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#### PREFACE

It is our purpose in this volume to make plain to teachers in elementary schools the purpose of teaching arithmetic, to outline fully a course of study based upon this controlling idea, and to discuss and illustrate the method of handling some of the chief topics.

It is strictly a teacher's book, and not designed for use by children.

It has been generally felt that arithmetic stands aloof from other studies, but the attempt is made here to show a very intimate and important relation to the other studies, one vital in fact to the proper plan and treatment of the whole subject.

This volume is one in a series of special methods, as follows: Reading of English Classics, Primary Reading and Story Work, Geography, History, Elementary Science, Language, and Manual Arts.

The course of study for the eight grades based on the plans worked out in these eight volumes is now in press and will appear in two volumes.

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