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# PREFACE.

THE AMERICAN SPELLING BOOK, or First Part of a Grammatical Institute of the English language, when first published, encountered an opposition, which few new publications have sustained with success. It however maintained its ground, and its reputation has been gradually extended and established, until it has become the principal elementary book in the United States. In a great part of the northern States, it is the only book of the kind used; it is much used in the middle and southern States; and its annual sales indicate a large and increasing demand. Its merit is evinced not only by this general use, but by a remarkable fact, that, in many attempts made to rival it, the compilers have all constructed their works on a similar plan; some of them have most unwarrantably and illegally copied a considerable part of the tables, with little or no alteration; and others have altered them, by additions, mutilations and subdivisions, numerous and perplexing. In most instances, this species of injustice has been discountenanced by the citizens of the United States, and the public sentiment has protected the original work, more effectually than the penalties of the law.\*

<sup>\*</sup> The sales of the American Spelling Book, since its first publication, amount to more than Two MILLIONS of copies, and they are annually increasing. One great advantage experienced in using this work is the simplicity of the scheme of pronunciation, which exhibits the sounds of the letters, with sufficient accuracy, without a mark over each vowel. The multitude of characters in Perry's scheme render it far too complex and perplexing to be useful to children, confusing the eye, without enlightening the understanding. Nor is there the least necessity for a figure over each vowel, as in Walker, Sheridan, and other authors. In ninetenths of the words in our language, a correct pronunciation is better taught by a natural division of the syllables, and a direction for placing the accent, than by a minute and endless repetition of characters.

Gratitude to the public, as well as a desire to furnish schools with a more complete and well digested system of elements, has induced me to embrace the opportunity when the first patent expires, to revise the work, and give it all the improvement which the experience of many teachers, and my own observations and reflections have suggested. In the execution of this design, care has been taken to preserve the scheme of pronunciation; and the substance of the former work Most of the tables, having stood the test of experience, are considered as susceptible of little improvement or amendment-A few alterations are made, with a view to accommodate the work to the most accurate rules of pronunciation, and most general usage of speaking; as also to correct some errors which had crept into the work. A perfect standard of pronunciation, in a living language, is not to be expected; and when the best English Dictionaries differ. from each other, in several hundred, probably a thousand words, where are we to seek for undisputed rules? and how can we arrive at perfect uniformity?

The rules respecting accent, prefixed to the former work, are found to be too lengthy and complex, to answer any valuable purpose in a work intended for children; they are therefore omitted. The geographical tables are thrown into a different form; and the abridgment of grammar is omitted. Geography and Grammar are sciences that require distinct treatises, and schools are furnished with them in abundance. It is believed to be more useful to confine this work to its proper objects,—the teaching of the first elements of the language, spelling and reading. On this subject, the opinion of many judicious persons concurs with my own.

The improvements made in this work, chiefly consist in a great number of new tables. Some of them are intended to exhibit the manner in which derivative words, and the variations of nouns, adjectives and verbs, are formed. The examples of this sort cannot fail to be very useful; as children, who may be well acquainted with a word in the singular number, or positive degree, may be perplexed when they see it in the plural number, or comparative form. The examples of derivation, will act

custom youth to observe the manner, in which various branches spring from one radical word, and thus lead their minds to some knowledge of the formation of the language, and the manner in which syllables are added or prefixed to vary the sense of words.

In the familiar lessons for reading, care has been taken to express ideas in plain, but not in vulgar language; and to combine, with the familiarity of objects, useful

truth and practical principles.

In a copious list of names of places, rivers, lakes, mountains, &c. which are introduced into this work, no labor has been spared to exhibit their just orthography and pronunciation, according to the analogies of our language, and the common usages of the country. The orthography of Indian names has not, in every instance, been well adjusted by American authors. Many of these names still retain the French orthography, found in the writings of the first discoverers or early travellers; but the practice of writing such words in the French manner ought to be discountenanced. How does an unlettered American know the pronunciation of the names, ouisconsin or ouabasche, in this French dress? Would he suspect the pronunciation to be Wisconsin and Waubosh? Our citizens ought not to be thus perplexed with an orthography to which they are strangers. Nor ought the harsh guttural sounds of the natives to be retained in such words as Shawangunk, and many others. Where popular practice has softened and abridged words of this kind, the change has been made in conformity with the genius of our language, which is accommodated to a civilized people; and the orthography ought to be conformed to the practice of speaking. The true pronunciation of the name of a place, is that which prevails in and near the place.- I have always sought for this, but am apprehensive, that, in some instances, my information may not be correct. It has however been my endeavor to give the true pronunciation, in the appropriate English characters.

The importance of correctness and uniformity, in the several impressions of a book of such general use, has suggested the propriety of adopting effectual measures

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to insure these desirable objects; and it is believed that such measures are taken, as will render all the future impressions of this work, uniform in the pages, well exe-

cuted, and perfectly correct.

In the progress of society and improvement, some gradual changes must be expected in a living language; and corresponding alterations in elementary books of instruction, become indispensable: but it is desirable that these alterations should be as few as possible, for they occasion uncertainty and inconvenience. And although perfect uniformity in speaking, is not probably attainable in any living language, yet it is to be wished, that the youth of our country may be, as little as possible, perplexed with various differing systems and standards. Whatever may be the difference of opinion, among individuals, respecting a few particular words, or the particular arrangement of a few classes of words, the general interest of education requires, that a disposition to multiply books and systems for teaching the language of the country, should not be indulged to an unlimited extent. On this disposition however, the public sentiment alone can impose restraint.

As the first part of the Institute met with the general approbation of my fellow citizens, it is presumed the labor bestowed upon this work, in correcting and improving the system, will render it still more acceptable to the public, by facilitating the education of youth, and enabling teachers to instill into their minds, with the first rudiments of the language, some just ideas of religion,

morals and domestic economy.

N.W.

New-Haven, 1803.

#### ANALYSIS OF SOUNDS

IN THE

#### ENGLISH LANGUAGE:

LANGUAGE, in its more limited sense, is the exdression of ideas by articulate sounds. In a more general sense, the word denotes all sounds by which animalexpress their feelings, in such a fnanner as to be under stood by their own species.

Articulate sounds are those which are formed by the human voice, in pronouncing letters, syllables and words, and constitute the *spoken* language, which is addressed to the *ear*. Letters are the marks of sounds, and the first elements of *written* language, which is presented to the *eye*.

In a perfect language, every simple sound would be expressed by a distinct character; and no character would have more than one sound. But languages are not thus perfect; and the English Language, in particular, is, in these respects, extremely irregular.

The letters used in writing, when arranged in a certain customary order, compose what is called an Alphabet.

The English Alphabet consists of twenty six letters, or single characters; and for want of others, certain simple

sounds are represented by two letters united.

The letters or single characters are, a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z. The compound characters representing distinct sounds are, ch, sh, th. There is also a distinct sound expressed by ng, as in long; and another by s or z, as in fusion, azine, which sound might be represented by zh.

Letters are of two kinds, vowels and consonants.

A vowel is a simple articulate sound, formed without the help of another letter, by opening the mouth in a particular manner, and begun and completed with the same position of the organs; as, a, e, o. The letters which represent these sounds are six; a, e, i, o, u, y. But each of these characters is used to express two or more sounds.

The following are the vowel sounds in the English Language-of a, as in late, ask, ball, hat, what.

of e, in mete, met. of i, in find, pit. of o, in note, not, move. of u, in truth, but, bush. of y, in chyle, pity.

The vowels have a long and a short sound, or qualityty; and the different quantities are represented by dif-Thus. erent letters.

a, in late,  $\begin{cases} when shortened, \\ is expressed \end{cases}$  by e, as in let. ce, in feet, by i, in fit, & y in pky. byu, in pull & oo in wool. a, in hall, by c, in holly and a in wallow.

That the sounds of a in late and e in let are only a modification of the same vowel, may be easily understood by attending to the manner of forming the sounds; for in both words, the aperture of the mouth and the configuration of the organs are the same. This circumstance proves the sameness of the sound or vowel, in the two words, though differing in time or quantity.

A consonant is a letter which has no sound, or an imperfect one, without the help of a vowel. The consonants which are entirely silent, interrupt the voice by closing the organs; as b, d, g hard, k, p, t, which are

called mutes; as in eb, ed, eg, ek, ep, et.

The consonants which do not entirely interrupt all sound by closing the organs, are f, l, m, n, r, s, v, z, which are all half vowels or semi-vowels.-To these may be added the sounds of sh, th, zh, and ng, in esh, eth, ezh, ing, which our language has no single charracters to express.

A dipthong is the union of two simple sounds uttered in one breath or articulation. The two sounds do not strictly form one; for there are two different positions of the organs, and two distinct sounds; but the transition from one to the other is so rapid, that the distinction is scarcely perceived, and the sound is therefore considered as compound. Dipthongal sounds are sometimes erpresented by two letters, as in voice, joy, and sometimes by one, as in defy; the sound of y, in the latter word, if prolonged, terminates in e, and is really dipthongal.

A tripthong is a union of three vowels in a syllable; but it may be questioned whether in any English word, we pronounce three vowels in a single articulation. In the word adieu, the three vowels are not distinctly sounded.

B has but one sound, as in bite.

C is always sounded like k or s—like k, before a, o and u—and like s before e, i and y. Thus.

ca, ce, ci, co, cu, cy, ka, se, si, ko, ku, sy.

At the end of words it is always hard like k, as in pilblic. When followed by i or e before a yowel, the syllable slides into the sound of ch; as in cetaceous, gracious, social, which are pronounced cetashus, grashus, soshal.

D has only one sound, as in dress, bold.

F has its own proper sound, as in life, fever, except in  $\mathcal{O}_{r}$ , where it has the sound of v.

G before a, o, and u has always its hard sound, as in

gave, go, gun.

Before e, i and p it has the same hard sound in some words, and in others, the sound of j. But these varieties are incapable of being reduced to any general rule, and are to be learnt only by practice, observation, and a dictionary, in which the sounds are designated.

H can hardly be said to have any sound, but it denotes an aspiration or impulse of breath, which modifies the sound of the following vowel, as in heart, heave.

I is a vowel, as in fit; or a consonant as in bullion.

J is the mark of a compound sound, or union of sounds, which may be represented by dzh, or the soft g, as in jelly.

K has but one sound, as in king; and before n is always silent, as in know.

L has but one sound, as in lame. It is silent before k, as in walk.

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M has but one sound, as in man; and is never silent.

N has but one sound, as in not, and is silent after as in hymn.

P has one uniform sound, as in pit.

Q has the power of k, and is always followed by u, as, in question.

R has one sound only, as in barrel.

S has the sound of c, as in so; of z as in rose—and wher. followed by i preceding a vowel, the syllable has the sound of sh, as in mission; or zh, as in osier.

T has its proper sound, as in turn, at the beginning of words and end of syllables. In all terminations in tion, and tial, ti, have the sound of sh, as in nation, nuptial; except when preceded by s or x, in which cases they have the sound of ch, as in question, mixtion.

U has the properties of a consonant and vowel, in union, unanimity, &c.

V has uniformly one sound, as in voice, live, and is never silent

W has the power of a vowel, as in dwell; or a consonant, as in well, will.

X has the sound of ks, as in wax; or of gz, as in exist, and in other words, when followed by an accented syllable beginning with a vowel. In the beginning of Greek names, it has the sound of z, as in Xerxes, Xenophon.

'Y is a vowel, as in vanity; a dipthong, as in defy; or a consonant, as in young.

Z has its own sound usually, as in zeal, freeze.

Ch have the sound of tsh in words of English origin, as in chip—in some words of French original, they have the sound of sh, as in machine—and some words of Greek origin, the sound of k, as in chorus.

Gh have the sound of f, as in laugh, or are silent, as in light.

Stephen, where the sound is that of v.

Ng have a nasal sound, as in sing; but when e follows the latter takes the sound of i, as in range. In the words, longer, stronger, younger, the sound of the g is doubled, and the last syllable is sounded as if written long-ger, &c.

Sh has one sound only, as in shell; but its use is often supplied by ti, ci, and ce, before a vowel, as in motion, gracious, cetaceous.

Th has two sounds, aspirate and vocal-aspirate, as in think, bath-vocal, as in those, that, bathe.

Se before a, o, u and r, are pronounced like sk, as in scale scoff, sculpture, scribble: before e, i, y, like soft or s, as in scene, sceptic, science, scythian. Thus pronounced,

> sca, sce, sci, sco, scu, scy. ska, se, si, sko, sku, sv.

Formation of Words and Sentences.

Letters form syllables; syllables form words, and words form sentences, which compose a discourse.

A syllable is a letter or a union of letters, which can be uttered at one impulse of voice.

A word of one syllable is called a monosyllable.

of two syllables of three syllables a dissyllable. a trissyliable.

of many syllables a polysyllable.

## Of Accent, Emphasis, and Cadence.

Accent is a forcible stress or impulse of voice on a letter or syllable, distinguishing it from others in the same word. When it falls on a vowel, it prolongs the sound, as in glory; when it falls on a consonant, the preceding vowel is short, as in habit.

The general rule by which accent is regulated, is, that the stress of voice falls on that syllable of a word, which renders the articulation most easy to the speaker, and

most agreeable to the hearer-By this rule has the aecent of most words been imperceptibly established by

long and universal consent.

When a word consists of three or more syllables the ease of speaking requires usually a secondary accent, of less forcible utterance than the primary, but clearly distinguishable from the pronunciation of unaccented syllables; as superfluity, literary.

In many compound words, the parts of which are important words of themselves, there is very little distinc-

tion of accent, as ink-stand, church-yard.

Emphasis, is a particular force of utterance given to a particular word in a sentence, on account of its importance.

Cadence is a fall or modulation of the voice in reading

or speaking, especially at the end of a sentence.

Words are simple or compound, primitive or derivative.

A simple word cannot be divided, without destroying the sense; as man, child, house, charity, faith.

A compound word is formed by two or more words;

as chimney-piece, book-binder.

Primitive words are such as are not derived, but constitute a radical stock from which others are formed; as grace, hope, charm.

Derivative words are those which are formed of a primitive, and some termination or additional syllable; as

grace-less, hope-ful, charm-ing, un-welcome.

Spelling is the art or practice of writing or reading the proper letters of a word; called also orthography. In forming tables for learners, the best rule to be observed, is, to divide the syllables in such a manner as to guide the learner by the sound of the letters, to the sound of the words; that is, to divide them as they are divided in a just pronunciation. 1. J. W. L. & L. J. H. J. J.

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# Key to the following Work.

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8514	name,	late.	a	what,	was.	
	ee here,	feet.	0	not,	from.	
11/11/2	time, find.			Oo proper.		
	note,	fort.	6	6	6	
nor	ew tune,	new.	oor	oo move,	room.	
y .	dry,	defy.	~ A	oo Short.		
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a 15	man,	hat.	1.	Short u.		
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in	pit,	i pin.	i	sir,	bird.	
a	tun,	but	0	come,	love.	
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3	3	3 -	e	there,	vein.	
a	bald,	tall.	185.7	Long	e.	
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214	law,			fatigue,	pique.	
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-	Flat	a	oy.	Pinnistration .	orce, joy.	
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a	ask,	part.	OW	2 radiations, 1	oud) troll.	

## EXPLANATION OF THE KEY.

A figure stands as the invariable representative of a certain sound. The figure 1 represents the long sound of the letters, a, e, i, o, u, or ew, and y; number 2, the short sound of the same characters; number 3, marks the sound of broad a, as in hall; number 4, represents the sound of broad a, as in not, what; number 6, represents the sound of o in move, commonly expressed oo; number 7, represents the short sound of oo in root, bush; number 8, represents the sound of u short, made by e, is

and o, as in her, bird, come, pronounced hur, burd cum; number 9, represents the first sound of a made by e, as in their, vein, pronounced thare, vane; number 10, represents the French sound of i, which is the same as e long.

The sounds of the dipthongs oi and ou are not represented by figures; these have one invariable sound, and are placed before the words where they occur in the

tables.

Silent letters are printed in Italic characters. Thus, in head, goal, build, people, fight, the Italic letters have no sound.

S, when printed in Italic, is not silent, but pronounced

like z, as in devise, pronounced devize.

The letter e at the end of words of more syllables than one, is almost always silent: but serves often to lengthen a foregoing vowel, as in bid, bide; to soften c, as in notice; or to soften g, as in homage; or to change the sound of th from the first to the second, as in bath, bathe. In the following work, when e final lengthens the fore: going vowel, that is, gives it its first sound, it is printed in a Roman character, as in fate; but in all other cases it is printed in Italic, except in table 39.

Ch have the English sound, as in churm; except in the

38th and 39th tables.

The sounds of th in this and thou, are all distinguished in the 12th and 37th tables; except in numeral adjectives.

The sound of aw is invariably that of broad a, and that

of ew nearly the same as u long.

N. B. Although one character is sufficient to express a simple sound, yet the combinations ee, aw, ew, oo, are so well known to express certain sounds, that it was judged best to print both letters in Roman characters. Ck and so are also printed in Roman characters, though one alone would be sufficient to express the sound.

endestra in a commonde (vige) gres in the Tuer some of his and the respondence some of his one a

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THE ALPHABET.							
Roman Letters.	Italic.	Vames of Letters.					
a A	a A	a					
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d D	d D	de					
rid f F	e $E$	( e					
ing G	$egin{array}{ccc} f & F \ g & G \end{array}$	ef 5 45 m					
ul h H	h H	je					
i Ti	7	he, or avtch					
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v.yV. v.w.W.	w W	ve					
	$\boldsymbol{x} \cdot \boldsymbol{X}$	00					
$\mathbf{y}$ , $\mathbf{X}$		eks					
$\mathbf{z}_{i}$	z $Z$	wi or ye					
&*	&*						
<b>₹</b>	6*	and					

# Double LETTERS. ff, ffl, fi, ff. fh.

This is not a letter, but a character standing for and. Children should therefore be taught to call it and; not and per se.

TABLE I.

Lesson I.
ba be bi bo bu by
ca ce\*ci\*co cu cy\*
da de di do du dy
fa fe fi fo fu fy
ka ke ki ko ku ky

LESSON II. ga ge gi go gu gy ha he hi ho hu hv ma me mi mo mu my na ne ni no nu nv re ri ro te ti to tu wo. wu wy wa we wi

LESSON III. le' li lo lu ly pi pe po pu py pa SO se si su SV sa zi zo zu ze za

IV. LESSON eb ib ob ub ab ic oc uc ec ac od idud ad ed af if ! ef of uf ul al el ol LESSON

ig og ug ag eg im om um am em in on un en an ip. ep op up ap us is OS as es iv OV uv av ev ix ux ex OX ax

LESSON VI. ek\* ak ik ok uk at et it ot ut : ar er ir or ur ez izOZ uz az

VII. LESSON ble bli blo blu bla cle cli clo clu cla pla ple pli plo plu fli fla flu fle flo vi vu ve VO

Lesson VIII.
bra bre bri bro bru
cra cre cri cro cru
pra pre pri pro pru
gra gre gri gro gru
pha phe phi pho phu

Lesson IX.
chache chi cho chu chy
dradre dri dro dru dry
fra fre fri fro fru fry
gla gle gli glo glu gly

Lesson X.
sla sle sli slo slu sly
qua que qui quo
sha she shi sho shu shy
spa spe spi spo spu spy

Lesson XI.
sta ste sti sto stu sty
sca sce sci sco scu scy
tha the thi tho thu thy
tra tre tri tro tru try

They should be taught to pronounce ce, ci, cy, like se, si, sy.

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LESSON XII.

spla sple splo splu sply spli spru spry spra 3 spre spri spro stru stry stra stre stri stro SWY SWO swu swe. SWI

# TABLE II.

Words of one syllable.

Note. A figure placed over the first word, marks the sound of the vowel in all that follow in that column, until contradicted by another figure.

LESSON I

bug bît dốt Båg dễn big bog cap fag dug cit got dig dog hen gap hug hit cag fig fog men lap hot pit gig hog lug pen map iot gag mug ten rap sit lot hag jog pig tug wen tap wit not wig log rag LESSON II

Mån föb båd bed bid fop. hểt bůt : can job had fed hop get did cut led lid lop mob lad panwii let 4 hut mad red hid ran rob mop met nut sob sad wed rid top yet put van

LESSON III.

Bêlt gilt bånd bled bråg clod melt hilt hand bred drag plod clad felt milt land fled flag shod glad pelt ill jilt sand shed stag trod shad

LESSON IV.

Clog glut blåb chub dåmp bump běnd flog shut drab club camp jump1 lend smut crab drub lamp slut scab grub vamp frog lump mend ` grog pump send

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## LESSON V.

Bind bold cåll bill. hệnt best brim find hold fall fill. dent grim lest mind fold gall hill . lent nest skim \* kill kind sold hall sentiest . swim wind gold tall mill pest went trim

LESSON VI.

dice Láce fade blde cage båke dine mice lade mace ride page cake fine trace nice ... make pine made side rage rice wade wide wake wine pace wage

LESSON VII.

drive pipe cope Gale cape dire date pale ripe hope hire five rape hate wipe rope sale tape. fire. fate hive: vale wire grate rive ape type pope

LESSON VIII.

file dame fare Dote bore nose bone bile . fame fore dose mote mare cone pile hone hose note came rare tore vile name tare vote. wore tone rose

# TABLE III.

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#### LESSON I.

fleet: Blank blůsh brace. price brine shine flank. flush sheet: chace. slice swine frank plush street : grace. spice crush greet space twice twine: prank LESSON II.

Bånd blåss crime broke blåde blåme grand dress chime choke spade flame stand press prime cloke trade shame strand stress slime smoke shade, frame

## e dare Lesson III.

Brake glare brave hênce mînce bleed drake share crave fence since breed flake snare grave pence prince speed spake spare slave sense rinse steed

#### LESSON IV.

his rich less důke And ill life . age act ink aim has held mess mule wife . hast gift kiss rule apt fact aid safe ell a fan ice hath dull miss time male left ale add till tush tune " save elf will hush mute self ace here end else ape pen well desk maze robe

## LESSON V.

Glade snake trắct clắnk clamp black grade glaze pact crank champ crack, shave. plant shank craze cramp match sang plank wavefriprate... spasm patch quake slate fang clump. splash fetch stage shape thump crash vetch

LESSON VI.

Mine sire strife bride brick strive spine quire chide kick 4 spike vine 3 spire trite glide chick splice gripe mire quite pride click strike snipe smite squire vice lick S ride: spike trice stripe spite stick wide

#### LESSON VII.

Examples of the formation of the plural from the singular, and of other derivatives.

name, names camp, camps slave, slaves dame, dames clamp, clamps brave, braves gale, gales lamp, lamps stave, staves

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scales scale. scalp, scalps mate, mates capes map, maps state, states cape. plant, plants mind. minds grape, grapes bind, binds crane. cranes plank, planks shade. shades: flag, flags snare, snares bank, banks grade, grades snake, snakes

#### LESSON VIII.

cake. cakes chap, chaps shake, shakes flake. flakes flank, flanks spade, spades shine, shines pipe pipes hope, hopes note, slope, slopes wire, notes wires blot; blots. fold, folds hive, hives cube, cubes club, clubs pine, : pines grave, graves vote, votes fade, fades street, streets cone, cones mill, mills sheet. sheets bone, bones hill hills

#### LESSON IX.

blank; blanks sides mare, mares vales vale. choke, chokes tare, tares wife. wives cloke, clokes . grate, grates life. lives smoke, smokes smite, smites hive. hives. flame, flames brick. bricks drive, drives frame: frames kick. kicks stand, stands stick, sticks goes go, drove, droves bride, brides WO. woes ... robe. robes fire, fires do, ... does smell, smells add, adds spot, spots flag, flags swim, swims lad. lads

## TABLE IV.

Easy words of two syllables, accented on the first.

When the stress of voice falls on a vowel, it is necessarily long, and is marked by the figure 1. When the stress of voice falls on a consonant, the preceding vowel is necessarily short, and is marked by figure 2.

No figures are placed over the vowels in unaccented syllables, because they are short. It must be observed, however, that in unaccented terminating syllables, almost all vowels are pronounced like i and u short. Thus,

al is pronounced ul, rural rurul, et it, fillet fillit.

This is the general rule in the language; originating doubtless rom this cause, that short i and u are pronounced with a less aperture or opening of the mouth, with less exertions of the organs, and consequently with more ease than the other vowels in these terminating syllables; for in order to pronounce them right, nothing nore is requisite than to lay a proper stress of the voice on the accented syllable, and pronounce the unaccented syllables with more asse and rapidity. When any of these terminations are accented, as some of them are, the vowel retains its own sound; as, compel, ament, depress, &c.

The figures are placed over the vowels of the accented syllables; and one figure marks all the words that follow, till it is contradicted

y another figure.

D. L. T. C.	2		
Ba ker	glo ry	ne gro	sa cred
ori er,	gi ant	o ver	se cret
ei der	gra vy	pa gan	sha dy
era zy	gru el	pa per	si lent
eri er. 😗	ho ly	pa pist	so ber
cru el	hu man	pi lot	spi der
li al	i cy	pli ant	sto ry
di et	i dol	po et	stu dent
du ty	i vy	pre cept	stu pid
ly er	ju ry	pru dent	ta per
dra per	ju lep	qui et	tra der
fa tal 🖟 🗀	la dy	ra ker	ti dings
e ver	la zy	re al	(to ry
i nal	le gal	ri der	to tal
la grant	li ar	ri ot	tri al
lu ent	li on	ru by	tru ant
o cus	ma ker	ru in and	
ru gal	mo dish	ru ler	tu tor
u el	mo ment	ru ral	va cant
No.			7

cut ler ham let mut ter va grant va ry dan ger han sel num ber vi per dif fer hap py nut meg nurs ling vi tal din ner hin der drum mer hun dred pam per el der hunt er pan nelar em bers in sect wa ges pan try em blem in step wa ger pat tern wo ful en ter in to pat ron åb bot fac tor jest er pen cil act or . fag got ken nel pen ny ad der fan cy kind red pep per. fan tom king dom ad vent pil lar fat ling kins man al um pil fer fer ret lad der pil grim fil let Off lan tern plum met an gel bal lad fan nel lap pet pup py bank er flat ter lat ter ram mer ran som flut ter let ter ban ter bap tist fran tic lim ber rec tor 10 1 bat ter fun nel 10 lim nerrem nant gal loping ren der 16 bet ter lit ter luck y ren net gam mon rub bish gan der blun der main mon gar ret sad ler buf fet man na 🏋 sal lad gen try bur gess man ner gib bet car rot mat ron 🦈 sand v chan nel gip sy mem ber sat in chap man glim mer mer ry scan dal chap ter. glit ter mill er scat ter chat ter gul let mit ten sel dom child ren gun ner mur der self ish chil ly gus set mud dy sen tence ein der gut ter shat ter: mur mur

shep herd tan ner wed ding hor rid shilling tat ler wil ful joc ky sig nal tem per will ing mijol ly sil ver ten der wis dom mot to sin ner ten dril årt less on set slat tern ten ter art ist of fer slen der tim ber af ter of fice slum ber trench er chop per pot ter smug gler trump et com ment rob ber tum bler com mon sot tish spin net tur ky con duct. cler gy spir it splen did vel lum con cord er rands splen dor vel vet con gress her mit splin ter ves sel con quest ker nel stam mer vic tim con sul mer cy sub ject vul gar con vert per fect sud den ug ly doc tor per son suf fer ul cer dross v. ser mon sul len un der dol lar ser pent sul try up per fod der serv-ant ver min sum mon ut most folly tal ly ut ter fop pish ven om

#### TABLE V.

Easy words of two syllables, accented on the

N. B. In general, where a you'd in an unaccented syllable, tands alone or ends a syllable, it has its first sound, as in protect; yet as we do not dwell upon the yowel, it is short and weak. When the yowel, in such syllables, is joined to a consonant, it has its second sounce as address.

