Chapter 9

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| Vocabulary  | Definition  | Sample sentence  |
| “to get one’s goat”  | To annoy somebody  |  |
| “to draw a bead on” | To aim at somebody carefully  |  |
| Uncompromising  | Stubborn; unyielding  |  |
| Lineaments  | Facial outline  |  |
| Ingenuous  | Naïve; simple  |  |
| Analogous to  | Similar to; related to  |  |
| Wary of  | Careful; watchful; on your guard  |  |
| Innate  | Native; inherent; in your blood  |  |
| Provocation  | Offense; insult; trigger  |  |
| To don  | To put on; to dress in  |  |
| Trousseau  | the clothes and linen a bride prepares for her marriage |  |
| Fanatical  | Extremely passionate  |  |
| Deportment  | the way a person behaves toward other people; behavior  |  |
| Runt  | the smallest animal of a litter |  |
| Tentative  | Hesitant; unsure  |  |
| To croon  | To sing; to say softly  |  |
| To tarry  | To delay; to “drag one’s feet”  |  |
| Gallantly  | Politely attentive to ladies  |  |
| “on tenterhooks” | On edge; in suspense  |  |
| To jar  | To offend; to disturb  |  |