Exercises from *A Drillbook of English Phonetics*

Have a look at these exercises and tell me which ones you think you should concentrate on:

http://www.spence.saar.de/arcanum/phonetics/pronunciation/pronunciation_01-04.pdf
http://www.spence.saar.de/arcanum/phonetics/pronunciation/pronunciation_01-04.mp3

1	Major Weak Forms	1	t=00:00
2	Plosives /p, t, k, b, d, g/	2	t=12:26
3	Approximant /r/	3	t=21:17
4	Fricatives /s, z, θ, ð/	4	t=28:20

http://www.spence.saar.de/arcanum/phonetics/pronunciation/pronunciation_05-12.pdf
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5	Fricatives /f, v/	5	t=00:00
6	Approximant /w/	6	t=02:17
7	Approximant /j/	7	t=08:42
8	Lateral /l/	8	t=11:37
9	Fricatives /ʃ, ʒ/	9	t=20:46
10	Affricates /tʃ, dʒ/	10	t=22:24
11	Fricative /h/	11	t=29:43
12	Nasal /m, n, ŋ/	12	t=31:19

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13	Front Vowel /iː/	13	t=00:00
14	Front-Central Vowel /ɪ/	14	t=01:42
15	Front Vowel /e/	15	t=07:59
16	Front Vowel /æ/	16	t=10:11
17	Central Vowel /ʌ/	17	t=15:56
18	Back-Central Vowel /ɑː/	18	t=18:20
19	Back Vowel /ɒ/	19	t=20:45
20	Back Vowel /ɔː/	20	t=22:59
21	Central Vowel /ɜː/	21	t=28:50
22	Central Vowel /ə/	22	t=32:45
23	Back-Central Vowel /ʊ/	23	t=36:33
24	Back Vowel /uː/	24	t=37:14

http://www.spence.saar.de/arcanum/phonetics/pronunciation/pronunciation_25-33.pdf
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25	Closing Diphthong /eɪ/	25	t=00:00
26	Closing Diphthong /aɪ/	26	t=01:44
27	Closing Diphthong /ɔɪ/	27	t=03:31
28	Closing Diphthong /aʊ/	28	t=12:38
29	Closing Diphthong /əʊ/	29	t=14:10
30	Centring Diphthong /ɪə/	30	t=18:46
31	Centring Diphthong /eə/	31	t=20:03
32	Centring Diphthong /ʊə/	32	t=21:52
33	Word Stress	33	t=29:44