

The Time Machine
By H.G. Wells

Vocabulary

A note about British spelling: Non-British students need to be reminded that H.G. Wells was an English author and followed British spelling conventions, colour for color, for example.



Chapter 1:

Expounding

Recondite

Incandescent

Paradox

Fecundity'

Controvert

Infirmity

Intermittently

Accession

Spasmodic

Chapter 2:

Ingenuity

Lucid

Skepticism

Deportment

Plausibility

Speculation

Jocular

Ingenious

Articulation

Exclamatory

Chapter 3:

Imminent

Scaffolding

Palpitation

Luminous

Fluctuating

Poignant

Exhilaration

Rudimentary

Fluctuated

Attenuated

Chapter 4:

Futurity

Exquisite

Singularly

Vivid

Melodious

Sphinx

Edifice

Portal

Variegated

Dingy

Chapter 5:

Gibbous

Complacency

Leprous

Stanching

Dread

Folly

mockery

intervention

inarticulate

monomania

Chapter 6:

Manifestly

Pallid

Perplexity

Lemur

Clambering

Aperture

Impenetrable

Abysmal

Incontinently

Grotesque

Chapter 7:

Anguish

Impeded

Malign

Loathed

Incomprehensible

Wane

Villainy

Sufferance

Commended

Pinnacles

Chapter 8:

Corroded

Estuary

Miscellaneous

Oblique

Preoccupation

Transversely

Salt peter (saltpeter)\

Deliquesced

Vestige

Diminution

Chapter 9:

Impending

Insidious

Camphor

Atrocious

Fermentation

Decadence

Adjacent

Bole

Slumberous

Succulent

Chapter 10:

Cupola

Steadfast

Versatility

Disjointed

Stave tranquil

Meek

Inclination

Contrivance

Abominable

Chapter 11:

Indefinite

Prodigious

Extinction

Lichen

Perpetual

Incrustation

Lurid

Palp

Apparition

Undulating

Chapter 12:

Succession

Fluctuating

Decadent

Wholesome

Speculating

Translucent

Gaudy

Substantial

Reminiscence

Meddle