

Title Noah Webster's Fighting Words (Biography/NF) 1154 words

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CHARACTER/ SETTING	<p>Noah Webster</p> <p>America</p>	PROBLEM	<p>There were no American specific books/ spellings/dictionaries.</p>
INCITING INCIDENT	<p>"Words! Numbers! They tickled young Noah."</p>	ESCALATION	<p>The American Revolution was raging and Webster used the pen to fight for America.</p> <p>Felt there should be American books</p> <p>Begin with Spelling. Changed spelling of some words from English spelling</p> <p>Wanted to create new American language</p> <p>Tried to get spelling laws passed</p>
SOLUTION	<p>Created American Dictionary of the English Language</p>	HOOK/THEME	<p>A piece of American history not well known.</p> <p>Noah Webster is "editor"</p>