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谨以此书献给那些因听力不济而壮志  
未酬的朋友们！

## 前 言

学英语,最难的是听。

据权威的美国教育考试中心(ETS)统计,1994—1995年间,中国大陆共有119867人次参加了托福(TOEFL)考试,平均得分为语法57分,阅读55分,而听力仅仅只有53分。听力明显低于语法分析与书面阅读能力。四、六级考试,外语水平考试(WSK)结果与此大同小异。

其实,提高听力也不难。只要方法得当,持之以恒,积以时日,听力是完全可以过关的。目前,已有越来越多的朋友把收听英语新闻广播作为提高听力的一条捷径。新闻广播英语最大的特点是词汇与句型有一定的范围,只要熟悉、掌握这些常用的词汇、搭配、句型,再进行听力训练,可以收到事半功倍的效果。本书试图在这方面为有志于迅速提高听力的朋友们提供一点帮助。

本书是在作者自编的《新闻英语词汇手册》基础上发展而成的。本书作者有着自学听力的切身体会,对于听力教学有着浓厚的兴趣与独到的见解,并进行了潜心的研究。在长期从事听力教学的过程中,作者一直把当天实录的 VOA, BBC 新闻作为取自空中的真实教材(authentic material)。如此历经七、八年光阴,逐步筛选出最常用、见次频率最高的单词1200余条,编成此书。每个词条均注有音标、词性、简单扼要的汉语译文,并配有若干源于

VOA, BBC 等电台英语新闻广播的实录例句。

词条按字母顺序排列,检索方便。本书有如下一些特点:

听到生词,可以根据读音很快从书中查出,从而增强信心,提高兴趣。一般词典收词浩繁,要想“听音查字”,如大海捞针,十分不便。而正是由于这种碰到生词束手无策的处境,不知使多少朋友丧失了学好听力的信心,或半途而废,或功亏一篑;

平时可以随时朗读、背诵、默记这些单词及理解其主要意义,为听懂英语广播打下基础;

可以熟悉常用句型以及常用词的搭配。书中例句,全部取自实录的新闻广播,见次频率极高。可以不夸张地说,记熟了这些,听力就已经一半过关;

有助于确定自己的学习策略。如果书中这些单词太多认识,那么,听力暂时尚未过关是因为平时听得太少;如果这些单词认得不多,那么,要提高听力,恐怕还得从扩大词汇量,从学习书中这些单词做起。

为方便读者使用,书后附有常用缩略语表,常用国名、地名、人名、民族名表以及十几段分类实录新闻。

根据作者多年来使用本书前身《新闻英语词汇手册》进行听力教学的成效来看,一般半年左右,新闻英语听力可以基本过关。有许多朋友刚进听力学习班时,只能听懂慢速英语新闻 40%,有的甚至连新闻段落都分不开,经过配合本书半年强化训练(即坚持天天听,每天一至二小时),竟能听懂正常语速新闻 90%以上。作者有幸参加 1992 年 3 月在天津举行的《中国英语教学国际研讨会》,向与会同行汇报了听力教学的成绩,受到广泛重视。会后,刘润清教授撰文,向全国英语教育界介绍了这种听力

教学法。

本书编写过程中,承蒙校内外同事、学员热情鼓励、支持,提出不少很好的建议,特别是南大出版社的张彤同志及时确定选题并多次给予指导;另外,籍明文同志在教书、编书的百忙之中,抽空为本书注写了全部音标及部分汉语释义,崔岭、李欣、尹衍桐、赵秀明同志对全书进行了校对,特此一并致以诚挚的谢意!

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# A

**abandon** [ə'bændən] vt. 放弃; 离弃(家园、车辆、船只等); 背弃(诺言、信仰等)

Attempts to control the largest fire have been *abandoned*.

To *abandon* the peace talks will be tantamount to victory by Jewish extremists who shot dead more than 40 Muslims at their Friday prayer.

Two people died while *abandoning* the ship.