\* But if a vowel unaccented ends the word, it has its second

sound, as, in city. The back on any t

A base a like a a maze that tire a bide al lude as pire be fore a dore to a lone at one be have

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trans late di rect be hold fore seen im brue un bind dis hand com ply com pute im pale un told dis miss com plete un fold dis sent in cite un glue dis tinct con fine in flame un kind con jure in trude dis trust in sure un lace dis tract con sume con trol in vite un ripe? dis turb un safe ef fect mis name cre ate mis place ab rupt è mit de cide en camp mis rule ab surd de clare en rich mis take ac cept de duce de fy ad dict e vent mo rose par take ad dress e vince de fine ful fil : de grade per spire ad mit fi nance po lite a mend de note a midst gal lant pre pare de pute him self ar range de rive pro mote dis like as cend im pend re bate im plant dis place re buke be set dis robe re cite ca nal im press dis taste re cline col lect im print di vine re duce com pel in cur re late con duct in dent e lope con tend in fect en dure re ly in fest en force re mind con tent in flict cor rect en gage re plete in stil cor rupt re vere en rage de duct in struct se duce en rol de fect in vest sub lime en sue de fend mis give en tice su pine mis print de press en tire su preme mis trust e vade sur vive de range de tect mo lest for sworn tra duce

neg lect re press un bend re volve eb struct un fit re volt re tract oc cur . re trench un hinge de spond of fence ro bust un hiert un lock o mit ro mance con cert un man op press se dan de bår de fer per mit se lect de part di vert por tend sub ject dis arm in verse pre tend sub mit dis card in vert pre dict sub tract em balm per vert pro ject em bark sus pense per verse pro tect. trans act en chant re fer en large pro test trans cend con fer re cant trans gress huz za de ter re fit trans plant in fer un arm re lax tre pan un bar in ter re mit un apt ab hốr in tend

## TABLE VI.

Easy words of three syllables; the full accent on the first, and a weak accent on the third.

Cru ci fix lu na cy si mon y ad a mant cru el ty no ta ry stu pi fy am i ty de cen cy nu mer al tu te lar am nes tv di a dem nu trim ent va can cy ar ro gant di a lect o ver plus bar ris ter va gran cy dra per y po et ry åb do men but ter y droll ery pri ma cy al le gro ben e fit du ti ful pri ma ry ad mi ral big a my flu en cy pu ri ty al co ran big ot ry i ro ny re gen cy an'im al but ter fly i vò ry. ru dim ent cal i co an no ai la zi ness se cre cy ac cid ent cal en dar li bra ry scru ti ny al im ent cab in et

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can is ter en ti ty ped i gree len i ty ep i gram can ni bal pen al ty lep ro sy can o py es cu lent lev i ty pen u ry cap i tal lib er al pes ti lent ev e rv chast i-ty fac ul ty lib er ty pil lo ry cin na mon fac tor v lig a ment prac tic al cit i zen fam i ly lin e al prin cip al clar i fy fel o ny pub lic an lit a ny clas sic al fes tiv al lit er al punc tu al fin ic al clem en cy lit ur gy pun gen cy pyr a mid cler ic al fish er y lux u ry rad ic al gal lant ry man i fest cur ren cy cyl in der gal le ry man i fold rar i ty den i zen gar ri son man ner ly reg u lar det rim ent gen e ral mar in er rem e dy med ic al dif fid ent gun ner y rib ald ry dif fer ent hap pi ness mel o dy rev er end dif fi cult her ald ry rit u al mem o ry imple ment mes sen ger riv u let dig ni ty im pu dent mil lin er dil i gent sac ra ment div id end in cre ment min er al sal a ry dul cim er in di go min is ter sat is fy in dus try mus cu lar sec u lar ec sta cy sed im ont ed it or in fan cy mys te ry ef fi gy nat u ral in fant ry sen a tor el em ent in fi del pan o ply sen ti ment instrument par a dox el e gy sen tin el em bas sy par a gon sev er al in te ger sil la bub in tel lect par al lax eb o ny par al lel sim il ar em bry o in ter est in ter val par a pet sin gu lar em e raid in va lid par i ty sin is ter em pe ror slip pe ry en e my jus ! fy pat ri ot sub si dv en mi ty leg a cy ped ant ry

prod i gal sum ma ry ur gen cy hos pi tal supplementwag gon er lot te ry prod i gy prom in ent sym me try wil der ness monu ment har bin ger nom in al prop er ty tam a rind pros o dy har mo ny oc u lar tap es try prot est ant tem po ral harpsichord oc cu py quad ru ped côd i cil of fr cer ten den cy col o nv or a tor qual i ty ten e ment ter ri fy com e dy or i gin quan ti ty tes ta ment com ic al or na ment quan da ry con ju gal tit u lar cer ti fy or re ry typ ic al con tin ent ot to man mer cu ry tyr an ny contraband pol i cy per fi dy vag a bond con tra ry pol i tic per ju ry van i ty doc u ment pop u lar per ma nent. vic tor y drop sic al pover ty per tin ent vil la ny glob u lar pon der ous reg u late vin e gar gloss a ry prob i ty ter ma gant

#### TABLE VII.

Easy words of three syllables, accented on the second.

A base ment
a gree ment
al li ance
al lure ment
ap pa rent
ar ri val
a maze ment
at one ment
co e qual
con fine ment
con trol ler
de ci pher

de co rum
de ni al
de cri al
de port ment
de po nent
dic ta tor
di plo ma
en rol ment
en tice ment
e qua tor
he ro ic
il le gal

im pru dent
oc ta vo
op po nent
po ma tum
pri me val
re ci tal
re li ance
re qui tal
re vi val
spec ta tor
sub scri ber
sur vi vor

tes ta tor tes ta trix trans la tor trans pa rent tri bu nal ver ba tim vol ca no un e qual un mind ful a bẩn don ac cus tom af fect ed ag gress or a mend ment ap par el ap pend ix as cend ant as sas sin as sem blv at tach ment at tend ant be gin ning be wil der co hab it col lect or con sid er con tin gent con tract or de cant er de lin quent de liv er de mer it de tach ment di lem ma

di min ish dis sent er dis tem per dis tin guish di ur nal dog mat ic do mes tic dra mat ic e ject ment em bar rass em bel lish em pan nel en camp ment equip ment er rat ic es tab lish hys ter ic in ces sant in clem ent in cum bent. in hab it in sip id in trin sic in val id ma lig nant mo nas tic noc tur nal pa cif ic pe dant ic po lem ic pre cept or pre tend er pro hib it pro lific.

pro tect or pu is sant re dund ant re fresh ment re lin quish re luct ant re mem ber re plen ish re plev in re pug nant re pub lish ro man tic se ques ter spe cif ic sur ren der to bac co trans cend ent trans gress or tri umph ant um brel la a bốl ish ac com plishad mon ish as ton ish de mol ish dis solv ent im mod est im mor tal im pos tor im prop er in con stant in sol vent im mor al un god ly

## TABLE VIII.

Easy words of three syllables, accented on the first and third.

AL a mode dev o tee dis a gree dis es teem dom i neer im ma ture im por tune in com mode in ter cede in tro duce mis ap ply mis be have

o ver take
rec on cile
ref u gee
su per sede
su per scribe
vol un teer
un der mine
ap pre hend
con de scend
con tra dict
dis pos sess
in di rect

in cor rect in ter mix o ver run o ver turn rec ol lect rec om mend rep re hend su per add un der stand un der sell dis con cern dis con nect

# TABLE IX.

Easy words of four syllables, the full accent on the first, and the half accent on the third.

Lu mi na ry mo ment a ry nu ga to ry bre vi a ry åc cu ra cy ac cri mo ny ad mi ral ty ad ver sa ry al i mo ny cer e mo ny cus tom a ry del i ca cy dif fi cult y

dil a to ry
ep i lep sy
em is sa ry
ig no min y
in ti ma cy
in tri ca cy
in vent o ry
man da to ry
mat ri mo ny
mer ce na ry
mis cel la ny
mil i ta ry
pat ri mo ny
plan et a ry

preb end a ry
pref a to ry
pur ga to ry
sal u ta ry
sanc tu a ry
sec re ta ry
sed en ta ry
stat u a ry
sump tu a ry
ter ri to ry
tes ti mo ny
trib u ta ry
per emp to ry
sub lu na ry

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con tro ver sy prom on to ry con tu ma cy mon as te ry vol un ta ry con tu me ly ob sti na cy prom is so ry com ment a ry com mis sa ry

The words het e-ro-dox, lin-e-a-ment, pat-ri-ot-ism, sep-tu-a-gint, have the full accent on the first syllable, and the half accent on the

last.

# TABLE X.

Easy words of four syllables accented on the second.

A è ri al ob scu ri ty ob tain a ble an nu i ty ar mo ri al pro pri e ty cen tu ri on se cu ri tv col le gi al so bri e ty com mu nic ant va cu i ty com mu ni ty va ri e tv ab surd i ty con gru i ty con nu bi al ac tiv i ty cor po re al ac cess a ry cre du li ty ac cess o ry ad min is ter cri te ri on e le gi ac ad vers i ty a dul te ry fu tu ri ty gram ma ri an af fin i ty gra tu i ty a nal o gy his to ri an a nat o my li bra ri an an tag o nist ma te ri al ar til le ry ma tu ri ty a vid i ty me mo ri al bar bar i ty mer cu ri al bru tal i ty ca lam i ty out rage ous ly

cap tiv i ty ce lib a cy ci vil i ty cli mac ter ic co in cid ent col lat e ral com par is on com pet it or com pul so ry con iec tur al con spir a cy con stit 11 ent de cliv i ty de lin quen cy de prav i ty di am e ter dis par i ty di vin i tyef fect u al e lec tric al em pyr e al e pis co pal e pit o me

e quiv a lent e quiv o cal e van gel ist e vent u al fa tal i ty fer til i ty fes tiv i ty fi del i ty for mal i tv fru gal i ty gram mat ic al ha bit u al hos til i ty hu man i ty hu mil i ty i den ti ty im mens i ty im ped im ent iu rid ic al le vit ic al lon gev i ty ma lev o lent ma lig ni ty mil len ni um mo ral i ty mu nif i cent na tiv i ty ne ces si ty

no bil i ty nu mer ic al om nip o tent par tic u lar per pet u al po lit ic al po lyg a my poster i ty pre cip it ant pre dic a ment pro fund i ty pros per i ty ra pid i ty re cip ro cal re pub lic an sab bat ic al sa tán ic al scur ril i ty se ver i ty sig nif ic ant se ren i ty sin cer i ty so lem ni ty su prem a cy ter res tri al tran quil li ty ty ran nic al va lid i ty

ve nal i ty. vi cin i ty a pol o gy a pos ta cy as trol o gy as tron o my bi og ra phy com mod i ty con com it ant de moc ra cy de spond en cy e con o my ge om e try hy poc ri sy ma jor i ty me trop o lis mi nor i ty mo nop o ly pre dom in ate pri or i ty tau tol o gy ver bos i ty ad ver si ty di ver si ty e ter ni ty hy per bo le pro verb i al sub serv i ent

## TABLE XI.

Easy words of four syllables; the full accent on the third, and the half accent on the first.

An te ce dent ap par ra tus me di a tor

sa cer do tal
su per vi sor
ac ci dent al
ar o mat ic
cal i man co
det ri ment al
en er get ic
fun da ment al
in nu en do
mal e fac tor
man i fest o
at mos pher ic

mem o ran dum
o ri ent al
or na ment al
pan e gyr ic
pred e ces sor
sci en tif ic
sys tem at ic
cor res pond ent
hor i zon tal
u ni ver sal
un der stand ing
o ver whelm ing

Having proceeded through tables, composed of easy words from one to four syllables, let the learner begin the following tables, which consist of more difficult words. In these the child will be much assisted by a knowledge of the figures and the use of the Italies.

If the instructor should think it useful to let his pupils read some of the easy lessons, before they have finished spelling, he may divide their studies—let them spell one part of the day, and read the

other.

## TABLE XII.

# Difficult and irregular Monosyllables.

I would recommend this table to be read sometimes across the page fail brain Bay rail clay frail snail chain day way wail laird grain hay ray mail aid slain bray lay nail train ^ stray maid say slay trail stair rain may bail mainswear spay pay plain jail ail wear pray pail hailsprain bear sway sail tail stain tear. fray

squeal creed. change twain tray heed vain strange beer gay mead slay blaze peer wain knead paint be deer play reed fear *quaint* beard pea bleed dear plaint date sea breed. aim tale tea hear plead claim staid flea near deem main laid rear vea waif paid key veer seem braid leap drear cream stage clear air dream gauge neap plague chair shear stream reap. fair cheap vague beam steer hair ait heap bier steam great pair tier steel seam gleam rait kneel lain vear cheer vait : tealpain. scream plait fleam strain feel heard trait gain keel blear fream blain deal Taze ear ream raise drain heal team sear fain aise meal least. smear aise. faint peel feast spear taint reel azeveast tear naize saint seal beast queer priest have trait deed steal haste. rave veal feed east. paste reef nave weal need reak grief waste zeal weed teak brief baste peal bead pray chaste beal lead chief tay taste ceil read deaf ray traipse eel seed leaf

sheaf sleeve sleight teat league bright fief grieve beak teague lief leak fight tweag reeve beef weak leash blight leave

pleableak fright lieve. liege sneak flight siege reave wight

greaves

wright

clime

flee speak dry bee beeves deep freak bys eaves fly .

squeak

keep

reek freeze cry rhyme weep sky steepcheek knife. sneeze sleep wreak lie climb breeze creep fleak die smile ease sheep screak stile . squeeze eye fleece shriek guile cheese buy sleek peace frieze try streak please fry cease pie lease seize seen

mild child: wild bride geese bean teasewry speech stride nièce clean high piece guidemien leach nigh grease beach sigh guise queen reach by fro: crease weanteach. fiedoe keen meet bleat glean screech hie toe · cheat spleen breach foe vie bleach light bow treat dean each: green might meat mow quean height peach tow seatfiend night feat yean row right yield? leanowe beat flow shield sight neat mean glow feet heave wield tight: cleave field slight eat blow

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slov	U	roast	loan	hoarse	rue
Pro	พ	coast	shown	source	shrew
gro	w	toast	old	coarse	spew
sno		more	told	board	stew
stor	υ	four	cold	hoard	- tew
stro	w.	pour	mold	gourd	yew
lou	gh	door	port	sword	chew
hoe	17. "	floor	fort	ho/me	clew
sloe	14 15.	roar	sport	oaf	,ewe
mol		boar	court	loaf	slue
pole	*	hoar	goad	due	mew
sole	4	oar	load	true	cure
foal	17	soar	toad	you.	pure
goa	12.	oat	woad	glue	your
roll		boat	soap .	sue	rude
poll		doat	froze	dew	prude
-dist	160			-404	* 1
boll	в.	goat	close	few	shrewd
toll		moat	prose	new	crude
soul	1	bloat	chose	pew	feud i
scro		float	coach	lieu	rheum
coal		jok <i>e</i>	poach	view	muse
sho		oak	roach	flew	bruise
bow		croak	broach	grew	use
knol		cloke	fo/ks	screw	cruise
stro	1	soak	coax	brew	spruce 🛴
troll	= 11	tone	foam	blew	use *
brog	sue-	own	roam	drew	juce
rogi	<i>i</i> e	known		knew	crtise
vogt		groan		crew	sluice
mos	t	blown	The second secon	hew'	fruit
post	38 4.	flown	sworn	strew	bruit
host	37	mown		shew	suit
ghos		sown	force'	slew	mewl
boas	13	moan	course	blue	lure

iåmb delve skill check iolt lamb speck valve spill boult plaid chill dolt wreck guess limb meant breast ditch moult gaunt guest pitch coat sense dense sweat witch dost tense. hence bench debt twitch curl clench niche pence hurl stem stench phlegm hinge churl fence quench singe drum lapse wink flat wench pink cringe dumb fringe gnat wrench cinque crumb cash twinge prism numbdreuch clash fetch schism glimpse plum chip sketch gnash much since wretch skip such: strap rince touch

crutch

burst

stuff

snuff

rough

tough

plump

stump

trump

lurch

church

young

nymph

gulf

hymin

judge

grudge

ship wince wrap spend shall friend strip teint bled blend brick scrip dead badge stick spin fadge chin kick stead twin wick read edge hedge skin quick tread wedge guilt spit read sledge built knit dread ledge quilt twit spread build sedge live shred pledge drift sieve head ridge dredge shift cleanse none fledge swift realm bridge dram twist stone brigedeck wrist home bolt helve risk neck twelve shrill colt peck

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	drudge	lost	sawn	squall	cough
-	trudge	tost	brawn S	yawl '	trough
	shrub	war	spawn	awl .	fork
	scrub	fort	yawn	haul	cork
A	bulge	nort	laud.	stall	hawk
	gurge	taught	fraud	small	balk
-	surge	caught	broad	crawl	walk
-	purge	brought	cord	brawl	talk.
4	plunge	sought	lord	bawl	chalk .
	curse	ought	ward	caul	stalk /
	purse	wrought	gauze	drawl	calk
	låw	fought	cause	wart	daub
A 45.00	shaw	groat	pause:	sort	bawd
	taw	fraught	clause	short	warp
6	maw	naught	torch	quart	wasp
				- x 5	11.
	raw	form	scorch	snort	want
0	paw	storm	gorge	bald	sauce
	saw	swarm	all	scald	bålm
	awe	warm	tall	off	calm
2	gnaw	born	fall	oft	palm -
	straw	corn	hall	loft	psalm
	flaw	warn	gall	soft	qualm
	draw	corse	pall	cross	alms -
	chaw	horn	ball	dross	bask
-	claw	morn	call	moss :	cask
	craw	fawn	wall	loss	ask
H	10.00	lawn	maul	horse	mask
	haw	1.2	inaut	MOLDE	I TOTAL STATE
	jaw	dawn	scrawl	corpse	task
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<sup>\*</sup> Perhaps o and a in the words cost, born, warm, &c. may be considered as coming more properly under the figure 5: But the liquids that follow them, have such an effect in lengthening the syllable, that it appears more natural to place them under figure 3. A similar remark applies to a in bar.

† These words, when unemphatical, are necessarily short.

so An	Lasy Sta	naara oj 1	Pronuncia	mon.
bark	starve	daunt *	gape	knock
dark	arm *	flaunt*	carn	drop
hark	harm	haznt :	darn	crop
mark	charm	jaunt	barn	shop
lark'	<b>farm</b>	taunt 4	yarn	shock
park	barm 1	vaunt	bar	wan
spark	art	cast	far	swan
arc	cart	past 1	scar	gone
shark	dart	last	spar	wash
stark	hart	vast 😘	star	swash
asp .	mart	blast	tar	watch :
clasp	part **	fast	czar	was .
hasp	tart	mast	car	wast
rasp	start	mass	char	knob.
gasp	smart	pass	jar	swab
grasp	chart	lass	mar	wad
hard	heart -	bass	par	dodge
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bard *	staff	brass	barb	lodge "
card	-chaff	class	garb	bodge.
lard	half	glass	carle	podge,
guard	calf	grass	marl	fosse
pard	laugh	arch	snarl	bond
yard"	craft	march	chance	fond
branch	shaft	parch	dance	pond
lanch	waft	starch	prance	wand
staunch	raft	harsh	lance	strong
haunch	draught	charge	glance	wrong
blanch	aft	large	trance	botch
craunch	haft	barge	scarf	scotch
carp	pant	farce	laste	mosque
harp	grant '	parse	swáp	blot
sharp	slant	calve /	dock	yacht
scarp	ant	halve	mock	scoat
carve	aunt	salve	clock	halt

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salt roof spool woo stirp malt loof chirp droop proof fault woof ierk. scoop soon vault perk troop loose hoopt smerk false loop goose coop verk bronze soup moose poop full doom spoon quirk group herb hoop\* roost bull room root pull. verb boom boot loom foot fir wool cont bloom shoot bush myrrh hoot book push groom toot fern cook womb moot puss earn hook tomb food ěarl yearn rood look broom pearl learn took spoon brood skirtt stern

brook boon mood ! kern verse crook fierce move quern moon search prove flook pierce noon rook perch loon groove tierce shook herse noose swerve. swoon choose bourn croup wert terse son wood poor lose verge boose stood serge tour run good dirge moor OOZE ton boor virge hood ouse. won could toos COO vert done fool would truo term one ! do should firm tool come stool shoe wolf germ some pool hoof bomb 100 sperm

\* To cry out.

‡ Under this figure, in the words skirt, &c. i has the sound of second e.

Pronounced wun.

		F 1	-	3 .
clomb.	once*	foil	brow	browse
rhomb	monk	boil	plow	spouse:
dirt	tongue	coil	bough	drowse
shirt	birch	join	slough	cloud
flirt*	sponge	coin	out	crowd
wort.	heir	loin	stout	loud
girt	trey	groin	oust	proud
spirt	sley	boy	trout	shroud
squirt	prey	joy	gout	bound
kirk-	grey	toy	pout	hound
work	weigh	coy	clout	pound
bird	eigh	cloy	rout	round
word	neigh	buoy	shout	sound
first	reign	point	spout	ground
worst	vein	joint	scout	wound
worse	feign	voice	dou <i>b</i> t	foul
blood	deign	choice	bout	owl
flood	skein	moist	drought	fowl
sir	rein	hoist	our	scowl.
her	eight	joist	sour	cowl
stir-	freight	noise	brown	growl
worm	weight	quoit	crown	howl
world	streight		down	bounce
front	tete	quoif	drown	ounce
ront	feint		owfrown	pounce
wont	veil	now	clown	flounce
dove	oi and o		gown	couch
love	oil .	how	town	vouch
shove	spoil	bow	house	slouch
glove	soil	mow	louse	pouch
twirl	broil	sow	mouse	gouge
dunce	toil	vow	douse	lounge

<sup>\*</sup> Pronounced wunce.

#### MONOSYLLABLES IN TH.

The following have the first sound of th, viz. as in thick, thin.

Throw	thowl	hath	breadth	bath
truth	threw	rath	filth	lath
youth	thrice	pith	frith	wrath
sheath		with*	plinth	thrốb
heath		theft	spilth	throng
both	throe	thatch	thảw	thong
oath	throve	thill	cloth	tổoth
forth	thing	thrid	moth	througe.
fourth	think	thrill ;	broth	å <i>a</i> rth
highth.	thin	thrush	sloth	dearth-
three	thank	thwak	troth	birth
throat	thick.	tilth	north.	girth
theme	thrift	withe	loth	mirth
thigh	thumb	doth	thought:	third
thief.	thump	smith	thorn	thirst
faith	length	thrust	froth	worth
blowth	strength	thrum	thrall	month
growth	breath	thread	thwart	thirl
quoth	death	stealth	warmth	ou
ruth	health;	thrash		south
	wealth		påth	mouth
thane	threat	width	hearth.	drouth:
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<sup>•</sup> In this word, the has its first sound before a consonant, as in withstand; and its second sound before a vowel, as in without, with us. But in other compound words, the generally retains the sound of its primitive.

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## The following have the second sound of th, as in thou.

Thine	teeth*	blithe	then	soothe
thy	those	wreath	thus	they
	tithe	writhe	the	there-
lathe	these	sythe	them	their
swathe	though	seethe	thence	ou ·
clothe	thee	breathe	than	thou
loathe	hithe	this	booth	mouth+
meethe-	lithe	that	smooth	
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\*The noun teeth, has the first sound of th, and the verb to teeth its second sound. The same is observable of mouth and to mouth. This is the reason why these words are found under both heads.

The words mouth, moth, cloth, oath, path, swath, bath, lath, have the first sound of th in the singular number, and the second in the

plural.

# Examples of the formation of plurals, and other derivatives.

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sway, way, mail, nail, sail, weep	lays	chain, paint, claim, strait, plague key, knave green	stains brains chains pains paints claims straits e,plagues keys knaves greens yields	saint, heap, tear, hear, spear, creed, trait, chief, leak, speak, sheaf, leaf,	saints heaps tears hears spears creeds traits chiefs leaks speaks sheaves leaves
fly, cry, dry,	flies cries	guide	, strides , guides , smiles	soul,	polls souls coals

sky, skies toe, toes bowl. bowls buys foe. foes rogue, rogues buy, sighs bows post, posts sigh, bow, flight, flights glow glows hosts host, light, lights flow, flows toast. toasts. coast, sight, sights blow, blows coasts life, door, doors lives snow, snows floors . wife. floor, wives hoe. hoes foal, foals. knife, knives oar, oars

#### TABLE XIII.

Lessons of easy words, to teach children to read, ... and to know their duty.

LESSON I.

NO man may put off the law of God: My joy is in his law all the day. O may I not go in the way of sin!
Let me not go in the way of ill men.

II

A bad man is a foe to the law; It is his joy to do ill. All men go out of the way. Who can say he has no sin?

III.

The way of man is ill.

My son do as you are bid:

But if you are bid, do no ill.

See not my sin, and let me not go to the pit.

Rest in the Lord, and mind his word. My son, hold fast the law that is good. You must not tell a lie, nor do hurt. We must let no man hurt us.

#### V.

Do as well as you can, and do no harm.

Mark the man that doth well, and do so too.

Help such as want help, and be kind.

Let your sins past put you in mind to mend.

#### VI.

I will not walk with bad men, that I may not be cast off with them.

I will love the law and keep it.

I will walk with the just and do good.

#### VII

This life is not long; but the life to come has no end.

We must pray for them that hate us.
We must love them that love not us.
We must do as we like to be done to.

#### VIII.

A bad life will make a bad end. He must live well that will die well. He doth live ill that doth not mend. In time to come we must do no ill.

#### IX.

No man can say that he has done no ill.

For all men have gone out of the way.

There is none that doth good; no not one.

If I have done harm, I must do it no more.

#### X

Sin will lead us to pain and woe.

Love that which is good and shun vice.

Hate no man, but love both friends and foes.

A bad man can take no rest, day nor night.

#### XI.

He who came to save us, will wash us from

all sin; I will be glad in his name.

A good boy will do all that is just; he will flee from vice; he will do good, and walk in the way of life.

Love not the world, nor the things that are

in the world; for they are sin.

I will not fear what flesh can do to me; for

my trust is in him who made the world:

He is nigh to them that pray to him, and praise his name.

#### XII.

Be a good child; mind your book; love your school, and strive to learn.

Tell no tales; call no ill names; you must

not lie, nor swear, nor cheat, nor steal.

Play not with bad boys; use no ill words at play; spend your time well; live in peace, and shun all strife. This is the way to make good men love you, and save your soul from pain and woe.

#### XIII.

A good child will not lie, swear, nor steal.—He will be good at home, and ask to read his book; when he gets up he will wash his hands and face clean; he will comb his hair, and make haste to school; he will not play by the way, as bad boys do.

#### XIV.

When good boys and girls are at school, they will mind their books, and try to learn to spell and read well, and not play in the time of school.

When they are at church, they will sit, kneel, or stand still; and when they are at home, will read some good book, that God may bless them.

As for those boys and girls that mind not their books, and love not the church and school, but play with such as tell tales, tell lies, curse, swear and steal, they will come to some bad end, and must be whipt till they mend their ways.

