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## ELEMENTS USED IN THIS BOOK

**Phonograms** -ell, -ob

**Phonogram words** bell, fell, jell, Nell, sell, tell,  
well, yell, Bob, cob, job,  
rob, mob

**Reviewed phonic elements** n, a, m, s, t, o, d, e, f, g, i, b,  
c, r, u, l, w, j, y, z

**Reviewed story word** after

**New high-frequency words** help, made

**Reviewed high-frequency words** a, good, has, he, her, his,  
is, make, out, put, said,  
saw, she, some, the, to,  
was, went, will

**Special considerations** plural ending -s;  
inflectional ending -ed

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Bob has a good job.  
His job is to sell cobs.  
“I will sell lots of cobs,”  
he said.



Bob put out the cobs.  
But his cobs did not sell.



Nell has a good job.  
Her job is to make  
good jell.  
“I will sell a lot of jell,”  
she said.



Nell put out her jell.  
But her jell did not sell.





Bob got a bell.  
“Get some cobs!”  
he yelled.  
“I tell you, my cobs are  
good.”



Nell got a bell.  
“Get some good jell!”  
she yelled.  
“I tell you, my jell is good.”



Buzz was a bad man.  
He saw the cobs  
and the jell.  
He went to rob Bob  
and Nell.



“Help!” yelled Bob  
and Nell.  
Buzz ran with the cobs  
and the jell.  
Bob and Nell ran  
after Buzz.





Buzz fell, and Bob got  
his cobs.  
Nell got her jell.  
A mob saw the cobs  
and the jell.



“Well,” said Bob, “I will  
sell cobs to the mob.”  
“Yes,” said Nell, “And I  
will sell jell to the mob.”