Meanwhile Russia has *abandoned* its pledge to withdraw the remaining 2000 troops in Estonia by the end of August.

Many of them *abandoned* their vehicles because they were stranded in the big snow and walked into the tunnel for protection.

Russia says its troops have captured the Presidential Palace in Grozny, capital of Chechen Republic after the rebels *abandoned* their stubborn resistance in the bombed-out city.

**abduct** [æb'dʌkt] vt. 绑架

Gunmen who have *abducted* a group of Russian school children and their teacher have landed in the south of Russia.

Reports from Sierra Leone say *rebels* have *abducted* hundreds of people including seven foreign *nuns* in a *raid* on the northern town of Kambia.

A French aid worker *abducted* last week in Somali capital Mogadishu has been released.

The elder sister was *abducted* in 1943 at the age of 2.

**abduction** [æb'dʌkʃən] n. 绑架

He said there were disturbing new elements to the attacks such as

rape and abduction of children.

The move came after the abduction of 17 foreign nationals in recent weeks.

**abolish** [ə'bolɪʃ] vt. 废除(法律、习惯等); 取消

The head of the government agency which administers most of the US foreign aid programme is criticising a Senator's proposal to abolish that agency.

The move came after the Ukraine parliament abolished the region's constitution.

More than half of all the agricultural land have been restored to its pre-communist owners since collective farms were abolished 3 years ago.

**abort** [ə'bo:t] v. 流产(政变); (计划等)失败

The cosmonauts will try to guide the ship in manually after a computer aborted the previous two attempts.

Peru's top military tribunal has sentenced the leader of an aborted coup attempt to 8 years in prison.

**abortion** [ə'bo:ʃən] n. 流产; 堕胎

The Vatican has sought to remove from the document any words that might imply the acceptance of abortion.

In the past two years three other people have been shot dead in attacks against abortion clinics in the United States.

**abstain** [əb'steɪn] v. 弃权

They expect China to abstain rather than veto it.

Britain abstained the vote which approved the deal.

**abstention** [əb'stenʃən] n. 弃权

The vote was 73 in favour, one against and three abstentions.

Analysts say drop in the Milan market and lire's loss against the mark are due to abstentions by many supporters of the former

Prime Minister Berlusconi.

**accept**[æk'sept]vt. 接受; 承认; 认可

British Foreign Secretary Douglas Hurd says Britain is closer to *accepting* the IRA cease-fire as permanent.

The Iraqi ambassador to the UN said most members of the Security Council now have *accepted* that Iraq has done enough to <sup>involved</sup> warrant the lifting of the sanctions imposed after it invaded Kuwait.

**access**[ˈækses]n. 接近; 进入; 接近(或进入)的权利; 机会等

The US is still seeking *access* to all its nuclear sites.

The US says it doubts its next round of talks with North Korea will go ahead on Monday because of North Korea's refusal to allow the international inspectors' *access* to its nuclear sites.

A Council statement calls on Bosnian Serbs to give the Red Cross and UN officials *access* to areas where it said ethnic cleansing is taking place.

He worked for the economic section of the Western Alliance NATO at its Brussels headquarters where he had *access* to highly classified documents.

There is intense anger among British fishermen after the EU Fishery Ministers agreed to give Spanish and Portuguese boats *access* to large area of water of Ireland and North Britain.

**accommodate**[ə'kɒmədeɪt]vt. 容纳; 接纳

The camps which will be able to *accommodate* 100000 people will be set up in a border town.

**accompany**[ə'kʌmpəni]vt. 陪同

His lawyer says the court decided to allow him to receive medical treatment anywhere he chooses as long as a senior medical officer *accompanies* him.

He was *accompanied* by the US Ambassador to the United Na-

tions.

He was *accompanied* by Russian Interior Minister and Chief of Counter Intelligence.

Correspondents say at present virtually every election in Mexico is *accompanied* by allegations of wide-spread fraud and corruption.

