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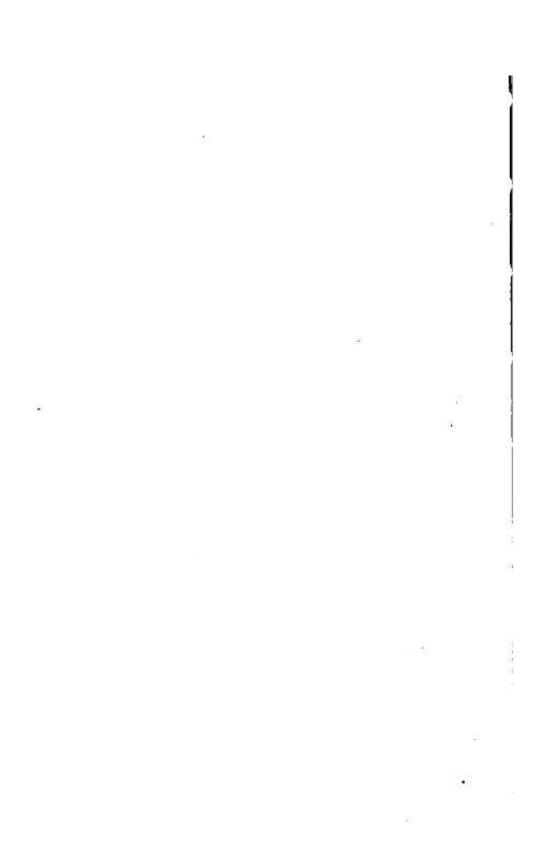
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TO MY FATHER



INTRODUCTION

These words were selected with the view of firmly fixing in the minds of both foreign and English pupils in the evening schools, words that are used in everyday life, as well as in their everyday business relations.

I have endeavored by dictation to show the meaning and use of these words.

Some of the common mistakes in English, such as the misuse of *done* and *seen*, etc., have been given some attention. It is hoped that by constant drill of correct forms, given as spelling lessons, these mistakes may be eliminated.

In teaching dictation, even in the primary grades in day school, if the pupil merely studies a set of spelling words, a dictation can be then given with good results; but it is not so in the evening classes, particularly among the foreign element. Small words should be constantly placed before their eyes to get perfect dictation.

My hope is that this book may be the means of helping, at least to some extent, to improve the conversation and spelling of the pupils.

F. S. M.