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*District of Massachusetts, to wit :*

*District Clerk's Office.*

(T. S.) BE it remembered, that on the fifteenth day of September, A. D. 1817, and in the forty-second year of the Independence of the United States of America, NOAH WEBSTER, Esq. of the said district, has deposited in this office the title of a book, the right whereof he claims as author in the words following, to wit, "*The American Spelling Book; containing the Rudiments of the English Language, for the use of Schools in the United States. By Noah Webster, Esq.*" In conformity to the act of the Congress of the United States, entitled "An act for the encouragement of learning, by securing the copies of maps, charts, and books, to the authors and proprietors of such copies during the times therein mentioned;" and also to an act, entitled "An act supplementary to an act, entitled an act for the encouragement of learning, by securing the copies of maps, charts, and books, to the authors and proprietors of such copies during the times therein mentioned; and extending the benefits thereof to the arts of designing, engraving, and etching historical and other prints."

JOHN W. DAVIS,  
*Clerk of the District of Massachusetts.*



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He that would win, must LABOR for the prize :  
'Tis thus the youth, from lisp'ng A, B, C,  
Attains at length, a Master's high degree.

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