The businessmen *accompanying* Mr Brown on his six-day visit are expected to sign business deals worth hundreds of millions of dollars.

**accord** [ə'kɔ:d] n. 协议

Israel and PLO have agreed to resume talks on implementing their *accord* on Palestinian self-rule.

UN Secretary General Boutros Boutros-Ghali welcomed the *accord*.

China and Korea wanted to replace the armistice with a peace *accord*.

**according to** [ə'kɔ:diŋ] ad. 按照; 根据……所说

*According to* the news report he condemned the way the inquiry was conducted.

*According to* an official in Korea the cost for reactors is estimated at 60 thousand million dollars.

*According to* the study smuggling of drugs increased dramatically in the past three years, in the three southern provinces in particular.

**acclaim** [ə'kleim] n. 欢呼; 喝采

His novel of murder and intrigue has won him worldwide *acclaim*.

**accuse** [ə'kju:z] v. 指责; 谴责; 控告

Briatin has *accused* Iran of incitement to murder by renewing the death order against British author Sherman Rushdie.

Russians *accused* Chechnya government of forcing terrorism in Grozny.

In an open statement the defence said Simpson had been wrongly *accused* of murdering his former wife and her male companion by prosecutors obsessed of winning at any cost.

**acknowledge** [ək'nɒlɪdʒ] vt. 承认

Bangladeshi officials *acknowledged* that 11 people have been killed but said that the police had no part.

British Foreign Secretary Douglas Hurd *acknowledged* the need for reinforcement.

**acquire** [ə'kwaiə] v. t 取得; 获得

Unless the Union can persuade the PLO to resume peace talks with Israel the Union will *acquire* an image of impotence.

Next week in Germany US Secretary of State Warren Christopher will urge Russians to prevent Iran from *acquiring* material needed to make nuclear weapons.

**acquit** [ə'kwɪt] vt. 宣判……无罪 ○

A third defendant was *acquitted* because of the lack of evidence.

**addiction** [ə'dɪkʃən] n. 上瘾

Michael curtailed the tour in November saying he was receiving treatment for *addiction* to pain-killing drugs.

**address** [ə'dres] vt. 致辞; 演说

President Clinton plans to *address* the American people late Monday night on the economic package he'll present to the Congress on Wednesday.

President Clinton prepares to *address* the American people on the state of US economy and the need for strong actions.

**adjourn** [ə'dʒə:n] vt. 休会

Two days of talks have now been *adjourned* and will be resumed on Sunday.

China and US have *adjoined* their talks now aimed at averting a trade war over intellectual property rights.

**administration** [ədˌmɪnɪs'treɪʃən] n. (美国)政府

The Clinton *Administration* will decide the nominee of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court some time next few weeks.

The Clinton *Administration* and the Republican Congress majority clash on a Republican bill on national security.

**admit** [əd'mɪt] vt. 承认

The Green Peace environment group says Russia has *admitted* it can no longer guarantee the safety operation of its nuclear submarine fleet.

Saturday the Kremlin *admitted* for the first time that Russian troops have taken part in the fighting in Chechnya.

A Russian official has *admitted* for the first time that Russian military jets were responsible for bombing raids last week of the breakaway Chechen Republic.

Our correspondents say he did not *admit* that his forces had been defeated.

**adopt** [ə'dɒpt] vt. 通过

The German Parliament has *adopted* a resolution condemning the violence in Chechnya and has urged a peaceful settlement of the crisis after more than a day of heated debate.

**adversary** ['ædvəsəri] n. 对手; 敌手

This was the first time that NATO defence ministers and their former *adversaries* are meeting to talk about military issues.

They are prepared to work together as partners and no longer as *adversaries*.

**affect** [ə'fekt] vt. 影响

In West Europe tens of thousands of people have been *affected* by some of the worst flooding in the century.

The Chinese government has set up urgent fund to help the farmers *affected* by severe draught in Northern China.

It is not known if his health problems will *affect* his decision.

A reported one third of Tbilisi citizens are *affected*.

