

Appendix A – List of Stimuli

Experiment 1

1A: Phrases

see lapses – steal assets

woo lasses – fool asses

grey land – frail aunt

pay labs – pale abs

say lolly – jail Olly

1B: Compounds

day louse – mail out

jay loaner – jail owner

may lark – whale art

toy lamp – coil amp

bay leaf – tail eave

tow limit – goal inning

Experiment 2

2A: Unreduced Following Vowels

Healey – freely – mealy (– ceiling)

Julie – newly – stooily (– Bueling)

Miley – shyly – smiley (– Nyling)

Bailey – daily – scaly (- railing)

2B: Reduced Following Vowels

velum – kneeless – realest

tulip – shoeless – coolest

pilot – eyeless – vilest

bailiff – hayless – palest

julep – coupless – coolest

wallet – flawless – tallest

Experiment 3

3A: Unreduced Preceding Vowels

buy lean – I lean – Eileen – Kyle Een

tie lutes – my loot – dilute – vile ooze

sew lace – though late – Olay – stole eight

3B: Reduced Preceding Vowels

soda leak – the leaf – belief – beautiful eave

polka loop – the loon – balloon – awful ooze

two lanes– you lay – Tulane – cool aim

Experiment 4

4A: Inflectional Suffix

ceiling – kneeling

railing – failing

shilling – billing

4B: Derivational Suffix

cellar – seller

pillar – killer

collar – caller

scholar – faller

stellar – smeller

solar – bowler

4C: Clitic

bullet – pull it

gullet – dull it

wallet – call it

mullet – cull it

skillet – kill it

millet – spill it