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1. The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions and activities. It emphasizes that proper record-keeping is essential for transparency and accountability, particularly in the context of public administration and government operations. This section also highlights the role of technology in streamlining record management processes and reducing the risk of errors or data loss.

2. The second part of the document focuses on the implementation of robust internal controls and risk management frameworks. It outlines the need for regular audits and assessments to identify potential vulnerabilities and ensure that organizational policies are effectively enforced. This section also discusses the importance of employee training and awareness programs to foster a culture of compliance and ethical behavior within the organization.

3. The third part of the document addresses the challenges of data security and privacy protection in the digital age. It emphasizes the need for strong cybersecurity measures, including encryption, access controls, and regular security updates, to safeguard sensitive information from unauthorized access and cyber threats. This section also discusses the importance of data backup and recovery strategies to ensure business continuity in the event of a data breach or system outage.

4. The fourth part of the document discusses the importance of stakeholder communication and engagement. It emphasizes the need for transparent and timely communication with all relevant parties, including employees, customers, and the public. This section also discusses the role of public relations and media management in building a positive organizational reputation and addressing any concerns or criticisms that may arise.

5. The fifth and final part of the document provides a summary of the key findings and recommendations. It reiterates the importance of a holistic approach to organizational management, one that integrates financial, operational, and ethical considerations. The document concludes by encouraging leadership to take decisive action on the recommendations provided and to continuously monitor and improve organizational performance over time.

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PICTURES

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Hamlet.—My father—no! I see my father.

Horatio.—Where, my lord?

Hamlet.—In my mind's eye, Horatio.

—Shakespeare.

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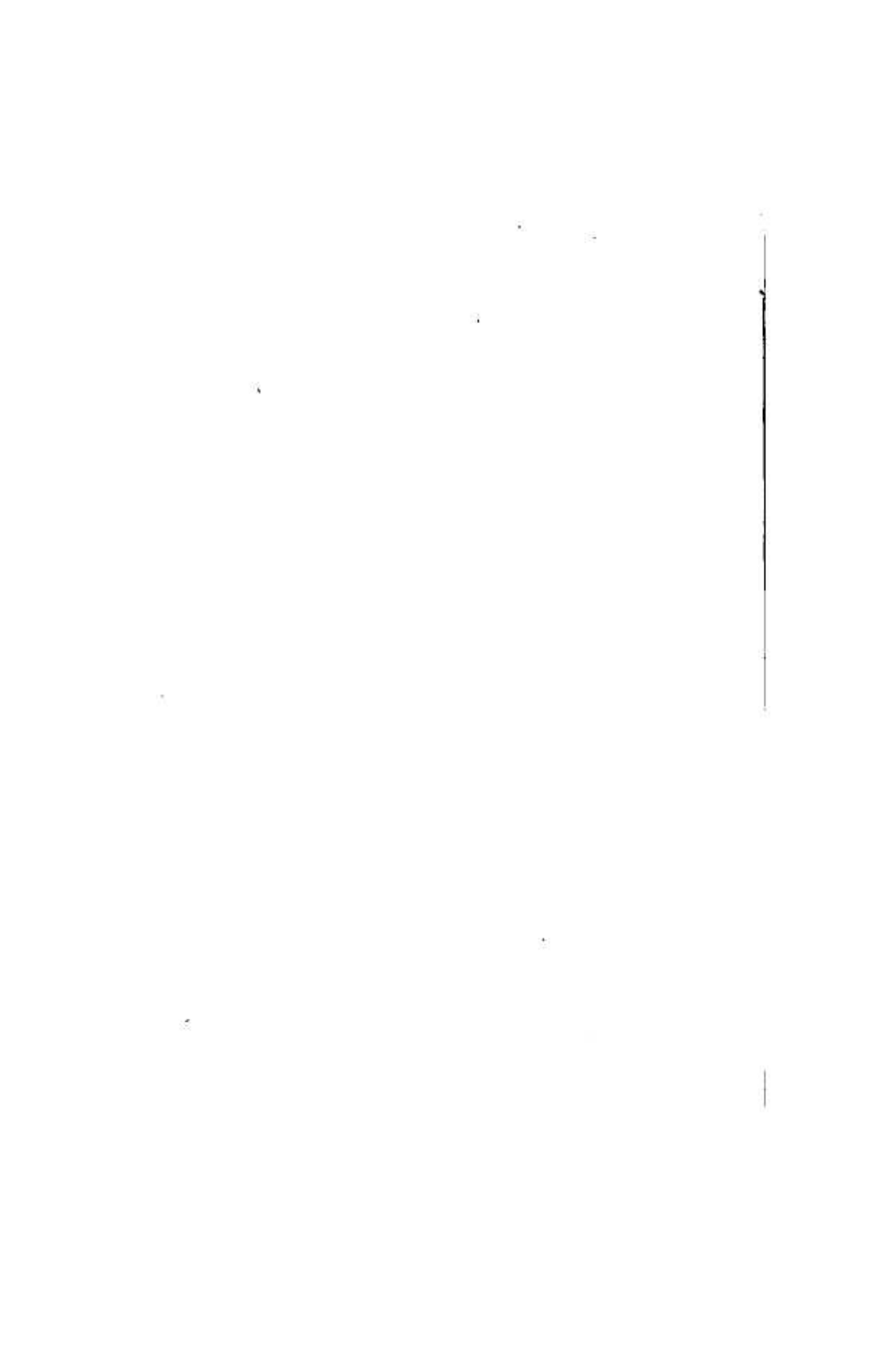
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ERRATA.

