built-in lubricating and cleaning system, an exposure meter, and an automatic focus?
A: eye
- 344 Q: What is the largest body of water in Utah?
A: Great Salt Lake
- 345 Q: A group of closely related sentences dealing with a single topic or idea comprises what?
A: a paragraph
- 346 Q: These are the prime factors of what number?
 $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3$
A: 96
- 347 Q: How many kiwi berries did Karen originally have in her bag if after giving 13 of them to Carl she still had 17 remaining?
A: 30
- 348 Q: Express 2.5 as a percentage.
A: 250%
- 349 Q: Add $14 \frac{2}{9}$ and $18 \frac{5}{6}$.
A: $33 \frac{1}{18}$
- 350 Q: The word "one" in this verse refers to bags of what?
One for my master,
One for my dame,
And one for the little boy
who lives by the lane.
A: wool
- 351 Q: What is the total length of a fence built with 10 poles placed 6.5 feet apart?
A: 58.5 feet
- 352 Q: What landform has these two basic characteristics?
Its land extends beyond the mainland.
It has water on 3 sides.
A: peninsula
- 353 Q: A substance that is condensing is passing from what phase of matter?
A: gas (vapor) phase
- 354 Q: What character drank the poison intended for Peter Pan?
A: Tinkerbell

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355 Q: During a presentation involving which of the performing arts might you see a borrowed ring show up in an unopened bottle of beer, someone apparently floating in the air, a lady turn into a tiger, or an entire passenger jet instantly vanish from the tarmac?

A: magic

356 Q: On an alphabetical list, what is the first state whose name begins with "W"?

A: Washington

357 Q: What is the term for an abnormally high body temperature?

A: fever

358 Q: What word will complete these cliches?

scare the ---- off

a kick in the ----

ants in his ----

caught with his ---- down

A: pants

359 Q: Since there are 8 pints in a gallon and each pint equals 2 cups, how many cups are there in a 10 gallon jug of lemonade?

A: 160

360 Q: When it is summer in California, what season is it in China?

A: summer

361 Q: Take 1000 and add 40. Add another 1000. Now add 30. Add another 1000. Add another 20. Now add another 1000. Now add 10. What is the total?

A: 4100

362 Q: Express $517/12$ as a mixed number.

A: $43 \frac{1}{12}$

363 Q: What number is missing in this magic square?

4 9 2

3 - 7

8 1 6

A: 5

364 Q: In "Alice in Wonderland," the heroine meets a wise caterpillar sitting on top of what?

A: a mushroom

365 Q: What is the changing of a liquid into a solid by removing the heat called?

A: freezing

366 Q: Change $5 \frac{1}{3}$ into a percent.

A: $533 \frac{1}{3}\%$

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367 Q: What U.S. state is immediately north of the northernmost point in Mexico?

A: California

368 Q: Dung beetles, starfish, and crayfish are members of a group of animals referred to as nature's clean-up brigade because they consume refuse and dead animals and plants. Collectively, such creatures are called what?

A: scavengers

369 Q: How many ounces are in four pints?

A: 64

370 Q: During the 1870s, hunters practically wiped out what mammals of the Great Plains upon which many Indian tribes depended?

A: buffalo (bison)

371 Q: Tyrannosaurus Rex walked on how many legs?

A: 2

372 Q: What is the intersection of these 2 sets?
(2, 4, 6, 8, 10) and (1, 3, 4, 6, 8)

A: (4, 6, 8)

373 Q: What is this riddle about?

My beak is below, I burrow and nose
Under the ground. I go as I'm guided
By my master the farmer, old foe of the
forest.
Bent and bowed, at my back he walks,
Forward pushing me over the field.

A: plow

374 Q: What is the prime factorization of 81?

A: $3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3$ (or 3 to the 4th)

375 Q: Name the sound you hear when it reflects off a distant object.

A: echo

376 Q: What is the first adjective in the lyrics to "Home on the Range"?

A: discouraging

377 Q: Who is the central character in the poem from which these lines were taken?

-Who'll toll the bell? I, said the bull, because
I can pull, I'll toll the bell.
-Who'll make the shroud? I, said the Beetle,
with my thread and needle, I'll make the
shroud.

A: Cock Robin

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378 Q: Divide .12 by 12.

A: .01

379 Q: To what category of instruments do the violin, cello, and bass fiddle belong?

A: strings

380 Q: What three months are hottest in the northern hemisphere?

A: June, July, August

381 Q: In the fairy tale, name the girl with extraordinarily long hair who is imprisoned in a tower.

A: Rapunzel

382 Q: According to the old saying, a miss is as good as how many feet?

A: 5280

383 Q: What was the original air temperature if a drop of 14 degrees brought the temperature to 74 degrees?

A: 88 degrees

384 Q: The maximum depth of the Arabian Sea is 15,262 feet, which rounds to a depth of how many miles?

A: 3

385 Q: Name the end points of every line of longitude.

A: North Pole, South Pole

386 Q: What U.S. author wrote this line?

And then, just to show them, I'll sail to Ka-Troo
And bring back an It-Kutch, a Preep, and a
Proo,
A Nerkle, a Nerd, and a Seersucker, too!

A: Dr. Seuss

387 Q: What is the product of $6(5 + 1/2)$?

A: 33

388 Q: Of what were the three houses made which belonged to the Three Little Pigs who were attacked by the Big Bad Wolf?

A: straw, sticks, bricks

389 Q: How many U.S. states bordering the Pacific Ocean have at least two a's in their names?

A: 3

390 Q: What term refers to the imaginary heavenly circle in which twelve major constellations lie?

A: zodiac

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391 Q: What is the sum of the first four odd counting numbers?

A: 16

392 Q: What bipeds that swim at 25 mph under water are often seen tobogganing on ice?

A: penguins

393 Q: Divide -528 by -44

A: 12

394 Q: In what famous short story is an accused person required to open one of two doors, behind one of which was a fair maiden and behind the other a fierce carnivorous feline?

A: The Lady or the Tiger

395 Q: What is the cost of 344 bushels at 62 1/2 cents per bushel?

A: \$215

396 Q: What character on "Sesame Street" sings this?

Oh, I love trash!
Anything dirty or dingy or dusty
Anything ragged or rotten or rusty
Yes, I love trash

A: Oscar the Grouch

397 Q: Rings are to Saturn as canals are to what planet?

A: Mars

398 Q: What term that rhymes with "weight" refers to goods transported by water, land, or air?

A: freight

399 Q: How many beats are in this line of a poem?

Behind the house and barn it stood

A: 4

400 Q: What is the result in lowest terms when the numerator and denominator of the fraction $\frac{9}{23}$ are multiplied by 7?

A: $\frac{9}{23}$

401 Q: A tank weighs 3 pounds. If water weighs 8.4 pounds per gallon, what is the total weight of the container and 5 gallons of water?

A: 45 pounds

402 Q: What mansion has been the home to every U.S. leader since John Adams?

A: White House

403 Q: If Mount Everest is 29,035 feet high and the top of Mount Rainier is at 14,410 feet, how much taller is the former?

A: 14,625 feet

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404 Q: 50 is 10% of what number?

A: 500

405 Q: The scale of a map is 1 inch to 20 miles. How many miles equal 5 inches on the map?

A: 100

406 Q: How many adjectives are in this quote by Albert Einstein?

Great spirits have always encountered violent
opposition from mediocre minds.

A: 3

407 Q: What is the name for the number from which another number is taken in a subtraction operation?

A: minuend

408 Q: While the largest dinosaurs are estimated to have weighed some 40 tons, the largest African elephant today only weighs about one-eighth of that or how many pounds?

A: 10,000

409 Q: The world's largest freshwater lake is on the border between what two countries?

A: Canada, United States

410 Q: The animated version of "Sleeping Beauty" featured the song, "Someday My Prince Will Come." Name that prince.

A: Prince Charming

411 Q: Who wrote this?

Who wants a pancake, sweet and piping hot?
Good little Grace looks up and says,
"I'll take the one on top."
Who else wants a pancake fresh off the
griddle?
Terrible Theresa smiles and says,
"I'll take the one in the middle."

A: Shel Silverstein

412 Q: Complete these operations.

Divide $\frac{1}{3}$ by $\frac{3}{5}$. Add $\frac{1}{9}$ to that sum.
Then add $\frac{4}{9}$ to the resulting sum.

A: $\frac{10}{9}$ (or $1 \frac{1}{9}$)

413 Q: In general, sound travels fastest through solids, slightly slower through liquids, and slower yet through what other phase of matter?

A: gases

414 Q: How many syllables are in the last prepositional phrase of "The Pledge of Allegiance"?

A: 2

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415 Q: In a code that simply replaces each letter of the alphabet with a corresponding number from 1 to 26, what is this?
13 1 19 20 5 18

A: MASTER

416 Q: This verse by Rudyard Kipling is about what conflict?
The snow lies thick on Valley Forge,
The ice on the Delaware,
But the poor dead soldiers of King George
They neither know nor care.

A: American Revolution

417 Q: Who is the central character in the story from which this line was taken?
The more he looked inside, the more Piglet
wasn't there.

A: Winnie the Pooh

418 Q: What is the meaning of the slang term in this line?
Ami Cable was named marketing veep at the
Western Widget Corporation.

