7 Carrot, cabbage
Unstressed vowels /ə/ and /ɪ/

7.4 Listen and circle the word you hear.

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1 Woman or women? What time did the *woman / women* arrive?
2 Dress or address? Where's Kate's *dress / address*?
3 Manager's or manages? The team *manager's / manages* well.
4 Teacher's or teaches? The German *teacher's / teaches* English.
5 Weight's or waiter's? The *weight's / waiter's* heavy.
6 Dancer's or dances? The woman *dancer's / dances* fast.
7 Officer's or office's? The *officer's / office's* here.
8 Away or way? Take that *away / way*.
9 Driver or drive? What a nice *driver / drive*!
10 Racer's or races? The *racer's / races* finished.

Follow up: Record yourself saying the sentences in 7.4, choosing one of the two words. Make a note of which words you say. Then listen to your recording in about two weeks. Is it clear which words you said?

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