Page	Line	Read	Revised
8.	4.	<i>Known</i> ,	<i>known</i> .
10.	do. 4.	<i>with his might</i> ,	<i>with might</i> .
13.	do. 21,	<i>I will</i> ,	<i>I'll</i> .
49.	do. 7,	<i>Ye</i> ,	<i>whom</i> .
65.	do. 1,	<i>are</i> ,	<i>is</i> .
86.	do. 2,	<i>Sand</i> ,	<i>Land</i> .
87.	do. 12,	<i>Give me my hand</i> ,	<i>my hand, give me</i> .
90.	do. 20,	<i>balm</i> ,	<i>balm's</i> .
111.	do. 0,	<i>of many one</i> ,	<i>of many a one</i> .



SAY WHAT I SAY, DO WHAT I DO;

OR,

LESSON FIRST IN ELOCUTION.

A LADY once, of generous mind,
Adopted, in affection kind,
An orphan boy of genius rare,
Whose future weal she made her care ;
Industrious, taxing well her skill,
His mind with worthy thoughts to fill ;
And so, by making him full clever,
Prepare him well for whatsoever
Station fair fortune might ordain
He should in future years attain.

From step to step in the fair way
Of knowledge, various, day by day,
She led him on ; he, by her teaching,
The boys of equal years outreaching.
Yea, he could read, and write, and spell,
Sum in all rules, knew grammar well,

Could draw a little, even knew
Enough of Latin to construe,
Conversed in French with accent free,
In Greek was to the verb aimé ;
Did also even skill display
In music, could both sing and play ;
In Euclid, too, he was before them,
Having passed o'er Pons Assinorum.

Such early fruits repaid her care,
Made him than ever far more dear
To her fond bosom, made her see
That he some day would rise to be
A poet, bishop, man of war,
Distinguished judge, or orator :
Hence wisely she resolved to feed
With learning higher still his need,
Seeing his mind for knowledge straining,
Craved anxiously superior training.
'Twas therefore planned that he should go
To Windram's School, at Castle Row,
Which seemed indeed well suited, where
Advantages were offered rare ;
For so the advertisement maintained,
The pupils all were careful trained
In reading, writing, mathematics,
The ancient and the modern classics,
Algebra, trigonometry,
The use of globes, geometry,

The history of every nation,
Geography, and navigation,
Metaphysics, hydrostatics,
Electricity, pneumatics,
Land surveying, composition,
Every branch of erudition,
Acoustics, optics, chemistry,
Rhetoric, logic, heraldry,
The modern tongues, zoology,
Mechanics, ethics, botany,
Political economy,
Æsthetics, and astronomy,
Hydraulics, physiology,
Dynamics, and chronology,
Religion pure, psychology,
Belles lettres, and geology,
Gymnastics, etymology,
Poetics, and mythology,
The laws of matter, laws of mind,
Philosophy of every kind,
Music, drawing, architecture,
All whereon the learned lecture,
But chief the art divine of making
One's thoughts appear in graceful speaking.
E'en elocution, talent rare,
Which makes a man godlike appear ;
An art esteemed on earth so well,
That great is he who doth excel.