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P R E F A C E .

THIS work, as its title indicates, is intended for the use of Advanced Classes,—for scholars who are, to some extent, familiar with the principles of pronunciation and syllabication. It is not intended to supersede the ordinary Spelling-Book, but rather to follow it, as a practical application of the pupil's knowledge, not only in spelling, but in dividing and pronouncing the more difficult words in common use.

It is believed that, for Advanced Classes, the plan adopted in this book, of presenting the words without indicating the pronunciation or syllabication, will be found to possess some decided advantages; for the pupil, as in the study of Arithmetic and the Languages, is thereby thrown upon his own resources. This method will certainly test his knowledge, while the dictionary will always be available to supply deficiencies.

The words have been arranged in lessons of thirty

each, and numbered for convenience of reference. All classification has been carefully avoided, so that the initial letter, the terminational syllable, or the silent letters shall not be indicated by the preceding word.

It is suggested that, in written lessons, the words be arranged in lines, instead of columns, in order to afford the scholar an occasional exercise in practical syllabication.

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LESSON 1.

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|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1. flageolet | 16. mushroom |
| 2. dactyl | 17. superficies |
| 3. irony | 18. caustic |
| 4. hoopoe | 19. passable |
| 5. blasphemous | 20. rappee |
| 6. abatable | 21. hysterics |
| 7. nausea | 22. irradiate |
| 8. secede | 23. abbey . |
| 9. <i>élite</i> | 24. asphyxia |
| 10. psalmody | 25. ellipse |
| 11. subtile | 26. italicize |
| 12. cabalistic | 27. daffodil |
| 13. secession | 28. monetary |
| 14. topsy-turvy | 29. foggy |
| 15. fragrancv | 30. hungry |

2.

1. elixir
2. mustache
3. acknowledgment
4. seniority
5. loa-constrictor
6. quinine
7. sensibility
8. sensational
9. caboose
10. foible
11. iterate
12. daguerrotype
13. penetrable
14. cauterize
15. nauseous
16. banana
17. ellipsis
18. ignominy
19. acoustics
20. dahlia
21. flamingo
22. casuistry
23. horde
24. abbreviate
25. elliptical
26. irrational
27. moneyed
28. casualty
29. secrecy
30. psalter

3.

1. abdominal
2. beau
3. itinerant
4. boatswain
5. *succedaneum*
6. cabriolet
7. elongation
8. volatile
9. iambic
10. pseudonyme
11. dairy
12. mongrel
13. juvenile
14. sententious
15. atomic
16. hurricane
17. elocution
18. foliaceous
19. cavalcade
20. acquiescence
21. itinerary
22. Jezebel
23. secretion
24. cavalier
25. pyre
26. zigzag
27. dalliance
28. movable
29. movement
30. bivouac

4.

1. *cache*
2. acquirement
3. bobolink
4. whinnying
5. ignore
6. musketeer
7. Kremlin
8. pyrometer
9. bandanna
10. elopement
11. flagitious
12. horizon
13. aberration
14. catacombs
15. whippoorwill
16. musician
17. peroration
18. quinsy
19. secrete
20. elucidate
21. superfluity
22. sectarian
23. transmitted
24. transmuted
25. cacao
26. succinct
27. iambus
28. catalepsy
29. quintal
30. Bedouins

5.

1. flatulence
2. damageable
3. juxtaposition
4. abeyance
5. elves
6. acquittal
7. fomentation
8. hurdle
9. *cavilling*
10. bodice
11. jib
12. nautical
13. eludible
14. phantasmagoria
15. zinc
16. labelled
17. rappel
18. sentient
19. cacique
20. rarefy
21. rarity
22. tornadoes
23. ceiling
24. iguana
25. navigable
26. forage
27. sentinel
28. ventricle
29. blackguard
30. *elysium*

6.

1. abhorrence
2. jacconet
3. monochromatic
4. passover
5. Bœotian
6. pshaw
7. secular
8. flaxy
9. cactus
10. emancipate
11. ibex
12. dandelion
13. justification
14. monopolize
15. catarrh
16. aborigines
17. whirligig
18. superintendent
19. torpedoes
20. pastel
21. atonement
22. foraging
23. celebrity
24. husky
25. emanation
26. adipocere
27. jockey
28. dar druff
29. mucilage
30. penguin

7.

1. bohea
2. pyrotechnic
3. separable
4. daub
5. emasculate
6. cadaverous
7. succory
8. Iliad
9. labial
10. celerity
11. mucus, *n*.
12. mucous, *a*.
13. penitential
14. banditti
15. adjacent
16. forbearance
17. forcible
18. hornblende
19. abridgment
20. catastrophe
21. gabion
22. jackal
23. muskmelon
24. perpendicular
25. securely
26. debasement
27. supernumerary
28. embalm
29. sepoy
30. forebode