



The Reporter: Or Phonography Adapted to Verbatim Reporting (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 The Reporter: Or Phonography Adapted to Verbatim Reporting 1. In the consideration of the great, the national, and altogether unexpected advantages of a Reformed Orthography, which the practice of Phonetic Writing in the short-hand character is steadily bringing about, and the universal blessings that will necessarily follow, in the ultimate adoption of the phonetic principle for representing all languages, we are apt to overlook the lesser personal good of a practical acquaintance with the stenographic art to individuals in all situations of life, but more particularly to literary men. This subject has, however, been a favorite theme with many writers, who, by using the winged words of stenography, either in reporting for the press, or in their ordinary writing, for a course of years, have thereby attained a mental elevation far beyond what would have been possible under any other circumstances. The names of Edmund Burke, Sergt. Talfourd, Charles Dickens, and a numerous array less known to fame, may be fairly considered as being indebted to their engagements with the periodical press as reporters, in...



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