A: vice president

419 Q: Two cars leave the same gas station in Elko, Nevada, going in opposite directions. If their speeds are 40 and 60 miles per hour, how long will it be until they are 300 miles apart?

A: 3 hours

420 Q: The product of a positive number and a negative number is what kind of number?

A: negative

421 Q: You had 16 grapes and your buddy had 14. After you gave some of your grapes to your buddy, you were left with 6 grapes. How many did you give your buddy?

A: 10

422 Q: What sea lies immediately south of Puerto Rico?

A: Caribbean

423 Q: When Gene Shoemaker put in 12 hours at the observatory, he spent $\frac{5}{6}$ of his time peering through the telescope. How many hours was he involved in non-peering activities?

A: 2

424 Q: What fantasy by Michael Ende is about a boy named Bastian Balthazar Bux who steals a book from an antique bookstore?

A: The Neverending Story

425 Q: All the stars in the Northern Hemisphere appear to rotate around what star?

A: Polaris (North Star)

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426 Q: What is the quotient?
 $(-12)/(-3)$

A: 4

427 Q: What is the meaning of the prefixes in these words?
repel
reform
reclaim
review

A: back (again)

428 Q: According to the song from Disney's "Snow White," what are you supposed to do while you work?

A: whistle

429 Q: Arterial blood is bright red because it contains a great deal of what?

A: oxygen

430 Q: 815,898 divided by what number equals 1938?

A: 421

431 Q: How many U.S. presidents have had the last name of Johnson?

A: 2

432 Q: In lowest terms, 25 minutes is what fraction of an hour?

A: $5/12$

433 Q: Convert $19/12$ to a mixed number.

A: $1 \frac{7}{12}$

434 Q: Of the four faces on Mount Rushmore, which is missing from this list?

George Washington
Thomas Jefferson
Abraham Lincoln

A: Theodore Roosevelt

435 Q: What mathematical operation is indicated by the line separating the numerator and denominator?

A: division

436 Q: This indicates what organ?

Seventy-two times per minute, 4,300 times each hour, 104,000 times each day, 38 million times each year, and 2.8 billion times in a lifetime.

A: heart

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437 Q: How many vowels are in the name of the Hawaiian capital city?

A: 4

438 Q: The largest fossils ever found are of trees and what animal life form?

A: dinosaurs

439 Q: What is the tenth number in this sequence?

5 8 11 14 ...

A: 32

440 Q: Multiply 137 by 29.

A: 3973

441 Q: As ships approached New York in the late 1800s, immigrants got their first glimpse of America, often in the shape of what gift from France?

A: Statue of Liberty

442 Q: What is the prime factorization of 20?

A: $2 \times 2 \times 5$

443 Q: What do snakes and seagulls do according to this two-line poem with anagrams?

Snakes idsel
Seagulls eidlg

A: Snakes slide, Seagulls glide

444 Q: Name list of chapters with their page numbers found at the beginning of a book.

A: table of contents

445 Q: This verse is about what geological phenomenon?

Excitement, adventure, crash on the rocks
Raging river roaring, destruction, bashes,
bangs, knocks
Over, under, round, everywhere
Soil searching without a care
Ice rolling, scraping, freezing down a rock
Ocean swirling, hurling, will it ever stop
Nature breaking, basking, bumping on and on.

A: erosion

446 Q: Express five-eighths as a percentage.

A: 62.5%

447 Q: According to Norse sagas, the earliest Viking excursion to the New World was in 985, how many years before Columbus' first voyage there?

A: 507

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448 Q: How many nouns are in this song verse?

When the dog bites
When the bee stings
When I'm feeling sad
I simply remember my favorite things
And then I don't feel so bad.

A: 3

449 Q: What do you do to form the plural of such words as series, offspring, and sheep?

A: nothing

450 Q: What story by Hans Christian Andersen could have had this title?

The Unattractive and Homely Young Swimming
Bird with the Broad Flat Bill and Webbed Feet

A: The Ugly Duckling

451 Q: Spanish adjectives modifying masculine nouns usually end with what letter?

A: o

452 Q: What fruit from a vine is an anagram for "lemon"?

A: melon

453 Q: Lungs are to mammals as what structures are to fish?

A: gills

454 Q: Medieval peoples built what structures, often on top of hills, to protect themselves and their manors during attacks?

A: castles

455 Q: What is 45% of 20?

A: 9

456 Q: A poll showed that eighteen out of every hundred Panamanians own Panama hats. What percentage of Panamanians don't own such hats?

A: 82%

457 Q: Name the story by E.B. White about a kind spider that saves a piglet's life.

A: Charlotte's Web

458 Q: The difference between 9 and what number is 3?

A: 6 (or 12)

459 Q: Jill has \$78 and Jeremy has twice as much money as Jill. What is the average amount that each has?

A: \$117

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460 Q: What is the title of the elected chief executive of a U.S. state?

A: governor

461 Q: The dividend is 278.2. The quotient is 856. What is the divisor?

A: .325

462 Q: What compound word describes the direction from which a river flows?

A: upstream (uphill)

463 Q: You just bought a cuddly cashmere coat for your cat Cornelius for \$22.31 and gave the clerk three \$10 bills. How much change should you get back?

A: \$7.69

464 Q: What is the lowest common denominator for these fractions?

$\frac{3}{36}$ $\frac{17}{96}$ $\frac{7}{48}$ $\frac{19}{108}$

A: 12

465 Q: Express in lowest terms the quotient of $1\frac{1}{6}$ divided by $1\frac{5}{9}$.

A: $\frac{3}{4}$

466 Q: Sound takes about 5 seconds to travel 1 mile. If you shout across a wide valley and your echo returns in 10 seconds, how wide is the valley?

A: 1 mile

467 Q: Who has the most money if Larry has 70 cents, Mabel has three-fourths of a dollar, Gary has two quarters and 3 nickels, and Bob has 6 dimes and nine pennies?

A: Mabel

468 Q: What, according to Mother Goose, lives in winter, dies in summer, and grows with its roots upward?

A: an icicle

469 Q: The fur industry was one of the first enterprises to develop in the New World. It was primarily based on pelts of what animal?

A: beaver

470 Q: What is the term for any person portrayed in a novel, play, or story?

A: character

471 Q: What is the reciprocal of 23?

A: $\frac{1}{23}$

472 Q: This is a simple example of what ecological concept?

Rabbits eat grass and foxes eat rabbits.

A: food chain

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473 Q: The name of which of the world's largest toy manufactures was derived from the Danish words "leg godt" which means "play well"?

A: LEGO

474 Q: Add these numbers.

12.34

14.005

18.0006

A: 44.3456

475 Q: Convert $\frac{4}{9}$ to sixty-thirds.

A: $\frac{28}{63}$

476 Q: What is the seventh number in this sequence?

23, 20, 17, 14, ...

A: 5

477 Q: What is the name for the case that encloses the chrysalis of a butterfly?

A: cocoon

478 Q: This is from what story?

She did not think it so very much out of the ordinary to hear the Rabbit say to itself 'Oh dear! Oh dear! I shall be too late!'

A: Alice in Wonderland

479 Q: $\frac{3}{5}$ ths equal how many $\frac{4}{5}$ ths?

A: 27

480 Q: Vultures have about one million photoreceptors per square millimeter in their retinas, five times as many as humans. How many do humans have per square millimeter?

A: 200,000

481 Q: Which continent is the flattest, smallest, and second-most arid?

A: Australia

482 Q: This is from what story?

"It's growing!" Aunt Spiker cried. "It's getting bigger and bigger."

"What is?"

"The peach, of course. It's nearly twice as big already. I can actually see the thing bulging before my very eyes."

A: James and the Giant Peach

483 Q: The name for what form of government was derived from Greek words meaning "rule of the people"?

A: democracy

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484 Q: $\frac{5}{8}$ times what number equals 1?

A: $\frac{8}{5}$

485 Q: What is the remainder when you subtract .234567 from .345678?

A: .111111

486 Q: If local TV advertising costs \$2,500 per 30 seconds, what is the total bill for a 15 minute commercial?

A: \$75,000

487 Q: What is the sum of 683 and 568?

A: 1251

488 Q: What do we call the vertical lift transport vehicles of tall buildings?

A: elevators

489 Q: The shedding by an animal of its fur, feathers, or skin is called what?

A: molting

490 Q: All tarantulas produce what fine, lustrous fiber?

A: silk

491 Q: What word should end this proverb?

A rolling stone gathers no moths.

A: moss

492 Q: What portable instrument invented in Germany consists of a pair of bellows with a keyboard fixed to the right end and a series of buttons on the left?

A: accordion

493 Q: A trumpet has how many valves?

A: 3

494 Q: Towns including Los Angeles, San Antonio, Santa Fe, and Tucson were founded by people from what European country?

A: Spain

495 Q: What percentage of five dollars is fifty cents?

A: 10%

496 Q: What part of the U.S. Congress has representatives elected every two years?

A: House of Representatives

497 Q: When a glacier meets a seacoast, its leading edge lifts and floats in the water. Name the chunks of ice that break away into the water.

A: icebergs

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498 Q: In what tale does a mysterious, gnomelike man spin straw into gold for the benefit of a beautiful miller's daughter in exchange for her future firstborn child?

