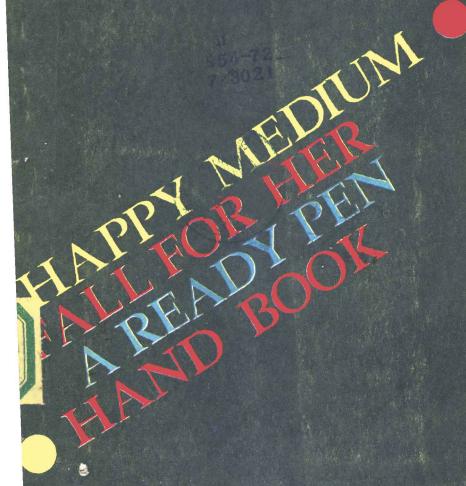
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今天,一提到现代化信息传播手段,人们自然会想到电视、卫星、光导通信……其实,一本好的现代外语工具书,也是现代信息网的重要环节。《英语习语用法手册》正是这样一本书。

据我看,当代英语的发展趋势之一是更加习语化。这不仅使语言更加地道和生动活泼,而且经济,提高效率,节约了时间。而时间——正象这本书选入的一条英语习语说的那样——就是金钱。在一定意义上,这跟我们中国人讲的"一寸光阴一寸金"包含着同样的道理。

学习语,并把它应用到自己的工作和生活中去,是要下功夫的。对此我深有体会。一条习语,在什么场合下使用才得体,而不会出笑话?是限于口语还是限于笔语?读起来重音一般该落在哪一个词上,特殊的又该怎样?习语的组成部分能不能变,哪一部分能变等等,都是常常遇到的问题。对以上问题,不仅绪论里做了概述,而且在本手册收入的语词条上都作了相应的标注,方便了实际运用,颇为难得,这是它的特点之一。它的章节是按习语的构成方式或使用范围加以横向编排的,同时将收入的词语全部按字母顺序纵向编了具有交叉检索性质的索引,使本书既方便于分类学习和记忆,又便于检索查阅,兼有习语用法教科书和习语词典两者作用,这是它的特点之二。本书收入的条目反应了语言是一种历史现象,是在不断地变化和发展者这一事实,其中有的在别处难以查寻,一旦在这里找到线索,使人颇有"得来全不费工夫"之感,这是其特点之三。

随着我们国家对外进一步开放,中外交流日益增加。在

此形势下,我希望《英语习语用法手册》的编译出版能为读者 提供一个新的信息手段,成为英语学习者和使用者的一个益 友。

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