

Could Do Better English Edition

A collection of honest and often hilarious extracts from the school reports of some of the most favourite celebrities: A few examples: 'He is so regular in his irregularity that I really don't know what to do' (Winston Churchill)'Certainly on the road to failure ... hopeless ... rather a clown in class ... wasting other pupils' time' (John Lennon) 'She must try to be less emotional in her dealings with others' (Diana, Princess of Wales) 'I think he is just a teeny bit pleased with himself - or so I am prepared to hazard.' (Michael Palin)

Norman McGreevy's illustrated selection of schoolchildren's struggles with the pitfalls of the English language ranges from hilarious howlers on topics like history and religion to ridiculous spelling errors, grammatical catastrophes and malapropisms. Examples include: An octopus is a person who hopes for the best. There are 4 kinds of food - tined, jared, caned & raped. His mother, being immortal, had died. Running is a great sport, and I thank God for exposing me to the track team. I took out a book to read and settled down to read, but soon put it down because I couldn't read. Romeo and Juliet tell each other how much they are in love in the baloney scene. She draped her posterior over a grubby stool. The equator is a menagerie lion running around the Earth through Africa. Clowns tie their trousers with string which, when it is pulled, shows a hair-raising scene. At the age of 17 I have finally been accepted by my family. Pavlov studied the salvation of dogs. Trigonometry is when a lady marries three men at the same time. Q: In a democratic society, how important are elections? A: Very important. Sex can only happen when a male gets an election. The feminine of manager is managerie. The two kinds of book printed are friction and non-friction. Tarzan is a short name for the American flag. It's full name is Tarzan Stripes. Catharsis is a psychological means of stopping a catarrh. It illustrates the influence of mind over body. Mastication is what the Italians do with their hands when they talk English. Jesus was born because Mary had an Immaculate Contraption. Sir Francis Drake circumcised the world with a 100-foot clipper. Henry met Becket on the altar steps and severely massacred him. The Pilgrim Fathers became a big band of Quackers. The leader of the Bolsheviks was John Lennon.

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The Pictorial Edition of the Works of Shakspeare

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The Pictorial Edition of the Works of Shakspeare. Edited by C. Knight. The Second Edition, Revised

How to Win Friends and Influence People

Bilingual for Speakers of English

Modern Sports

The American Booksellers Guide

School Reports of the Great and Good

Ladies: Are you sick of sitting on the bench while the men in your life talk Fantasy Football? Have you always wanted to know how to kick down a door? Build a fire? For any gal who's ready to go head-to-head with the guys on their own turf this book is brimming with sassy, do-it-yourself style. It's chock-full of instructions on the manliest of manly arts, from the highbrow (know the difference between single malt and blended whiskey), to the lowbrow (learn to spit farther than a trucker). Authors Jennifer Axen and Leigh Phillips have written this comprehensive, how-to manual for all the smart, capable women who are sick and tired of being laughed at for not knowing which way is North, intimidated by the finer points of grilling, or just plain excluded for not knowing the (let's face it, very convoluted) infield fly rule. So, for the women out there who know they can do it better just as soon as they learn how help is finally at hand!

This chronicle of the first battle in the Anglo-Zulu War is "the most powerful and moving modern account of the great Zulu epic that I have ever read" (Richard Holmes, historian and author of *The Age of Wonder*). On January 22, 1879, a massive Zulu host attacked the British Army's 24th Regiment in its encampment at the foot of the mountain of Isandlwana. It was the first major encounter in the Anglo-Zulu War and a disastrous defeat for the colonial power. Later that afternoon the victorious Zulus would strike the tiny British garrison at Rorke's Drift. *How Can Man Die Better* is a unique analysis of the Battle of Isandlwana, covering the weapons, tactics, terrain, and the intriguing characters who made key military decisions. While much is still unknown about the battle, this work eschews the commonly held perception that the British collapse was sudden and that the 24th Regiment was quickly overwhelmed. Rather, historian Mike Snook argues that there was a protracted and heroic defense against a determined and equally heroic foe. A British Army colonel who served in South Africa, Snook reconstructs the final phase of the battle in a way that has never been attempted before.