A: Rumpelstiltskin

499 Q: What word is missing in these cliches?
shoot your ---- off
put your foot in your ----

A: mouth

500 Q: Balloons depend on matter in what state in order to maintain their size and shape?

A: gas

501 Q: How many legs do ticks have?

A: 8

502 Q: What word is missing from these cliches?
it does my ---- good
cross my ----
know by ----

A: heart

503 Q: What kind of heavenly object can have a tail well more than 200 million kilometers long?

A: comet

504 Q: Zero population growth occurs when what two rates are equal?

A: birth, death

505 Q: This insect is related to the grasshopper. It has a flat back, hard wing covers, and long antennae. The male has a roughened area on each wing cover by which it produces a chirp. Name this insect.

A: cricket

506 Q: Which ocean is missing from this list?

Arctic
Antarctic
Pacific
Atlantic

A: Indian

507 Q: The Apollo Program obtained many extraterrestrial rock samples from what heavenly body?

A: Moon

508 Q: Name the capital of Montana.

A: Helena

509 Q: Madagascar is off the southeast coast of what continent?

A: Africa

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510 Q: Who is the central character in the book from which this was taken?

You must know that wooden puppets
have the privilege of being seldom ill
and of being cured very quickly.

A: Pinocchio

511 Q: Spell the plural of "tomato."

A: tomatoes

512 Q: A motorcycle traveling at 65 miles per hour covers how many miles in 5 hours?

A: 325

513 Q: Spell the plural of "basis."

A: bases

514 Q: The largest saline lake in the Western Hemisphere is in what U.S. state?

A: Utah

515 Q: Convert 4% into a fraction.

A: 1/25

516 Q: What is .3% of 500?

A: 1.5

517 Q: Spiny anteaters and duck-billed platypuses live in the wilds of what continent?

A: Australia

518 Q: What are the prime factors of 12?

A: 2, 2, 3

519 Q: What word is missing in these cliches?

another ----, another dollar
this isn't my ----
my lucky ----
make my ----

A: day

520 Q: What hemisphere lies between the equator and a latitude of 90 degrees south?

A: Southern Hemisphere

521 Q: What country is on both sides of the Gulf of California?

A: Mexico

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522 Q: What adverb completes this bit of advice?

Eat no green apples or you'll droop,
Be careful not to get the croup,
Avoid the chicken pox and such
And don't fall out of windows ...

A: much

523 Q: Represent this ratio in its simplest form.

24/42

A: 4/7

524 Q: Alyeska is an archaic Aleut word that is the basis for the name of what state?

A: Alaska

525 Q: You have absolutely got to paint fifteen signs and each sign takes twenty minutes. You have to be done by five p.m. What is the latest time you can start painting?

A: 12:00 (noon)

526 Q: What is the set of odd numbers greater than 71 but less than 77?

A: 73, 75

527 Q: This is a verse from what song about a gathering of birds and beasts?

Said a flea to a fly in a flue
Said the flea "Oh, what shall we do?"
Said the fly, "Let us flee!"; said the flea,
"Let us fly!"
So they flew through a flaw in the flue

A: Animal Fair

528 Q: The world's largest rain forest is Amazonia on what continent?

A: South America

529 Q: 1961 reads the same when it is upside down. The next date with this characteristic will not occur until the 61st century. What is that year?

A: 6009

530 Q: The temperature was 12 degrees F at noon, but by 10 PM it had dropped to -6 degrees F. How many degrees did the temperature drop?

A: 18 degrees

531 Q: What light metal that does not rust is used in airplanes, foil, and drinking cans?

A: aluminum

532 Q: In lowest terms, the months of June and July comprise what fraction of a year?

A: 1/6

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533 Q: What is the third square number?

A: 9

534 Q: This is from a poem about what ship?

A sturdy little merchant ship
Set sail in 1620 on a great big trip.
Leaving Plymouth England on the sixteenth day,
In the middle of September, it just sailed away.

A: Mayflower

535 Q: What is the meaning of the root word in "aquifer" and "aquatic"?

A: water

536 Q: Subtract $7/12$ from $5/8$.

A: $1/24$

537 Q: What is the common name for a visible mass of minute water droplets or ice particles in the atmosphere?

A: cloud

538 Q: What is the largest natural number with four digits?

A: 9999

539 Q: Name the musical instrument consisting of a small steel bar shaped as a simple polygon and struck with a steel rod to produce a clear, tinkling sound.

A: triangle

540 Q: What is the only U.S. state capital city whose name consists of three words?

A: Salt Lake City

541 Q: John Henry is a legend in what industry?

A: railroad (mining)

542 Q: It is played on a field 120 yards long and 80 yards wide. Teams consist of 11 players. Goals consist of posts 8 feet high and 24 feet apart in the middle of each end of the field. Name the sport.

A: soccer

543 Q: This is from a story about whom?

"Poor marionette," called out a man. "I am not surprised he doesn't want to go home. Gepetto, no doubt, will beat him unmercifully, he is so mean and cruel."

A: Pinocchio

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544 Q: Because it looks like ice but does not turn into a liquid when it melts, frozen carbon dioxide is called what?

A: dry ice

545 Q: What interjection can be made with the first letters of the names of the last three states to be admitted to the Union?

A: aha

546 Q: 8000 pounds equal how many tons?

A: 4

547 Q: The First Continental Congress met in 1774. Present were delegates from all the American colonies except Georgia. How many colonies participated?

A: 12

548 Q: What is one fourth of one fourth of one fourth of 1600?

A: 25

549 Q: Name any Latin American country that begins with the letter "P" in which Spanish is the official language.

A: Peru, Paraguay, Panama

550 Q: A dirt biker is traveling at sixty miles per hour. How far will he go in fifteen minutes?

A: 15 miles

551 Q: The Atlantic and Pacific are two of the five great oceans. Name the others.

A: Antarctic, Arctic, Indian

552 Q: In a sentence, what punctuation mark should be used to separate a city from a state?

A: comma

553 Q: What is the term for meteorological predictions of forthcoming weather conditions?

A: forecasts

554 Q: What is the next number in this sequence?

2, 1, 3, 4, 7, 11, ...

A: 18

555 Q: What number ends up in the ones place when you take 6 to the 11th power?

A: 6

556 Q: In the song, "This is My Country," what are the first two words that rhyme with "girth"?

A: birth, earth

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557 Q: A device consisting of material shaped into a cone and suspended on a pole is used mainly to indicate what characteristic of wind?

A: wind direction

558 Q: What is the adjective in this line?
It was a tale so profoundly sad that nobody
could hold back tears.

A: sad

559 Q: All multiples of what number end in either 0 or 5?

A: 5

560 Q: Among whose most legendary feats was riding a cyclone bareback?

A: Pecos Bill

561 Q: Name the body of citizens officially sworn to weigh the evidence and decide the facts of a legal case.

A: jury

562 Q: What legendary character that grows up thinking he is a coyote lassoes a railroad train and rides a cyclone?

A: Pecos Bill

563 Q: What Latin American country is bisected by a waterway?

A: Panama

564 Q: On what continent is there no tree line?

A: Antarctica

565 Q: How many digits are there in one hundred eleven million, one hundred eleven thousand, one hundred eleven?

A: 9

566 Q: How many states begin with "O"?

A: 3

567 Q: Subtract $1\frac{7}{8}$ from $3\frac{1}{2}$.

A: $1\frac{5}{8}$ (or $\frac{13}{8}$)

568 Q: Some plants have short, hard, side stems with sharp points at their tips called what?

A: thorns

569 Q: From three pounds of hamburger, how many three-ounce meatballs can be made?

A: 16

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570 Q: Most of America's salmon, crab, halibut, and herring come from what state?

A: Alaska

571 Q: Name the herbivorous marsupials of Australia with powerful hind legs and sturdy tails.

A: kangaroos

572 Q: What are the missing numbers in this sequence?

--, --, --, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200

A: 25, 50, 75

573 Q: Convert $27/7$ to a mixed number.

A: $3 \frac{6}{7}$

574 Q: What color results from mixing red and blue?

A: purple

575 Q: Name the words that appear at the top of each page in a reference work to indicate the first or last entry on the page.

A: guidewords (headwords)

576 Q: Divide 902,260 by 985.

A: 916

577 Q: What is the smallest number with five different digits?

A: 10234

578 Q: Groundhogs and bears eat a great deal of food during the warm months in preparation for a long winter's sleep called what?

A: hibernation

579 Q: What object is the lady holding aloft on the Statue of Liberty?

A: a torch

580 Q: What is the title of a female ruler of an empire?

A: empress

581 Q: Divide the sum of $\frac{3}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ by the product of 2 and $1 \frac{1}{4}$.

A: $\frac{1}{2}$

582 Q: What force causes your hands to warm up when you rub them together?

A: friction

583 Q: Subtract $6 \frac{1}{3}$ from $12 \frac{7}{8}$.

A: $6 \frac{13}{24}$

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584 Q: What story by Roald Dahl begins with this?
In fairy tales, witches always wear silly black hats and black coats, and they ride on broomsticks. But this is not a fairy tale. This is about real witches.

