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## Preface.



**T**HIS Book, like the Fifth, consists of extracts from Standard Authors, with the exception of lessons on such subjects as Thrift and Temperance, which have been specially written to meet a felt want.

In the preparation of the book, the aim has been not only to introduce the pupil to some of our best authors, but to supply a bright, varied, and useful course of reading.

Poetry Lessons specially intended for Recitation are marked with an asterisk in the list of contents.

The Lessons have been furnished with copious spelling Lists and explanatory Notes; also with exercises on the use of prefixes and affixes, on the analysis of sentences, and in composition. A complete list for revision of the more difficult words in the book will be found at the end.

The Publishers beg to thank Messrs Longman for permission to use the lessons on 'Travelling in the Seventeenth Century,' and the 'Progress of Civilisation,' from Macaulay's *History of England*; Messrs Macmillan for the lesson on the 'Two Breaths,' by C. Kingsley; Messrs Smith, Elder, & Co. for lesson on 'The Virginians,' by Thackeray; Messrs Routledge for 'Charge of the Light Brigade,' by W. H. Russell; Messrs Geo. Bell & Sons for lesson on the 'Art of Discouragement,' by Sir A. Helps; Mr Murray for lesson on 'The Laplanders,' by Lord Dufferin; and Messrs Ward & Lock for the use of 'Song of the Shirt.'



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 financial reporting and compliance with regulatory requirements. This section also highlights the role of internal controls in preventing errors and fraud, and the need for regular audits to ensure the integrity of the data.

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4. The fourth part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining strong relationships with stakeholders, including customers, suppliers, and regulatory bodies. It emphasizes that effective communication and collaboration are key to achieving long-term success and sustainability. This involves understanding the needs and expectations of each stakeholder group, and working to address their concerns and interests. The document also discusses the importance of transparency and ethical behavior in all interactions, and the need for regular reporting and communication to build trust and confidence.

5. The fifth part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining a strong financial position and ensuring the long-term sustainability of the organization. It outlines the key financial metrics and ratios that should be monitored, and the need for regular financial reviews and reporting. This includes the development of a budget, the implementation of cost control measures, and the optimization of capital structure. The document also discusses the importance of maintaining adequate liquidity and managing debt effectively, and the need for regular financial forecasting and planning.



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Lapland Reindeer Sledge.

THE LAPLANDERS.

[This is an extract from a well-known book by Lord Dufferin, entitled *Letters from High Latitudes*, which describes a yacht voyage made by the author in 1858, to Iceland, Spitzbergen, &c.]

1. It was in the streets of Hammerfest that I first set eyes on a Laplander. Turning round a corner of one of the ill-built houses, we suddenly ran over a diminutive personage, in a white woollen tunic, bordered with red and yellow stripes, green trousers fastened round the ankles, and reindeer boots, curving up at the toes like Turkish slippers. On her head—