#### TABLE XIV.

Words of two syllables accented on the first.

fea ture ni ter tai lor A cre fe male oat meal trai tor a pron fro ward past ry trea ty bare foot grate ful pi ous. wea ry beast ly griev ous peo ple wo ful gno mon plu mage wri ter brew er háin ous beau ty pa rent wain scot brok en hind most pro logue veo man boat swain hoar y quo ta åb sence rhu barb bow sprit ab bey hu mor iew el ri Ae brave ry am ple rogu ish ca ble ju cy asth ma knave ry re gion an cle cheap en knight hood sea son dai ly bal ance bel fry dai sy li ver spright ly bash ful dea con la bor sti fle le gion bish op dia mond stee ple do tage may or bol ster blem ish coul ter eve ning me ter blus ter fa vor mi ter slave rv brim stone shoul der brick kiln da vor mea sles

blud geon bel lows bis cuit brit tle buck ram bus tle cam el cap rice cap tain cen-sure chap el, chas ten cher ish chim ney car ry car riage cis tern cit y clam or clean ly cred it crev ice crick et crust y crys tal cup board cus tom crib bage cul ture cous in cut lass dam age dam ask dam sel

dam son dan gle dac tyl debt or dim ple dis tance doub le driv en dud géon dun geen deunk ard dust y ec logue en gine en sign en trails er ror fash ion fam ish fas set fat ten fes ter fer riage fid dle flag on frec kle frus trate fur lough fran chise ges ture gant let gin gle glis ten grand eur

grav el mel on grum ble mer it min gle guin ea gud geon mis tress mis chief hand ful hab it musk et mus lin has soc mus ter hav oc heif er mar riage heav y nev er nim ble hin drance pad lock hus band pamph let hum ble husk y pen ance im age pes ter in stance phren zy in ward pis mire plan et ist mus ieal ous pleas ant iour nal peas ant judge ment pin chere knuck le prat tle knap sack pun ish puz zle lan guage pic ture lan guor land lord pur chase prac tice lev el phthis ic lim it punch een lus ter lunch eon quick en mad am. ram ble mal ice rap id man gle rat tle reb el mas tiff

rel ish rig or ris en riv er riv et ruf fle res in sam ple salm on satch el scab bard scis sors seven night scep ter spec ter scrib ble scuf fle sin ew sim ple sin gle scep tic smug gle span gle spig ot spit tle spin dle sup ple subt le stur geon sur geon tal ent tal on tan gle tat tle

tav ern tempt er ten ant till age tip ple tres pass troub le twink ling trans port trun cheon ven om ven ture vint age vis it vis age vict uals venge-ance veni son vine yard wel come wed lock wick ed wran gle wrap per wres tle wrist band weap on wid geon zeal ot zeal ous zeph yr slåugh ter bor der

cor ner

daugh ter au tumn fault y for tress for tune gau dy geor gic gorge ous lau rel lord ship haugh ty morn ing mor tal mort gage naugh ty saw yer tor ment wa ter sau cy sau cer ån swer barb er brace let cart er cham ber craft y char coal flask et gar land ghast ly gar ment har lot har vest jaun dice

mark et mas ter mar quis par cel par don par lor part ner pas ture psalm ist scar let slan der al so al way bon fire cob ler clos et col league com et com rade con quer cock swain con duit cop y con trite cof fin doc tr in flor id fon dle fore head frol ic fal chion grog ram gos lin hogs head

hom age spon dee coop er shov el squir rel hon est wan der cuck oo hon or wan ton ver min vir gin ver dict knowl edge war rant wor ship ver juce squan der won der hal loe von der nềigh bor lodg er vir tue gloom y kern el mod est oumod em con jure wo man coun cil boo by . cov er coun er mon strous wool len nov el cir cuit coun ty bush el fir kin dough ty nov ice prof fer bo som drow sv com pass bush y com fort mount ain prog ress prom ise worst ed bor ough show er cush ion dirt y pros pect flow er pros per bul let gov ern bow er quad rant bul lock hon ev pow er quad rate bully sove reign oy squad ron bul wark stir rup voy age butch er skir mish stop page

#### TABLE XV. Lesson I.

THE time will come when we must all be laid in the dust.

Keep thy tongue from ill, and thy lips from guile. Let thy words be plain and true to the

thoughts of the heart.

He that strives to vex or hurt those that sit next him, is a bad boy, and will meet with foes let him go where he will; but he that is kind, and loves to live in peace, will make friends of all that know him.

A clown will not make a bow, nor thank you when you give him what he wants; but he that is well bred, will do both.

He that speaks loud in school will not learn his own book well, nor let the rest learn theirs; but those that make no noise will soon be wise, and gain much love and good will.

Shun the boy that tells lies, or speaks bad words; for he would soon bring thee to shame.

He that does no harm shall gain the love of the whole school; but he that strives to hurt the rest, shall gain their ill will.

He that lies in bed when he should go to school, is not wise; but he that shakes off sleep

shall have praise.

He is a fool that does not choose the best boys when he goes to play; for bad boys will cheat, and lie, and swear, and strive to make him as bad as themselves.

Slight no man, for you know not how soon

you may stand in need of his help.

If you have done wrong, own your fault; for he that tells a lie to hide it, makes it worse.

He that tells the truth is a wise child; but he that tells lies, will not be heard when he speaks the truth.

When you are at school, make no noise, but keep your seat, and mind your book; for what you learn will do you good, when you grow to be a man.

Play no tricks on them that sit next you; for

f you do, good boys will shun you as they would dog that they knew would bite them.

He that nurts you at the same time that he calls you his friend, is worse than a snake in the grass.

Be kind to all men, and hurt not thyself.

A wise child loves to learn his book, but the ool would choose to play with toys.

IV.

Sloth keeps such a hold of some boys, that hey lie in bed when they should go to school; but a boy that wants to be wise will drive sleep ar from him.

Love him that loves his book, and speaks sood words, and does no harm: For such a riend may do thee good all the days of thy life.

Be kind to all as far as you can; you know not how soon you may want their help; and he hat has the good will of all that know him shall not want a friend in time of need.

If you want to be good, wise and strong, ead with care such books as have been made by wise and good men; think of what you read n your spare hours; be brisk at play, but do not swear; and waste not too much of your ime in bed.

#### TABLE XVI.

Words of two syllables, accented on the second.

			State Co.
Ac quire	af fair	ap proach	a stray .
base	af fright	ar raign	a vail
buse	a gainst	a rise	a wake
dieu *	a muse	as sign	a way
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al ly en croach un tie aw ry en dear be lieve en treat be lief ex cise be nign ex pose a byss be siege in crease at tack be low in dict be stow im pair ad ept bo hea in fuse con sign in scribe ma lign com plain cam paign ob tain o pake com pose con dign ob lige per tain con cise con ceit pre vail pre scribe con fuse fi nesse con strain pro pose pur suit de ceive de ceit pro rogue de crease re ceive de light re ceipt de pose re course re pair de scribe de sign re pose a dorn re prieve de sire a broad de vise re straint de fraud dis claim re sume re tain dis course re sign re ward dis may sub orn dis own sup pose tran scribe dis play dis pose e clat trans pose un close m close

a far un true a larm up right guit ar ad journ in graft re mark sur páss at tempt ca tarrh a venge re gard ap prôve be head a mour be twixt bab oon bur lesque bas soon be hoove con temn con tempt buf foon co quet ca noe e nough car touch dis prove ga zette a do gro tesque a loof e mårge har angue im mense im merse qua drille af firm so journ de sert be cause de serve a bove a mong be come de bauch be love per form con věy sur vey in veigh trans form ap point ad vance a noint

re joice a void com pound pro pound sub join con found em broil sur mount en joy dis joint de vour al low de stroy a bound ac count 1 014 de coy a mount pro-nounce an nounce pur loin a bout re nounce ca rouse

#### TABLE XVII.

Examples of words derived from their roots or primitives.

#### EXAMPLE I.

Rain, rain-y
rust, rust-y
leaf, leaf-y
stick, stick-y
pith, pith-y
length, length-y
slight, slight-y
storm, storm-y

Deriv. Prim. Deriv. grass, grass-y froth, froth-v glass, glass-y drouth, drouth-y ice, i-cy size, Si-ZY frost, frost y chill, chill-y snow, snow-y chalk, chalk-v fog, fog-gy down, down-v wood, wood-y gloss, gloss-v room, room-y worth, wor-thy

#### EXAMPLE II.

Plural nouns of two syllables, formed from the singular of one-syllable.

brush, brush-es house, hous-es lace. la-ces price, pri-ces face, fa-ces church, church-es slice, sli-ces box, box-es pa-ces pace, spice, spi-ces tierce, tier-ces trace, tra-ces cage, ca-ges grace, gra-ces verse, vers-es press, press-es lodge, lodg-es pa-ges page, nose, dress, dress-es watch, watch-es no-ses maze, ma-zes noise, noises rose. ro-ses fish, fish-es ... voice, voic-es curs-es curse. purse, purs-es horse, hors-es charge, charg-es surge, surg-es corpse, corps-es sense, sens-esloss, loss-es arch, arch-es cheese, chees-es cheese, chees-es chees-es chees-es chees-es chees-es chees-es chees-es chees-es cours-es cour

Words formed by adding ing to verbs, and called Participles.

call, call-ing al-lay, al-lay-ing air-ing com-plain, com-plain-ing air, al-low, faint-ing al-low-ing faint, fin-ish, fin-ish-ing feel-ing feel, lav-ish, see, see-ing lav-ish-ing beat, beat-ing glim-mer, glim-mer-ing

Words in which e final is omitted in the derivative.

change, ex-change, ex-chang-ing chang-ing glance, glanc-ing dis-pose dis-pos-ing pranc-ing gen-e-rat-ing prance, gen-er-ate, grace, grac-ing con-verse, con-vers-ing giv-ing con-vince, con-vinc-ing give, hedge, hedg-ing op-e-rate, op-e-ra-ting styl-ing dis-solve, dis-solv-ing style, im-i-tate, solve, solv-ing im-i-tat-ing tri-fling re-ceive, re-ceiv-ing tri-fle, ri-fling ri-fle, per-ceive, per-ceiv-ing shuf-fling prac-tice, prac-tic-ing shuf-fle,

EXAMPLE. IV.

The manner of expressing degrees of comparison in qualities, by adding er and est, or r and st; called Positive, Comparative, and Superlative.

great, great-er, great-est wise, wis-er, wis-est kind, kind-er, kind-est bold, bold-er, bold-est rich, rich-er, rich-est near, near-er, near-est cold, cold-er, cold-est warm, warm-er warm-est vile, ros. Comp. Superl.

Pos. Comp. Superl. Pos. Comp. Superl.

Pos. Comp. Superl.

Pos. Comp. Superl.

Pos. Comp. Superl.

rich-est ripe, rip-er, rip-est rare, rar-est grave, grav-er, grav-est chaste, chast-er, chast-es brave, brav-er, brav-est vile, vil-er, vil-est

#### EXAMPLES V.

Words ending in isb, expressing a degree of quality less than the positive.

red-dish, red, red-der, red-dest brown-ish, brown, brown-er, brown-est whi-tish, white, whi-ter, whit-est green-ish, green, green-er, green-est black-ish, black, black-er, black-est blu-ish, blue, blu-er, blu-est yel-low-ish, yel-low, yel-low-er, yel-low-est

#### EXAMPLE VI.

Formation of verbs in the three persons.

Present Time.

Singular number.

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Plural.

I love, thou lovest you love, he lovesh she loves, a they love it loves,

I grant, thou grantest, } he granteth, you grant, he grants, she grants, it grants, it grants,

Past Time.

Iloved, thoulovedst } heloved, } We loved you loved, she loved by e or you loved it loved, they loved

#### TABLE XVIII.

Familiar Lessons.

A Dog growls and barks; a cat mews and purrs; a cock crows; a henclucks and cackles; a bird chirps and sings; an ox lows; a bull bellows; a lion roars; a horse neighs; an ass brays; a whale spouts. Birds fly in the air by the help of wings; snakes crawl on the earth without feet; fishes swim in water, by means of fins; beasts have feet, with hoofs or claws, to walk or run on land.

All animals are fitted for certain modes of living. The birds which feed on flesh, have strong claws, to catch and hold small animals, and a hooked bill to tear the flesh in pieces; such is the vulture and the hawk. Fowls which feed on insects and grain, have mostly a short strait bill, like the robin. Those which live on fish, have long legs for wading, or long bills for seizing and holding their prey, like the heron and fish hawk. Fowls which delight chiefly to fly in the air, and light and build nests on the trees, have their toes divided, by which they cling to the branches and twigs; those which live in and about water have webbed feet, that is, their toes united by a film or skin, so that their feet serve as oars or paddles for swimming.

See the dog, the cat, the wolf, the lion, the panther and catamount; what sharp claws and pointed teeth they have, to seize little animals, and tear them in pieces! But see the gentle cow and ox, and timid sheep-these useful animals are made for man,—they have no claws, nor sharp teeth,—they have only blunt teeth in the under jaw, fitted to crop the grass of the field:—they feed in quiet, and come at the call of man. Oxen submit to the yoke, and plow the field, or draw the cart;—the cow returns home at evening, to fill the farmer's pails with

milk, the wholesome food of men;—and the sheep yields her yearly fleece, to furnish us with

warm garments.

Henry, tell me the number of days in a year. Three hundred and sixty five.—How many weeks in a year? Fifty two.—How many days in a week? Seven.—What are they called? Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: Sunday is the Sabbath, or day of rest, and called the Lord's day, being devoted to religious duties.—How many hours are there in a day? Twenty four.—How many minutes in an hour? Sixty, and sixty seconds in a minute. Time is measured by clocks and watches, dials and glasses. The light of the sun makes the day, and the shade of the earth makes the night. The earth is round, and rolls round from west to east once in twenty four hours. The day time is for labor, and the night for sleep and repose. Children should go to bed early.

Charles, how is the year divided? Into months and seasons.——How many are the months? Twelve calendar months, and nearly thirteen lunar months What are the names of the calendar months? January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December. January begins the year, and the first day of that month is called New Year's day. Then people express to each other their good wishes, and little boys and girls expect gifts of little books, toys and plums.—What is the lunar month? It is the time from one change of the moon to

another, which is about twenty nine days, and a half.

John, what are the seasons? Spring, summer, autumn or fall, and winter. The spring is so called from the springing or first shooting of the plants: when they put forth leaves and blossoms, all nature is decked with bloom, and perfumed with fragrant odors. The spring months are March, April and May, The summer months are June, July and August, when the sun pours his heating rays on the earth, the trees are clothed with leaves and fruit, and the ground is covered with herbage. The autumnal months are September, October and November; which are also called fall, from the fall of the leaves. Now the fruits are gathered, the verdure of the plants decays; the leaves of the forest turn red or yellow, and fall from the trees, and nature is stripped of her verdant robes. Then comes dreary winter. In December, January and February, frost binds the earth in chains, and spreads an icy bridge over rivers and lakes: the snow, with her white mantle, enwraps the earth; no birds fill the air with the music of their notes; the beasts stand shivering in the stall: and men croud around the fire-side, or wrapped in wool and fur, prepare to meet the chilling blast.

#### ADVICE.

Prefer solid sense to vain wit; study to be useful rather than diverting; commend and respect nothing so much as true piety and virtue—Let no jest intrude to violate good manners; never utter what may offend the chastest ear.

#### TABLE XIX.

Words of three syllables, the full accent on the first, and the half accent on the third.

Note. In half accented terminations, ate, ude, ure, ize, ute, ise, ule, uge, ide, the vowel has its first sound generally, though not dwelt upon so long, or pronounced with so much force as in the full accented syllables. But in the terminations ice, ive, ile, the vowel has generally its second sound, and the final e is superfluous, or only softens e; as notice, relative, juvenile,—pronounced notis, relative, juvenil. In the former case, the final e is in Roman; and in the latter case, in Italic.

Di a phragm du pli cate di a logue aid de camp e go tism fa vor ite for ci ble fre quen cy fu gi tive fea si ble glo ri ous he ro ism ju bi lee ju ve nile live li hood lu bri cate lu cra tive lu dic rous lu min ous night in gale nu mer ous o di ous pre vi ous pa gan ism

pleu ri sy qui et ude rheu ma tism ru min ate scru pu lous se ri ous spu ri ous su i cide suit a ble va ri ous u ni form u su ry åd jec tive ag gra vate an a pest an im ate ap pe tite al ti tude ab dic ate ac cu rate ad e quate ac tu ate ag o nize al ge bra

am or ous an ec dote an ti quate ap ti tude an o dyne ap er ture as y lum bev e rage blun der buss cat a logue cal cu late can did ate can dle stick car a way cel e brate crit i cism cim e tar court e sy cul tiv ate dec a logue dec o rate ded ic ate def in ite del e gate

dem on strate der o gate des o late des po tism des pe rate des ti tute dem a gogue ep au lette ep i logue el o quence el e vate em pha sis em u lous en ter prize en vi ous ep i cure es tim ate ex cel lence fas cin ate fab u lous feb ri fuge fluc tu ate fur be low gen er ous gen tle man gen u ine grad u ate gran a ry hem i sphere hes it ate hand ker chief hur ri cane hyp o crite im age ry

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pen te cost per quis ite phys ic al plen i tude pres byt er pres id ent pris on er priv i lege quer u lous par a sol ral le ry ran cor ous rap tur ous rav en ous rec ti tude rel a tive ren o vate re quis ite ren dez vous rep ro bate res i dence res i due ret i nue rev er ence rev er end rhap so dy rhet o ric rid i cule sac ri fice sac ri lege sal iv ate sas sa fras sat ir ize scav en ger

sens i ble sep a rate ser a phim stadt hold er stim u late stip u late stren u ous sub ju gate sub se quent sub sti tute syn a gogue sim i le scep ti cism syn co pe sur ro gate syc o phant syl lo gism tan ta lize tan ta mount tel e scope ten a ble tim o rous treach er ous trip lic ate tur pi tude vas sal age vin dic ate bil let doux fråud u lent cor di al cor po ral for feit ure for ti tude for tu nate

lau da ble plau si ble por phy ry årch i tect ar gu ment ar ma ment ar ti fice bay o net bar-ba rism bar ba rous car din al car pen ter chan cel lor chan ce ry guar di an ghast li ness lar ce ny mar gin al mas quer ade par ti san phar ma cy par lia ment rasp ber ry ål der man al ma nac bot a ny col lo quy com pli ment com plai sance con sti tute con tem plate com pen sate con fis cate cor o ner

crock e ry hor i zon lon gi tude nom in ate ob lig ate ob lo quy ob sta cle ob stin ate ob vi ous om in ous op e rate op po site or i fice prob a ble pop u lous pos i tive pot en tate prof li gate proph e cy quar an tin pros e cute por rin ger pros per ous pros ti tute sol e cism sol i tude soph is try vol a tile roq ue laur tom a hawk per se cute per son age prin ci ple serv i tude

firm a ment come li ness ou
mir a cle gov ern or coun sel lor
cir cu lar gov ern ess coun ter feit
cir cum stance oi coun te nance
cir cum spect poig nan cy boun ti ful

#### TABLE XX.

#### LESSON I.

MY son, hear the counsel of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother.

If sinners entice thee to sin, consent thou not.

Walk not in the way with them; refrain thy feet from their path, for their feet run to evil, and make haste to shed blood.

#### II.

Be not wise in thine own eyes; but be humble. Let truth only proceed from thy mouth.—Despise not the poor, because he is poor; but honor him who is honest and just. Envy not the rich, but be content with thy fortune. Follow peace with all men, and let wisdom direct thy steps.

#### III.

Happy is the man that findeth wisdom. She is of more value than rubies. Length of days is in her right hand, and in her left hand, riches and honor. Her ways are pleasant, and all her paths are peace. Exalt her and she shall promote thee: She shall bring thee to honor, when thou dost embrace her.

#### IV

The ways of virtue are pleasant, and lead to life; but they who hate wisdom, love death. Therefore pursue the paths of virtue and peace, thersafety and glory will be thy reward. All my delight is upon the saints that are in the earth, and upon such as excel in virtue.

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Words of three syllables, accented on the second.

A chiev ment ac quaint ance ap prais er ar rear age blas phe mer con ta gion con ta gious cor ro sive cour age ous de ceit ful de ci sive dif fu sive in qui ry e gre gious en light en o bei sance out rage ous pro ce dure po ta toe so no rous mus ke toe a bridge ment ac knowl edge ad ven ture af fran chise ag grand ize dis fran chise ap pren tice au tum nal bis sex tile com pul sive cur mud geon

con jec ture con vuls ive de ben ture de fect ive dis cour age dis par age dis sem ble of ful gent en tan gle ex cul pate gym nas tic ef fect ive em bez zle en deav or ex cess ive ex pens ive ex press ive ex tens ive ex cheq uer es cutch eon ho san na il lus trate i am bus in cen tive in cul cate in dent ure in jus tice in vec tive lieu ten ant mo ment ous of fens ive op press ive

mis pris ion pneu mat ics pre sump tive pro duc tive pro gres sive re puls ive re ten tive re venge ful rhen mat ic stu pend ous sub mis sive ab or tive in dorse ment im port ance im pos ture per form ance re cord er mis for tune ad vån tage a part ment de part ment dis as ter em bar go a pôs tle re mon strate sub al tern ac côu ter. ma neu ver al tern ate de ter min re hears al sub vers ive

The following are accented on the first and third syllables.

Ap per tain con nois seur em bra sure ac qui esce as cer tain en ter tain con tra vene gaz et teer can non ade deb o nair coun ter mand

#### TABLE XXII.

Words not exceeding three syllables, divided.

LESSON I.

THE wick-ed flee when no man pur-su-eth; but the right-e-ous are as bold as a li-on.

Vir-tue ex-alt-eth a na-tion; but sin is a reproach

to a-ny peo-ple.

The law of the wise is a foun-tain of life to de-

part from the snares of death.

Wealth got-ten by de-ceit, is soon wast-ed; but he that gath-er-eth by la-bor, shall in-crease in rich-es.

II.

I-dle-ness will bring thee to pov-er-ty; but by in-dus-try and pru-dence thou shalt be fill-ed with bread.

Wealth mak-eth ma-ny friends; but the poor,

are for-got-ten by their neigh-bors.

A pru-dent man fore-seeth the e-vil, and hid-eth him-self; but the thought-less pass on and are punished.

III.

Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not de-part from it.

Where there is no wood the fire go-eth out, and

where there is no tat-ler the strife ceas-eth.

A word fit-ly spok-en is like ap-ples of gold in pic-tures of sil-ver.

He that cov-er-eth his sins shall not pros-per, but he that con-fess-eth and for-sak-eth them shall find mer-cy.

IV.

The rod and re-proof give wis-dom; but a child left to him-self bring-eth his pa-rents to shame.

Cor-rect thy son, and he will give thee rest; yea

he will give thee de-light to thy soul.

A man's pride shall bring him low; but hon-or

shall up-hold the hum-ble in spir-it.

The eye that mock-eth at his fath-er, and scorneth to o-bey his moth-er, the ra-vens of the val-ley shall pick it out, and the young ea-gles shall eat it.

V.

By the bless-ing of the up-right, the city is exalt-ed, but it is o-ver-thrown by the mouth of the wick-ed-

Where no coun-sel is, the peo-ple fall; but in the midst of coun-sel-lors there is safe-ty.

The wis-dom of the prudent is to un-der-stand

his way, but the fol-ly of fools is de-ceit.

A wise man fear-eth and de-part-eth from e-vil;

but the fool rag-eth and is con-fi-dent.

Be not hast-y in thy spir-it to be anary; for anger rest-eth in the bo-som of fools.

#### TABLE XXIII.

Words of four syllables, accented on the first.

des pi ca ble mus er a ble nav i ga ble nav i ga ble nav i ga ble pal li a tive pit i a ble ar ro gant ly lam ent a ble ref er a ble red it a ble mar riage a ble sump tu ous ly

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spec u la tive suf fer a ble tem per a ture val u a ble ven er a ble vul ner a ble.

à mi a ble. ju di ca ture va ri a ble hốs pit a ble for mid a ble an swer a ble côm mon al ty nom in a tive op er a tive prof.it a ble. tol er a ble cop u la tive

The following have the half accent on the third syllable.

Ag ri cul ture tab er na cle an ti qua ry ap o plex y-

tran sit o ry åu dit o ry

årch i tect ure ar bi tra ry par si mo ny

#### TABLE XXIV.

Words of four syllables; the full accent on the second, and half accent on the fourth.

Note. The terminations ty, ry, and ly, have very little accent.

Ad vi sa ble im me di ate ac cu mu late im pe ri ous im pla ca ble. ap pro pri ate an ni hi late in tu i tive a me na ble la bo ri ous ... ab bre vi ate me lo di ous al le vi ate mys te-ri ousno to ri ous cen so ri ous com mo di ous ob se qui ous com mu ni cate op pro bri ous con cu pis cence pe nu ri ous. com pa ra ble. pre ca ri ous de plo ra ble. sa lu bri ous spon ta ne ous dis pu ta ble. ter ra que ous er ro ne ous har mo ni ous vi ca ri ous

vic to ri ous vo lu min ous ux o ri ous as pår a gus ac cel er ate ad mis si ble ad ven tur ous a dul ter ate ac cept a ble ag grandizement disfranchisement am big u ous am phib i ous a nal y sis ar tic u late as sas sin ate

be at i tude ca lum ni ate ca pit u late cer tif i cate ca tas tro phe co ag u late com bus ti ble com mem o rateper fid i ous com mis er ate com par a tive com pat i ble con grat u late pa rish on er con spic u ous re cep ta cle con tem pla tiveri dic u lous con tempt i ble si mil i tude con tig u ous de fin i tive de lib er ate de riv a tive di min u tive e phem e ris e piph a ny fa cil it ate fa nat i cism il lus tri ous

im pet u ous in dus tri ous in gen u ous. in quis i tive in vid i ous in vin ci ble in vis i ble per spic u ous pre dic a ment per plex i ty com pend i ous pro mis cu ous de pop u late sus cep ti ble tem pest u.ous tu mult u ous vi cis si tude vo cif er ous vo lup tu ous u nan im ous de båuch e ry con form i ty de form i ty

e nor mi ty sub or din ate a bổm in ate ac com mo date a non y mous a poc a lypse a poc ry phaa pos tro phecor rob o rate de nom in ate de mon stra ble. dis con so late pre pos ter ous pre rog a tive. re spons i ble ad mis si ble con vers a ble re vers i ble su per flu ous su per la tive pre serv a tive ac com pa ny dis cov er y em broid er y

#### TABLE XXV.

THERE are five states of human life, infancy, childhood, youth, manhood, and old age. fant is helpless; he is nourished with milkwhen he has teeth, he begins to eat bread, meat, and fruit, and is very fond of cakes and plums. The little boy chuses some plaything that will make a noise, a hammer, a stick, or a whip. The little girl loves her doll and learns to dress it. She chuses a closet for her baby-house, where she sets her doll in a little chair, by the side of a table, furnished with

tea-cups as big as a thimble.

As soon as boys are large enough, they run away from home, grow fond of play, climb trees to rob birds' nests, tear their clothes, and when they come home, their parents often chastise them.—O how the rod makes their legs smart. These are naughty boys, who love play better than their books—cruel boys, who rob the birds of their eggs,—poor-little birds which do no harm, which fill the air with the sweet melody of their notes, and do much good by devouring the worms, and other insects, which

destroy the fruits and herbage.

Charles, how many barley corns make an inch? Three.—How many inches are in a foot? Twelve.

—How many feet in a yard? Three.—How many yards in a rod, perch, or pole? Five and a half.—How many rods in a mile? Three hundred and twenty.—How many rods in a furlong? Forty.—How many furlongs in a mile? Eight.—How many miles in a league? Three.—How many lines in an inch? Twelve.—What is a cubit? The length of the arm from the elbow to the end of the longest finger, which is about eighteen inches. A fathom is the distance of the ends of a man's fingers, when the arms are extended, which is about six feet.

Henry, tell me the gills in a pint. Four. Two pints make a quart, four quarts make a gallon. Barrels are of various sizes; some contain no more than twenty seven gallons, some thirty, or thirty two, others thirty six. A hogshead contains sixty three gallons; but we usually call puncheons by the name of hogsheads, and these hold about one hundred and ten gallons. A pipe contains two hogsheads, or four barrels, or about one hundred and twenty gallons.

#### TABLE XXVI.

Words of five syllables; the full accent on the second.