A: The Witches

585 Q: $22(3+2)$ equals what?

A: 110

586 Q: 8.4 is 12% of what number?

A: 70

587 Q: What phase of water is least dense?

A: gas (water vapor)

588 Q: What is the capital of Missouri?

A: Jefferson City

589 Q: The Sun is shining on what percent of the Earth at all times?

A: 50%

590 Q: Name the economic system based on the ownership of workers by masters.

A: slavery

591 Q: What are the next three numbers in this sequence?

4 6 5 7 6 ...

A: 8 7 9

592 Q: What is the knot suggested in this line?

Get busy with that knot in the end
of your spinal cord.

A: brain

593 Q: A simple lens has how many faces?

A: 2

594 Q: Windmills are especially symbolic of what European country?

A: Holland (or Netherlands)

595 Q: The North Pole is in what ocean?

A: Arctic Ocean

596 Q: What consists of the Sun and all the objects that orbit it?

A: solar system

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597 Q: What adjective describes fractions with the same denominator?

A: like

598 Q: On the seal of the Commonwealth of Kentucky are two lines. One reads, "United We Stand." What does the other line say?

A: Divided We Fall

599 Q: How many tons of coal priced at \$7.75 could be purchased for \$6200?

A: 800

600 Q: Name the divisions of the year based on changes in climatic conditions.

A: seasons

601 Q: This is about what geologic phenomenon?
Vigorous summit ash emission produced an eruption column that rose five kilometers and had a basal diameter of 400 to 600 meters.

A: volcano

602 Q: What continuously moves ice and the rock material to the lower end of a glacier?

A: gravity

603 Q: Name the prominence at the posterior end of the foot.

A: heel

604 Q: Residents in which U.S. state have consistently the best view of the aurora borealis?

A: Alaska

605 Q: These organs are part of what body system?
liver
large intestine
esophagus

A: digestive system

606 Q: A dog saves young Arliss Coates from a bear, his brother Travis from some wild hogs, and their mom from a wolf. Name this book by Fred Gipson.

A: Old Yeller

607 Q: Divide 44.9652 by 1000.

A: .0449652

608 Q: Name the number one with the decimal point moved six places to the right of a one.

A: 1 million

609 Q: High tides basically occur on the part of the Earth that is closest to what?

A: the Moon

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610 Q: How many syllables are in this four-line ditty?

Jerry Hall,
He is so small,
A rat could eat him,
Hat and all.

A: 15

611 Q: Mousers are generally what kind of animals?

A: cats

612 Q: Concord is the capital of what state?

A: New Hampshire

613 Q: Find the product of these numbers.

3, -4, -6, -2, -5

A: 720

614 Q: How many countries lie north of the U.S. in North America?

A: 1

615 Q: What toy is suggested by these lines from a poem by Harry Behn?

But a raggeder thing
You never will see
When it flaps on a string
In the top of a tree.

A: kite

616 Q: What is the meaning of the prefix in words such as heliometer, heliostat, and heliosphere?

A: Sun

617 Q: Using just the numbers 3, 7, and 5, what is the greatest number you can get by multiplying two of the numbers and adding the third to the product?

A: 38

618 Q: What letters should be capitalized in this line?

in the fifth grade, we memorized
longfellow's poem, "the children's hour."

A: i l t c h

619 Q: What, according to the rhyme, was Miss Muffet eating while sitting on the tuffet?

A: curds and whey

620 Q: Name the last continent to be discovered.

A: Antarctica

621 Q: Spell the plural of "half."

A: halves

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622 Q: On a musical scale, if there are 5 notes from C to G, how many notes are there from E to A?

A: 4

623 Q: What tiny, two-winged, biting fly has a silent letter in its name?

A: gnat (midge)

624 Q: Who is the central character in Maurice Sendak's story, "Where the Wild Things Are"?

A: Max

625 Q: Frank got on an elevator on the fourth floor. It went up two floors. Then it went down five floors. Finally it went up nine floors where Frank got off. What floor was he on?

A: tenth

626 Q: Who is Roo's mother in "Winnie-the-Pooh"?

A: Kanga

627 Q: At its deepest point, the Grand Canyon is about 1.6 kilometers deep. To the nearest whole number, how many times deeper is the Marianas Trench with its depth of over 11 kilometers?

A: 7

628 Q: Name the westernmost U.S. state with a Spanish name.

A: California

629 Q: What heavenly bodies beyond Earth's atmosphere leave a trail of debris behind them?

A: comets

630 Q: Divide 29,345 by 100.

A: 293.45

631 Q: What continent is directly south of western Europe?

A: Africa

632 Q: This is from a story about whom?

At this third lie, his nose grew to such an extraordinary length that he could not move in any direction.

A: Pinocchio

633 Q: What is the third prime number?

A: 5

634 Q: What should be the first word in these geographical lyrics?

---- lines go east and west,
But they're north or south of the equator.
They'll always pass the parallel test,
If you measure them now or later.

A: latitude

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635 Q: If three pounds of popcorn cost \$1.80, what is the cost of fifteen pounds?

A: \$9.00

636 Q: What was the nationality of most of the victims of the Vesuvius eruption in the year 79?

A: Roman

637 Q: What is the prime factorization of 84?

A: $2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 7$

638 Q: What is the last state on a list of U.S. states that includes three vowels in its name?

A: Wyoming

639 Q: Reduce $160/192$ to lowest terms.

A: $5/6$

640 Q: Memphians and Nashvillians live in what state?

A: Tennessee

641 Q: The name of what kind of creature completes this verse by Ogden Nash?

Belinda still lives in her little white house, /
With her little black kitten and her little gray
mouse, / And her little yellow dog and her little
red wagon, / And her realio, trulio, little pet ...

A: dragon

642 Q: These are what kind of beliefs?

Good things occur when you cross your fingers.
Not walking under ladders prevents misfortune.

A: superstitions

643 Q: This is the introduction to what book by Shel Silverstein?

If you are a dreamer, come in
If you are a dreamer, a wisher, a liar,
A hope-er, a pray-er, a magic bean buyer ...
If you're a pretender, come sit by the fire
For we have some flax-golden tales to spin.
Come in! Come in!

A: Where the Sidewalk Ends

644 Q: $3/5$ equals what percent?

A: 60%

645 Q: Name the mark resulting from the biologic process of wound repair in the skin.

A: scar

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646 Q: What part of speech is “man“ in this line?

Man! If I only had it to do all over again!

A: interjection

647 Q: It is 9 a.m. in New York City. What time is it in Chicago?

A: 8 a.m.

648 Q: What is the result?

$4 \times 10 \times 0 \times 3 \times 2$

A: 0

649 Q: The heart pumps five liters of blood per minute. How many liters will it pump on Tuesday?

A: 7200

650 Q: What is half of $1/10$?

A: $1/20$

651 Q: By what factor should you multiply if you want to transform miles into feet?

A: 5280

652 Q: This is from what story by Dr. Seuss?

I do not like them in a box.

I do not like them in a house.

I do not like them with a mouse.

I do not like them here or there.

I do not like them anywhere.

A: Green Eggs and Ham

653 Q: In “Jack and the Beanstalk,“ what treasure that Jack was stealing cried out “Master! Master!“?

A: harp

654 Q: A boat is sailing north at ten miles per hour relative to the water. Since the water is in a river flowing north at seven miles per hour, what is the speed of the boat relative to the shore?

A: 17 miles per hour

655 Q: If there are 3034 counties in the U.S., to the nearest whole number, what is the average number of counties per state?

A: 61

656 Q: Name the written instruments by which people cast votes for candidates in an election.

A: ballots

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657 Q: These lines are from a song in what musical?

When you wish upon a star
Makes no difference who you are
Anything your heart desires
Will come to you.

A: Pinocchio

658 Q: This is from what popular story by a British writer of the early 20th century?

“For Wendy?” John said, aghast.
“Why, she is only a girl!”

A: Peter Pan

659 Q: Pick a natural number. Add 15 to it. Double the result. Add the original number. Divide the sum by 3. Subtract the original number. What is the result?

A: 10

660 Q: Name the protective cases made by silkworms that can be unwound to produce a fine textile.

A: cocoons

661 Q: What happens to the frequency of a string on a musical instrument as it is tightened?

A: It becomes higher.

662 Q: The Wossamatta U basketball team scored 800 points this year. If Bullwinkle scored 30% of those points, how many points did he score?

A: 240

663 Q: What is the sum of these four decimals?

.086 .42 .018 .91

A: 1.434

664 Q: In 1869, Central Pacific workers laid a record 10 miles of track in one day requiring the spiking of 24,000 crossties. How many crossties were laid per mile?

A: 2,400

665 Q: What form of wordplay is used in these lines?

The Pillsbury Doughboy is my roll model.
If we got rid of all the margarine, the world
would be a butter place.
A fake noodle is an impasta.

A: pun

666 Q: Who “had a wife and couldn't keep her“?

A: Peter Peter Pumpkin-eater

667 Q: You can spell the name of what animal with the first letters of the names of the continental U.S. states bordering the Pacific?

A: cow

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668 Q: Simplify the following.
 $1/40 + 1/20 + 1/50$

A: $19/200$

669 Q: What is the name for any year in which an extra day is added?

A: leap year

670 Q: How many hours and minutes does it take to bake a 5 1/2 pound venison roast if the recipe says it should bake 24 minutes per pound?

