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This is a charming story that intro-duces problem-solving with the concept of weight: If the elevator carries only the weight of a single elephant, can two li-ons go in the elevator together? Will eight gorillas weigh more than one ele-

phant? And so.
Start Smart Math Books are designed for children ages 4 to 8. They are based on the curriculum and education standards for school mathematics of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Two new titles have been added to the Scholastic Homework Reference Sethe Scholastic Homework Reference Se-ries: "Everything You Need to Know About English Homework" and "Every-thing You Need to Know About World History Homework" by Anne Zeman and Kate Kelly (Scholastic Reference, \$18.95 each hardcover; \$3.95 each paperback). These books are designed for fourth-through sixth-grade stu-dents. Both books present information in a bright, lively fashion. They are designed for fourth- through sixth-grade

"Barron's Illustrated Pact Finder: An Encyclopedia for Young Students" by Jean-Paul Dupre (Barron's, \$12.95) includes facts, charts, diagrams and maps. For ages 7 and older.

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"The Kinglisher Book of the Ancient
World" examines the geography, history
and culture of early civilizations
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findings about many different cultures.
For ages 9 to 13.

The book is an excellent companion

The book is an excellent companion to "Circling the Globe: A Young Peo-ple's Guide to Countries and Cultures of the World." This book is a 640-page of the World. This book is a own-page illustrated guide to the countries and cultures of the world, edited by Sue Grabham (Kingfisher Books, \$35). It features more than 200 detailed maps, 700 photographs and 2,500 illustra"The Multimedia Home Companion for Kids" edited by Christine Olson (Warner Books, \$19.99) contains over 200 ratings and detailed reviews of educational and reference titles, games and creativity programs. Also included:

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others.

Jami Lynne Borman's "Computer
Dictionary for Kids ... And Their
Parents" (Barron's, \$12.95) explains 650

Parenta (Barron 8, \$12.50) explains expected kids, ages 8 to 13. Also of interest:

"The Dorling Kindersley Visual Encyclopedia" (Dorling Kindersley, \$45) is a visual guide to 50,000 facts. For all

"The Kinglisher First Dictionary" edited by John Grisswood (Kinglisher, \$14.95) defines more than 1,500 words and is suitable for ages 6 to 8.

"Activity Atlas: The World at Your Fingertips" (Barron's, \$19.95) contains a book, world map, stickers and postcards. Ages 6 and older.

"In the Beginning" by Richard Platt, illustrated by Brian Delf (Dorling Kindersley, \$19.95). A bistory of the world. Ages 8 and up.

"Reader's Digest Children's World Atlas" by Malcolm Day, Katle Wood-ward and Philip Stoele (Reader's Di-gest-Young Families, \$20). An introduc-tion to geography, for ages 7 to 12.

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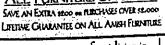
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