



New Language Lessons: An Elementary Grammar and Composition (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ****** Print on Demand ******. Excerpt from New Language Lessons: An Elementary Grammar and Composition The present text-book is a new-modelling and rewriting of Swinton s Language Lessons. It has grown out of a double motive - first, the desire of better fitting it to fill its place as the intermediate book of the New Language Series; and, next, the conviction that an elementary manual might be made, which, combining the essentials of English Grammar and Composition, should find especial welcome in schools that cannot he exactly graded. The remarkable favour with which the Language Lessons was received has suggested the propriety of retaining, in the new book, at least the spirit of the old. In that work the author s theory was set forth in the following words: - This book is an attempt to bring the subject of language home to children at the age when knowledge is acquired in an objective way, by practice and habit, rather than by the study of rules and definitions, in pursuance of this plan, the traditional presentation of grammar in a bristling array...



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