Co tem po ra ry de clam a to ry de fam a to ry dis pens a to ry e lec tu a ry e pis to la ry ex clam a to ry ex plan a to ry ex tem po ra ry he red it a ry in cen di a ry in flam ma to ry pre lim i na ry com mu ni ca ble com mu ni ca tive in vi o la ble per spi ra to ry de gen er a cy con fed er a cy con sid er a ble

pre par a to ry pro hib it o rv re sid u a ry tu mult u a ry ... vo cab u la ry vo lup tu a ry con sol a to ry de pos it o ry de rog a to ry in vol un ta ry re pos it o ry ob serv a to ry de lib er a tive ef fem in a cy in suf fer a ble. in dis so lu ble in vul ner a ble in vet er a cy in ter min a ble in tem per ate ly

#### TABLE XXVII.

WILLIAM, tell me how many mills make a cent? Ten.—How many cents a dime? Ten.—Tell me the other coins of the United States. Ten dimes make a dollar, ten dollars an eagle, which is a gold coin, and the largest which is coined in the United States. Dimes and dollars are silver coins. Cents are copper coins. These are new species of

coin—What is the ancient manner of reckoning money? By pounds, shillings, pence and farthings. Four farthings make a penny, twelve pence a shil-

ling, and twenty shillings a pound.

William loves fruit. See him picking strawberries—bring him a basket—let him put the berries in a basket—and carry them to his mamma and sisters. Little boys should be kind and generous—they should always carry some fruit home for their friends. Observe the cherry trees—see, how they begin to redden—in a few days, the cherries will be ripe, the honey-hearts, the black-hearts, and oxhearts, how sweet they are. You must not eat too many, and make yourself sick. Fill your basket with cherries and give them to your little friends.

Now see the pears. The harvest pear, how yellow. It is ripe, let me pick and eat it. The sugar pear, how plump and soft it is; and what a beautiful red covers one side of it. See the catherine pear, and the vergaloo, how rich, jucy, and delicious. But the peach—how it exceeds all fruit in its delicious flavor; what can equal its fragrance, and how it melts upon the tongue. The nutment, the rare-ripe with its blushing cheek, the white cling-stone with its crimson tints—and the lemon cling-stone with its golden hue, and all the varieties of the free stones. Such are the rich bounties of nature, bestowed on man to please his taste, preserve his health, and draw his grateful heart towards the 'Author of his happiness.

#### REMARKS.

A wise man will consider, not so much the present pleasure and advantage of a measure, as its future consequences.

Sudden and violent passions are seldom durable.

#### TABLE XXVIII.

Words of five syllables accented on the first and third.

Am bi gu i ty con ti gu i ty con tra ri e tv dic ta to ri al ep i cu re an im por tu ni ty no to ri e ty op por tu ni ty per pe tu i ty per spi cu i ty pres by te ri an pri mo ge ni al su per flu i ty tes ti mo ni al ac a dêm ic al af fa bil i ty al pha bet ic al an a lyt ic al ar gu ment a tive mon o syl la ble plau si bil i ty pol y syl la ble pop u lar i ty pos si bil i ty pri mo gen i ture prin ci pal i ty prob a bil i ty prod i gal i ty punc tu al i ty pu sil lan im ous

reg u lar i ty rep re hen si ble rep re sen ta tive sat is fac to ry sen si bil i ty sen su al i ty sim i lar i tv sin gu lar i ty tes ta ment a ry cir cum am bi ent com pre hen si ble con san guin i ty con tra dict o ry cred i bil i ty di a met ric al e le ment a ry ep i dem ic al e van gel ic al fal li bil i ty gen e al o gy hos pi tal i ty il le git im ate im per cep ti ble in tel lect u al in tro duc to ry in tre pid i ty ir re sist i ble mag na nim i ty met a phys ic al an a tôm ic al

an i mos i ty
a pos tol ic al
ar is toc ra cy
as tro nom ic al
cat e gor ic al
cu ri os i ty
di a bol ic al
et y mol o gy
gen e ros i ty
e qui pon der ant
in dis solv a ble

in ter rog a tive met a phor ic al pe ri od ic al phi lo soph ic al phys i og no my phys i ol o gy trig o nom e try u ni form i ty u ni vers i ty em blem at ic al ge o graph ic al

#### TABLE XXIX.

LESSON I.

BE not anxious for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink; nor for your body, what ye shall put on; for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of these things.

Behold the fowls of the air: For they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet.

your heavenly Father feedeth them.

Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin; and yet Solomon in all his glory, was not arrayed like one of these.

II.

Therefore be not anxious for the good things of this life, but seek first the kingdom of heaven and its righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

Ask and it shall be given unto you: Seek and

ye shall find: Knock, and it shall be opened.

Love your enemies; bless them that curse you; do good unto them that hate you; and pray for them that scornfully use you and persecute you.

#### III.

When thou prayest, be not as the hypocrites, who love to pray standing in the synagogues, and in the streets, that they may be seen of men: But when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father who is in secret, and thy Father who seeth in secret shall reward thee openly.

IV.

Lay not up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through and steal: For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

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ALL things which you would have men do to you, do ye the same to them; for this is the law and the prophets.

#### TABLE XXX.

In the following words tion, tian, tial and tier, are pronounced chun, chal, chur.

Cour tier bås tion christ ian

fus tian mix tion ce les tial oom bus tion di ges tion ad mix tion

And in all words where t is preceded by s or x.

In all other words tion is pronounced sbun; as are also cion, eyen, sion. Thus, motion, coercion, balcyon, mansion, are pronounced mosbun, coersbun, balsbun, mansbun. Gial is pronounced sbal.

## Words of two syllables accented on the first.

Mo tion na tion ou tion por tion po tion ra tion

sta tion ac tion dic tion

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men tion ses sion fac tion mis sion ten sion fic tion pas sion unc tion frac tion pen sion auc tion fric tion op tion sanc tion function ver sion sec tion man sion

## Words of three syllables accented on the second.

Ces sa tion com mo tion de vo tion plant a tion pol lu tion pro por tion re la tion sal va tion fi du cial ad mis sion af fec tion af flic tion as cen sion as sump tion at ten tion col lec tion

com mis sion com pres sion con fes sion con sump tion con ven tion con vic tion cor rec tion de cep tion de scrip tion di rec tion dis tinc tion ex cep tion ex pres sion in flic tion ob jec tion pro fes sion

pro tec tion pre emp tion re demp tion re flec tion sub jec tion suc ces sion sus pen sion as per sion as ser tion a ver sion con ver sion de ser tion dis per sion re ver sion sub ver sion sub stan tial

# Words of four syllables; the full accent on the third, and the half accent on the first.

Ac cept a tion ac cu sa tion ad mi ra tion ad o ra tion ag gra va tion ap pro ba tion av o ca tion cal cu la tion con dem na tion con gre ga tion con sti tu tion con tem pla tion cul ti va tion dec la ra tion

des o la tion ed u ca tion el o cu tion em u la tion ex pect a tion hab it a tion in clin a tion in sti tu tion med it a tion mod e ra tion nav i ga tion ob serv a tionper secu tion pres erv a tion : proc la ma tion pub lic a tion ref orm a tion :

res o lu tion rev e la tion rev o lu tion sep a ra tion sup pli ca tion trib u la tion vi o la tion vis it a tion ap pre hên sion com pre hen sion con de scen sion con tra dic tion ju ris dic tion res ur rec tion sat is fac tion aug ment a tion al ter a tion

Words of five syllables, accented on the first and fourth.

AM pli fi ca tion qual i fi ca tion ed i fi ca tion as so ci a tion mul ti pli ca tion con tin u a tion rat i fi ca tion sanc ti fi ca tion sig ni fi ca tion cir cum lo cu tion cir cum val la tion com mem mo ra tion

con fed e ra tion con grat u la tion con so ci a tion or gan i za tion cò op e ra tion glo ri fi ca ti on pro nun ci a tion pro pi ti a tion re gen e ra tion re nun ci a tion re tal i a tion ar gu ment a tion

Note. As-sas-sin-a-tion, de-nom-in-a-tion, de-ter-min-a-tion, il-lu-min-a-tion, have the second and fourth syllables accented, and transub-stan-ti-a-tion, has an accent on the first, third and fifth syllables. Cor-sub-stan-ti-a-tion, follows the same rule.

#### TABLE XXXI.

#### Familiar Lessons.

HENRY is a good boy. Come here, Henry, letter me hear you read. Can you spell easy words? Hold up your head; speak loud and plain. Keep your book clean; do not tear it.

John, keep your seat, and sit still. You must not say a word, nor laugh nor play. Look on your

book, learn your letters, study your lesson.

Charles, can you count? Try. One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten.—Well said; now spell bird. B-i-r-d. How the birds sing and hop from branch to branch among the trees. They make nests too, and lay eggs; then sit on their eggs, and hatch young birds. Dear little birds, how they sing and play. You must not rob their nests, nor kill their young: it is cruel.

Moses, see the cat, how quiet she lies by the fire. Puss catches mice. Did you ever see puss watching for mice? How still and sly! She creeps along, fixing her eyes steady on the place where the mouse lies. As soon as she gets near enough, she darts forward, and seizes the little victim by the neck. Now the little mouse will do no more mis-

chief.

See the little helpless kittens. How warm and quiet they lie in their bed, while puss is gone. Take them in your hands, don't hurt them; they are harmless, and do no hurt. They will not bite nor scratch. Lay them down softly, and let them go to sleep.

George, the sun has risen, and it is time for you to rise. See the sun, how it shines: it dispels the darkness of night, and makes all nature gay and cheerful. Get up, Charles; wash your hands, comb your hair, and get ready for breakfast. What are we to have for breakfast? Bread and milk-

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This is the best food for little boys. Sometimes we have coffee or tea, and toast. Sometimes we have cakes.

James, hold your spoon in your right hand; and if you use a knife and fork, hold the knife in your right hand. Do not eat fast: hungry boys are apt to eat fast, like the pigs. Never waste your bread; bread is gained by the sweat of the brow. Your father plants or sows corn; corn grows in the field; when it is ripe, it is cut, and put in the barn; then it is thrashed out of the ears, and sent to a mill: the mill grinds it, and the bolter separates the bran from the flour. Flour is wet with water or milk; and with a little yeast or leaven, it is raised, and made light; this is called dough: dough is baked in an oven, or pan, and makes bread.

#### THE SISTERS.

Emily, look at the flowers in the garden. What a charming sight. How the tulips adorn the borders of the alleys, dressing them with gayety. Soon he sweet pinks will deck the beds; and the fragrant oses perfume the air. Take care of the sweetwilliams, the jonquils, and the artemisia. See the toney-suckle, how it winds about the column, and limbs along the margin of the windows. Now it is in bloom, how fragrant the air around it; how sweet he perfume, after a gentle shower, or amidst the oft dews of the evening. Such are the charms of outh, when robed in innocence; such is the bloom of life, when decked with modesty, and a sweet temacer.—Come, my child, let me hear your song.

#### The Rose.

The rose had been wash'd, lately wash'd in a show'r,
That Julia to Emma convey'd;
A plenuiful moisture encumber'd the flow'r,
And weigh'd down its beautiful head.

The cup was all filled, and the leaves were all wet, And seem'd, at a fanciful view, To weep with regret, for the buds it had left, On the flourishing bush where it grew.

I hastily seiz'd it, unfit as it was

For a nosegay, so dripping and drown'd;

And shaking it rudely,—too rudely, alas,

I snapt it—it fell to the ground.

" And such," I exclaimed, " is the pitiless part
" Some act by the delicate mind;

"Regardless of wringing and breaking a heart
"Already to sorrow resign'd.

" This beautiful rose, had I shaken it less,

"Might have bloom'd with the owner a while;
And the tear that is wip'd, with a little address,
"May be follow'd perhaps with a smile."

Julia, rise in the morning betimes, dress the borders of the flower beds, pull up the noxious weeds, water the thirsty roots. See how the plants wither for want of rain. The flowers fade, the leaves shrivel and droop. Bring a little water to refresh them. Now the plants look green and fresh; the weeds which shaded or robbed their roots of moisture, are removed, and the plants will thrive. Doe the heart want culture? Weed out the noxious passions from the heart, as you would hurtful plant from among the flowers. Cherish the virtues—love, kindness, meekness, modesty, goodness. Le them thrive, and produce their natural fruit, pur happiness, and joys serene through life.

Look to the gentle lambs, how innocent and play ful; how agreeable to the sight; how pleasant the task to feed them; how grateful they are for you

care. Julia, let me hear your song.

#### The Lamb.

A young feeble Lamb, as Emily pass'd,
In pity she turn'd to behold;
How it shiver'd and shrunk from the merciless blast,
Then fell all benumb'd with the cold.

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She rais'd it, and touch'd with the innocent's fate,

Its soft form to her bosom she prest;

But the tender relief was afforded too late,

It bleated, and died on her breast.

The moralist then, as the corse she resign'd
And weeping, spring flow'rs o'er it laid,
Thus mus'd, "So it fares with the delicate mind,

"To the tempest of fortune betray'd;
"Too tender, like thee, the rude shock to sustain,

"And deni'd the relief which would save,
"She's lost, and when pity and kindness are vain,
"Thus we dress the poor sufferer's grave."

Harriet, bring your book, let me hear you read. What book have you? Let me see: a little volume of poems. How many can you repeat? Let me hear my dear Harriet speak one.

#### The Bird's Nest.

Yes, little nest, I'll hold you fast, And little birds, one, two, three, four; I've watch'd you long, you're mine at last; Poor little things, you'll 'scape no more.

Chirp, cry, and flutter, as you will, Ah! simple rebels, 'tis in vain; Your little wings are unfledg'd still, How can you freedom then obtain!

What note of sorrow strikes my ear!

Is it their mother thus distrest!

Ah yes, and see, their father dear

Flies round and round, to seek their nest.

And is it I who cause their moan?

I, who so oft in summer's heat,

Beneath you oak have laid me down

To listen to their songs so sweet?

If from my tender mother's side,
Some wicked wretch should make me fly,
Full well I know, 'twould her betide,
To break her heart, to sink, to die.

And shall I then so cruel prove;
Your little ones to force away!
No, no; together live and ove;
See here they are,—take them, I pray

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Teach them in yonder wood to fly,
And let them your sweet warbling hear,
Till their own wings can soar as high,
And their own notes may sound as clear.

Go, gentle birds; go free as air;
While oft again in summer's heat,
To yonder oak I will repair,
And listen to your songs so sweet.

Mary, what a charming little sonnet your sister Harriet has repeated. Come, my sweet girl, you must let me hear what you can say. But stop, let me see your work. Your little fingers are very handy with a needle. Very pretty indeed; very pretty work. What small stitches. You shall hem and mark all your papa's handkerchiefs, and very soon you shall work a muslin frock for yourself. Now, my girl, let me hear you repeat some verses.

#### On a Goldfinch starved in his Cage.

Time was when I was free as air,
The thistle's downy seed my fare,
My drink the morning dew;
I perch'd at will on every spray,
My form genteel, my plumage gay,
My strains for ever new.

But gaudy plumage, sprightly strain,
And form genteel, were all in vain,
And of a transient date;
For caught and cag'd, and starv'd to death,
In dying sighs, my little breath
Soon pass'd he wiry grate.

Thanks, little Miss, for all my woes,
And thanks for this effectual close,
And cure of ev'ry ill;
More cruelty could none express,
And I, if you had shown me less,
Had been your pris'ner still.

#### Precepts concerning the social relations.

ART thou a young man, seeking for a partner for life? Obey the ordinance of God, and become a useful member of society. But be not in haste to marry, and let thy choice be directed by wisdom.

Is a woman devoted to dress and amusement? Is she delighted with her own praise, or an admirer of her own beauty? Is she given to much talking and loud laughter? If her feet abide not at home, and her eyes rove with boldness on the faces of men—turn thy feet from her, and suffer not thy heart to be ensnared.

by thy fancy.

But when thou findest sensibility of heart joined with softness of manners; an accomplished mind and religion, united with sweetness of temper, modest deportment, and a love of domestic life—Such is the woman who will divide the sorrows, and double the joys of thy life. Take her to thyself; she is worthy to be thy nearest friend, thy companion, the wife of thy bosom:

Art thou a young woman, wishing to know thy future destiny? Be cautious in listening to the addresses of men. Art thou pleased with smiles and flattering words? Remember that man often smiles and flatters most, when he would betray thee.

Listen to no soft persuasion, till a long acqaintance and a steady, respectful conduct have given thee proof of the pure attachment and honorable views of thy lover. Is thy suitor addicted to low vices? is he profane? is he a gambler? a tipler? a spendthrift? a haunter of taverns? has he lived in idleness and pleasure? has he acquired a contempt for thy sex in vile company? and above all, is he a scoffer at religion?—Banish such a man from thy presence; his heart is false, and his hand would lead thee to wretchedness and ruin.

Art thou a husband? Treat thy wife with tenderness and respect; reprove her faults with gentleness; be faithful to her in love; give up thy heart to her in confidence, and alleviate her cares.

Art thou a wife? Respect thy husband; oppose him not unreasonbly, but yield thy will to his, and thou shalt be blest with peace and concord; study to make him respectable, as well for thine own sake, as for his; hide his faults; be constant in thy love; and devote thy time to the care and

education of the dear pledges of thy love.

Art thou a parent? Teach thy children obedience; teach them temperance, justice, diligence in useful occupations; teach them science; teach them the social virtues, and fortify thy precepts by thine own example; above all teach them religion. Science and virtue will make them respectable in this lifereligion and piety alone can secure to them happiness in the life to come.

Art thou a brother or a sister? Honor thy character by living in the bonds of affection with thy brother in adversity, assist him; if thy sister is in distress, administer to her necessities and alleviate her cares.

Art thou a son or a daughter? Be grateful to thy father, for he gave thee life: and to thy mother for she sustained thee. Piety in a child is sweet er than the incense of Persia, yea more delicious than odors, wasted, by western gales, from a field of Arabian spices. Hear the words of thy father for they are spoken for thy good: give ear to the admonitions of thy mother, for they proceed from her tenderest love. Honor their gray hairs, and support them in the evening of life: and thin own children, in reverence of thy example, shall repay thy piety with filial love and duty.



FABLE I.

Of the Boy that stole Apples.

AN old man found a rude boy upon one of his trees stealing Apples, and desired him to come down; but the young Sauce-box told him plainly he would not. Won't you? said the old Man, then I will fetch you down; so he pulled up some tufts of Grass, and threw at him; but this only made the Youngster laugh, to think the old Man should pretend to beat him down from the tree with grass only.

Well, well, said the old Man, if neither words nor grass, will do, I must try what virtue there is in Stones; so the old man pelted him heartily with stones; which soon made the young Chap hasten down from the tree and beg the old Man's pardon.

#### MORAL.

If good words and gentle means will not reclaim the wicked, they must be dealt with in a more severe manner.

#### TABLE XXXII.

In all words ending in ow unaccented, w is silent, and o has its first sound. Many of these words are corrupted in vulgar pronunciation; follow is called foller, &c. for which reason the words of this class are collected in the following table.

Bår row gal lows win dow nar row bel lows bel low hol low win now bil low har row shad ow vel low bur row cal low shal low bor row el bow mal lows spar row fol low fel low tal low mar row mor row fal low mead ow whit lowsor row mel low wid ow far row wal low wil low fur row swal low min now

#### TABLE XXXIII.

In the following words, si sound like 2b. Thus, confusion is pornounced confu-zbun; bra-sier, bra-zbur; o-zier, o-zbur; vi-sien, vizb-un; pleas-ure, pleazb-ur.

Note. In this and the following table, the figures show the accented syllables, without any other direction.

Bra sier con fu sion cro sier con tu sion gla zier de lu sion dif fu sion o zier ef fu sion ra sure ex clu sion ho sier ex plo sion sei zure e va sion fu sion a bra sion am bro sial ad he sion cor ro sion de tru sion al lu sion dis plo sion co he sion col lu sion in clo sure con clu sion e ro sion

il lu sion
in tru sion
in fu sion
pro fu sion
oc ca sion
ob tru sion
vis ion
meas ure
pleas ure
treas ure
leis ure
az ure
ab seis ion
col lis ion

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con cis ion e lis ion in cis ion di vis ion e lys ian al lis ion de cis ion pre cis ion re cis ion de ris ion pro vis ion cîr cum cis ion

The compounds and derivatives follow the same rule.



FABLE II.

The country Maid and her Milk pail.

WHEN men suffer their imagination to amuse them, with the prospect of distant and uncertain improvements of their condition, they frequently sustain real losses, by their inattention to those affairs

in which they are immediately concerned.

A country Maid was walking very deliberately with a pail of milk upon her head, when she fell into the following train of reflections: The money for which I shall sell this milk, will enable me to encrease my stock of eggs to three hundred. These eggs, allowing for what may prove addle, and what may be destroyed by vermin, will produce at least two hundred and fifty chickens. The chickens will

be fit to carry to market about Christmas, when poultry always bears a good price; so that by May day I cannot fail of having money enough to purchase a new gown. Green—let me consider—yes, green becomes my complexion best, and green it shall be. In this dress I will go to the fair, where all the young fellows will strive to have me for a partner; but I shall perhaps refuse every one of them, and with an air of disdain toss from them. Transported with this triumphant thought, she could not forbear acting with her head what thus passed in her imagination, when down came the pail of milk, and with it all her imaginary happiness.

#### TABLE XXXIV.

Words in which cie, sie, and tie are pronounced she; tia and cia, sha; cious and tious, shus. Thus, ancient, partial, captious, are pronounced, anshent, parshal, capebus. This rule will be sufficient to direct the learner to a right pronunciation, without distinguishing the silent letters.

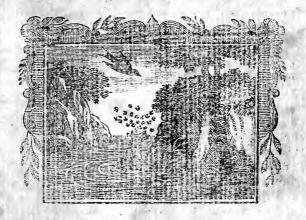
Grè cian tran sient ex pa tiate lus cious fa ce tious gra cious cau tious fal la cious pa tient pår tial fe ro cious quo tient spa cious con science in gra tiate spe cious con scious lo qua cious ap pre ciate spe cies\* ne go ciate as so ciate pro ca cious so cial au da cious ra pa cious sa tiate sa ga cious ca pa cious ån cient se qua cious con so ciate cap tious dis so ciate te na cious fac tious fic tious e ma ciate vex a tious mip tial ex cru ciate vi va cious

vo ra cious an nun ciate con ten tious cre den tials e nun ciate es sen tial in fec tious li cen tiate om nis cience po ten tial

pro vin cial
pru den tial
sen ten tious
sub stan tiate
com mer cial
contuma cious
ef fi ca cious
os ten ta tious
per spi ca cious
per ti na cious

cir cum stån tiat con sci en tious con se quen tial con fi den tial pen i ten tial pes ti len tial prov i den tial rev e ren tial res i den tia ry e qui noc tial

The compounds and derivatives follow the same rule.
† The words of four syllables have the half accent on the first.



#### FABLE III.

The Fox and the Savallow.

ARISTOTLE informs us, that the following fable was spoken by Esop to the Samians, on a debate upon changing their ministers, who were accused of plundering the commonwealth.

A Fox swimming across a river, happened to be entangled in some weeds that grew near the bank,

from which he was unable to extricate himself. As he lay thus exposed to whole swarms of flies, which were galling him and sucking his blood, a swallow, observing his distress, kindly offered to drive them away. By no means, said the Fox; for if these should be chased away, which are already sufficiently gorged, another more hungry swarm would succeed, and I should be robbed of every remaining drop of blood in my veins.

### TABLE XXXV.

In the following words the vowels are short, and the accented syllable must be pronounced as though it ended with the consonantsb. Thus, pre-clous, special, efficient, logicism, millitia, addition, are pronounced, presbius, spesbiul, effishent, logishun, millishia, addishim. These words will serve as examples for the following ruble.

Pre cious spe cial vi cious vi tiate ad di tion am bi tion aus pi cious ca pri cious co mi tial con di tion cog ni tion con tri tion de fi cient de li cious dis cre tion dis cu tient e di tion

ef fi cient es pe cial fla gi tious fru i tion iu di cial lo gi cian ma gi cian ma li ciousmi li tia mu si cian nu tri tion no vi ciate of fi ciate of fi cial of fi cious pa tri cian par ti tion

per di tion per ni cious pe ti tion pro fi cient phy si cian po si tion pro pi tious se di tion se di tious sol sti tial suf fi cient sus pi cious trans i tion vo li tion ab o li tion\* ac qui si tion ad mo ni tion.

<sup>\*</sup> The words of four syllables have a half accent on the first, accept practitioner. Arithmetician and supposititious have the half extent on the second, academician and mathematician on the first.

ad ven ti tious prej u di cial co a li tion pol i ti cian am mu ni tion com pe ti tion ap pa ri tion prop o si tion com po si tion ar ti fi cial. prep o si tion def i ni tion pro hi bi tion ad sci ti tious dem o li tion ap po si tion rhet o ri cian dep o si tion eb ul li tion su per fi cial dis po si tion er u di tion su per sti tion prac ti tion er ex hi bi tion sup po si tion a rith me ti cian ac a de mi cian ex po si tion sur rep ti tious im po si tion av a ri cious suppos ti tious op po si tion ben e fi cial math ema ti cian

The compounds and derivatives follow the same rule

In the following words, the consonant q terminates a syllable: but perhaps the ease of the learner may render a different division. more eligible.

E qui ty e qui ta ble li quid li quor li que fy li qui date

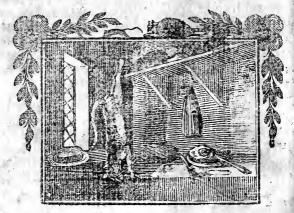
la quev

an ti qui tyin i qui tyin i qui tous ob li qui ty

#### SELECT SENTENCES.

Never speak of a man's virtues to his face, nor of his faults behind his back; thus you will equally avoid flattery which is disgusting, and slander which is criminal.

If you are poor, labor will procure you food and clothing—if you are rich, it will strengthen the body, invigorate the mind, and keep you from vice.—Every man therefore should be busy in some employment.



FABLE IV.

The Gat and the Rat.

A CERTAIN Cat had made such unmerciful havoc among the vermin of her neighborhood, that nota single Rat or Mouse dared venture to appear abroad. Puss was soon convinced, that if affairs, remained in their present situation, she must be totally unsupplied with provision. After mature deliberation therefore, she resolved to have recourse to stratagem. For this purpose, she suspended herself from a hook with her head downwards, pretending to be dead. The Rats and Mice as they peeped from their holes observing her, in this dangling attitude, concluded she was hanging for some misdemeanor; and with great joy immediately sallied forth in quest of their prev. Puss, as soon as a sufficient number were collected together, quitting her hold, dropped into the midst of them; and very few had the fortune to make good This artifice having succeeded so well, their retreat. she was encouraged to try the event of a second. Accordingly she whitened her coat all over, by rolling herself in a heap of flour, and in this disguise lay, concealed in the bottom of a meal tub. This stratagem was executed in general with the same effect as the former. But an old experienced Rat, altogether as cunning as his adversary, was not so easily ensnared. I don't much like, said he, that white heap yonder: Something whispers me there is mischief concealed under it. 'Tis true it may be meal; but it may likewise be something that I should not relish quite so well. There can be no harm at least in keeping at a proper distance; for caution, I am sure, is the parent of safety.

