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Major-General's Song by Gilbert And Sullivan

	And surprises I'm more wary at
I am the very model of a modern Major-General	And when I know precisely
I've (1) vegetable, animal, and	What is meant by "commissariat"
mineral	When I have learnt
I know the kings of England	What progress has been (3) in modern gunnery
And I quote the fights historical	When I know more of tactics than a novice in a nunnery
From Marathon to Waterloo, in order categorical	In short, when I've a smattering of elemental strategy
I'm very well acquainted, too, with matters mathematical	(Oh, that's a hard one, strategy Got it!)
I understand equations, both the simple and quadratical	You'll say a better Major-General has never sat a-gee
About binomial theorem I'm teeming with a lot o' news	
(Hmm, lot of news Got it!)	For my military knowledge
With many cheerful facts	Though I'm plucky and adventury
About the square of the hypotenuse	Has only been brought down
	To the beginning of the century
I'm very good at integral and differential calculus	But still, in matters vegetable, animal, and mineral
I know the scientific names of beings animalculous	I am the very model of a modern Major-General
In short, in matters vegetable, animal, and mineral	
I am the very model of a modern Major-General	(One (4) time?!)
I know our mythic history	In fact
King Arthur's and Sir Caradoc's	When I know what is (5) by "mamelon" and
I answer hard acrostics, I've a pretty taste for paradox	"ravelin"
I quote in elegiacs all the crimes of Heliogabalus	When I can tell at sight a Mauser rifle from a javelin
In conics I can floor peculiarities parabolous	When such affairs as sorties
I can tell undoubted	And surprises I'm more wary at
Raphaels from Gerard Dows and Zoffanies	And when I know precisely
I know the croaking chorus	What is meant by "commissariat"
From The Frogs of Aristophanes	When I have learnt
Then I can hum a fugue	What progress has been made in modern gunnery
Of which I've heard the music's din afore	When I (6) more of tactics than a novice in a
(Ooh, din afore, din afore Got it!)	nunnery
And whistle all the airs	In short, when I've a (7) of
From that infernal nonsense Pinafore	elemental strategy
	You'll say a better Major-General has (8) rode a
Then I can write a washing bill in Babylonic cuneiform	horse!
And tell you every detail of Caractacus's uniform	
In short, in matters vegetable, animal, and mineral	For my military knowledge
I am the very model of a modern Major-General	Though I'm plucky and adventury
	Has only been brought down
In fact	To the (9) of the century
When I know what is meant by "mamelon" and "ravelin"	But still, in matters vegetable, animal, and mineral
When I can tell at sight a Mauser rifle from a javelin	I am the very (10) of a modern Major-General!
When such (2) as sorties	



1. information

- 2. affairs
- 3. made
- 4. more
- 5. meant
- 6. know 7. smattering
- 8. never
- 9. beginning
- 10. model

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