Scope of Soviet Activity in the United States

French-English and English-French Dictionary, Comprising All the Improvements of the Latest London and Paris Editions, with the Pronunciation of Each Word, According to the Dictionary of the Abbé Tardy

More School Reports of the Great and the Good

Could Do Better

Cobbett's Parliamentary Debates

I Will Be the Best Me I Can Be Second Edition Revised

Vermont Civil War Enterprises announces the release of its latest book "They Could Not Have Done Better: Thomas O. Seaver and the 3rd Vermont Infantry in the War for the Union." Authored by Robert G. Poirier the text traces the history of the 3rd Vermont Infantry and its most famous commander from its organization through the conflict's most difficult battles. The author researched a myriad of previously unpublished primary sources, official state records, National Archives files and records, and contemporary newspaper accounts to interface the unit's role in the history of the war with that of the Old Vermont Brigade and the Union's Army of the Potomac. Thomas O. Seaver, one of the regiment's six Medal of Honor recipients was a Norwich University alumnus (Class of 1859). The book not only describes the regiment and its parent brigade's actions, but also documents the critical role of the Union's "other West Point" in the formation, training, and combat successes of this often overlooked elite brigade. The accounts of the Green Mountain Boys achievements in the battles of Second Fredericksburg (Chancellorsville), the Wilderness, Spotsylvania, and Cold Harbor will be of interest to historians and Civil War fans alike. The final chapter of the book, which compares and contrasts the achievements, casualty rates, and combat performance of the 3rd Vermont and the Old Vermont Brigade to that of more famous units such as the "Iron" and "Irish Brigades," breaks new ground. It not only demonstrates the superior accomplishments of the Vermonters in a number of areas, but also provides a number of contemporary and modern citations regarding the Vermonters' battlefield prowess. The analysis as well as the quotations from several well-known historians will be of particular interest to readers. Mr. Poirier is a 1966 graduate of Norwich, a former Major and Vietnam veteran, and a retired Central Intelligence Agency manager and analyst with over 25 years of intelligence experience. This is Mr. Poirier's third book. He has also written a large number of intelligence and historical articles for various intelligence, military, and historical journals.

Bill Bradley is arguably one of the most well-versed public figures of our time. The eighteen-year New Jersey Senator, financial and investment adviser, Olympic and NBA athlete, national radio host, and bestselling author has lived in the United States as both political insider and outsider, national sports celebrity and behind-the-scenes confidante, leader and teammate. His varied experiences help to inform his unique and much-sought-after point of view on Washington and the country at large. In *We Can All Do Better*, for the first time since the financial meltdown and since the worst of the intensifying political gridlock, Bradley offers his own concise, powerful, and highly personal review of the state of the nation. Bradley argues that government is not the problem. He criticizes the role of money and politics, explains how continuing on our existing foreign policy, electoral, and economic paths will mean a diminished future, and lays out exactly what needs to be done to reverse course. Breaking from the intransigent long-held viewpoints of both political parties, and with careful attention to our nation's history, Bradley passionately lays out his narrative. He offers a no-holds-barred prescription on subjects including job creation, deficit reduction, education, and immigration. While equally critical of the approaches of the Tea Party and Occupy Movements, he champions the power of individual Americans to organize, speak out, bridge divisions, and he calls on the media to assume a more responsible role in our national life. As this moving call to arms reminds us, we can all-elected officials, private citizens, presidents-do a better job of moving our country forward. Bradley is perhaps the best guide imaginable, with his firsthand knowledge of governments' inner-workings, the country's diversity, and the untapped potential of the American people.

Anything You Can Do, I Can Do Better

A Monthly Record of Literature, Learning, Science, and Art

The International News Magazine of Book Publishing and Bookselling

Fertilizers

50 Real Life Stories

Literary and professional works ; 1

First Arabic Reader for beginners bilingual for speakers of English. The book consists of Elementary and Pre-intermediate courses. The author maintains learners' motivation with funny stories about real life situations such as meeting people, studying, job searches, working etc. The ALARM method (Approved Learning Automatic Remembering Method) utilize natural human ability to remember words used in texts repeatedly and systematically. The author had to compose each sentence using only words explained in previous chapters. The second and the following chapters of the Elementary course have only 29 new words each. All audio tracks are available on lppbooks.com for free download.

This definitive and long-awaited edition of the C Version of *Piers Plowman* now joins the California editions of the A and B Versions to complete the set of *Piers Plowman* texts prepared under the general editorship of George Kane. *Piers Plowman* is the single most important Middle English poem, with the exception of Chaucer's *Canterbury Tales*. The forty-eight extant manuscripts of the poem are classified in three main versions: A, the earliest, written about 1362; B, a longer revision, written about 1378; and C, the most finished and public form, written about 1394. The basis of this edition is the text in Huntington Library MS 143, corrected and restored from the evidence of all known manuscripts of the C tradition to that of the first fair copy of the poet's revision materials. The correction and restoration are described in an extensive introduction, and there is a full apparatus of variant readings. Two appendices

cover excluded lines and passages and the Ilchester Prologue.