#### TABLE XXXVI.

In the following table, i before a vowel sounds like y at the beginning of words, as in junior, filial, dominion, which are pronounced junyur, filyal, dominyon

in gen ious Fol io mill ion bat tål ion jun ior min ion ci vil ian sol dier\* pill ion com pan ion sav ior pin ion trill ion con nex ion. seign ior de flux ion un ion trunn ion val iantdo min ion al ien fa mil jar cull iongen ial gen ius runn ion o pin ion ånx ioust scull ion pa vil ionpost ill ion bdell ium bull ion coll ier bil ious punc till io bill jards pon-iard ras cal ion bill ions on ion re bell ion brill iant be hav iour se ragl io ver mil ion bagn io com mun ion aux il ia ry fil ial par hel ion: pe cul iar min ja ture flex ion aux ion con ven ient pe cun ia ry

Pronounced sol-ger. † Pro

<sup>†</sup> Pronounced ank-shus,



#### FABLE V.

#### The Fox and the Bramble.

A FOX, closely pursued by a pack of Dogs, took shelter under the covert of a Bramble. He rejoiced in this asylum; and for a while, was very happy; but soon found that if he attempted to stir, he was wounded by thorns and prickles on every side. However, making a virtue of necessity, he forbore to complain; and comforted himself with reflecting that no bliss is perfect; that good and and evil are mixed, and flow from the same fountain. These Briars, indeed, said he, will tear my skin a little, yet they keep off the dogs. For the sake of the good then let me bear the evil with patience; each bitter has its sweet; and these Brambles, though they wound my flesh, preserve my life from danger.

#### TABLE XXXVII.

The first sound of th, as in think.

T E ther ja cinth the sis zenith thun der meth od an them dip thong eth ics pan ther sab bath thim ble this tle thurs day trip thong en thrål ath wart be troth thir ty thor ough thir teen 011 thou sand a the ism . the ory

the o rem the a ter hy a cinth cath o lic ep i thet lab y rinth leth ar gy pleth o ry sym pa thy am a ranth am e thyst an a thy can the rus math e sis syn the sis pan the on e the ri al can tha ris ca the dral u re thra au thên tic pa thet ic syn thet ic a canth us ath let ic me theg lin ca thar tic en thu si asm an tip a thy pa renth e sis a rith me tic an tith e sis mis an thro py phi lan thro py can thar i des the oc ra cv the ology the od o lite ther mom e ter au thor i ty ca thel i con my thol ogy or thog ra phy hy poth e sis li thog ra phy li thot o my a poth'e ca ry ap o the o sis poly the isnibib li o the cal ich thy ôl ogy or ni thol o gy

Second sound of th, as in thou.

ei ther nei ther hea then cloth ier

råth er fath om feath er gath er

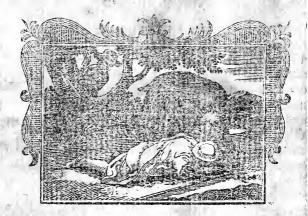
hith er leath cr fur ther breth ren

weath er with er. wheth ernether

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weth er whith er broth er be queath prith ee få ther wor thy an oth er bur then far thing moth er | to geth er south ern far ther. smoth er log a rithms teth er poth er oth er nëver the less thith er broth el be neath

The derivatives follow the same rule.



#### FABLE VI.

The Bear and the Two Friends.

TWO Friends, setting out together upon a journey, which led through a dangerous forest, mutually promised to assist each other, if they should happen to be assaulted. They had not proceeded far, before they perceived a Bear making towards them with great rage.

There were no hopes in flight; but one of them, being very active, sprung up into a tree; upon which the other, throwing himself flat on the ground, held his breath and pretended to be dead; remembering to have heard it asserted, that this creature will not prey upon a dead carcase. The bear came

up, and after smelling to him some time, left him, and went on.—When he was fairly out of sight and hearing, the hero from the tree called out—Well, my friend, what said the bear? he seemed to whisper you very closely. He did so, replied the other, and gave me this good piece of advice, never to associate with a wretch, who in the hour of danger, will desert his friend.

#### TABLE XXXVIII.

Words in which cb have the sound of k. Christ chốl ic chyle chol er scheme schol ar mon arch ache châsm schir rous chrism stom ach chord på tri arch loch eu cha rist school ån ar chy chrys o lite 02 choir char ac ter cho rus cat e chism te trarch pen ta teuch sep ul cher cha os cho ral tech nic al al chy my e poch an cho ret o cher brach i al tro chee an chor lach ry mal mach in ate christ en sac char ine chem ist ech o syn chro nism chal ice mich gel mas chốr is ter sched ule

chron i cle

pas chal

or ches ter och i my chi me ra pa ro chi al cha mel ion tri bắc chus chro mat ic me chan ic ca chex y cha lib e ate a nach ro nism syn ec do chy pyr rhich i us am phib ri chus měl an chol v chro nól o gy chi rog ra phy cho rog ra phy chro nom e ter the om a chy an ti bắc chus cắt e chết ic al bac chan al ian cat e chu men ich thy ol ogy



FABLE VII.
The Two Dogs.

HASTY and inconsiderate connections are generally attended with great disadvantages; and much of every man's good or ill fortune, depends upon the choice he makes of his friends.

A good-natured Spaniel overtook a surly Mastiff, as he was travelling upon the high road. Tray, although an entire stranger to Tiger, very civilly accosted him; and if it would be no interruption, he said, he should be glad to bear him company on his way. Tiger, who happened not to be altogether in so growling a mood as usual, accepted the proposal; and they very amicably pursued their journey together. In the midst of their conversation, they arrived at the next village, where Tiger began to display his malignant disposition, by an unprovoked attack upon every dog he met. The villagers immediately sallied forth with great. indignation, to rescue their respective favorites; and falling upon our two friends, without distinction or mercy, poor Tray was most cruelly treated, for no other reason, but his being found in bad company.

#### TABLE XXXIX.

Words of French original, in which ch sound like sh, and i accented, like e long.

Chaise fa tigue chẩm ois\* in trigue chan cre ma rine cham ade der nier cham paign po lice fra cheur ma chine ry chi cane chev er il 10 chev is ance pique chiv al ry shire deb au chee 10 ma chine chev a lier cash ier chan de lier cap u chin

an tique

mag a zine bomb a sin man da rin brig a dier bom bard ier buc can ier can non ier cap a pie car bin ier cav a lier cor de lier gren a dier fi nan cier

\* Pronounced shammy.

#### SELECT SENTENCES.

We may as well expect that God will make us rich without industry, as that he will make us good and happv. without our own endeavors.

Zeno, hearing a young man very loquacious, told him, that men have two ears and but one tongue; therefore

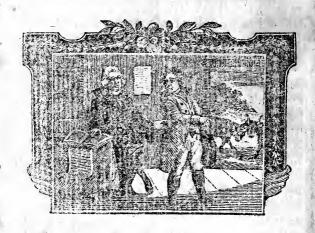
they should hear much and speak little.

A man who, in company, engrosses the whole conversation, always gives offense; for the company consider him as assuming a degree of superiority, and treating them all as his pupils.

The basis of all excellence in writing and conversation, is truth-truth is intellectual gold, which is as du-

rable as it is splendid and valuable.

Faction seldom leaves a man honest, however it may find him.



#### FABLE VIII.

The Partial Judge.

A FARMER came to a neighboring Lawyer, expressing great-concern for an accident which he said had just happened. One of your Oxen, continued he, has been gored by an unlucky Bull of mine, and I should be glad to know how I am to make you reparation. Thou art a very honest fellow, replied the Lawyer, and wilt not think it unreasonable that I expect one of thy Oxen in return. It is no more than justice, quoth the Farmer, to be sure; but what did I say?-I mistake-It is your Bull that has killed one of my Oxen. Indeed! says the Lawyer, that alters the case: I must inquire into the affair; and if—And if! said the Farmer-the business I find would have been concluded without an if, had you been as ready to do justice to others, as to exact it from them.

#### TABLE XL.

Words in which g is hard before e, i, and y.

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Gear	dag ger	leg ged	gherk in
geese `	crag gy	pig gin	åu ger
gěld	bug gy	quag gy	
get	crag ged-	rag ged	
gift	dig ger	rig_ger	
give	dreg gy	rig gish	
gig	drug get	rug ged	
gild	drug gist	scrag ged	dog ger
gill	flag gy	scrag gy	dog gish
gimp	gib ber	shag gy	jeg ger
gird	gib bous	slug gish	nog gen*
girt	gid dy	snag ged	pår get
girl	gig gle	sprig gy	
<b>e</b> a ge <b>r</b>	gig let	stag ger	gir dle
mea ger	giz zard	swag ger	
gew gaw	gim blet	swag gy	wåg ge ry
ti ger	hag gish	trig ger	log ger head
to ged	jag gy	twig gin	or gil lous
big gin	jag ged	twig gy	to geth er
brag ger	knag gy	wag gish.	pet ti fog ger
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The following are pronounced as though they were written with double g. Thus, finger is pronounced finger

Fin ger	lin ger	young er	long est
an ger	lin go	young est	strong er
hun ger	lin guist	long er	mång er

These with their compounds and derivatives, are most of the words in the language, in which g has its hard sound before e, i, and y. But to these must be added the derivatives of verbs ending in g. Thus from dig come diggeth, diggest, digged, digging, &c. in which g is hard before e and i.

#### TABLE XLI.

The Boy that went to the Wood to look for Birds' Nests, when he should have gone to School.

WHEN Jack got up, and put on his clothes, he thought if he could get to the wood he should be quite well; for he thought more of a bird's nest, than his book, that would make him wise and great. When he came there, he could find no nest, but one that was on the top of a tree, and with much ado he got up to it, and robbed it of the eggs.-Then he tried to get down; but a branch of the tree found a hole in the skirt of his coat, and held him fast. At this time he would have been glad to be at school; for the bird in a rage at the loss of her eggs, flew at him, and was like to pick out his eyes. Now it was that the sight of a man at the foot of the tree, gave him more joy than all the nests in the world. This man was so kind as to chase away the bird, and help him down from the tree; and from that time forth he would not loiter from school; but grew a good boy and a wise young man; and had the praise and good will of all that knew him.

#### OBSERVATIONS.

The cheerful man hears the lark in the morning; the pensive man hears the nightingale in the evening.

He who desires no virtue in a companion, has no virtue himself; and that state is hastening to ruin, in which no difference is made between good and bad men.

Some men read for the purpose of learning to write; others, for the purpose of learning to talk—the former study for the sake of science; the latter, for the sake of amusement.

TABLE XLII.

It is a rule in the language, that c and g are hard at the end of words,
and they commonly are so at the end of so liables, but in the fol-

and they commonly are so at the end of syllables; but in the following table they are soft, like s and j at the end of the accented syllable. Thus, magic, acid, are pronounced majic, asid, and ought to be divided magic, acid. It is a matter disputed by teachers which is the most eligible division—mugic, acid, or magic, acid. However, as children acquire a habit of pronouncing c and g hard at the end of syllables, I choose not to break the practice, but have joined these consonants to the last syllable. The figures show that the vowels of the accented syllables are all short.

Må gic tra gic a gile a cid di git vi gil fa cile fra gile fri gid ri gid pla cid pi geon si gil ta cit a git ate ag ger ate\* le gi ble fla gel et pre ce dent pre ci pice re ci pe de cim al de cim ate la cer ate

pa ci fy pa geant ry pa gin al re gi cide re gim en re gim ent re gis ter spe ci fy spe cim en ma cer ate ma cil ent ma gis trate ne ces sary tra ge dy vi cin age ve get ate ve get ant lo gic pro cess co git ate pro ge ny il li cit im pli cit e li cit g soft.

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ex pli cit so li cit im a gin re li gion li ti gious pro di gious au da ci ty ca pa ci ty fu ga ci ty lo qua ci ty men da ci ty men di ci ty di la cer ate du pli ci ty fe li ci tv mu ni ci pal >: an ti ci pate par ti ci pate sim pli ci ty me di cin al so li ci tude per m ci ty tri pli ci ty ver ti ci ty

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e da ci ty om ni gin ous per spi ca ci ty ex ag ger ate ver ti gin ous per ti na ci ty mor da ci ty a tro ci ty re fri ger ate nu ga ci ty le gis la tion fe ro ci ty o pa ci ty re cit a tion ve lo ci ty sa cri le gious ra pa ci ty rhi no ce ros sa ga ci tv o le a gin ous an a lo gic al as tro lo gic al se qua ci ty au then ti ci ty ge o lo gic al vi va ci ty e las ti ci ty te na ci ty .. e lec tri ci ty ped a go gic al ve ra ei ty du o de ci mo phi lo lo gic al a da gi o ab o ri gin al tau to log ic al bel li ger ent the o lo gic al ec cen tri ci ty mu cila gin ous or i gin al re ci pro ci ty mul ti pli ci ty ar mi gerous le ger de main

The compounds and derivatives follow the same rule.

#### TABLE XLIII.

Words in which b is pronounced before w, though written after it. Thus, what, when, whisper, are pronounced bwat, bwen, hwisper; that is booat, booen, booister.

-Whale	whelm	whit	wher ry.
wheal	when	whiz	wheth er
wheat	whence.	whurr	whif fle
wheel	whet	whårf	whim sey
wheeze	which	whất '	whin ny
while	whiff	whirl	whis per
whilst	whig	where -	whis tle
whine	whim	whey	whith er
white -	whin	whee dle	whit low
why -	whip	whi ting	whit ster
whělk	whisk	whi tish	whit tle
whelp	whist	wher ret	whim per

The compounds and derivatives follow the same rule.

In the following, with their compounds and derivatives, w, is silent. whoon whose whole who whom

#### TABLE XLIV.

In the following, with their compounds and derivatives, z is pronounced like gz; exact is pronounced egzact, &c.

Ex åctex em pli fy ex or bit ant ex ist ex an i mate ex or di um ex ålt ex empt ex as pe rate ex ude ex ult ex ot ic ex am in ex a men ex on er rate ex am ple ex u ber ance ex ert ex em plar ex håust ex er cent ex hort ex ile ex ec il tor

In most or all other words, x is pronounced like  $\epsilon \epsilon$ , except at the beginning of Greek names, where it sounds like z.

#### TABLE XLV.

The history of the Creation of the World.

IN six days God made the world, and all things that are in it. He made the Sun to shine by day, and the Moon to give light by night.-He made all the beasts that walk on the earth, all the birds that fly in the air, and all the fish that swim in the sea. Each herb, and plant, and tree, is the work of his hands. All things, both great and small that live and move, and breathe in this wide world, to him do owe their birth, to him their life. And God saw that all the things he had made were good. But as yet there was not a man to till the ground: so God made man of the dust of the earth, and breathed into him the breath of life, and gave him rule over all that he had made. And the man gave names to all the beasts of the field, the fowls of the air, and the fish of the sea. But there was not found an help meet for man; so God brought on him a deep sleep, and then took from his side a rib, of which he made a wife, 104 An Easy Standard of Pronunciation.

and gave her to the man, and her name was Eve-And from these two came all the sons of men.

All things are known to God; though his throne of state is far on high, yet doth his eye look down upon us in this lower world, and see all the ways of the sons of men.

If we go out, he marks our steps: and when we go in, no door can shut him from us. While we are by ourselves, he knows all our vain thoughts, and the ends we aim at: And when we talk to friend or foe, he hears our words, and views the good or harm we do to them, or to ourselves.

When we pray, he notes our zeal. All the day long he minds how we spend our time, and no dark night can hide our works from him. If we play the cheat, he marks the fraud, and hears the least

word of a false tongue.

He sees if our hearts are hard to the poor, or if by alms we help their wants: If in our breast we pine at the rich, or if we are well pleased with our own state. He knows all that we do; and be we where we will, he is sure to be with us.

#### TABLE XLVI.

Examples of the formation of derivatives and compound words.

## EXAMPLE I. Words in which or or er are added to denote an agent.

Frim.	Deriv.	Prim.	Deriv.
Act,	act-or	in-struct,	in-struct-or
lead,	lead-er	blas-pheme,	blas-phe-mer
deal,	deal-er	cor-rect,	cor-rect-or
gain,	gain-er	dis pose,	dis-po-ser
hate,	ha-ter	op-press,	op-press-or
cool,	cool-er	re-deem,	re-deem-r
help,	help-er	dis-sent,	dis-sent-es

EXAMPLE. II.

Words to express females, or the feminine gender, formed from those which express males, or the masculine gender.

act-or, act-ress bar-on, bar-on-ess tu-tor, tu-tor-ess. trait-or. trait-ress count. count-ess dea-con, dea-con-ess duke, duch-ess heir, heir-ess proph-et, proph-et-ess sor-ce-rer, sor-cer-ess

> a-dul-ter-er, em-bas-sa-dor, shep-herd, ben-e-fac-tor, gov-ern-or, mar-quis, pro-tect-or, ex-ec-u-tor, ad-min-is-tra-tor

peer-ess priest-ess priest, prin-cess prince, po-et-ess po-et, song-ster, song-stress li-on-ess li-on, mis-tress mas-ter, em-pe-ror, em-press test-ta-tor, test-a-trix seam-ster, seam-stress a-dul-ter-ess em-bas-sa-dress shep-herd-ess ben-e-fac-tress gov-ern-ess mar-chi-o-ness pro-tect-ress ex-ec-u-trix ad-min-is-tra-trix

#### EXAMPLE III.

Words formed by ly (which is a contraction of like) used to denote a quality, or show the manner of action, or degree of quality.

bad, bad-ly brave, brave-ly chief, chief-ly dark, dark-ly good, good-ly high, high-ly weak, weak-ly year, year-ly new, new-ly

ab-struse-ly ab-struse. cow-ard, cow-ard-ly crook-ed, crook-ed-ly ex-act-ly ex-act. ef-fect-u-al, ef-fect-u-al-ly ex-cess-ive, ex-cess-ive-ly fa-ther. fa-ther-ly gal-lant, gal-lant-ly se-date, se-date-ly

#### EXAMPLE IV. Words formed by full, denoting abundance.

mer-cy, mer-ci-ful mourn, mourn-ful hope, hope-ful wish, wish-ful youth, youth-fulatve. aw-ful care-ful care,

de-ceit, de-ceit-ful re-spect, re-spect-full dis-grace, dis-grace-ful-'de-light, de-light-ful re-venge, re-venge-ful dis-trust, dis-trust-ful. l du-tv, du-ti-ful

#### EXAMPLE

Words formed by abie or ible, denoting power or ability.

com-mend, com-mend-a-ble as-sail, as-sail-a-ble re-spire, re-spi-ra-ble per-spi-ra-ble per-spire, ad vise. ad-vi-sa-ble re-verse. re-vers-i-bleman-age, man-age-a-ble cred-it, cred-it-a-ble prof-it-a-ble prof-it,

cure, cu-ra-ble pay, pay-a-ble sale-a-ble sale, vend, vend-i-ble test, test-a-ble taste, tast-a-ble tax, tax-a-ble tame, tame-a-ble ra-ta-ble rate.

#### EXAMPLE VI.

Words formed by ness, denoting a state or condition.

good, good-ness, great-ness great, rash-ness rash, bald-ness bald, hoarse, hoarse-ness blood-y, blood-i-ness

> mis-er-a-ble, for-mi-da-ble, gra-cious, fa-vor-a-ble, of-fen-sive,

shrewd, shrewd-ness plain, plain-ness sound, sound-ness rough, rough-ness self-ish, self-ish-ness. come-ly, come-li-ness

mis-er-a-ble-ness for-mi-da-ble-ness gra-cious-ness fa-vor-a-ble-ness of-fen-sive-ness.

#### EXAMPLE VII.

Words formed by ish, denoting quality or a small degree of it.

a-pish white. whi-tish ape, wasp-ish blue, blu-ish wasp, wag, wag-gish black, black-ish block, block-ish pur-ple, pur-plish sour, sour-ish gray, gray-ish sweet-ish clown-ish sweet. Lelown

### EXAMPLE VIII.

Words formed by less, denoting destitution or absence.

art, art-less num-ber, num-ber-less mo-tion, mo-tion-less meas-ure, meas-ure-less fa-ther, fa-ther-less moth-er, moth-er-less pray-er, pray-er-less

#### EXAMPLE IX.

Words formed by al, denoting quality, and by some, noting fullness fraction, fraction-al doctrin, doctrin-al crime, crim-in-al nation national delight, delight, delight-some

#### EXAMPLE X.

Words formed by ous, and ive, noting quality.

grace, gra-cious sport, sport-ive ex-pense, ex

Words formed by age, ment, ence, and ance, denoting state, condition, or action performed, &c.

pa-rent, par-ent-age pat-ron, pat-ron-age per-son, per-son-age car-ry, car-riage mar-ry, mar-riage re-mit, re-mit-tance per-form, per-form-ance ful-fil, ful-fil-ment at-tain, at-tain-ment de-pend, de-pend-ence oc-cur, oc-cur-rence re-pent, re-pent-ance

ac-com-plish, ac-com-plish-ment com-mand, com-mand-ment

#### EXAMPLE XII.

Words ending in or or er and ee, the former noting the agent, and the latter the person, to whom an act is done.

les-sor', les-see' do'-nor, do-nee' bail-or', bail-ee' as-sign-or,as-sign-ee' pay'-or, pay-ee' me

ap-pel-lor', ap-pel-lee' cog-ni-zor' cog-ni-zee' in-dors'-er, in-dors-ee' ob-li-gor', ob-li-gee' mort'-ga-ger, mort-ga-gee'

## EXAMPLE XIII.

Words ending in ity, denoting power, capacity, state, &c. in-firm, in-firm-i-ty | le-gal, le-gal-i-ty a-ble, a-bil-i-ty | mor-tal, mor-tal-i-ty

pos-si-ble, con-form, chris-tian, pop-u-lar, sin-gu-lar, fea-si-ble, com-pat-i-ble im-pen-e-tra-ble, pos-si-bil-i-ty con-form-i-ty chris-tian-i-ty pop-u-lar-i-ty sin-gu-lar-i-ty fea-si-bil-i-ty com-pat-i-bil-i-ty im-pen-e-tra-bil-i-tv

#### EXAMPLE XIV.

Verbs or affirmations, formed by the terminations ize and en.

Gen-er-al, gen-er-al-ize mo-ral, mor-al-ize le-gal-ize le-gal, jour-nal, jour-nal-ize tyr-an-ny, tyr-ran-nize |can-on, can-on-ize meth-od-ize har-mo-ny, har-mo-nize meth-od, strait-en au-ther, au-thor-ize strait. bas-tard-ize wide. wi'-den, or bas-tard, sys-tem-ize wid-en sys.tem, eiv-il, civ-il-ize length, length-en

#### EXAMPLE XV.

Words in which the sense is changed by prefixing a syllable, or syllables.

Ap-pear, dis-ap-pear al-low, dis-al-low o-bev. dis-o-bey o-blige, dis-o-blige dis-es-teem es-teem, dis-pos-sess pos-sess, ap-ply, mis-ap-ply be-have, mis-be-have mis-in-form in-form, de-ceive, un-de-ceive work, un-der-work op-e-rate, co-op-er-ate en-gage, pre-en-gage ma-ture, pre-ma-ture num-ber, out-num-ber run. ~ out-run fee-ble, en-sec-ble no-ble, en-no-ble

grow, o-ver-grow look, o-ver-look run, o-ver-run take. o-ver-take o-ver-throw throw, o-ver-turn turn. ad-mit, re-ad-mit as-sume, re-as-sume em-bark, re-em-bark en-force, re-en-force add, su-per-add a-bound, su-per-a-bound weave, in-ter-weave fore-see see, sight, fore sight plant, trans-plant com-pose, de-com-pose act, coun-ter-act

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#### EXAMPLE XVI.

Names formed from qualities by change of termination.

Long, length deep, depth dry, drouth strong, strength high, highth wide, width

Examples of various derivatives from one root, or radical word.

Boun-ty, boun-te-ous, boun-te-ous-ly, bounte-ous-ness, boun-ti-ful, boun-ti-ful-ly, bounti-ful-ness.

Beau-ty, beau-te-ous, beau-te-ous-ly, beaute-ous-ness, beau-ti-ful, beau-ti-ful-ly, beauti-ful-ness, beau-ti-fy.

Art, art-ful, art-ful-ly, art-ful-ness, art-less,

art-less-ly, art-less-ness.

Con-form, con-form-i-ty, con-form-a-ble, con-form-a-bly, con-form-ist, con-form-a-tion,

con-form-a-ble-ness.

Press, press-ure, im-press, im-press-ion, impress-ive, im-press-ive-ly, com-press, compress-ure, com-press-ion, com-press-i-ble, com-press-i-bil-i-ty, in-com-press-i-ble, incom-press-i-bil-i-ty, de-press, de-press-ion, sup-press, sup-press-ion.

Grief, griev-ous, griev-ous-ly, griev-ance, ag-

grieve,

At-tend, at-tend-ant, at-tend-ance, at-ten-tion, at-ten-tive, at-ten-tive-ly, at-ten-tive-ness.

Fa-vor, fo-vor-ite, fa-vor-a-ble, fa-vor-a-bly, fa-vor-a-ble-ness, fa-vor-it-ism, un-fa-vor-a-ble, un-fa-vor-a-ble-ness, drs-fa-vor.

Ale house ap ple tree bed fel low bed cham ber bee hive book sell er but ter milk can dle stick chain shot. cher ry tree ches nut treecop y book.

Compound Words, cop per plate day light di ning room Charles town George town dress ing room drip ping pan earth quake el bow chair fer ry man fire arms fire shov el

gin ger bread grand child New ha ven New york ink stand ju ry man land tax lap dog moon shine pa per mill ti tle page Yale col lege

#### OBSERVATIONS.

He seldom lives frugally, who lives by chance.

Most men are more willing to indulge in easy vices, than to practice laborious virtues.

A man may mistake the love of virtue for the practice of it; and be less a good man, than the friend of goodness.

Without frugality, none can be rich; and with it, few

would be poor.

Moderation and mildness, often effect what cannot be done by force. A Persian writer finely observes, that "a gentle hand leads the elephant himself by a hair."

The most necessary part of learning is, to unlearn our

errors.

Small parties make up in diligence what they want in numbers.

Some talk of subjects which they do not understand;

others praise virtue, who do not practice it.

No persons are more apt to ridicule or censure others, than those who are most apt to be guilty of follies and faults.

#### TABLE XLVII.

Irregular words, not comprised in the foregoing tables.

Written.	Pronounced.	Written.	Pronounced.
A ny	en ny	isle * *	ile,
bat teau	bat to	isl and	ile and
beau	bo	ma ny	men ny
beaux	boze	o cean	o shun
been	bin	says	sez
bu reau	bu ro	said	sed
bu ry	ber ry	sous	soo
bu sy	biz zy	su gar	shoog ar
co lo nel	cur nel	vis cour	nt vi count
haut boy	ho boy		- wim in

Written.
Ap ro posbel les let tres
bu si ness
flam beau
che vaux de frise
en ten dre
port man teau

Pronounced.

ap pro po
bel let ter
biz ness
flam bo
shev o de freeze
en taun der
port man ter
ri chus

The compounds and derivatives follow the same rule.

#### OBSERVATIONS.

Seek a virtuous man for your friend, for a vicious man can neither love long, nor be long beloved.—The friendships of the wicked are conspiracies against morality and social happiness.

More persons seek to live long, though long life is not in their power; than to live well, though a good life de-

pends on their own will.

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USEFUL LESSONS.

JOHN can tell how many square rods of ground make an acre. Let me hear him. Three feet make a yard; five yards and a half make a rod or perch; forty square rods make a rood or one quarter of an acre, and one hundred and sixty square rods make an acre. One-team will plow an acre in a day—sometimes more.

In solids, forty feet of round timber, or fifty feet of hewn timber, make a ton. A cord of wood contains one hundred and twenty eight solid feet; that is, a pile four

feet high, four feet wide, and eight feet long.

In cloth measure, two inches and a fifth make anail,—four nails, one quarter of a yard—thirty six inches or three feet make a yard—three quarters of a yard make an ell Flemish—and five quarters, make an English ell.

Let us examin the weights used in our own country. How are heavy goods weighed? By avordupois weight—in which sixteen drams make an ounce—sixteen ounces, one pound—twenty eight pounds, one quarter of a hundred—four quarters, or one hundred and twelve pounds make a hundred—and twenty hundreds, one ton.

By this weight, are sold hay, sugar, coffee, and all

heavy goods and metals, except gold and silver.