Mr Perry expressed the hope that the helicopter incident will not *affect* the implementation of the nuclear agreement signed earlier this year with North Korea.

**affiliation** [əˌfili'eɪʃən] n. 加入; 入会; (组织、政党等) 成员

There are over 6000 candidates standing for election, most of them with no party *affiliation*.

The identity, political *affiliation* and motive of the gunman are not clear.

**aftermath** ['ɑːftəməθ] n. 后果; 余波

According to the statement released on Thursday as the *aftermath* of the Cold War the Administration is mindful the risks of nuclear proliferation continue to present significant threats to US and its allies.

The head of the Egyptian Information Service said hundreds are dead and thousands are left homeless in the *aftermath* of the flooding and fire.

In Central Japan heavy rains are raising fears of landslide and further damage in the *aftermath* of this week's devastating earthquake.

**agenda** [əˈdʒendə] n. 日程

He said that China's human rights policy is high on his *agenda* for talks.

The BBC correspondent in Jerusalem says Mr Rabin will again put the security issue at the top of the *agenda*.

**agrarian** [əˈɡreəriən] a. 农业的

They also include an *agrarian* party representing the interest of

collective farmers.

**aggravate**['ægrəveɪt]vt. 加剧;使更恶化

Nigeria accused France of *aggravating* Nigeria's dispute with Cameroon.

Pressure on Pyongyang could only *aggravate* the situation.

**agree**[ə'gri:]vi. 同意;赞同

The two countries have *agreed* not to use force over the issue.

Peru and Ecuador have *agreed* on a cease-fire on the five-week long border conflict.

**agreement**['əgri:mənt]n. (口头或书面的)协定,协议

The *agreement* signed on Friday in Hanoi cleared the way for Washington and Hanoi to open liaison office in each other's capital.

They reached an *agreement* on Sunday on Syrian troops' withdrawal from Lebanon and future relations between Syria and Lebanon.

**aid**[eid]n. 援助;帮助

— *Aid* officials say the Zaire authorities handed over the refugees to Rwanda's Patriotic Front.

The *aid* is far short of the seven hundred million dollars pledged for this year.

Earlier three international *aid* agencies, Oxfam, Christian Aid and Action Aid expressed their dissatisfaction with the programme in Copenhagen.

**aid**[eid]vt. 援助;帮助

The US pledges hundreds of millions of dollars to *aid* a new era of co-operation with Ukraine.

**aide**[eid]n. 副官;助手

A top US State Department *aide* insisted that the strikes are not officially-inspired.



The President and the White House are in a slow holiday mode as many staff *aides* continue their holidays away from Washington.

**aids**[eidz]n. 艾滋病

A leading US newspaper says the World Health Organization is planning the first large-scale human trial of two *aids* vaccines.

*Aids* researchers are calling for closer global co-operation to battle the deadly disease on the eve of a major international meeting on *aids* in Paris.

UN Secretary General Boutros Boutros-Ghali has declared *aids* epidemic a present-time emergency at the Summit meeting in Paris.

The Brazilian Health Ministry is reporting by the end of last September the number of *aids* cases in Brazil had risen 23 percent since July, 1993 to reach 563 thousand.

European researchers say a combination of the new *aids* drug 3 TL and the standard drug AZT fight the virus better than the AZT does.

**ailing**['eiliŋ]a. 患病的

The *ailing* grandson of the late Taiwan leader Chiang Kai-shek has been flown home from Beijing to Taipei.

Well, it is still alive but *ailing*.

**air-drop**[εə drɒp]空投

For 25th time US *air-dropped* relief packages to eastern Bosnia.

The UN relief agency has recently asked NATO members to *air-drop* relief supplies to Bihac.

**air-lift**[εə lift]空运

The Coast Guards *air-lifted* the third to a Miami hospital.

The aid workers were *air-lifted* to Kenya Friday.

The Serb action also forced the suspension of all international *air-lift* to Sarajevo effected Saturday.