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AN INVITATION

*And Nature, the old nurse, took  
The child upon her knee  
Saying, "Here is a story book  
Thy Father has written for thee."  
"Come wander with me," she said,  
"Into regions yet untrod,  
And read what is still unread  
In the manuscripts of God."*

--LONGFELLOW.

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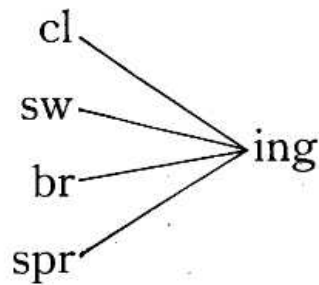
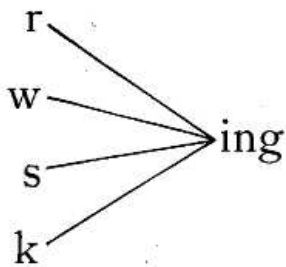
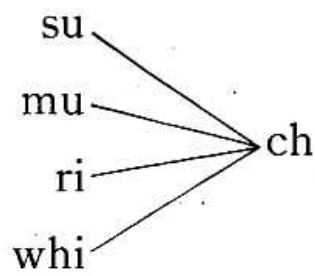
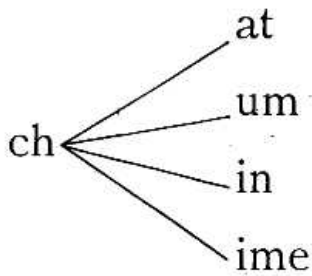
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*LEARNING A, B, C.*

*Defregger*

# Ch ch Ing ing







*ALL ABOARD!*

## A TRIP TO THE COUNTRY

*A Phonic Story*

“Ch, ch,” says the engine,  
“Ing, ing,” says the bell,  
And off to the country  
Go Richard and Nell.

# Ll

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l ake  
l ife  
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l ike



*WHERE THEY CROSSED THE RIVER*

“L, l,” say the wires  
That cross the big bridge.