

## Vocabulary

### Chapter 1

Advice p.1 *noun* – receiving help with a decision or course of conduct: counsel

Daubed p.3 *verb* – to cover or coat with soft adhesive matter

Ruefully p.5 *adverb* – mournful, regretful

### Chapter 2

Confidently p.8 *adjective* – having or showing assurance and self-reliance

Annoyances p.9 *noun* – a source of vexation or irritation: nuisance

Proprietors p.9 *noun* – one granted ownership of a colony and full prerogatives of establishing a government and distributing land

### Chapter 3

Lingo p.15 *noun* – strange or incomprehensible language or speech

Expedition p.16 *noun* – a journey or excursion undertaken for a specific purpose

Begrudging p.17 *adjective* – said, done, or given reluctantly

### Chapter 4

Sensible p.20 *adjective* – having, containing, or indicative of good sense or reason: rational, reasonable

### Chapter 5

Persuaded p.22 *verb* – to move by argument, entreaty, or expostulation to a belief, position, or course of action

Protest p.24 *noun* – a complaint, objection, or display of unwillingness usually to an idea or a course of action

### Chapter 6

Pewter p.26 *noun* – a bluish gray metal used for domestic utensils

Resentful p.27 *adjective* – full of a feeling of indignant displeasure or persistent ill will at something regarded as a wrong, insult, or injury

Despise p.28 *verb* – to look down on with disrespect or aversion

Incomprehensible p.31 *adjective* – impossible to comprehend

## Chapter 7

Savage p.32 *noun* – a person belonging to a primitive society; a brutal person; a rude or unmannerly person

Heathen p.32 *noun* – an uncivilized or irreligious person

Disdainfully p.33 *adverb* – full of or expressing contempt for someone or something regarded as unworthy or inferior

## Chapter 8

Salvage p.38 *verb* – to rescue or save especially from wreckage or ruin

## Chapter 9

Snare p.40 *noun* – a trap often consisting of a noose for entangling birds or mammals

Nonchalantly p.41 *adverb* – in a casual way that shows a relaxed lack of concern or interest

Ordeal p.41 *noun* – a severe trial or experience

Contemptuous p.41 *adjective* – showing, feeling or expressing deep hatred or disapproval

## Chapter 10

Pondering p.50 *verb* – to think about: reflect on

## Chapter 11

Squaw p.52 *noun* – an American Indian woman (this can be offensive)

Disposition p.53 *noun* – prevailing tendency, mood, or inclination

Superior p.57 *adjective* – of higher rank, quality, or importance

## Chapter 12

Chagrined p.60 *verb* – to vex or unsettle by disappointing or humiliating

## Chapter 13

Goaded p.65 *verb* – to incite or rouse as if with a goad: something that urges or stimulates into action

Shrewdly p.66 *adverb* – marked by clever discerning awareness and hardheaded acumen: keenness and depth of perception, discernment, or discrimination especially in practical matters

## Chapter 14

Inspiration p.68 *noun* – the action or power of moving the intellect or emotions; can be given by divine influence, a sacred revelation

## Chapter 15

Solemnness p.74 *noun* – awe-inspiring; marked by grave sedateness and earnest sobriety

Chapter 16

Stockade p.78 *noun* – a line of stout posts set firmly to form a defense

Imitation p.80 *noun* – an act or instance of imitating: to be or appear like

Chapter 17

Shamefacedly p.85 *adverb*– showing modesty: bashful

Sober p.85 *adjective* – marked by seriousness

Genial p.86 *adjective* – marked by or freely expressing sympathy or friendliness

Chapter 18

Reckoned p.90 *verb* – to regard or think of as: consider

Chapter 19

Humiliation p.102 *noun* – feeling embarrassed or reduced to a lower position in one’s own eyes or others’ eyes

Bewilderingly p.102 *adverb* – extremely confusing or difficult to understand

Chapter 20

Envy p.107 *verb* – painful or resentful awareness of an advantage enjoyed by another joined with a desire to possess the same advantage

Chapter 21

Unhampered p.113 *adjective* – not impeded or restrained

Chapter 22

Awkwardly p.119 *adverb* – uncomfortable

Chapter 23

Meager p.120 *adjective* – having little in quality or quantity

Beseeching p.121 *adjective* – expressing or marked by earnest pleading or entreaty

Chapter 24

Hewing p.128 *verb* – to give form or shape to something using heavy cutting blows

Chapter 25

Mill p.135 *noun* – a building with machinery used for grinding grain