Styles Magazine

The Secrets of Isandlwana Revealed

The Ambassador's Wife

A Workbook for College Students

Containing Outlines of the Literature of France, Germany, Italy, Spain, and the United States of America

The Weekly Review

This book is designed as handouts for instructors of English. There are various topics that can be used for vocabulary, discussion, writing topics to insure use of targeted vocabulary and idioms.

Marriage has never been easy. But sometimes it takes surprisingly little to yield infinite rewards. This eye-opening book by marriage experts Nancy Cobb and Connie Grigsby contains humorous and profound true stories of turning points in marriages. From brushing her teeth at a different sink to letting her husband finish his sentences, each woman's story expresses the staggering impact that simple actions can have on marriages everywhere. More fulfilling relationships, expanded ministry opportunities, and a more intimate walk with God await the readers of this book when they see how God's best for their marriages may be just one small decision away. Sometimes the smallest thing can turn a marriage around! When Nancy Cobb and Connie Grigsby asked women about the best thing they ever did for their marriages, the responses were daringly honest. Here are fifty eye-opening, often humorous true stories—including contributions from Cynthia Heald, Dee Brestin, Rosemary Jensen, and Donna Otto—that will inspire you with moments that build stronger marriages. Bring down walls between you and your husband Adjust to differences in your personalities Deal with the damage and heartbreak of betrayal Go on living when everything goes terribly wrong God ' s best for your marriage may be one small decision away!

A Popular Manual of English Literature

Publishers' Weekly

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English Mechanics and the World of Science

Lipouts...the best I could do from the first two years

"If you are no longer a child and affected by ADHD, one thing you will not be short of is advice! I WILL BE THE BEST ME I CAN BE is different because it is written from the author's personal experience. In this second edition he has added a section recounting some events of his life as a student, a doctor and a paediatrician - first to demonstrate that the condition is no excuse for not doing your best to attain your goals and second to help you to better understand the guidelines for using and overcoming ADHD given in Part Two. Part One will prime your mind for the successful use of Part Two - and is also an absorbing and fascinating account of a life lived successfully and against the odds."

COULD DO BETTER, the first collection of school reports of the great and the good, was a considerable success in both hardback and paperback. Catherine Hurley has once again unearthed the reports of celebrities past and present, and put together an eclectic collection of highly amusing and insightful comments from their school days. * Pablo Picasso: Pablo ended up spending most of his time following the headmaster's attractive wife around 'like a puppy': 'If you want your son to learn from my wife how to cook or how she bathes the baby, we can continue with the same conditions, but if you want something more, there will have to be some changes.' * Ian Fleming: 'He ought to make an excellent Soldier, provided always that the Ladies don't ruin him.' (Fleming â € “ the creator of James Bond â € “ had to leave Sandhurst when he caught gonorrhoea.) * Jeffrey Archer: 'I was allowed to ring the bell for five minutes until everyone was in assembly. It was the beginning of power.' * Lynne Truss: 'Inclined to fussiness.' * Errol Flynn: 'Nothing but trouble. I don't know what you need young man, but, whatever it is, this school has not got it. You are expelled, Flynn, for being a disturbing influence on the rest of the scholars.'

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Esl Vocabulary and Idioms Book 2

We Can All Do Better

A Girl's Guide to Guy Stuff

Publication

First Arabic Reader

Do you feel stuck in life, not knowing how to make it more successful? Do you wish to become more popular? Are you craving to earn more? Do you wish to expand your horizon, earn new clients and win people over with your ideas? How to Win Friends and Influence People is a well-researched and comprehensive guide that will help you through these everyday problems and make success look easier. You can learn to expand your social circle, polish your skill set, find ways to put forward your thoughts more clearly, and build mental strength to counter all hurdles that you may come across on the path to success. Having helped millions of readers from the world over achieve their goals, the clearly listed techniques and principles will be the answers to all your questions.

“ The ” Academy

Will's Visions of Piers Plowman, Do-well, Do-better and Do-best

The Best Thing I Ever Did for My Marriage

“ A ” Dictionary of the English Language

Book2 English - French for Beginners

“ The ” Works of Francis Bacon