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Increasing Our Vocabulary

Code: EL1: LA, SS

Introduction: What does Doleful mean? Was this a new word for you? By reading the quotations and letters in the document titled “An Army Doctor’s Wife”, one reads a lot of different words. See how many of them you know.

Directions: Define the following words using your own words. Then use the word in a sentence below.

1. Chasms:

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Sentence_____.

2. Tine: _____.

Sentence_____.

3. Doleful: _____.

Sentence_____.

4. Scalawag:_____.

Sentence_____.

5. Plat:_____.

Sentence_____.

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Pantaloons:_____.

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Sentence_____.

7. Hollow:_____.

Sentence _____.

8. Mess: _____.

Sentence _____.

9. Sprig:_____.

Sentence _____.

Extra Challenge: Write an antonym for each word listed above.

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