A: 2 hr 12 minutes

671 Q: What word should replace the one word in this sentence that is used incorrectly?
Geraldo said that you can now open Al's secret vault.

A: may

672 Q: Sutter's ranch, home to his mill, was located in what future state?

A: California

673 Q: Immediately east of the Gulf of St. Lawrence is what ocean?

A: Atlantic Ocean

674 Q: These lines by Helmer Oleson refer to what legendary American?
He carried many orchards in the bag upon his back,
And the scent of apple blossoms always lingered in his track

A: Johnny Appleseed (John Chapman)

675 Q: What are the next three numbers in this sequence?
3 4 6 7 9

A: 10 12 13

676 Q: In the Uncle Remus stories, what is the name of the bear?

A: Brer Bear

677 Q: The name of what vertebrate completes this cliché?
the early ...

A: bird

678 Q: What is the title of the person in an orchestra who uses a baton?

A: conductor

679 Q: Name the enormous self-propelled vehicles used to pull or push railroad cars.

A: locomotives (engines)

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680 Q: The name of what animal is missing in this limerick?

Consider the poor ----:

His life is unduly monotonous.

He lives half asleep

At the edge of the deep,

And his face is as big as his bottom is.

A: hippopotamus

681 Q: What is the adjective form of the adverb, "unusually"?

A: unusual

682 Q: In lowest terms, four inches equals what fraction of a yard?

A: $\frac{1}{9}$

683 Q: There are no butterflies or moths on what continent?

A: Antarctica

684 Q: On a fishing trip, Ron caught 23 fish, which was 9 more than Dallas. But Roger caught as many fish as Ron and Dallas together. How many fish did Roger catch?

A: 37

685 Q: In "Alice in Wonderland," what is the timid Knave of Hearts accused of stealing?

A: tarts

686 Q: The process to kill bacteria developed by Louis Pasteur is mainly associated with what food?

A: milk

687 Q: In government, what is the opposite of a minority?

A: majority

688 Q: You bought 4 giant earthworms for \$10 and sold them for \$3.25 each. How much profit did you make?

A: \$3.00

689 Q: The peel of a banana weighs about $\frac{1}{8}$ of the total weight of the banana. If you buy 3 pounds of bananas at 1 pound for \$0.60, to the nearest penny, about how much are you paying for the peels?

A: 23 cents

690 Q: Divide -72 by the quotient of 24 divided by -3.

A: 9

691 Q: The hair of an albino raccoon is what color?

A: white

692 Q: Express as a Roman numeral the number of days usually in the month of February.

A: XXXVIII

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693 Q: Spell the word rhyming with "sour" that indicates a white-headed vegetable.

A: cauliflower

694 Q: Mariners depended upon what tall structures topped with beacons to navigate safely along coastlines at night?

A: lighthouses

695 Q: What is the elevation span for these two extreme sites in the United States?

Badwater Basin, -279 feet

Denali Peak, 20,310 feet

A: 20,589 feet

696 Q: Name the land forms which result from wind moving particulate sediments across a desert.

A: dunes (sand dunes)

697 Q: 12 is the sum of what two prime numbers?

A: 5, 7

698 Q: Convert $12/5$ to a mixed number.

A: $2 \frac{2}{5}$

699 Q: What do statisticians call the number of people inhabiting any given country?

A: population

700 Q: What kind of tide occurs when ocean water flows as far inland as it can?

A: high (spring) tide

701 Q: What term rhyming with "purge" refers to a longing?

A: urge

702 Q: Peter Rabbit's father met his end in a garden tended by whom?

A: Mr. McGregor

703 Q: Negative 24 times zero equals what?

A: zero

704 Q: It takes exactly 7 hours and 45 minutes to travel by sloth to get from one side of Winnemucca, Nevada to the other. If you and your trusty sloth depart at 1:45 P.M., what time will your journey end?

A: 9:30

705 Q: Name the only country that comprises an entire continent.

A: Australia

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706 Q: Loma, Montana is the location of the most extreme recorded temperature change in a 24-hour period in the U.S. In 1972, the temperature changed how many degrees when it rose from -54 degrees F to 49 degrees F?

A: 103 degrees

707 Q: The world's largest fish is the whale shark that may weight 75,000 pounds or how many tons?

A: 37.5

708 Q: These are members of what group of musical instruments?

mandolin

banjo

harp

A: strings

709 Q: Name the U.S. state with the longest coastline.

A: Alaska

710 Q: "Iron horse" refers to what form of transportation?

A: railroad

711 Q: In a parking lot, there are 29 motorcycles and 28 pickups, for a total of how many wheels?

A: 170

712 Q: Name the only human in the Winnie-the-Pooh stories.

A: Christopher Robin

713 Q: What is the product of 52 and 182?

A: 9464

714 Q: Jim's first model airplane flew 2 hours and 36 minutes before it crashed. His next plane flew 4 hours and 29 minutes before it augured in. How much flying time did he get from his planes?

A: 7 hours and 5 minutes

715 Q: A truck carrying 16,000 pounds of explosives confiscated from a bunker in Iraq is carrying how many tons of cargo?

A: 8

716 Q: Captain Hook loathes Peter Pan for hacking off his hand and feeding it to what kind of creature?

A: crocodile

717 Q: What character from "The Arabian Nights" overhears a band of forty thieves talking about a treasure they have hidden in a cave?

A: Ali Baba

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718 Q: Who created story that includes these words?

The boy, of course, called out "Wolf, wolf," still louder than before. But this time the villagers who had been fooled twice before, thought the boy was deceiving them.

A: Aesop

719 Q: Legislative powers enable a government to make what?

A: laws

720 Q: What number when doubled equals twice as much as when squared?

A: one

721 Q: Name the southernmost continent with a continental glacier.

A: Antarctica

722 Q: What had just ended when this headline appeared in a 19th-century newspaper?
Hang Out Your Banners; Union Victory! Peace!

A: Civil War

723 Q: What is the collective name for protective clothing worn to defend knights from harm in combat?

A: armor

724 Q: Complete this line from a song's lyrics.
There's a frog on the bump of the log in the hole in ...

A: the bottom of the sea

725 Q: How many zeroes are in the answer when you add these quantities?

1 hundredth
1 thousandth
1 hundred thousandth

A: 2

726 Q: These slogans are associated with what sport?

Every game is game seven.
Stand tall, talk small, play ball.
Hit, run, score!
It's about playing catch and throwing strikes.

A: baseball

727 Q: "In "The Polar Express," what gift does a young boy choose from Santa's sleigh which can be heard only by those who believe in Santa?"

A: bell (silver bell)

728 Q: Divide -27 by 3.

A: -9

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729 Q: Streams flow because of what force?

A: gravity

730 Q: What unit of matter consists of a nucleus surrounded by a cloud of electrons?

A: atom

731 Q: Convert 4140/1000 into a decimal numeral.

A: 4.14

732 Q: Name the three types of punctuation marks required by this sentence.

Henry said history is bunk

A: comma, quotation marks, period

733 Q: How many cans of slime are needed by some entities to cover the walls of three rooms if it takes $2\frac{2}{3}$ cans of slime to cover the walls of a single room?

A: 8

734 Q: What continent is asymmetrically centered on the South Pole?

A: Antarctica

735 Q: What is the meteorological term for a gentle air movement?

A: breeze

736 Q: The name of what state bordering the Pacific Ocean begins with the eighth letter of the alphabet?

A: Hawaii

737 Q: Whales and caribou leave one region each year and make long journeys to another location. Later in the year they return. These journeys are called annual what?

A: migrations

738 Q: What South American country was named for the explorer associated with the year, 1492?

A: Colombia

739 Q: What document establishes the broad structure of the national government, defines its fields and functions, lists its main powers, and specifies limitations on the powers of the national and state governments?

A: Constitution

740 Q: The gemstone variety of emerald is what color?

A: green

741 Q: The ancient Egyptians divided the year into 12 months of 30 days, leaving how many extra days annually for holidays and feasting?

A: 5

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742 Q: With a paper plane, where should you attach a paper clip to make it fly the farthest?

A: front (nose)

743 Q: What adverb is used to begin a question asking about a place?

A: where

744 Q: What season is it in Argentina when the cherry blossoms are blooming in Washington, D.C.?

A: fall (autumn)

745 Q: How does the original proverb that is parodied below usually end?

If at first you don't succeed,
skydiving is not for you.

A: try, try again.

746 Q: Spell the plural of "cactus."

A: cacti

747 Q: What bird is described in this excerpt?

The body and part of the neck being of a dark brown, the upper part of the neck and head is covered with a white sort of down, whereby it looks very bald, whence it is so named.

A: bald eagle

748 Q: Some circus acts may involve people who seem to be extraordinarily tall, when they are in fact ordinary-sized people standing on special poles called what?

A: stilts

749 Q: Convert 117% to a decimal number.

A: 1.17

750 Q: The sperm whale's brain may weigh up to 20 pounds, six times heavier than that of a human. To the nearest whole number, what is the weight of a human brain?

A: 3 pounds

751 Q: If you started at the bottom of Death Valley at an altitude of 282 below sea level and hiked to the top of Mount Whitney which is 14,787 feet higher than the starting point, what is the altitude of the top of Mount Whitney?