What is troy weight? It is that by which is estimated the quantity of gold and silver, jewelry, and the drugs sold by the druggist and apothecary. In troy weight, twenty four grains make a penny weight—twenty penny weights, one ounce—and twelve ounces, one pound. These are the divisions used by the silversmith and jeweller. But the apothecary uses a different division, and in his weight, twenty grains make a scruple—three scruples one dram—eight drams, one ounce—and, twelve ounces, one pound.

The dollar is one hundred cents; but the value of a pound, shilling and penny, is different, in different States, and in England. English money is called Sterling—One dollar is four shillings and six pence sterling—in New England and Virginia, it is six shillings—in New York and North Carolina, it is eight shillings—in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland, it is seven shillings—

and six pence—in South Carolina and Georgia, it is fourshillings and eight pence. But these differences givegreat trouble, and will soon be laid aside as useless,—all? money will be reckoned in dollars and cents.

Inhabitants of the United States according to the

10000	
New Hampshire	183,000
Massachusetts	575,000°
Rhode Island	70,000
Connecticut	251,000
Vermont	154, 000
New York	586, 000
New Jersey	211, 000
Pennsylvania	604, 000
Delaware	64, 000
Maryland	322, 000
Virginia	886, 000
North Carolina	478, 000
South Carolina	345,000
Georgia	162,000
Kentucky	220,000
Tennessee	137,000

#### OBSERVATIONS AND MAXIMS.

THE path of duty, is always the path of safety.

Be very cautious in believing ill of your neighbor;

but more cautious in reporting it.

It requires but little discernment to discover the imperfections of others; but much humility to acknowledge our own.

Many evils incident to human life are unavoidable;

but no man is vicious, except by his own choice.

Avoid vicious company, where the good are often made bad, and the bad worse. If the good ever associate with evil men, it should be for the same reason as a physician visits the sick,—not to catch the disease, but to cure it.

Some people are lost for want of good advice but more for want of giving heed to it.

#### TABLE XLVIII.

The most usual Names of Men, accented.

Aa' ron Dan' iel Hugh. Ho ra' tio A' bel Da' vid Hor' ace A' bram Den' nis-A' bra ham Hez e ki' ah Ad' am Ed' mund

Al' bert Ed' ward I' saac Is' rael Al' len Ed' win : Ed' gar Al ex an' der Ich' a hod

Eg bert Al'fred E le a' zar Am' brose A' mos -El' dad E' li. An' drew E li' as An' tho ny Ar' chi bald Eli'zur Ar' nold E li'sha A'r' thur E liph' a let Au' stin E' noch

E' phraim Jo' seph A' sa hel A' saph E ze' ki el Io si' ah A' sa E ras' tus-Josh' u a : Ash' er Ez' ra Tude Eb e ne' zer Jus' tus

Bar' na bas Fran' cis Ben' ja min -Ben' net Fred er ic Ber' nard Ga' briel

Brad' ford George -Gid'e on Ca' leb Gil' bert Charles -Giles God' frey .. Chris'to pher Cor ne' li us. Greg' o ry

Hen' ry

la bez Ta' cob Tames Jef' frey : Tob . To' el Tohn To' nas -

Ter e mi' aha Ion' a than Ta' red Tes' se

Leon' ard Liew' is Lu' cius Luke Lem' u el

Le' vi Lu' ther

Clark Cyp' ri an

Mark. Pe' ter Ste' phen Mar' tin Paul . Si' las Phil' ip Mat' thew Mi' chael Phin'e as The' o dore Miles . The oph' i lus Mor' gan Ralph Thom' as Mo' ses Reu' ben Tim' o thy Me' dad Rich' ard Ti' tus Rob' ert U ri' ah Ro" ger Ru' fus Na' than Val' en tine Na than' iel Vin' cent Ne he mi' ah Sam' u el Nich' o las Wal' ter Seth Nor' man-Will' iam Sil ves' ter Sim' e on Ob a di' ah Si' mon Za doc

## Names of Women.

Sol' o mon.

Ab'i gail Dor' cas Grace: Dor' o thy A' my Ann De' li a Han' nah An' na Har'ri et An' nis El' ea nor Hel' en A me' lia E li'za Hen ri et ta E liz' a beth Hes'-ter Bridg' et Em' ma Hul' dah Be lin' da Em' i ly Es' ther Is'a bel

Car'so line Cla ris' sa Ce' li a

Deb' o rah Di'nah

Of i ver

Faith Flo' ra-Fran' ces

Eu' nice

E mil' ia

Je mi' ma Jen' net Ju' li a Ju li an'

Tane -

Zech a ri' ah

Mari'a Re bec' ca Kath' a rine Ruth Rose Love Nan' cy Lu' cv Sa' rah Lyd' ia Pa' tience Lu cre' tia Pe nel' o pe So phi' a Lu cin' da Phe' be Sal'ly Phil' lis Su san' nah Su' san Ma' bel Pris cil' la Mar' ga ret Mar' tha Pru' dence Tem' per ance Ur su' la Ma'ry Ra' chel

## Derivatives from Names.

Am' mon, Ca' naan, E' phraim, Mo' ab, Cal' vin. Lu' ther, Is' rael. Rome, Cor' inth. Ath' ens, Ha' gar, Ga la' tia, Sa ma' ri a, Am' a lek, E' dom. Beth'le hem, Lon' don, Par' is, Ben' ja min, Reu' ben, Jew, New ton,

Am' mon ite Ca' naan ite E' phraim ite Mo' ab ite Cal' vin ist Lu' ther an Is' rael ite Ro' man Co rinth' i an A the' ni an Ha' gar enes Ga la' tians Sa mar' i tans Am' a lek ite E' dom ite Beth' le hem ite Lon' don er Pa ris' ian Ben' ja min ite Reu' ben ite Tew ish New to' ni an

A lex an' dri a. Ci" ce ro. Co per nic us, Ep i cu' rus, Ga' li lee, Ma hom' et, Sad du cee'. Phar' i see, Pla' to, Pla' to nism Chal de' a, Cy re' ne Gil' e ad, Her' od Ish' ma el Mid' i an Tyre

A lex an' dri an Ci" ce ro' ni an Co per' nic an Ep r cu' re an Gal li le' an Ma hom' e tan Sad du ce' an Phar i sa'ic Pla ton' ic Pla' to nist Chal de' an Cy re' ni an Gil' e ad ite He ro' di ans Ish' ma el ite Mid' i an ite Tyr' i an

#### TABLE XLIX:

Names of the principal Countries on the Eastern Continent, the adjective belonging to each, the name of the People, and the chief Town or City—accented

Chief Cities .. Country. Adjective. People. A' sia, A siat' ic. A stat' ics, Af' ri ca, Af' ri can, Af' ri cans, Aus' tri a, Aus' tri an, Aus' tri ans, Vi en' na A ra' bi a, Ar' a bic, A ra' bi an, A ra' bi ans, Mec' ca or A' rabs, Al gie'rs, Al ge ri'ne, Al ge rines, Al gi'ers. Brit' ain, Brit' ish, Brit' ons, ? Lon' don Eng' land, Eng' lish, English, Scot' land, Scotch, Ed' in burgh Scots, (I rish, or I're land, I' rish, Dub' lin. I rish men, Hi ber'ni a, Hi ber' ni an, Hi ber' ni ans

Adjective. People. Chief Cities. Country. Wales Welch, Welch' men, Bo he' mi a, Bo he' mi an, Bo he' mi ans, Prague Chi ne'se, Chi ne'se, Chi' na, Pe' kin Chi' na, Cor' si can, Cor' si cans, Bas' tia Cor' si ca. Den' mark, Da' nish, Danes, Copen ha' gen-Ca'i ro, or E gyp' tian, E gyp' tians, Cai ra E' gypt, Eu' rope, Eu ro pe' an, Eu ro pe' ans, Flem'ish, Flem'ings, Brus' sels Flan' ders, Bel' gi an, Bel' gi ans, s Bel' gi um, French, French, France, Par' is Gal' lic, or Gauls. Gaul, Gal' li can, Fran co'ni a, Fran co'ni an, Franco'nians, Wurts'burg Ger' man, Ger'ma ny, Ger man' ic S Ger' mans, Vi en' na Ba va' ri a, Ba va' ri an, Ba va' ri ans, Mu'nich Gen o e'se, Gen o e'se, Gen' o a Gen' o a, Li gu' ri an, Li gu' ri ans, \$ Li gu' ri a Greeks, Greece, Gre' cian, Ath' ens Dutch, or Am ster-Hol'land, Dutch, Hol'lan ders dam Ba ta' vi an, Ba ta' vi ans, J Hague Bata' vi a, Hun ga'ri an, Hun ga'ri ans { Pres'burg or Bu' da Hun' ga ry, SI tal' ian, ? I tal' i ans, It' a ly, Rome I tal' ic, Ice land ic, I'ce land ers, I'ce land, In' di an, In' di an, Del' hi in' di a, Hin' du, Hin' dus, Cal cut' ta Hin'doo, Hin' doos, in du' stan, Gen' too, Gen' toos, Ma drass a pan', Jap an e'se, Jap an e'se, Mi lan e'se, Mi lan e'se, Mi lan e'se, Mi lan' Mo roc' co, Moor ish, Moors, Fez Ne a pol'i tan, Ne a pol'i tans, Na' ples Ta' ples,

Country.

Adjective. People. Chief Cities. Nor we' gi an, Nor we' gi ans, Ber'gen Nor' way, Per' sia, Per' sians, Is pa han' Per' sian, Pied mont', Pied mon te'se, Pied mon te'se, Tu rin' (Po'landers) Po' land, Po' lish, or Poles, Por' tu gal, Por' tu guese, Por' tu guese, Lis' bon Prus' sia, Prus' sian, Prus' sians, Ber' lin Rus' sia, Rus' sian Rus' sians, Pe'tersburg Si" ci ly, Si cil' i ans, Paler mo Si cil' i an, Span' iards, Ma drid' Span' ish, Spain Sar din' i a, Sar din' i an, Sar din'i ans, Cagli a'ri Swe' den, Swe' dish, Swedes, Stock'holm f Bern, or Swit'zerland, Swiss ( Basle Sax' o ny Sax' on. Sax' ons, Dres' den Swa' bi a. Swa' bi an, Swa' bi ans, Augs' burg Con' stan ti-Tur' key. Turk' ish, no' ple To bol'ski, Tar' tar Tar'tars, Tar' ta ry, Thi' bet Tarta'ri an Tu nis' ian, Tu nis, Tu nis' ians, Tu' nis Tus' cans, Tus' cans, Tus' ca ny, Flor' ence Si'am, Si am e'se, Si am e'se, Si am' Ton' quin, Ton qui ne'se, Tongtoo' Ton quin e'se, Ve ne' tian, Ven' ice. Ve ne' tians, Ven' ice In America. A mer' i ca, A mer' i can, A mer' i cans People. Chief Towns. New Hamp'shire, Ports mouth Port land Maine, in

> Ben ning ton, & Rut' land,

Wind' sor

Bos to' ni ans

Ver mont'ers

Mas sa chu' setts | Bos' ton

Ver mont'

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States. Chief Towns. People. Prov' i dence & Rhode Rhode i's land, New port I's land ers. CHart' ford, Con nec' ti cut New Ha' ven & (New Lon' don New York and New York'ers New York, Al' ba ny Tren' ton, E liz' a beth town New Jer'sey Prince' ton, and New' ark [ Phil a del' phi a, ] Penn syl va'-Penn syl va' ni a, Lan' cas ter, ini ans Del'a ware, Wil' ming ton & Do' ver Bal' ti more and Ma' ry land-Ma'ry land An nap o lis Rich' mond, Ai ex an' dri a, Vir gin' i ans Vir gin' i a, Nor folk New bern, North Carolina, Wil' ming ton, E'den ton, Car o lin' i ans South Carolina, Charles' ton, Colum' bi a-[ Sa van' na, ] Ge or gia, Ge or' gi ans [Au gus ta ] Ken tuck' y, Lext ing ton, Ken tuck' i ans Ten nes see', Nash' ville. Ten nes se' ans O hi' o, Chil li co' tha Louis ian' a, New Or leans, Lou is ia' ni ans

British, Spanish and Portuguese America.

Provinces.
Can' a da,
New Bruns' wick,
No' va Sco' tia
E. Flor' i da,
W. Flor' i da,

Clief Towns.

Que bec',
St. Johns
Hal' i fax
Au gus tine
Pen sa co' la

People. Ca na' di ans

Provinces.	Chief Towns.	Peofile.
Mex' i co,	Mex' i co,	Mex' i cans
Chi' li,	St. Ja' go,	Chil' i ans
Pe ru'	Li' ma,	Pe ru' vi ans
Qui' to,	Qui' to,	
Par a gua'y,	Buen' os ayres,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Bra zil',	St. Sal va do're,	Bra zil' i ans

## TABLE L.

# Chief Rivers on the Eastern Continent. IN EUROPE.

Dan' ube	Loire	Scheldt*
Don, or	Med' way	Sev' ern
Ta na'is	Maes	Shan' non
Drave	Mo sell'e	Seine Seine
Du' ro	Nie' per, or	Soane
Dwi' na	Bo rist' he nes	Tay
E' bro	Nie' men	Ta'gus
E lbe	Nie' ster	Thames
Eu ro' tas	O' der	Ti' ber
Ga ro'nne	Pe ne' us	Vis' tu la
Gua' del quiv ier	Po	We'ser
Gua di an' a	Rhone	Wol' ga or
Hum' ber	Rhine	Vol' ga
The state of the s	Pronounced Shelt.	13.5%

## In ASIA

	TH TEDALES	
A rax' es	Ir' tis	O' by
A' va	Jen i see'	Ox' us
Cu ban'	Kur, or	Pe gu'
Eu phra' tes	Cy' rus	Rha
	Me an' der	
	Me non'	
In' dus. or Sind	Me con'	Ho ang he
Gan' ges Ha' lys	Me non'	Ti' gris Yel low, Ho ang' h

#### IN AFRICA.

Ba gra' da, or Sen e gal' Or' ange Me ger' da Ni' ger, or Gau rit'z Nile Jol i ba'

Oceans.

At lan' tic Pa cif' ic In' di an

Seas.

Bal' tic Eu'x ine Me o' tis, or Cas' pi an Med i ter ra'ne an A' zoph

Bays and Gulfse

A dri at' ic Cal i for' ni a Fun' dy
Bal' fins Ches' o peak Hud' sons
Bis' cay Cha leu'r Mex' i co
Both' ni a Fin' land Ri ga'

Lakes in Europe and Asia.

As phal' tis Ge ne' va Lu ga' na
Bai' kal Gar' da Mag gi o're
Co' mo Is' co O ne' ga
Con stance' La do' ga Wi nan'

Mountains in Europe, Africa and Asia.

Alps Car' mel Ju' ra Ap' pe nines Et' na Py re nee's Ar' ra rat Heck' la Si' nai At' las Ho'reb Tau' rus Ce vennes' I' da Ve su' vi us' Cau' ca sus

In America.

An' des, or Al le ga' ny Kit ta kin' ny Cor dil' ler as Kaats' killi Ole roy!

## Chief Rivers in America.

Am' a zon, or Ja ne'i ro
Mar' a non James, or
Al' ba ny Pow hat tan'
Ap a lach' y
Ap' a lach' i co' la Kan ha' way
Ar' kan saw Ken tuc' ky
Al ta ma haw' Ken ne bec'
An dros cog' gin
Lick' ing

Buf' fa lo

Cum' ber land Chat ta ho' chy Clar' en don, or Cape Fear Chow an' Con nec' ti cut Co lum' bi a, or 'Ta co' chy Chau di e're

Del' a ware

E dis' to Elk

Flint .

Hack' en sac Hou sa ton' uc Hock hock' ing Hud' son

I' ro quois, or St. Law' rence Mis si sîp' pi Mis so rie' Musk ing'' um Mi am' i Mo bill' Mis sisk' o

La moil

Mer' ri mac Moose Ma ken' zie

Nuse Nel son

O ro no'ke O hi' o O gee' chy On' ion

Par a gua'y, or Plate Pa to' mac Pearl Pas cat' a way Pe nob' scot

Pas sa' ic

Sa lu' da Sa til' la

Sus que han' na Schu'yl kill Sci o' ta Sau' co Scoo' duc St. John St. Ma ry Sev' ern Sas ka shaw' in So rell'

Pe dee'

Roan o'ke

Rar i ton

Sa yan' na

San tee'

Rap pa han' noc

Ten nes sec'
Tu' gu lo
Tom big' by

Sag u nau'

Un' ji ga U ta was'

Wat ter ee' Wau' bosh

York Ya zeo'

#### Lakes in America.

Cay u' ga
Can a dar' qua
Cham pla'in
Cham pla'in
C' rie
George
Hu' ron
Moose head
Mem fre ma'
Ot se' go
O nei' da
On ta' ri o
On an da' go
Mish i gan'
Sen' e ka

Moose head Su pe' ri or
Mem fre ma' gog Tez cu' co
Ot se' go Um' ba gog
O nei'da Win' ni pis i o' gy
On ta' ri o Win' ni pic
On an da' go Wa' que fa no' ga
Sen' e ka or O' ka fa no' ke

#### TABLE LI.

Names of Cities, Towns, Counties, Rivers, Mountains, Lakes, Islands, Bays, &c. in America.

The following have the accent on the first syllable.

Ab' er corn Ab ing don Ab ing ten Ab se con Ac ton Ad ams Ac worth Al ba ny Al bi on Al ford Al lens town All burg Al lo way All saints Alms bu ry Al stead 1m boy im e lins line well m herst m ster dam

An do ver An ge lo An ge los An trim An vill Aq ue fort Arm strong Ar ling ton Ar row sike Ar u ba Ash burn ham Ash by Ash field Ash ford Ash ton. Ash we lot As sa bet A thol At kin son At the bo rough Av a lon A ve ril

Bairds town
Ba kers field
Ba kers town
Ball town
Ball town
Bal ti more
Ban gor
Bar ba ra
Bar nard
Bar ne velt
Bar ne gat
Bar net
Barn sta ble
Barn sted
Bar re
Bar rets ton

Bar ring ton

Bart let

Bar ten

Av on

Ayers ton

L 2

Bart Bridge port Bloom field Bath Bloom ing dale Brid port Bat ten kill Blount ... Brim field Bea ver Blounts ville Bris tol Beau fort Blue hill Brom ley-Beck et Bol in broke Brook field Bed ford Brook lyn Bol ton Bed min ster Broth er ton Bom bay Beek man Brough ton Bom ba zin Belch er Bon a ven ture Brown field Bel fast Bon a vis ta Brun ners town Bel grade Bon ham town Browns ville Bel ling ham Boone ton Bruns wick Ben ning ton Boons bo rough Bru tus Ben e dict Buck land Bop quam Ben son Buc kles town Bor den town Ber gen Bot e tourt Bucks town Berk lev Bot tle hill Buck town Bound brook Berk shire Bull skin Ber lin Eour bon Burke Bur ling ton Ber nards town-Bow doin Bow doin ham Bern Bur ton Bow ling green Ber wick Bush town. Beth a ny Box bo rough Bush wick Beth el Box ford Bus tard Beth le hem-Boyl ston But ler But ter field Bev er ly Boz rah Bil lings port Brad ford But ter hill Bir ming ham Brain tree Bux ton Buz zards bay Black stone Bran don Bran dy wine By ber ry Bla den Bla dens burg Bran ford Bye field Brat tle bo rough By ram Blan ca Breck nock Blan co. Bland ford Brent wood: Cab ot Bled soe Bre ton Bridge town Ca diz Blen heim Bridge wa ter

Block ley

Cal ais.

Col ches ter Cal ders burg Charles ton Charles town Cole brook Cal-la o Cal vert Charle ton Con cord Con way Char lotte Cam bridge Cam den Char lottes ville Coots town Camp bell Chat ham Cor inth Cam po bel lo Chelms ford Cor nish Camp ton-Chel sea Corn wall Cort landt Ca naan Chel ten ham Can dia Chesh ire Cov en try Can ons burg Ches ter Cow pens Cox hall Can so Ches ter field Can ter bu ry Ches ter town Crab or chard Can ton Chick o py Cran ber ry Car di gan Chi ches ter Cra ney Car ibs Chip pe ways Crans ton Car los Chil mark Cra ven Car mel Chitt en den Craw ford Choc taws Car mel o Cross wicks Chris tians burg Car ne ro Cro ton Carns ville Chris tian sted Crown point Croy den Car o line. Chris to phers Church town Car ter Cul pep per Ci" ce ro Car ter et Cum ber land Car ters ville Clar en don Cum ming ton Clarks burg Car ver Cus co Cas co Clarkes town Cush e tunk Clarkes ville Cas tle ton Cush ing Cas tle town Clav er ack Cus sens Cas well Cus si tah Clin ton . Cato Clinch -Clos ter -Cav en dish Cay mans Cob ham Dal ton Ce cil Co bles hill Dan bu ry Cen ter Cock burne

Coey mans

Cokes bu ry

Chap el hill

Chance ford

Dan by Cham bers burg Cock er mouth Dan vers Dan villa Dar by

Dar i en Dar ling ton Dart mouth Dau phin Da vid son Ded ham Deer field Deer ing Den nis-Den ton Dept ford Der by Der ry Der ry field Dig by Digh ton Dis mal Don ne gal Dor ches ter Dor lach Dor set Doug las Down ings Dra cut Dres den Dro more Drum mond Dry den Duck creek Duck trap Dud ley Dum mer Dum mers town Dun cans burg Dun der burg Dun sta ble. Dur ham Duch ess

Dux bo rough Dux bu ry Dy ber ry

Eas ter ton East ham East on East town Ea ton Ea ton town F den Edes ton Ed gar ton Edge comb Edge field Edge mont Ef fing ham Egg har bor Eg. mont Eg re mont El bert El bert son Elk. Elk horn Elk ridge Elk ton El ling ton El lis El more. Em mits burg En field En glish town E no E nos burg. Ep pmg Ep som

Er rol

Er vin
Es qui maux
Es sex
Est her town
Eus tace
Ev ans ham
Eves ham
Ex e ter

Fa bi us Fair fax Fair field Fair lee Falk land Fal mouth Fals ing ton Fan net Fa quier Far ming ton Fay ette ville Fays town Féd er als burg Fells point. Fer ris burg Fin cas tle Find lev Fish ers field Fish kill Fitch burg Flat land Flem ing ton Fletch er Flints ton Flow er town Floyd Flush ing Fol low field

For est er ton Fram ing ham Fran ces town Fran cis burg Fran cois Frank fort

Frank lin Franks town Fred e ri ca Fred e rick

Fredericks burg Go shen Fred e ricks town Gos port

Free hold Free port Free town Fried burg

Fried land Fried en stadt

Fry burg Frow sack

G Gal en Gal lo way Gal way Gard ner Gas pee Gates Gay head

George town Ger man town Ger ma ny

Ger ry Get tys burg Gill

Gil lo ri Gil man town

Gil son

Glas gow

Glas ten bu ry Glouces ter Glov er

Glynn Goffs town Golds burg

Gol phing ton Gooch land

Gor ham

Go tham Graf ton

Grain ger Gren a dines

Gran ville

Gray Green burg

Green cas tle Green field Green land

Greens burg Greens ville Green ville Green wich

Green wood Gregs town

Gro ton Gry son Guil ford

Gur net

Guys burg

Hack ets town

Had dam. Had don field Had ley Ha gars town

Hal lam

Hal low el Ham den

Ham burg Ham il ton

Ham mels town

Hamp shire Hamp sted Hamp ton

Han cock Han nahs town

Han ni bal

Han o ver

Har din Hard wick

Har dv Har dys town

Har ford Har lem

Har mo ny

Har mar Har pers field

Har ple Harps well

Har ring ton Har ris burg

Har ri son Har rods burg

Hart ford Hart land

Har vard

Har wich

Har win ten-Hat burg

Hat field Hat chy

Hat te ras Hav er ford Ha ver hill Hav er straw Haw ! Hawke Haw kins Haw ley Hay cock Heath He bron Hec tor Hei dle berg Hell gate Hem lock Hemp field Hen ni ker Hen ri co Hen ry Her ke mer Hert ford Hi ats town Hick mans High gate High land Hills dale Hills burg Hill town Hines burg Hing ham Hins dale Hi ram Hit ton Ho bok Hol den Hol der ness Hol land Hol lis

Hol lis ton Hols ton Ho mer Hon ey goe Hooks town Hoo sac Hop kin ton Hop kins Hope well Horn town Horse neck Hors ham Hor ton Ho sac Hub bard ton Hub ber ton Hughs burg Hum mels town Hun ger ford Hun ter don Hun ters town Hun ting don Hunting ton Hunts burg Hunts ville Hur ley Hydes park

lack son Jack sons burg Taf frey Ta go lames Tames town Tay Tef fer son Tek yl lenk in town ler e mie Ter i co Jer sey Johns bu ry Tohn son John son burg Johns town Johns ton Jones Jones burg Jop pa: lore Tu dith Tu lian Iu li et \* Iu ni us

Ib ber ville In gra ham In ver ness Ips wich I ras burg Ire dell Ir vin Isles burg Ker is son gar. I slip

K. Kaats kill Keene Kel lys burg Ken net Ken no mic Ken sing ton Kent Kep lers

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Ker shaw Kick a muit Killing ly Kil ling ton Kil ling worth Kim bec King less Kings bu ry Kings ton King wood Kit te ry Knowl ton Knox. Knoul ton Knox ville Kort right

Lab ra dor Lam pe ter Lam prey Lan cas ter Lang don Laues bo rough Lan sing burg Law rence Lau rens Lea cock Lees burg Leb a non Leeds 3 Le high Leices ter Lem ing ton Lemps ter Len ox Le o gane Leom in ster

Le on Leon ards town Lev er ett Le vi Lew is Lew is burg Lew is town Lex ing ton Ley den Lib er ty Lich te nau Lick ing Lim er ick Lime stone Lin coln Lin coln town Lind ley Litch field Lit tle burg Lit tle ton Liver more Liv er pool Liv ing ston Locke Lock arts burg Lo gan Logs town Lon don der ry Lon don grove Look out

Lou don

Loch a bar

Lou is ville

Loy al soc

Lad low

Lou is town

Lum ber ton Lu ren burg Lur gan
Lut ter lock
Ly man
Lyme
Lynch burg
Lynde burg
Lyn den
Lynn
Lynn field
Ly ons
Lys tra

MI Mac o keth Mac o pin Mad bu ry Mad i son Maid stone Maine Make field Mal a bar Mal den Mar o nec Man ca 🏄 Man chac Man ches ter Man heim Man li us Man ning ton Man or Man sel Mans field Mar ble ton Mar ga rets ville Mar got Marl bo rough Mar low

Mar ple

Marsh field Mar tic Mar tin Mar tins burg Martins ville Mas co my Ma son Mas sac Mas ti gon Mat thews May field Mead ville Meck len burg Med field Med ford Med way Mend ham Men don Mer cer Mer cers burg Mere dith Mer i meg Mar i on Mero Mes sers burg Mid dle bo rough Mid dle bu ry Mid dle field Mid dle hook Mid dle berg Mid dle burg Mid dle sex Mid dle ton Mid dle town Mid way Mail lin Mil ford Mil field

Mil lers town Mill stone Mill town Mil ton Min gun Min goes Min i sink Mis tic Mo hawk Monk ton Mon mouth Mon son Mon ta gue Mont mo rin Moore Moore field Moose head More land More Mor gan Mor gan town Mor ris town Mor ris ville Moul ton berg Mul li cus Mun cy Mur frees burg My ers town

Nan je my Nan ti coke Nan ti mill Nash Nash u a Nas sau Natch es

Na tick

Nau ga tuc Nave sink Naz a reth Ned dick Need ham Nel son Nes co pec Nesh a noc Nev er sink New ark New burg New bu ry New bu ry port New found land New ing ton New lin New market New ton New town Nit ta ny Nix on ton No ble burg None such Noot ka Nor ridge woc Nor ri ton North bo rough North bridge North field North port North wood Nor ton Nor walk Nor way Nor wich. Not ta way. Not ting ham

