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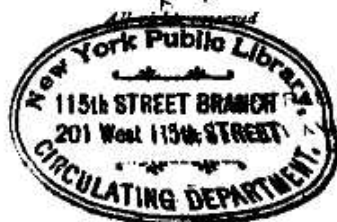
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PREFACE

THIS book has been prepared to be used as a manual by teachers of beginning reading in the primary grades in the elementary schools. The methods that are outlined here may be used in connection with any other method or with any set of basal readers.

The application and the suggestions given here are general; and yet teachers, who are perplexed by problems in the teaching of primary reading, will be able, by following this step-by-step process, to overcome many specific difficulties. Teachers will find, also, that the suggestions embodied in this method may be used advantageously to supplement any method and to vary and enrich the process of teaching reading.

This manual goes far in the application of reading methods and the establishment of right reading habits. Stress is here laid upon the few most important habits that the pupil must form, no matter from what book he may read.

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The plan here outlined for introducing pupils to reading has been thoroughly tested out in the Primary Department of the DeKalb State Normal Training School. It is in response to the requests of many primary teachers that the manual has been prepared.

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BEGINNING READING

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