A: 14,505

752 Q: What number greater than 31 and less than 41 is even and a multiple of 3?

A: 36

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753 Q: What is the last word in this cliché?

Two's company but three's a ...

A: crowd

754 Q: Subtract .0402 from .9712.

A: .931

755 Q: Who invented the phonograph and incandescent light bulb?

A: Thomas Edison

756 Q: This is about what legendary character?

He would travel after nightfall, start again at
early morn,
He was planting seeds of apples for the
children yet unborn.

A: Johnny Appleseed (John Chapman)

757 Q: What is the next number in this sequence?

1 2 4 5 7 8 10 11 ...

A: 13

758 Q: The Egyptian pyramids were built near the banks of what river?

A: Nile

759 Q: It starts as a tiny trickle, or rill. It flows downhill, is joined by other rills, gets larger, and becomes a stream. Other streams join it to form what?

A: a river

760 Q: Name Pinocchio's goldfish.

A: Cleo

761 Q: What grammatical error is illustrated in this actual advertising slogan?

Nobody doesn't like Sara Lee.

A: double negative

762 Q: Next to Flanders on the shore of the North Sea is what country of hyacinths and tulips, wooden shoes and windmills, canals and dikes?

A: Netherlands (Holland)

763 Q: Express .075 as a percent.

A: 7.5%

764 Q: The sum of two odd integers or two even integers is what kind of integer?

A: even

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765 Q: Complete this proverb.

No chain is stronger than its weakest ...

A: link

766 Q: What metal percussion musical instrument has the shape of a three-sided polygon open at one angle?

A: triangle

767 Q: Mohandas fell off his elephant and fractured his arm. After the bone was set, he was given what bandage worn around his neck to help support the arm until it healed?

A: sling

768 Q: What word is missing from these cliches?

does ---- harm than good
---- than meets the eye
---- than you bargained for

A: more

769 Q: "In a story by the same name, what did Mary Norton call the tiny ingenious folk who live under the floor and borrow what they need from "human beans"?"

A: The Borrowers

770 Q: Multiply 6.34 times .005.

A: .0317

771 Q: What marsupial has been described as a pogo stick with a pouch?

A: kangaroo

772 Q: A millimeter is what fraction of a meter?

A: 1/1000th

773 Q: What is a wheel with teeth around its circumference called?

A: gear (cogwheel)

774 Q: What word is missing from these cliches?

think on your ----
get your ---- wet
get back on your ----
keep your ---- on the ground

A: feet

775 Q: Name the part of a sentence that includes a verb plus all the words and phrases associated with it, and names the action engaged in by the subject or the state of being of the subject.

A: predicate

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776 Q: In biology, "new world" species indicates organisms that are indigenous to what two continents?

A: North and South America

777 Q: What is the sum of $6\frac{3}{5}$ and $2\frac{5}{7}$ reduced to lowest terms?

A: $9\frac{11}{35}$

778 Q: What are the next two terms in this numeric sequence?

40 20 30 10 ...

A: 20, 0

779 Q: This line is from what song?

Heigh ho, the dairy-o

A: A Hunting We Will Go

780 Q: This quip contains an allusion to what ship?

She's always late. Her ancestors arrived on the Juneflower.

A: Mayflower

781 Q: What South American country has exactly five letters in its name?

A: Chile

782 Q: What is the sum?

$677 + 239 + 595$

A: 1511

783 Q: How many long vowels are in this lyric?

the home of the free and the brave

A: 3

784 Q: What city is the setting for "Mary Poppins"?

A: London

785 Q: To whom does the first pronoun refer in this verse from a nursery rhyme?

She went to the baker's
To buy him some bread,
But when she came back
The poor dog was dead.

A: Mother Hubbard

786 Q: In what country was the Ming dynasty overpowered by the Manchus from Manchuria who established the Qing dynasty?

A: China

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- 787 Q: What word referring to a small mammal completes this cliché?
quiet as a ...
- A: mouse
- 788 Q: In colder climates, what large animals that sleep through most of the winter will generally wake up for a while in January or February to give birth to her cubs?
- A: bears
- 789 Q: What is the quotient when you divide 14 by -2 ?
- A: -7
- 790 Q: Which major nutrient group is abundant in milk, fish, cheese, and meat?
- A: protein
- 791 Q: After being burned by the British, the Executive Mansion in Washington, D.C. was restored in 1818 and given a new coat of paint. Because of its new look, it has been known by what name ever since?
- A: White House
- 792 Q: How many 15 cent worms can be had for \$12?
- A: 80
- 793 Q: The scale of a map shows that 1 cm equals 15 km. How far apart are two cities if they are 8 cm apart on the map?
- A: 120 km
- 794 Q: You would have no chance of being bitten by a venomous snake if you were on what continent?
- A: Antarctica
- 795 Q: What color absorbs all light?
- A: black
- 796 Q: What subatomic particles are constantly moving outside the nucleus of an atom?
- A: electrons
- 797 Q: Which of the first 48 states has the longest southern border?
- A: Texas
- 798 Q: If today's high temperature in New Igloo, Alaska, was -7 degrees F while the high temperature at Volcano, Nevada was 117 degrees F, what is the difference between these two readings?
- A: 124 degrees F
- 799 Q: What is a synonym for salinity?
- A: saltiness

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800 Q: What number is next in this sequence?

2 5 9 14

A: 20

801 Q: What is the most northern, eastern, and western state in the U.S.?

A: Alaska

802 Q: What is the name for a two-dimensional arrangement of numbers such that every row and every column has the same sum?

A: magic square

803 Q: $(6 \times 8) / (8 \times 2)$ equals what?

A: 3

804 Q: What are the prime factors of 18?

A: $2 \times 3 \times 3$

805 Q: How many performers are in a room which includes 5 quartets, 7 trios, and 9 duets?

A: 59

806 Q: What kind of supernatural being did Aladdin release from the lamp?

A: genie (jinni)

807 Q: What is 15% of 50?

A: 7.5

808 Q: In a series of stories by Enid Blyton, Dick, Anne, George, Julian, and Timmy are known as the Famous what?

A: Five

809 Q: What word completes these cliches?

keep a sharp ---- out for
in the wink of an ----
more here than meets the ----

A: eye

810 Q: In the Old West, what was more or less the equivalent of a modern day pickup camper?

A: covered wagon

811 Q: What is the northernmost U.S. state that borders on Mexico?

A: California

812 Q: Seven and three are the prime factors of what number?

A: 21

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813 Q: This is from a poetic version of what fairy tale?

As soon as Wolf began to feel
That he would like a decent meal,
He went and knocked on Grandma's door.
When Grandma opened it, she saw
The sharp white teeth, the horrid grin,
And Wolfie said, 'May I come in?'

A: Little Red Riding Hood

814 Q: What is the product of 6285 and 1?

A: 6285

815 Q: This is about what?

Senor Arraya saw landslides on the side of the
mountain followed immediately by a violent
ground-shaking explosion that produced a fiery
cloud of ash which swept down upon him as a
searing gale.

A: volcanic eruption

816 Q: What color is most obsidian?

A: black

817 Q: Within just eleven years during what century did these things occur?

Dias sailed around the tip of Africa.
Columbus reached the West Indies.
John Cabot reached Newfoundland.
Da Gama reached India by sea.

A: 15th century

818 Q: 2 times -16 equals what?

A: -32

819 Q: Name the vessels through which blood returns to the heart.

A: veins

820 Q: What is opposite of midnight?

A: noon

821 Q: Multiply the quantity $(9+3)$ by 5 and divide the product by the quantity $(12-8)$.

A: 15

822 Q: Half of the employees at a Vietnamese factory walk to work while one-fourth of the remainder ride bicycles. What fraction of the workers get to work by some other means?

A: $\frac{3}{8}$

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823 Q: Thousands of years ago, they used specially prepared animal skins called parchment. They also tried silk and papyrus. Today, all of these materials have been replaced by what?

A: paper

824 Q: What grain is cited in the poem that begins, "Sing a song of sixpence"?

A: rye

825 Q: What body of water surrounds American Samoa?

A: Pacific Ocean

826 Q: The drops of moisture that form on leaves and grass during the night comprise what?

A: dew

827 Q: Although all of the gas giants have rings, those of which planet are the largest?

A: Saturn

828 Q: What is $\frac{8}{36}$ reduced to lowest terms?

A: $\frac{2}{9}$

829 Q: There are three fundamental types of matter. Which has a definite size and shape?

A: solid

830 Q: What is the smallest positive three-syllable integer?

A: eleven

831 Q: What word was replaced in this cliché?
There's no time like the pleasant.

A: present

832 Q: What did the dish do at the end of the poem that begins, "Hey diddle, diddle"?

A: ran away with the spoon

833 Q: The product of two fractions equals the product of their numerators over the product of their what?

A: denominators

834 Q: In what Dr. Seuss story does the Truffula tree make an appearance?

A: The Lorax

835 Q: Name the instrument developed by the Chinese which consisted of a magnetized needle mounted on a card on which various directions were marked off about the rim of a circle.

