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- Do not pronounce el like il, nor et like it, nor est like ist; as cru'il for cru'el, bask'it for bask'et, for ist for for est.
- Do not pronounce ent like unt, nor ence like unce; as si'lunt for si'lent, sen'tunce for sen'tence.
- 7. Do not pronounce ice like us; as serv'us for serv'ice, of fus for of fice.
- Do not insert the sound of short u before a final m; as hel'um for helm, chas'um for chasm.
- Do not give the drawling sound ăōō for ou (i. e. āōō); as cāōō for cow, hāōōs for house.
- 10. Do not sound sh before r like s; as srub for shrub, srink for shrink.
- 11. Do not sound wh like w; as wen for when, wat for what, wip for whip.
- Do not omit to give the sound of r after a vowel in the same syllable as in arm, form, &c., not ahm, fawum, &c.
- Do not add the sound of r to a final vowel; as sawr for saw, idear for idea, Em'mer for Em'ma.
- Do not shorten the sound of long o in certain words by leaving off its vanishing element öö. Pronounce boat, bone, road, smoke, whole.
- Do not omit the sound of d when preceded by n; as stan for stand, frenz for friends.
- Do not omit the sound of d in the terminal letters lds; as wilz for wilds, fēlz for fields.
- Do not omit the sound of k when preceded by s and followed by ed; as ast for asked.
- Do not omit the sound of t when preceded by c hard in the same syllable; as aks for acts, exak'ly for exact'ly.
- Do not omit the sound of t in the terminal letters sts; as fis's for fists, pes's for pests, accos's' for accosts'.
- Do not improperly suppress the vowel sounds in unaccented syllables; as evry for ever-y, his try for his to-ry, bois trus for bois ter-ous.
- Do not suppress the sound of e or of i before l or n in those words in which it should be articulated; as lev'l for lev'el, civ'l for civ'il, kitch'n for kitch'en, Lat'n for Lat'in.
- Do not sound e or i before n or l in those words in which it is properly silent; as e'ven for e'vn, heav'en for heav'n, ba'sin for ba'sn, haz'et for haz'l, e'vit for e'vt.
- After r, ch, or sh do not give the sound of long u when the simple sound of oo (long or short) should be heard; as rule for rool, fruit for froot.
- Do not substitute the sound oo for that of long u; as toon for tune, doo'ty for duty; neither add the sound of ch or j to long u; as Chew's duy for Tues' day, jewk for duke.
- The vowel a when unaccented, at the end of a word has the sound of a (as in far) somewhat shortened; as com'ma not com'mi nor com'mā.
- 26. Give to the vowel a in the unaccented terminal syllables al, ant, ance, its short sound, but do not make it too prominent. Pronounce national, ignorant, fragrance.
- Do not give to the vowel a (as in far), when unaccented and made brief, the sound of short u; as ubase for abase, urouse for arouse.
- 28. Do not give to long e when unaccented and slightly abridged, the sound of short u; as avent' for event', sociuty for society.