Nox an

Par tridge field Pat ter son Oak ham Pau ca tuc O bed Paw ling O bi on Pauls burg O cri coc Paw let O gle thorp Pax ton O hi ope Peach am Old town Pea cock Ons low Pearl\* Or ange Peeks kill Or ange burg Pel ham Or ange town Pel i can Or ford Pem i gon Or le ans Pem broke Or ring ton Pen dle ton Or wel Pen guin Os na burg Pen ning ton Os si py Penns burg Os ti co Penns bu ry O tis field Pep in Ot ta was Pep per el Ot ter creek Pep per el burg Ou li out Pe quot Ov id Per ki o my Ox ford Per lic an Per son Pe ter bo rough Pack ers field Pe ters burg Pac o let Pe ters ham Pey tons burg Phil ip Phil ips burg Pick ers ville

Pinck ney Pinck ney ville Pis to let Pitt Pitts burg Pitts field Pitts ford Pitts town Plain field Plais tow Platts burg Plum sted Plym outh Plymp ton Po land. Pom fret Pomp ton Pomp ey Pop lin Por pess Por ter field Port land Ports mouth Pot ters Pot ters town Potts grove Poult ney Pow nal Pow nal burg Prai ry Pres cott Pres ton Pros pect Prov ince Prov ince town Pru dence Pur rys burg Put ney

Pal a tine Palm er Pam ti co Pan ton Pa ri a Par is Pax tang Par sons field

M

Pic o let

Pi" geon

Pike land

Pi lot town

Qua ker town Quee chy Queens bu ry Queens town Quib ble town Quin e baug Quin cy Quin e paug

Ra by Rad nor Ra leigh Ran dolph Ran dom Ra pha el Raph oc Raw don Rah way Ray mond Rayn ham Rays town Read field Read ing Red ding Read ing town Reeds burg Reel foot Reams town Reis ters town Rens se laer Rens se laer wick Sack ville Rhine beck

Rich field Rich mond Ridge field Rid lev Rindge

Rin gos town Rob ert son Rob e son Roch es ter

Rock bridge Rock fish Rock ford Rock hill Rock ing ham Ro" gers ville

Rom ney Rom o pac Rom u lus Rose way Ros sig nol Rot ter dam Rowe

Row lev Rox burg Rox bu ry Roy al ton Roy als ton Rum ney Ru pert Rus sel

Ruth er ford Ruths burg Rye ... Rye gate

Sa lem Sad bu ry Sau ga tuc Sal ford Salis bu ry Sam burg Samp town Samp son San born ton San co ty Sand gate San dis field San down Sand wick

San dy hook San dys ton Sand ford San ger field San ta cruse Sas sa fras Sau con Sau kies Sav age

Say brook Scar bo rough Scars dale Sho dack Shen brun Scoo duc Schay ler Scip i o Scit u ate Scriv en Scroon Sea brook Sears burg

Sedg wick See konk Se gum Sen e ka Sev ern

Se vi er Shafts bu ry Sham mo ny

Sham o kin

Shap leigh Sha ron Sharks town Sharps burg Shaw ny Shaw nees Sheep scut Shef field Shel burn Shel by Shen an do ah Shep herds field Shep herds town Sher burn Ship pands town Ship pens burg Shir ley Shong um Shore ham Shrews bu ry Shutes bu ry Sid ney Sims bu ry Sing sing Sin i ca Sin pink Skenes burg Skup per nong Skip ton Sku tock Slab town Smith field Smith town Smith ville Smyr na Snow hill Snow town So dus

Sole bu ry So lon Som ers Som er set Som ers worth Son go South bo rough South bu ry South field South ing ton South wark South wick Span ish town Spar ta Spar tan burg Spen cer Spots wood Spring field Spur wing Squam Staats burg Staf ford Stam ford Stand-ish Stan ford Stan wix Starks burg States burg Staun ton Ster ling Steu ben Ste vens Ste vens burg Ste ven town Ste phen town Still wa ter Stock bridge Stock port

Stod dard Stokes Stone ham Ston ing ton Sto no Stou e nuck Stough ton Stow ! Straf ford Stras burg Strat ford Strat ham Strat ton Stums town Stur bridge Styx : Steu ben ville Stis sick Sud bu ry Suf field Suf folk Suf frage Sul li van Su mans town Sum ner Sun a py Sun bu ry Sun cook Sun der land Sur ry Sus sex Sut ton Swams cot Swans burg Swan sey Swan ton Swan town Swedes burg

Syd ney Tal bot Tam ma ny Tam worth Ta ney town Ten saw Tar bo rough Tar ry town Taun ton Teach es Tel li co Tem ple Tem ple ton Tewks bu ry Thames Thet ford Thom as Thom as town Thomp son Thorn bu ry Thorn ton Thur man Tin i cum Tin mouth Tis bu ry Tiz on Tiv er ton Tol land Tomp son town Tops field Tops ham Tor but Tor ring ton Tot te ry Tow er hill Towns end Trap

Trap town Trent Tren ton Troy Tru ro Try on Tuck er ton Tuf ton burg Tul ly Tun bridge Tur bet Tur key Turn er Twig twees 'yngs burg Tyr ing ham Tyr rel Uls ter Un der hill U ni on

U ni ty

Up ton

U ti ca

U trecht
Ex bridge

V
Vas sal burg
Veal town
Ver non
Ver shire
Vic to ry
Vin cent
Vir gil
Vol un town

Wades burg

Wad me law Wads worth Wad ham Waits field Wa jo mic Wake field Wak a maw-Wal den Wald burg Wales Wal ling ford Wall kill Wall pack Wal pole Wal sing ham Walt ham Wand o Want age Wards burg Wards bridge Ware Ware ham War min ster Warn er War ren War ren ton War ring ton War saw War wick Wash ing ton Wa ter burg Wa ter bu ry Wa ter ford Wa ter town Wa ter vliet Waw a sink Wayne

Waynes.burg

Wins low Weare White marsh Weth ers field Whit paine Win ter ham Win throp Wei sen berg White plains Well fleet Whites town Win ton Whi ting Wells Wo burn Wen dell Whit ting ham Wol cott Wick ford Wolf burg Wen ham Wo mel dorf Went worth Wil bra ham We'sel Wilks bar re Wood bridge West bo rough Will iams burg Wood bu ry Wes ter ly Will iams port Wood creek Wes tern Will iam son Wood ford West field Will iams town Wood stock Wil lin burg West ford Woods town West ham Wil ling ton Wool wich Wil lis West min ster Worces ter Wil lis ton Wor thing ton West more Wills burg Wrent ham West more land West on Wil man ton Wrights burg West port Wrights town Wil ming ton West town Wil mot Wy an dots Wey mouth Wil son ville Wyn ton Wey bridge Win chen don Wythe Whar ton Win ches ter Whate ly Wind ham Yad kin Win hall Wheel ing Yar mouth Whee lock Win lock Yonk ers Whip pa ny Win ni pec York . White field Winns burg York town

The following have the accent on the second syllable.

Al gon kins An til les Al kan sas A bac' co-An to ni o A bit i bis A me lia A pu ri ma A ca di a A me ni a A quid nec A quac nac An co cus Ash cut ney A las ka A run del As sin i beils

M 2

As sump tion
Au re li us
Au ro ra

Bald ea gle
Bal div i a
Ba leze
Bark ham sted

Bar thol o mew Bel laire Bell grove

Bel pre
Ber bice
Ber mu da
Ber tie
Bil ler i ca

Bo quet Bos caw en

Bos caw en
Brook ha ven

Ca bar rus Co han sie Ca ho ki a Ca mil lus Cam peach y Caer nar von Co nan i cut Ca rac as Ca ran gas Car lisle Cas tine Ca taw ba Ca val lo Cay lo ma Cay enne Caz no vi a

Cham blee

Char lo tia

Che buc to Che mung Che raws

Chi a pa Chop tank Chow an Cler mont

Chic kau go Co do rus Co chel mus

Co col i co Co che cho Cock sa kie

Co hoc sink Co han zy Co has set

Co has set Co hoze Cole rain

Co lum bi a Co ne sus Con hos ton Co hos

Coo saw Cor dil le ras Corn wal lis Coo dras

Cow e tas Cu ma na

D
Daw fus ky
De fi ance
De troit
Din wid die
Do min go
Du anes burg
Dum fries

Dun bar ton

Du page Du plin

E liz a beth E liz a beth town Em maus Eu phra ta Es cam bi a Eu sta tia E so pus

Fair ha ven
Fay ette
Fitz will iam
Flat bush
Flu van na

Ex u ma.

Ge ne va
Ge rards town
Go naives
Gwyn nedd
Graves end
Green bush
Guild hall

Ha van na Hel e na Hen lo pen Hi was see Hon du ras

Jac mel Je ru sa lem

K Kas kas ki a Kow sa ki Key wa wa Kil lis ti noe Kil ken ny King sess ing Kin sale Kas kas kunk

La com ic La co ni a La goon Le noir Long bay Long i sland Long lake Long mead ow Lo ren zo Lo ret to Lou i sa Low hill Lu cay a Lu cia Lu zerne Ly com ing Lynn ha ven Ly san der:

M Ma chi as Ma cun gy Ma con nels burg Mo rant Ma de ra Ma hack a mac Ma ho ney Ma hone

Ma ho ning Ma nal lin Man hat tan Ma nil lon Ma quoit Mar cel lus Mar gal la way Ma tane Ma tan zas Ma til da Ma tin i cus Mat tap o ny Me dun cook Me her rin Mem ram cook Men do za Men ol o pen Me thu en Mi am i Mis sisk o Mine head Mo bill Mo he gan Mo hic con Mo nad noc Mon he gan Mo noc a sy.

Mon seag Mon tauk Mon te go Mont gomery Mont pe lier Mont ville

Mor gan za Mo shan non Mul he gan Musk ing um

Na hant Na mask et Nan task et Nan tuck et Nan tux et Na shon Nas keag Na varre Ne pon set Ne sham o ny\* New cas tle New England New fane New paltz Now Roch elle-New U trecht Ni ag a ra

N

Ni pis sing North amp ton North cas tle North east Northumberland Oak fus ky

Oak mul gy O co ny O nei da Or chil la Os we go Ot se go O was co O we go O wy hee

Pal my ra

Pronounced, Shammony.

Pa munk y Pa nu co Pa rai ba Pas sump sic Pa taps co Pa tuck et Pa tux et Pau tuck et Pau tux et Pe gun noc Pe jep scot Pe quon uc Per a mus Per cip a ny Per nam bu co Perth am boy Phi lop o lis Py an ke tunk Py an ke shaws Pier mont Pin chin a Pi o ri as Pla cen tia Po kon ca Po soom suc Port roy al Port penn Po to si Pough keep sie Pound ridge Presque isle Pre sums cot Pro tect worth

Quam pea gan

Red hook

Re ho both Ri van na Rock on ca ma Ros seau

Ro siers Row an

Sag har bour Salt ash San dus ky Sa rec to Sa vil la Sa voy

Sco har rie Scow he gan Se kon net Se ba go

Se bas ti cook Se bas tian

Sem pro ni us Se wee Sha wan gunk'

Shaw sheen She nan go She tuck et

Sche nec ta dy Skip pac. South amp ton

South hold Stra bane Swan na no

Swa ta ra

Tap pan Ta ba go

Ta bas co Ta con net

Ta doo sac Ta en sa Tar pau lin

Ta wan dy Ta wixt wy

Ti o ga To mis ca ning Tor bay To ron to Tor tu gas Tou lon

Tre coth ic Trux il lo Tunk han not

Ty bee Ty rone

U lvs ses Ur ban na

Ver gennes. Ver sailles

Ve nan go

Wa cho vi a Wa chu set Wal hold ing Wap pac a mo Wa tau ga Wa keag Web ham et West chest er West hamp ton

West In dies West point Wi com i co

· Pronounced, Shongum.

Wi nee Wi mac o mac Win eask Win yaw

Wis cas set Wy o ming

The following have the accent on the third syllable, and most of them a secondary accent on the first.

Ab be ville' Ac a pul co Ac co mac Ag a men tic us Ag a mun tic Al a bam a Al a chu a Al be marl Al le mand Al va ra do Am a zo ni a Am o noo suc Am us keag An ah uac An as ta sia An ti cos ti Ap a lach i an Ap a lach es Ap o quen e my Chick a hom i ny Ap po mat ox A que doch ton Arch i pel a go Au gus tine

Bas ken ridge Bel vi dere Bag a duce Beth a ba ra Bux a loons

Each i may o

Cagh ne wa ga Cal e do ni a Can a dar qua Can a wisk Can i co de o Car ib bee Car i coo Car i boo Car tha ge na Cat a ra qua Cat a wis sa Cat te hunk

Chab a quid ic Char le mont Chat a ho chy Chat a nu ga Cher o kee Chet i ma chas Chic ca mog ga Chick a ma ges

Chick a saw Chil ho wee Chil lis quac Chim bo ra zo Chris ti an a Clar e mont

Cin cin na tus Con a wa go Con a wan go Con dus keag Con e dog we net

Co ne maugh > Kar a tunk Cock a la mus

Con es te o Con es to go Con ga ree Coo sa hatch v Co to pax i Cur ri tuc Cus co wil la Cus se wa go

> Dem e ra ra Des e a da

Eb en e zer En o ree Es ca ta ri Es se que bo

Fron ti nac Freid en huet ten

Gal li op o lis Gen ne see Gen e vieve Grad en huet ten

In di an a Kas ki nom pa

Kay da ros so ra Mus ko gee Ken ne bunk Kick a poo Kin der hook Kis ke man i tas Nau do wes sy Kit ta ning Kit ta tin ny LLach a wan na Lech a wax en Let ter ken ny Lit tle comp ton Oc co chap po M Mach a nov Mag da le na Mag e gad a vie Ma gel lan Ma gel la ni a Mar a cai bo Man a han Mar ble head Mar cus hook Mar ga ret ta Ma ri et ta Mas sa nu ten Mau re pas Mel a was ka Mem fre ma gog Pem a quid Mack i naw\* Mi ro goane Mis sin abe Mis si quash

Mo hon ton go

Mo non ga lia

Mor ris se na

Moy a men sing

Mont re al-

Na hun keag Nan se mond Nic a ra gua Nip e gon

Niv er nois Nock a mix on Nol a chuc ky

Oc co neach y Oc co quan Oc to ra ro On a lash ka Os sa baw Os we gach y Ot o gam ies

Pak a nok it Pan a ma Pan i mar i bo Pas ca go la Pas quo tank Pas sy unk Pat a go ni a Pen sa co la Per qui mins Per ki o men Pitts syl va ni a Pluck e min Po ca hon tas Po co moke Pont char train Por to bel lo

Port to bac co Put a wat o mie

Quem a ho ning

Reg o lets Riv er head Rock e mo ko

Sag a mond Sag a naum Sag en da go Sal va dore Sar'a nac Sar a to ga Sax e go tha Scat e cook Seb a cook Sem i noles Sin e pux ent Scan e at e tes Soc an da ga Spot syl va ni Sur i nam

TTal la see Tal a poo sy Tap pa han noc The a kik i Tib e ron Tow a men sin To ne wan to To to wa Tuck a hoc Tu cu man

The popular pronunciation of Mishillmackinas.

ul pe hock en us ca ro ra U na dil la i nal ha ven Wah que tank Wil li man tic Win ne ba go Wy a lu sing Wy a lux ing
Wy o noke

Y
Yu ca tan

Yoh o ga ny

The following are accented on the fourth syllable.

Can a jo har ry
Can a se ra ga
Can e de ra go
Chick a ma com i co
Cob bes e con ty
Co hon go ron to
Con e go cheag
Dam e ris cot ta
Eas tan al lee
Kish a co quil las

Mish il li mack a nac'

Mo non ga he la
Om pom pa noo suc
Pas sam a quod dy
Pem i ge was set
Quin sig a mond
Rip pa ca noe
Sag a da hoc
Sax a pa haw
Ti con de ro ga
Wa nas pe tuck et

## Islands of the West Indies.

in guil' la
in ti' gua\*
ia ha' ma
ier mu' da
iar ba' does
iar bu' da
iur a so'
iu' ba
Jom in i' co†
far tin i' co‡

Por to ri' con Eu sta' tia Gre na' da Gau da lou'pell Hay ti or His pan i o' la Ja ma'i ca Mar i ga lant' Miq ue lon' Mont ser rat' Ne' vis
To ba' go
Trin i dad'
Sant a Cruse
St. Christ'o phers
St. Lu cia¶
St. Mar' tins
St. Thom' as
St. Vin' cent

<sup>\*</sup> Pronounced, Mackinaw.

<sup>\*</sup> Pronounced, Autega.

Portoreko. | Guadaloop.

<sup>†</sup> Domineke. ‡ Martineke. ¶ Saint Luzee.

# TABLE LII.

W.1 4 m 直接在宣誓		OF Numbers,	
Figure	s. Letters.	Names. Nur	nerical Adjectives.
19,41	I	one	first
2	II	two	second
3	III	three	third
4	IV	four	fourth
5	V. F.	five	fifth
6	VI	Six	sixth
7	VII	seven	seventh
8	VIII	eight	eighth
9	IX	nine	ninth
10	X	ten	tenth
11	XI.	eleven	eleventh
12	XII	twelve	twelfth
13	XIII	thirteen	thirteenth
14	XIV	fourteen	fourteenth
15	XV	fifteen	fifteenth
16	XVI	sixteen	sixteenth
17	XVII	seventeen	seventeenth
18	XVIII	eighteen	eighteenth
19	XIX	nineteen	nineteenth
20	XX	twenty	twentieth
30	XXX	thirty	thirtieth
40	XL	forty	fortieth
50	L	fifty	fiftieth
60	LX	sixty	sixtieth
70	LXX	seventy	seventieth
80	LXXX	eighty	eightieth
90	XC	ninety	ninetieth
100	C	one hundred	one hundredth
200	CC	two hundred	two hundredth
300	CCC	three hundred	three hundredth
400	CCCC	four hundred	four hundredth
500	D	five hundred	five hundredth
600	DC	six hundred	six hundredth
700	DCC	seven hundred	seven hundredth
800	DCCC	eight hundred	eight hundredth
900	DCCCC	nine hundred	nine hundredth
1000	M	one thousand, &c.	
1804	MDCCCI	Vone thousand eigh	it hundred & four.
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### TABLE LIII.

Words of the same sound, but different in spelling and signification.

AIL, to be troubled ,... Ale, malt liquor Air, an element Are, plural of is or am Heir, to an estate All, the whole Awl, an instrument Al tar, for sacrifice Alter, to change Ant, a pismire Aunt, uncle's wife. As cent, steepness. As sent, an agreement Au ger, an instrument Au gur, one who foretells Bail, surety Bale, a pack of goods Ball, a round substance Bawl, to cry aloud Bare, naked Bear to suffer Bear, a beast

Beer, a liquor
Bier, to carry the dead
Ber ry, a small fruit
Bu ry, to inter the dead
Beat, to strike
Beet, a root
Blew, did blow

Base, vile

Bass, in music

Blue, colour
Boar, a male swine
Bore, to make a hole
Bow, to bend
Bough, a branch

Bow, to shoot with Boau, a gay fellow Bred, brought up Bread, food Bur row, for rabbits

Bur row, for rappies
Bo rough, a town corperate
By, a particle
Buy, to purchase

Buy, to purchase
Cain, a man's name
Cane, a shrub or staff
Call, to cry out
Caul, of a wig or bowels

Can non, a large gun
Can on, a rule
Can vass, to examin
Can vas, coarse cloth
Ceil ing, of a room
Seal ing, setting of a seal
Cell, a hut

Sell, to dispose of

Cen tu ry, a hundred
years

Cen tau ry, an herb Chol er, wrath Col har, for the neck Cord, a small rope

Chord, in music
Ci on, a young shoot
Si on, a mountain
Cite, to summon
Sight, seeing
Site, situation

Chron i cal, of a long continuance Chron i cle, a history

V

Course, order or direction Coarse, not fine

Com ple ment, a full num-

Com pli ment, expression of civility

Cous in, a relation Coz en, to cheat

Coun cil, an assembly Coun sel, advice

Cur rant, a berry

Current, passing, or a stream

Deer, a wild animal

Dear, of great price Dew, from heaven

Due, owed Die, to expire

Dye, to color

Doe, a female deer Dough, bread unbaked

Dun, brown color Done, performed

Fane, a weather cock

Fain, gladly

Feign, to dissemble Faint, weary

Feint, a false march

Fair, comely

Fare, food, customary du-

ty, &c. Fel lon, a whitlew

Fel lon, a whitlow Fel on, a criminal

Flea, an insect

Flee, to run away

Flour, of wheat

Flow er, of the field

Fourth, in number Form, abroad

Foul, nasty Fowl, a bird Gilt, with gold Guilt, crime Grate, for coals

Great, large Groan, to sigh Grown, increased

Hail, to salute, or frozen drops of rain

Hale, sound, healthy
Hart, a beast

Heart, the seat of life Hare, an animal

Hair, of the head Here, in this place

Hear, to hearken Hew, to cut

Hue, color

Him, that man Hymn, a sacred song

Hire, wages High er, more high

Heel, of the foot Heal, to cure

I, myself

Eye, organ of sight Isle, an Island

Ile, of a church In, within

Inn, a tavern

In dite, to compose In dict, to presecute

Kill, to slay Kiln, of brick

Knave, a dishonest man Nave, of a wheel

Knight, by honor

Night, the evening Know, to be acquainted

No, not so Knew, did know

New, not old

Knot, made by tying Not, denying Lade, to dip water Laid, placed Lain, did lie Lane, a narrow passage Leek, a root Leak, to run out Les son, a reading Les sen, to diminish Li ar, a teller of lies Lyre, a harp Led, did lead Lead, heavy metal Lie, a falsehood, also to rest on a bed Lye, water drained through ashes Lo, behold Low, humble Made, finished Maid, an unmarried woman Main, the chief Mane, of a horse Male, the he kind Mail, armor, or a packet Man ner, mode or custom-Man or, a lordship Meet, to come together Meat, flesh Mete, measure Mite, an insect Might, strength Met al, gold or silver, &c. Met tle, briskness Naught, bad Nought, none Nay, no Neigh, as a horse Oar, to row with

Ore, metal not separated

Oh, alas Owe, to be indebted One, in number Won, past time of win Our, belonging Hour, sixty minutes Pale, wanting color Pail, a vessel Pain, torment Pane, a square of glass Peel, the outside Peal, upon the bells Pear, a fruit Pare, to cut off Plain, even, or level Plane, to make smooth. Plate, a flat piece of metal Plait, a fold in a garment, Pray, to implore Prey, a booty Prin ci pal, chief. Prin ci ple, first rule Proph et, a foreteller Prof it, advantage Peace, tranquillity Piece, a part Rain, falling water Rein, of a bridle Reign, to rule Reed, a shrub Read, to peruse Rest, ease Wrest, to force Rice, a sort of com Rise, origin Rye, a sort of grain Wry, crooked Ring, to sound Wring, to twist Rite, ceremony Right, just ..

Write, to form letters with a pen

Wright, a workman Rode, did ride Road, the highway

Roe, a deer

Row, a rank Ruff, a neckcloth

Rough, not smooth Sail, of a ship

Sale, a selling

Seen, beheld Scene, of a stage

See, to behold

Sea, the ocean

Sent, ordered away Scent, smell

Sen ior, elder

Seign or, a lord

Shore, side of a river Shoar, a prop

Sink, to go down

Cinque, five So, thus

Sow, to scatter.

Sum, the whole Some, a part

Sun, the fountain of light

Son, a male child

Sore, an ulcer

Soar, to mount up

Stare, to look earnestly

Stair, a step Steel, hard metal

Steal, to take without liberty

Suc cor, help

Suck er, a young twig Sleight, dexterity

Slight, to despise

Sole, of the foot Soul, the spirit Tax, a rate

Tacks, small nails Tale, a story

Tail, the end

Tare, weight allowed Tear, to rend

Team, of cattle or horses Teem, to go with young

Their, belonging to them There, in that place

The, a particle Thee, yourself

Too, likewise

Two, twice one Tow, to drag after

Toe, of the foot

Vale, a valley

Veil, a covering Vein, for the blood Vane, to show the course

of the wind

Vice, sin Vise, a screw

Wait, to tarry

Weight, heaviness Wear, to put on

Ware, merchandize

Were, past time plu.of am

Waste, to spend Waist, the middle

Way, road

Weigh, to poise Week, seven days Weak, not strong

Wood, trees

Would, was willing You, plural of thee

Yew, a tree

## TABLE LIV.

## Of ABBREVIATIONS.

A. A. S. Fellow of the A-\* merican Academy C. A. S. Fellow of the Connecticut Academy A. B. Bachelor of Arts A. D. In the year of our Lord 1. M. Master of Arts, before noon, or in the year of the world Bart. Baronet 3. D. Bachelor of Divinity C. or Cent. an hundred Capt. Captain Col. Colonel Canticles Chapter Chapter Chron. Chronicles lo. Company com. Commissioner Cr. Credit Cwt. Hundred weight D. D. Doctor of Divinity Dr. Doctor or Debtor lec. December Jep. Deputy Deut. Deuteronomy lo. or ditto; the same . G. for example ccl. Ecclesiastes p. Epistle ing. English ph. Ephesians sa. Esaias x. Example, or Exodus eb. February

r. France, or Francis

F. R. S. Fellow of the Royal Society Gal. Galatians Gen. Genesis Gent. Gentleman Geo. George G. R. George the King Heb. Hebrews Hon. Honorable Hund. Hundred Ibidem, ibid. in the same place Isa, Isaiah i. e. that is Id. the same Jan. January Ja. James Jac. Jacob Josh. Joshua K. King Km. Kingdom Kt. Knight L. Lord or Lady Lev. Leviticus Lieut. Lieutenant L. L. D. Doctor of Laws L. S the place of the Seal Lond. London M. Marquis M. B. Bachelor of Physic M. D. Doctor of Physic Mr. Master Messis. Gentlemen, Sirs Mrs. Mistress

M. S. Manuscript M. S. S. Manuscripts

Mat. Mathew

Math. Mathematics N.B. take particular notice Nov. November No. Number N. S. New Stile Obj. Objection Oct. October O. S. Old Stile Parl. Parliament Per cent. by the hundred Pet. Peter Phil. Philip Philom. a lover of learning P. M. Afternoon P. S. Postscript Fs. Psalm Q. Question, Queen q. d. as if he should say a. l. as much as you please

Regr. Register

Rev. Revelation, Reverend

S. South and Shilling St. Saint Sept. September. Seri. Sergeant S. T. P. Professor of Divinity, S. T. D. Doctor of Divinity ss. to wit, namely. Theo. Theophilus ! Tho. Thomas Thess. Thessalonians. V. or vide, see Viz. to wit, namely Wm. William Wp. Worship. &. and &c. and so forth . U. S. A. United States of

America

Rt. Hon. Right Honorable.

### EXPLANATION

Of the Pauses and other CHARACTERS used in. WRITING.

A comma, (,) is a pause of one syllable—A semicolon (;) two-A colon (:) four-A period (.) six-An interrogation point (?) shows when a question is asked; as, What do you see? An exclamation point (!) is a mark of wonder or surprise; as, O' the folly of sinners !- The pause of these two points is the same as a colon or a period, and the sentence should usually be closed with a raised tone of voice.

() A parenthesis includes a part of a sentence, which is not necessary to make sense, and should be read quicker, and in a weaker tone of voice.

[] Brackets or Hooks, include words that serve to explain a foregoing word or sentence.

- A Hyphen joins words or syllables; as, sea-water.

'An Apostrophe shows when a letter is omitted, as we'd for used.

A. A Caret shows when a word or number of words are

my.

omitted through mistake; as, this is book.

" A quotation or double comma, includes a passage

that is taken from some other author in his own words.

F The index, points to some remarkable passage.