A: compass

836 Q: Classify the first word in this sentence.
Whew - that was a tough game!

A: interjection

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- 837 Q: From a monarch's investment of \$6000 in the first voyage of Columbus, what country enjoyed a return of nearly \$2 million in gold after just one century?
- A: Spain
- 838 Q: What is the least common denominator of these fractions?
3/4
7/8
9/16
- A: 16
- 839 Q: The names of which two of the inner planets begin with the same letter?
- A: Mars, Mercury
- 840 Q: What is the largest prime number less than 20?
- A: 19
- 841 Q: What punctuation mark is used in contractions and to show possession in nouns?
- A: apostrophe
- 842 Q: What organ in the body has these main mechanical functions?
-store swallowed food and liquid
-mix up the food, liquid, and digestive juice
-empty the mixture into the small intestine
- A: stomach
- 843 Q: What city is identical with the District of Columbia?
- A: Washington
- 844 Q: What syllable on the musical scale comes between sol and ti?
- A: la
- 845 Q: Each state's representation in which house of Congress is proportional to its population?
- A: House of Representatives
- 846 Q: What name completes this verse by Eugene Field?
Father calls me William,
Sister calls me Will,
Mother calls me Willie,
But the fellers call me ...
- A: Bill
- 847 Q: A negative number is divided by a positive number. That quotient is then divided by a negative number. The result is what?
- A: positive
- 848 Q: Judges are officials in which branch of American government?
- A: judicial branch

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- 849 Q: What cliché having to do with the home of a canine means that a person is in trouble?
A: in the dog house
- 850 Q: Beefalo are crosses between cattle and what other herbivores?
A: bison (buffalo)
- 851 Q: Name the imaginary line extending around the Earth halfway between the north and south poles.
A: equator
- 852 Q: If you have 5 table tennis balls in a bag, in how many ways can you select 1 of these balls from the bag?
A: 5
- 853 Q: What is the LCD of $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{5}{6}$?
A: 12
- 854 Q: According to the adage, how many miles will someone take if you give him 5 inches?
A: 5 miles
- 855 Q: What kind of vehicles are required by federal law to carry a wheeled and a folding litter, portable artificial ventilation devices, airways for mouth-to-mouth ventilation, oxygen, bandages, dressings, and splints?
A: ambulances
- 856 Q: Divide 592,564 by 1000.
A: 592.564
- 857 Q: The natural habitat for pandas is on what continent?
A: Asia
- 858 Q: This is about what fairy tale character?
She had magnificent long hair, fine as spun gold, and when she heard the voice of the enchantress she unfastened her braided tresses, wound them round one of the hooks of the window above, and then the hair fell twenty ells down and the enchantress climbed up by it.
A: Rapunzel
- 859 Q: What common spider has a body that rarely exceeds 10 millimeters but legs that may be as long as 50 millimeters?
A: daddy long-legs

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860 Q: What adjective completes this line from "The Phantom Tollbooth"?
So many things are possible just as long as
you don't know they're ...

A: impossible

861 Q: What line comes next in this verse from a song in "The Wizard of Oz"?
She's gone where the goblins go,
Below - below - below. Yo-ho,
Let's open up and sing and ring the bells out.
Ding Dong! the merry-oh, sing it high,
sing it low,
Let them know ...

A: the Wicked Witch is dead

862 Q: If you made 13 two-point baskets and 3 three-point baskets in a game, how many points did you score?

A: 35

863 Q: There were 102 passengers including 31 children crowded onto what small ship that left England in September of 1620?

A: Mayflower

864 Q: In the 2015 World Inter-School Rope Skipping Championships, an 11-year-old boy managed to skip a rope 216 times in 30 seconds, or how many times per second?

A: 7.2

865 Q: What is the common term for ice stalactites?

A: icicles

866 Q: In the U.S. judicial system name the sworn body of people convened to render an impartial verdict in a legal court case.

A: jury

867 Q: What is the adverb form of "busy"?

A: busily

868 Q: Complete this bit of humor.
If people from Poland are called Poles, why
aren't people from Holland called ...

A: Holes

869 Q: What is the smallest number with four different digits?

A: 1023

870 Q: What is 4% of .63?

A: .0252

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- 871 Q: What punctuation mark should be used after commands, interjections, and emphatic statements?
A: exclamation point
- 872 Q: These are part of what organ system?
esophagus, stomach, intestines
A: digestive system
- 873 Q: If the U.S. Senate included 20 female senators, how many male senators would there be?
A: 80
- 874 Q: 27 equals 27 times 3 times what fraction?
A: 1/3
- 875 Q: 1908 gallons of goo priced at \$1.25 per gallon costs how much?
A: \$2385
- 876 Q: A proverb by Benjamin Franklin about what coin ends with "earned"?
A: penny
- 877 Q: Name the westernmost U.S. state bordered by a Mexican state.
A: California
- 878 Q: What fraction of an hour equals twelve minutes?
A: 1/5th
- 879 Q: What percentage of the light we receive from the Moon is reflected?
A: 100%
- 880 Q: Consider this unusual sentence.
SEAN got three AAA's.
Since the sentence is a mnemonic device and the "AAA" can mean Asia, Africa, and Australia, what does the "E" stand for?
A: Europe
- 881 Q: The lowest point in the U.S. is in Death Valley in what state?
A: California
- 882 Q: What planet is sometimes called the fourth rock from the Sun?
A: Mars
- 883 Q: The short "y" has the same sound as the short sound of what other vowel?
A: i
- 884 Q: Multiply $8 \frac{11}{12}$ by 9.
A: $80 \frac{1}{4}$

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885 Q: How long is the term of a U.S. senator?

A: 6 years

886 Q: Twenty-five results from dividing what Roman numeral by the Roman numeral XX?

A: D

887 Q: A shortage of food of sufficient duration to cause widespread privation and a rise in mortality is called a what?

A: famine

888 Q: What is the square of .05?

A: .0025

889 Q: What part of speech is the last word in this line?
Neither Fran nor Wilbur had any idea what kind
of creature was after them.

A: pronoun

890 Q: Divide -12 by - 4.

A: 3

891 Q: What is the compound word for rapidly spinning water that produces a downward sucking force at its center into which floating objects are pulled?

A: whirlpool

892 Q: What is the term for each lump of irregularly shaped ice in a hail storm?

A: hailstone

893 Q: What word should have completed this actual statement by a doctor?
The patient's vision is 20-20 in both ears.

A: eyes

894 Q: What is the term for a true story written about a real person by that person?

A: autobiography

895 Q: This gorge has an average depth of about one mile and widths ranging from four to eighteen miles. Name this greatest example of erosion in the world.

A: Grand Canyon

896 Q: The world's largest desert is in the northern part of what continent?

A: Africa (or all of Antarctica)

897 Q: How far does a vehicle go if it travels at 68 miles per hour for .5 hour?

A: 34 miles

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- 898 Q: Name the point on the Earth from which you could only travel in a northerly direction.
- A: South Pole
- 899 Q: Multiplying a number by ten thousand moves the decimal how many places to the right?
- A: 4
- 900 Q: Benjamin Franklin wrote to a friend that he had become tired of carrying two pairs of spectacles, one for reading and the other for distance. What did he invent to eliminate this nuisance?
- A: bifocals
- 901 Q: Convert $13 \frac{3}{7}$ into an improper fraction.
- A: $\frac{94}{7}$
- 902 Q: What word should be eliminated in this example?
They also got our goat last week too.
- A: also (or too)
- 903 Q: Name the U.S. state bordering the Gulf of Mexico that extends farthest to the west.
- A: Texas
- 904 Q: Name the evergreen, parasitic plant that is popularly used during the Christmas holidays as a decoration.
- A: mistletoe
- 905 Q: What happens to the velocity of water as it leaves a hose?
- A: It decreases.
- 906 Q: The gravitational attraction of which body in our solar system is strongest?
- A: Sun
- 907 Q: In the early 1900s, there were about 100,000 wild turkeys in the U.S. Since there are 56 times that number today, what is the total U.S. wild turkey population?
- A: 5,600,000
- 908 Q: How many consonants are in this phrase?
four score and seven years ago
- A: 14
- 909 Q: What sense can be temporarily disturbed by being in continuous free fall or riding on a merry-go-round?
- A: sense of balance
- 910 Q: Multiply $\frac{4}{3}$ by $\frac{3}{4}$.
- A: 1

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- 911 Q: Reminiscent of a piece of furniture, what term refers to the bottom of a river or stream?
A: bed
- 912 Q: Cocoons are made of what substance?
A: silk
- 913 Q: How many pounds of baled lint weigh three-fourths of a ton?
A: 1500 pounds
- 914 Q: Among the U.S. states that border Canada, name the capital city which is farthest west.
A: Juneau
- 915 Q: What are the two consecutive numbers if their sum is 75?
A: 37, 38
- 916 Q: Even to this day, many Italian children are warned by their elders that their noses will grow as long as who's if they do not tell the truth?
A: Pinocchio
- 917 Q: One day it happened that Jill, John, and Jerry each had three dimes, four nickels, and two quarters in their pockets. How much money did they have together?
A: \$3.00
- 918 Q: Name the principal workplace of the U.S. president.
A: White House (Oval Office)
- 919 Q: What is 150% of 60?
A: 90
- 920 Q: What convulsive expulsion of air from the nose and mouth may send two to five thousand bacteria-filled droplets into the air?
A: sneeze
- 921 Q: What is another name for tadpoles?
A: polliwogs
- 922 Q: Name the turtle created by Dr. Seuss.
A: Yertle
- 923 Q: The name of what southern state completes this pun?
What did Tennessee? The same thing
that Utah and ...
A: Arkansas
- 924 Q: $\frac{1}{3}$ of 8 yards is how many feet?
A: 8 feet

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925 Q: This is a parody of a work by what author?

