



Yearbook of the National Society for the Study of Education Volume 1 (Paperback)

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Rarebooksclub.com, United States, 2012. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. This historic book may have numerous typos and missing text. Purchasers can download a free scanned copy of the original book (without typos) from the publisher. Not indexed. Not illustrated. 1915 Excerpt: .Dr. Buckingham has furnished a scale.1 At first it made use of two lists, each containing twentyfive carefully selected words which showed reasonably regular increase in correctness of spelling for successive grades. By means of this scale a comparison can be made of individuals, grades, schools, and systems. By the use of groups of equally difficult words, progress over a period of time can be measured. Dr. Buckingham has extended his list to about 500 words and plans to have 1,000 carefully evaluated and classified words for Grades II-VIII, inclusive. Such an extension will make the scale infinitely more useful. The Division of Education of the Russell Sage Foundation has conducted studies to discover the 1,000 words most commonly used in writing and it has made these words into spelling lists with which children in nearly 100 American cities have been tested. 11 These words will...



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