The undex, points to some remarkable passage.

The Paragraph begins a new subject.

The Paragraph begins a new subject.

The Section is used to divide chapters.

\*†‡§ An Asterisk, and other references, point to a note in the margin or bottom of a page.

#### OF CAPITAL LETTERS.

Sentences should begin with a capital letter—Also. every line in poetry. Proper names, which are the names of persons, places, rivers, mountains, lakes, &c. should begin with a capital. Also the name of the Supreme Being.

#### ADDITIONAL LESSONS.

### DOMESTIC ECONOMY

Or, The History of THRIFTY and UNTHRIFTY.

THERE is a great difference among men, in their ability to gain property; but a still greater difference, in their power of using it to advantage. Two men may acquire the same amount of money, in a given time; yet one will prove to be a poor man, while the other becomes rich. A chief and essential difference in the management of property, is, that one man spends only the interest of his money, while another spends the principal.

I know a farmer by the name of Thrifty, who manages his affairs in this manner: He rises early in the morning, looks to the condition of his house, barn, homelot and stock—sees that his cattle, horses and hogs are fed; examins the tools to see whether they are all in good order for the workmen—takes care that breakfast, is ready in due season, and begins work in the cool of the day—When in the field, he keeps steadily at work, though not so violently as to fatigue and exhaust the bose

dy—nor does he stop to tell or hear long stories—When the labor of the day is past, he takes refreshment, and goes to rest at an early hour—In this manner he earns

and gains money.

When Thrifty has acquired a little property, he does not spend it or let it slip from him, without use or benefit. He pays his taxes and debts when due or called for, so that he has no officers fees to pay, nor expenses of courts. He does not frequent the tavern and drink up all his earnings in liquor that does him no good. He puts his money to use, that is, he buys more land, or stock, or lends his money at interest—in short, he makes his money produce some profit or income. These savings and profits, though small by themselves, amount in a year to a considerable sum, and in a few years, they swell to an estate—Thrifty becomes a wealthy farmer, with several hundred acres of land, and a hundred head of cattle.

Very different is the management of Unthrifty: He lies in bed, till a late hour, in the morning—then rises, and goes to the bottle for a dram, or to the tavern for a glass of bitters—Thus he spends six cents before. breakfast, for a dram that makes him dull and heavy all He gets his breakfast late, when he ought to be at work-When he supposes he is ready to begin the work. of the day, he finds he has not the necessary tools, or some of them are out of order,—the plow-share is to be sent half a mile to a blacksmith to be mended; a tooth or two in a rake or the handle of a hoe, is broke; or a sythe or an ax is to be ground.—Now, he is in a great. hurry, he bustles about to make preparation for work-... and what is done in a hurry is ill done-he loses a part of the day in getting ready-and perhaps the time of his . workmen. At ten or eleven o'clock he is ready to go to work—then comes a boy and tells him, the sheep have escaped from the pasture—or the cows have got among his corn-or the hogs into the garden-He frets and storins, and runs to drive them out-a half hour or more time is lost in driving the cattle from mischief, and repairing a poor broken fence—a fence that answers no purpose but to lull him into security, and teach his horses and cattle to be unruly-After all this bustle, the fatigue of which is worse than common labor, Unthrifty is ready to begin a day's work at twelve o'clock.—Thus half his time is lost in supplying defects, which proceed from want of foresight and good management. His small crops are damaged or destroyed by unruly cattle.—His barn is open and leaky, and what little he gathers, is injured by the rain and snow.—His house is in a like condition—the shingles and clapboards fall off and let in the water, which causes the timber, floors and furniture to decay—and exposed to inclemencies of weather, his wife and children fall sick—their time is lost, and the mischief closes with a ruinous train of expenses for medicines and physicians.—After dragging out some years of disappointment, misery and poverty, the lawyer and the sheriff sweep away the scanty remains of his estate. This is the history of Unteriffer.

spent-he has no interest.

Not unlike this, is the history of the Grog-drinker. This man wonders why he does not thrive in the world; he cannot see the reason why his neighbor Temperance should be more prosperous than himself—but in truth, he makes no calculations. Ten cents a day for grog, is a small sum, he thinks, which can hurt no man! But let us make an estimate-arithmetic is very useful for a man who ventures to spend small sums every day. Ten cents a day amount in a year to thirty-six dollars and a half—a sum sufficient to buy a good farm horse! This surely is no small sum for a farmer or mechanic-But in ten years, this sum amounts to three hundred and sixty five dollars, besides interest in the mean time! What an amount is this for drams and bitters in ten years! it is money enough to build a small house! But look at the amount in thirty years !—One thousand and ninety five dollars! What a vast sum to run down one man's throat in liquor-a sum that will buy a farm sufficient to maintain a small family. Suppose a family to consume a quart of spirits in a day, at twenty five cents a quart. The amount of this in a year, is ninety one dollars and a quarter-in ten years, nine hundred and twelve dollars and a half-and in thirty years, two thousand, seven hundred and thirty seven dollars and a half! A great estate, may thus.

be consumed, in single quarts of rum! What mischief is done by the love of spirituous liquors!

But, says the laboring man, "I cannot work without spirits—I must have something to give me strength." Then drink something that will give durable nourishment—Of all the substances taken into the stomach, spirituous liquors contain the least nutriment, and add the least to bodily vigor. Malt liquors, melasses and water, milk and water, contain nutriment, and even cycler is not wholly destitute of it—but distilled spirituous liquors contain little or none.

But says the laborer or the traveller, " spirituous liz. quors warm the stomach, and are very useful in cold weather"-No, this is not correct. Spirits enliven the feelings for half an hour-but leave the body more dull, languid and cold than it was before. A man will freeze the sooner for drinking spirits of any kind. If a man wishes to guard against cold, let him eat a biscuit, a bit of bread or a meal of victuals. Four ounces of bread will give a more durable warmth to the body, than a gallon of spirits-food is the natural stimulant or exciting power of the human body-it gives warmth and strength, and does not leave the body, as spirit does, more feeble and languid. -The practice of drinking spirits gives a man red eyes, a bloated face, and an empty purse-It injures the liver, produces dropsy, occasions a trembling of the joints and limbs, and closes life with a slow decay or palsy—This is a short history of the drinker of distilled spirits. If a few drinking men are found to be exceptions to this account, still the remarks are true, as they apply to most cases. Spirituous liquors shorten more lives than famin, pestilence and the sword !

#### LESSONS ON FAMILIAR SUBJECTS.

ALL mankind live on the fruits of the earth—the first and most necessary employment therefore is the tillage of the ground, called agriculture, husbandry, or farming. The farmer clears his land of trees, roots and stones—he surrounds it with a fence of poles, posts and rails, stone-wall, hedge or ditch. He plows and harrows, or drags the soil, to break the clods or turf, and make it mellow and pliable—he manures it also, if necessary, with

stable dung, ashes, marl, plaster, lime, sea-shells, or decayed vegetable substances. He plants maiz in rows, or sows wheat, burley, rye, oats, buckwheat, flax or kemp. He hoes the maiz two or three times, kills the weeds and draws the earth round the hills to support and nourish the plants—When the grain is ripe, he reaps or cradles his grain, and pulls the flax.—The ears of maiz are picked by hand, or the stalks cut with a sickle or knife and the husks are stripped off, in the evening. With what joy does the farmer gather his crops, of the former and latter harvest !—He toils indeed, but he reaps the fruit of his labor in peace—he fills his granary in summer, and in autumn presents a thank-offering to God for his bounty.

See the mower, how he swings his sythe!—The grass falls prostrate before him—the glory of the field is laid low—the land is stripped of its verdant covering. See the stripling follow his father or brother, and with a pitch fork, spread the thick swath, and shake the grass about the meadow! How fragrant the smell of new

made hay-how delightful the task to tend it !

Enter the forest of the wilderness—See here and there a rustic divelling made of logs—a little spot cleared and cultivated—a thatched hovel to shelter a cow and her food—the forest resounding with the ax-man's blows, as he levels the sturdy beach, maple, or hemlock; while the crackling fire aics his hands, by consuming the massy piles of wood which he cannot remove—Hear the howling wolf, or watch the nimble deer, as he bounds along among the trees—The faithful cow, in search of shrubs and twigs, strays from the cottage, and the owner seeks her at evening, in the gloomy forest; led by the tunkling of the bell, he finds and drives her home. A bowl of bread and milk, furnishes him with his frugal repast; he retires weary to rest—and the sleep of the låboring man is sweet.

See the dairy woman, while she fills her pails with new milk—the gentle cows quartly chewing their cuds by her side. Enter the milk-room, see the pans, pails and tubs, how clean and sweet, all in order, and fit foruse! The milk strained and put in a cool place—the cream skimmed off for butter, or the milk set for cheese

—Here is a churn as white as ivory—there a cheesepress forcing the whey from the curd! See the shelves filled with cheeses—What a noble sight! and butter as

yellow as the purcet gold!

George, let us look into the work-shops among the mechanics. Here is a carpenter, he squares a post or a beam; he scores or notches it first, and then hews it with his broad-ax. He bores holes with an auger, and with the help of a chisel forms a mortise for a tenon. He measures with a square or rule, and marks his work with a compass. Each timber is fitted to its place. The sills support the posts, and these support the beams. Braces secure the frame of a building from swaying or leaning—Girders and joists support the floors; studs, with the posts, support the walls, and rafters uphold the roof.

Now comes the joiner with his chest of tools. He plains the boards, joints the shingles, and covers the building—With his saw he cuts boards, with his gimblet or whimble, he makes holes for pails, pins or spikes,—

with his chisel and gouge, he makes mortises.

Then comes the mason with his trowel—the laths are nailed to the studs and joists to support the plaster, first a rough coat of coarse mortar of lime and sand is laid on, and this is covered with a beautiful white plaster. And last of all comes the painter with his brush and oil-pots—he mixes the oil and white lead, and gives to the apartments the color which the owner or his lady sees fit to direct.

#### A MORAL CATECHISM.

Question. WHAT is moral virtue?

Answer. It is an honest upright conduct in all our dealines with men.

Q. What rules have we to direct us in our moral conduct?

A. Gop's word, contained in the bible, has furnished all necessary rules to direct our conduct.

Q. In what part of the bible are these rules to be found?

A. In almost every part; but the most important duties between men are summed up in the beginning of Matthew, in Carist's Sermon on the Mount.

#### OF HUMILITY.

Q. What is humility?

A. A lowly temper of mind.

Q. What are the advantages of humility?

A. The advantages of humility in this life are very numerous and great. The humble man has few or no enemies. Every one loves him and is ready to do him good. If he is rich and prosperous, people do not envy him; if he is poor and unfortunate, every one pities him; and is disposed to alleviate his distresses.

Q. What is pride?

A. A lofty high minded disposition.

Q. Is pride commendable?

A. By no means. A modest, self approving opinion of our own good deeds is very right—it is natural—it is agreeable, and a spur to good actions. But we should not suffer our hearts to be blown up with pride, whatever great and good deeds we have done; for pride brings upon us the ill-will of mankind, and displeasure of our Maker.

Q. What effect has humility upon our own minds?

A. Humility is attended with peace of mind and self-satisfaction. The humble man is not disturbed with cross accidents, and is never fretful and uneasy; nor does he repine when others grow rich. He is contented, because his mind is at ease.

Q. What is the effect of pride on a man's happiness?

A. Pride exposes a man to numberless disappointments and mortifications. The proud man expects more attention and respect will be paid to him, than he descrees, or than others are willing to pay him. He is neglected, hughed at and despised, and this treatment frets him, so that his own mind becomes a seat of torment. A proud man cannot be a happy man.

Q. What has Christ said, respecting the virtue of hu-

mility?

A. He has said, "Blessed are the poor in spirit for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." Poorness of spirit is humility; and this humble temper prepares a man for heaven, where all is peace and love.

## OF MERCY.

Q. What is mercy?

A. It is tenderness of heart.

Q. What are the advantages of this virtue?

A. The exercise of it tends to diffuse happiness and lessen the evils of life. Rulers of a merciful temper will make their good subjects happy; and will not torment the bud, with needless severity. Parents and masters will not abuse their children and servants with harsh treatment. More love, more confidence, more happiness, will subsist among men, and of course society will be happier.

Q. Should not beasts as well as men be treated with

mercy?

A. They ought indeed. It s wrong to give needless pain even to a beast. Cruelty to the brutes shows a man has a hard heart, and if a man is unfeeling to a beast, he will not have much feeling for men. If a man treats his beast with cruelty, beware of trusting yourself in his power. He will probably make a severe master and a cruel husband.

Q. How does cruelty show its effects ?

A. A cruel disposition is usually exercised upon those who are under its power. Cruel rulers make severe laws which injure the persons and properties of their subjects. Cruel officers execute laws in a severe manner, when it is not necessary for public good. A cruel husband abuses his wife and children. A cruel master acts the tyrant over his apprentices and servants. The effects of cruelty are, hatred, quarrels, tumuks and wretchedness.

O. What does Christ say of the merciful man?

A. He says he is "blessed, for he shall obtain mercy." He who shows mercy and tenderness to others, will be treated with tenderness and compassion himself.

### OF PEACE-MAKERS.

Q. Who are peace-makers?

A. All who endeavor to prevent quarrels and disputes among men; or to reconcile those who are separated by strife.

Q. Is it unlawful to contend with others on any occasion?

A. It is impossible to avoid some differences with

men; disputes should be always conducted with temper and moderation. The man who keeps his temper will not be rash, and do or say things which he will afterwards repent of. And though men should sometimes differ, still they should be friends. They should be ready to do kind offices to each other.

Q. What is the reward of the peace-maker ?

A. He shall be "blessed, and called the child of God." The mild, peaceable, friendly man, resembles God. What an amiable character is this! To be like our heavenly Father, that lovely, perfect and glorious being, who is the source of all good, is to be the best and happiest of men.

## OF PURITY OF HEART.

Q. What is a pure heart?

A. A heart free from all bad desires, and inclined to conform to the divine will in all things.

Q. Should a man's intentions as well as his actions be

good?

A. Most certainly. Actions cannot be called good, unless they proceed from good motives. We should wish to see and to make all men better and happier—we should rejoice at their prosperity. This is benevolence.

Q. What reward is promised to the fure in heart?

A. Christ has declared "they shall see God." A pure heart is like God, and those who possess it shall dwell in his presence and enjoy his favor for ever.

#### OF ANGER.

Q. Is it right ever to be angry?

A. It is right in certain cases that we should be angry; as when gross affronts are offered to us, and injuries done us by design. A suitable spirit of resentment, in such cases, will obtain justice for us, and protect us from further insults.

Q. By what rule should anger be governed?

A. We should never be angry without cause; that is, we should be certain that a person means to affront, injure or insult us, before we suffer ourselves to be angry. It is wrong, it is mean, it is a mark of a little mind to take fire at every little trifling dispute. And when we have real cause to be angry, we should observe mode-

ration. We should never be in a passion. A passionate man is like a madman and is always inexcusable. should be cool even in anger; and be angry no longer than to obtain justice. In short, we should "be angry and sin not."

#### OF REVENGE.

Q. What is revenge?

A. It is to injure a man because he has injured us.

Q. Is this justifiable?

A. Never, in any possible case. Revenge is perhaps the meanest, as well as wickedest vice in society.

O. What shall a man do to obtain justice when he is in-

jured?

A. In general, laws have made provision for doing justice to every man; and it is right and honorable, when a man is injured, that he should seek a recompence. But a recompence is all he can demand, and of that he should not be his own judge, but should submit the matter to judges appointed by authority.

O. But suppose a man insults us in such a manner that

the law cannot give us redress?

A. Then forgive him. " If a man strikes you on one cheek, turn the other to him," and let him repeat the abuse, rather than strike him.

Q. But if we are in danger from the blows of another.

may we not defend ourselves?

A. Most certainly. We have always a right to defend our persons, property and families. But we have no right to fight and abuse people merely for revenge. It is nobler to forgive. "Love your enemies-bless them that curse you do good to them that hate you pray for them that use you ill,"-these are the commands of the blessed Savior of men. The man who does this is great and good; he is as much above the little, mean. revengeful man, as virtue is above vice, or as heaven in higher than hell.

## OF JUSTICE.

Q. What is justice?

A. It is giving to every man his due.

Q. Is it always easy to know what is just?

A. It is generally easy; and where there is any diffi-

culty in determining, let a man consult the golden rule
—" To do to others, what he could reasonably wish they
should do to him, in the same circumstances."

Q. What are the ill effects of injustice?

A. If a man does injustice, or rather, if he refuses to do justice, he must be compelled. Then follows a lawsuit, with a series of expenses, and what is worse, ill-blood and enmity between the parties. Somebody is always the worse for law-suits, and of course society is less happy.

#### OF GENEROSITY.

Q. What is generosity?

A. It is some act of kindness performed for another which strict justice does not demand.

O. Is this a virtue?

A. It is indeed a noble virtue. To do justice, is well; but to do more than justice, is still better, and may proceed from nobler motives.

Q. What has Christ said respecting generosity?

A. He has commanded us to be generous in this passage, "Whosoever shall compel (or urge) you to go a mile, go with him two."

Q. Are we to perform this literally?

A. The meaning of this command will not always require this.—But in general we are to do more for others, than they ask, provided we can do it, without essentially injuring ourselves. We ought cheerfully to suffer many inconveniences to oblige others, though we are not required to do ourselves any essential injury.

Q. Of what advantage is generosity to the man who ex-

rcises it ?

A. It lays others under obligations to the generous man; and the probability is, that he will be repaid three fold. Every man on earth wants favors at some time or other in his life; and if we will not help others, others will not help us. It is for a man's interest to be generous.

Q. Ought we to do kind actions because it is for our in-

erest?

A. This may be a motive at all times; but if it is the principal motive, it is less honorable. We ought to do

good, as we have opportunity, at all times and to all men, whether we expect a reward or not; for if we do good, somebody is the happier for it. This alone is reason enough, why we should do all the good in our power.

## OF GRATITUDE.

Q. What is gratitude?

A. A thankfulness of heart for favors received.

Q. Is it a duty to be thankful for favors?

d. It is a duty and a virtue. A man who does not feel grateful for kind acts done for him by others, does not deserve favors of any kind. He ought to be shut out from the society of the good. He is worse than a savage, for a savage never forgets an act of kindness.

Q What is the effect of true kindness?

A. It softens the heart towards the generous man, and every thing which subdues the pride and other unsocial passions of the heart, fits a man to be a better citizen, a better neighbor, a better husband and a better friend. A man who is sensible of favors and ready to acknowledge them, is more inclined to perform kind offices, not only towards his benefactor, but towards all others.

## OF TRUTH.

Q. What is truth?

A. It is speaking and acting agreeable to fact.

Q. Is it a duty to speak truth at all times?

A. If we speak at all, we should tell the truth. It is not always necessay to tell what we know. There are many things which concern ourselves and others which we had better not publish to the world.

Q. What rules are there respecting the publishing of

truth?

A. 1. When we are called upon to testify in courts, we should speak the whole truth and that without disguise. To leave out small circumstances, or to give a coloring to others, with a view to favor one side more than the other, is to the highest degree criminal.

2. When we know something of our neighbor which

is against his character, we may not publish it, unless-

to prevent his doing an injury to another person.

3. When we sell any thing to another, we ought not to represent the article to be better than it really is. If there are faults in it which may easily be seen, the law of man does not require us to inform the buyer of these faults, because he may see them himself. But it is not honorable nor generous, nor strictly honest to conceal even apparent faults. But when faults are out of sight, the seller ought to tell the buyer of them. If he does not, he is a cheat and a downright knave.

Q. What are the ill effects of lying and deceiving?

A. The man who lies, deceives or cheats, loses his reputation. No person will believe him, even when he speaks the truth; he is shunned as a pest to society.

Falsehood and cheating destroy all confidence between man and man; they raise jealousies and suspicions armong men; they thus weaken the bands of society and destroy happiness. Besides, cheating often strips people of their property, and makes them poor and wretched-

## OF CHARITY AND GIVING ALMS.

Q. What is charity?

A. It signifies giving to the poor, or it is a favorable opinion of men and their actions.

Q. When and how fur is it our duty to give to the poor ?

A. When others really want what we can spare without material injury to ourselves, it is our duty to give them something to relieve their wants.

Q. When persons are reduced to want by their own laziness and vices, by drunkenness, gambling and the like, is

it a duty to relieve them?

A. In general, it is not. The man who gives money and provisions to a lazy, vicious man, becomes a partaker of his guilt. Perhaps it may be right, to give such a man a meal of victuals to keep him from starving, and it is certainly right to feed his wife and family, and make them comfortable.

Q. Who are the proper objects of charity?

A. Persons who are reduced to want by sickness, unavoidable losses by fire, storms at sea or land, drouth or accidents of other kinds. To such persons we are commanded to give; and it is our own interest to be charitable; for we are all liable to misfortunes and may want charity ourselves.

Q. In what manner should we bestow favors?

A. We should do it with gentleness and affection; putting on no airs of pride and arrogance. We should also take no pains to publish our charities, but rather to conceal them; for if we boast of our generosity, we discover that we give from mean, selfish motives. Christ commands us, in giving alms, not to let our left hand know what our right hand doeth.

Q. How can charity be exercised in our opinions of

others?

A. By thinking favorably of them and their actions. Every man has his faults; but charity will not put a harsh construction on another's conduct. It will not charge his conduct to bad views and motives, unless this appears very clear indeed.

#### OF AVARICE:

Q. What is avarice?

A. An excessive desire of possessing wealth.

Q. Is this commendable?

A. It is not; but one of the meanest of vices.

Q. Can an avaricious man be an honest man?

A. It is hardly possible; for the lust of gain is almost always accompanied with a disposition to take mean and undue advantages of others.

Q. What effect has avarice upon the heart ?:

A. It contracts the heart—narrows the sphere of benevolence—blunts all the fine feelings of sensibility, and sours the mind towards society. An avaricious man, a miser, a niggard, is wrapped up in selfishness, like some worms, which crawl about and eat for some time to fill themselves, then wind themselves up in separate coverings and die.

Q. What injury is done by avarice to society?

A. Avarice gathers together more property, than the owner wants, and keeps it howded up, where it does no good. The poor are thus deprived of some business, some means of support; the property gains nothing to the community; and somebody is less happy by means of this hoarding of wealth.

Q. In what proportion does avarice do hart?

A. In an exact proportion to its power of doing good. The miser's heart grows less, in proportion as his estate grows larger. The more money he has, the more he has people in his power, and the more he grinds the ace of the poor. The larger the tree and the more spreading the branches, the more small plants are shaded and robbed of their nourishment.

## OF FRUGALITY AND ECONOMY.

Q. What is the distinction between frugality and avaice?

A. Frugality is a prudent saving of property from needless waste. Avarice gathers more and spends less than is necessary.

Q. What it economy?

A. It is frugality in expenses—it is a prudent mangement of one's estate. It disposes of property for seful purposes without waste.

Q. How far does true economy extend?

A. To the saving of every thing which it is not necesary to spend for comfort and convenience; and the ceping one's expenses within his income or earnings.

Q. What is wastefulness?

A. It is the spending of money for what is not wantd. If a man drinks a dram which is not necessary for im, or buys a cane which he does not want, he wastes is money. He injures himself, as much as if he had frown away his money.

Q. Is not waste often occasioned by mere negligence?

A. Very often. The man who does not keep his buse and barn well covered; who does not keep good nees about his fields; who suffers his farming uten-

sils to lie out in the rain or on the ground; or his cattle to waste manure in the high way, is as much a spend thrift as the tavern haunter, the tipler and the gamester

Q. Do not careless, slovenly people work harder than th

neat and orderly?

A. Much harder. It is more labor to destroy a growt of sturdy weeds, than to pull them up when they firs spring from the ground. So the disorders and abuse which grow out of a sloven's carelessness, in time, be come almost incurable. Hence such people work lik slaves, and to little effect.

## OF INDUSTRY.

Q. What is industry?

A. It is a diligent attention to business in our'sever occupations.

Q. Is labor a curse or a blessing?

A. Hard labor or drudgery is often a curse, by ma ing life toilsome and painful. But constant modera labor is the greatest of blessings.

Q. Why then do people complain of it?

A. Because they do not know the evils of not laboring Labor keeps the body in health and makes men reli all their enjoyments. "The sleep of the laboring ma is sweet," so is his food. He walks cheerful and whi ling about his field or his shop, and scarcely knows pa

The rich and indolent first lose their health for wi of action-They turn pale, their bodies are enfeebl they lose their appetite for food and sleep, they ya out a tasteless life of dullness, without pleasure, and of

useless to the world.

Q. What are the other good effects of industry?

A. One effect is to procure an estate. Our Crea has kindly united our duty, our interest and happine for the same labor which makes us healthy and che ful, gives wealth.

Another good effect of industry is, to keep men fi vice. Not all the moral discourses ever delivered mankind, have so much effect in checking the bad sions of men, in keeping order and peace, and maintair

moral virtue in society, as industry. Business is a source of health, of prosperity, of virtue and obedience to law.

To make good subjects and good citizens, the first requisite is to educate every young person, in some kind of business. The possession of millions should not excuse a young man from application to business; and that parent or guardian who suffers his child or his ward to be bred in idleness, becomes accessary to the vices and disorders of society—He is guilty of "not providing for his household, and is worse than an infidel."

#### OF CHEERFULNESS.

Q. Is cheerfulness a virtue?

A. It doubtless is, and a moral duty to practice it:

Q. Can we be checrful when we filease?

A. In general it depends much on ourselves. We can often mold, our tempers into a cheerful frame.—We can frequent company and other objects calculated to inspire us with cheerfulness. To indulge an habitual gloominess of mind is weakness and sin.

O. What are the effects of cheerfulness on ourselves?

A. Cheerfulness is a great preservative of health, over which it is our duty to watch with care. We have no right to sacrifice our health by the indulgence of a gloomy state of mind. Besides, a cheerful man will do more business, and do it better, than a melancholy one.

Q. What are the effects of cheerfulness on others?

A. Cheerfulness is readily communicated to others, by which means their happiness is increased. We are all influenced by sympathy, and naturally partake of the joys and sorrows of others.

Q. What effect has melancholy on the heart?

A. It hardens and benums it—It chills the warm affections of love and friendship, and prevents the exercise of the social passions. A melancholy person's life is all night and winter. It is as unnatural as perpetual darkness and frost.

Q. What shall one do when overwhelmed with grief?

A. The best method of expelling grief from the mind,

or of quieting its pains, is to change the objects that are about us; to ride from place to place, and frequent cheerful company. It is our duty so to do, especially when grief sits heavy on the heart.

Q. Is it not right to grieve for the loss of our friends?

A. It is certainly right; but we should endeavor to moderate our grief, and not suffer it to impair our health, or to grow into a settled melancholy. The use of grief is to soften the heart and make us better. But when our friends are dead, we can render them no further service. Our duty to them ends, when we commit them to the grave; but our duty to ourselves, our families and surviving friends, requires that we perform to them the customary offices of life. We should therefore remember our departed friends only to imitate their virtues; and not to pine away with useless sorrow.

Q. Has not religion a tendency to fill the mind with

gloom?

A. True religion never has this effect. Superstition and false notions of God, often make men gloomy; but true, rational picty and religion have the contrary effect. They fill the mind with joy and cheerfulness; and the countenance of a truly pious man should always wear a serene smile.

O. What has Christ said concerning gloomy Christians?

A. He has pronounced them hypocrites; and commanded his followers not to copy their sad countenances and disfigured faces; but even in their acts of humiliation to "anoint their heads and wash their feet." Christ intended by this, that religion does not consist in, nor require a monkish sadness and gravity; on the other hand, he intimates that such appearances of sanctity are generally the marks of hypocrisy. He expressly enjoins upon his followers, marks of cheerfulness. Indeed, the only true ground of perpetual cheerfulness, is, a consciousness of ever having done well, and an assurance of divine favor.



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