I do not like your mobile phone.
I do not like its ringing tone.
I do not like it here nor there,
I do not like it anywhere.
I do not like it on a plane,
Nor when I'm in a crowded train,
Nor in a bus, not in a car,
Not even in a crowded bar.

A: Dr. Seuss

926 Q: What is the product if three-fifths and 15?

A: 9

927 Q: What is the capital city of Oregon?

A: Salem

928 Q: What do geometricians call a bent line without angles?

A: curve

929 Q: What body of the U.S. federal government has the same name as a governing assembly in ancient Rome?

A: Senate

930 Q: What is the character refusing in this excerpt from a children's story?

I will not eat them in a house, I will not eat
them with a mouse, I will not eat them in a box,
I will not eat them with a fox, I will not eat
them here or there, I will not eat them
anywhere.

A: green eggs and ham

931 Q: What is the percentage of light from Mars that is reflected?

A: 100%

932 Q: An octopus has how many tentacles?

A: 8

933 Q: Bill drove 702 miles to go quail hunting. He drove for 13 1/2 hours. What was his average speed?

A: 52 mph

934 Q: Divide 92.6 by 1000

A: .0926

935 Q: Round 8537 to the nearest hundred.

A: 8500

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936 Q: What three states have only four letters in their names?

A: Ohio, Iowa, Utah

937 Q: What percentage of a circle is contained in a semicircle?

A: 50%

938 Q: What is the subject of this line by Will Durst?

In San Francisco, Halloween is redundant.

A: Halloween

939 Q: How many times do you write the numeral 3 when you write all the numbers between 1 and 100?

A: 20

940 Q: If you can fabricate six doohickeys in two days, how many can you make in 9 days?

A: 27

941 Q: Which of the first 48 states has the longest eastern border?

A: California

942 Q: What story by Hans Christian Andersen tells of a tiny heroine who revives a migrating swallow that had succumbed to the winter cold in Denmark?

A: Thumbelina

943 Q: These are lines from a Shel Silverstein poem about what creature?

Whadaya know, it's nibblin' my toe.

Oh gee, it's up to my knee.

Oh fiddle, it's up to my middle.

Oh heck, it's up to my neck.

Oh dread, it's mm-mm-mm-mm ...

A: boa constrictor

944 Q: The missing word in these cliches has to do with what form of precipitation?

it never ---- but it pours

got the ---- day blues

as right as ----

save it for a ---- day

A: rain

945 Q: What is the sum of the multiples of 8 that are less than 50?

A: 56

946 Q: American presidential election years included 1960, 1964, 1968, 1972, 1976, and 1980. What was the next presidential election year after 2008?

A: 2012

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947 Q: Most of Egypt is on what continent?

A: Africa

948 Q: What is the sum in lowest terms of the improper fractions listed here?

$\frac{5}{7}$

$\frac{5}{2}$

$\frac{3}{9}$

$\frac{9}{4}$

A: $4\frac{3}{4}$

949 Q: This is from what story?

Occasionally in her travels through her children's minds, Mrs. Darling found things she could not understand, and of these quite the most perplexing was the name Peter.

A: Peter Pan

950 Q: What kind of precipitation is composed of regular hexagons?

A: snow

951 Q: What two words complete this excerpt from "The Wizard of Oz"?

No matter how dreary and gray our homes are, we people of flesh and blood would rather live there than in any other country, be it ever so beautiful. There is no place ...

A: like home

952 Q: What substance must be added to reconstitute instant dry nonfat milk?

A: water

953 Q: What is the color of Paul Bunyan's ox?

A: blue

954 Q: The mouth of the Amazon River is in what body of water?

A: Atlantic Ocean

955 Q: In the Boston Tea Party, 342 chests of tea worth 18,000 British pounds were thrown overboard. To the nearest 10 pounds, what was the value of each chest?

A: 50

956 Q: What is 30% of 620 gallons?

A: 186 gallons

957 Q: During the gala annual four-day World Cow Chip Throwing Contest in Beaver, Oklahoma, the number of visitors tripled each day. If the festival opened on Wednesday with 14 visitors, how many attended the grand finale Saturday?

A: 378

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958 Q: More than 90 percent of the world's glacial ice is found on what continent?

A: Antarctica

959 Q: What is the square of 20?

A: 400

960 Q: 8 is what percent of 14?

A: 57%

961 Q: Meindert Detong's story, "Journey from Peppermint Street," is about a boy from what country?

A: Holland (Netherlands)

962 Q: What are the prime factors of 48?

A: 2 2 2 2 3

963 Q: In what type of reference book is each key word followed by a list of words that have the same or similar meanings?

A: thesaurus

964 Q: Around 200 B.C., Eratosthenes computed the Earth's circumference at 24,900 miles. If his estimate was under by 4,800 miles, what is the actual circumference of our planet?

A: 29,700 miles

965 Q: What flying mammals have long front toe bones with skin stretched back to the ankles of the hind legs?

A: bats

966 Q: This poem is about what creature?
Strange beauty, eight-limbed and eight-handed,
Whence camest to dazzle our eyes?
With thy bosom bespangled and banded
With the hues of the seas and the skies;
Is thy home European or Asian,
O mystical monster marine?

A: octopus

967 Q: Name the biological process by which food is broken down so it can be used by the body.

A: digestion

968 Q: How many nouns are in these lyrics from a song?
Cream colored ponies and crisp apple
strudels, doorbells and sleigh bells and
schnitzel with noodles.

A: 6

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969 Q: What is the number if these are its factors?

$2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3$

A: 24

970 Q: What is the product of $23 \frac{7}{12}$ and 6?

A: $141 \frac{1}{2}$

971 Q: Divide the product of 25 and 4 by 10, multiply that quotient by 18, divide that product by 4 and then by 5, multiply that quotient by itself, and add 19.

A: 100

972 Q: Tutenedo in Colombia got 432 inches of rain one year, which equals how many yards of water?

A: 12

973 Q: If you replace "w" with "t" in the words "what, where, and when," you get what answers?

A: that, there, then

974 Q: Name the visible exhalation of a whale.

A: spout

975 Q: Classify these pairs of words?

mundane - otherworldly

conspicuous - indistinct

confident - pessimistic

A: antonyms

976 Q: What is the term for finding an approximate answer in contrast to calculating an exact answer?

A: estimation

977 Q: "The names for what three parts of speech begin with the letter "A"?"

A: articles, adverbs, adjectives

978 Q: 93 million miles is about the average distance between the Sun and what planet?

A: Earth

979 Q: An asterisk has what shape?

A: star

980 Q: Express 820% as a decimal.

A: 8.2

981 Q: What is the refrain in the song, "Deck the Halls with Boughs of Holly"?

A: Fa la la la la la la la la

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982 Q: What is the last punctuation mark used in "The Star-Spangled Banner"?

A: question mark

983 Q: What is the title of the song that begins with this?

'Round and 'round the cobbler's bench
The monkey chased the weasel ...

A: Pop Goes the Weasel

984 Q: What two offices of the U.S. government are elected by all people of the nation?

A: president, vice president

985 Q: How many years elapsed between 1633, when the Church condemned Galileo for supporting the Copernican theory and 1992 when he was finally exonerated?

A: 359

986 Q: Alphabetically, what is the first state that begins with a "T"?

A: Tennessee

987 Q: Divide 8 by $\frac{1}{2}$.

A: 16

988 Q: What is the product of the reciprocals of 3 and 4?

A: $\frac{1}{12}$

989 Q: Reduce the ratio of 24 to 32 to lowest terms.

A: 3 to 4

990 Q: What is the name for banks of powdery, windblown snow?

A: snowdrifts

991 Q: The XyrgeX star system includes 948 planets. Twelve spacecraft are dispatched such that each will explore an equal number of planets. How many planets will each spacecraft visit?

A: 79

992 Q: In a list of 147 whole numbers, 86 are odd. How many are even?

A: 61

993 Q: Multiply 5 by $9\frac{3}{8}$.

A: $46\frac{7}{8}$

994 Q: How many more edges than corners does a cube have?

A: 4

995 Q: What object in the solar system is described in this quote?

It is a massive self-sustaining hydrogen bomb.

A: the Sun

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996 Q: Consider a multiplication problem in which a positive number is multiplied by a negative number which is then multiplied by a positive number which is finally multiplied by a negative number. What can be said about the result?

A: It is positive.

997 Q: Five percent of what number is 90?

A: 1800

998 Q: Here are some idioms and expressions about winning. What word is missing from the last one?

- wipe the floor with someone
- come out on top
- You win some, you lose some.
- The winner takes it all.
- be on a winning ...

A: streak (team)

999 Q: Declarative sentences are to periods as interrogative sentences are to what punctuation mark?

A: question marks

100 Q: Divide -24 by $-\frac{3}{8}$.

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A: 64