

Lesson 35

bra [brɑ] n. 胸罩

brace [bres] v. 支撑

embrace [ɪm'bres] v. 拥抱

He braced himself for the icy
plunge into the black water.

他准备跳入冰冷的黑水。

Penelope came forward and
embraced her sister.

佩内洛普走上前来拥抱了她的
妹妹。



time [taɪm] n. 时间

bar [bɑr] n. 酒吧; 棒, 条

timber ['tɪmbə] n. 木材, 木料

These Michigan woods have
been exploited for timber since
the Great Fire of Chicago.

自芝加哥大火灾之后, 密歇根
的森林一直被砍伐作木材用。

see [si] v. 看见; 领会

very ['veri] adv. 非常

severe [si'veɪr] adj. 严重的

Shortages of professional staff are very severe in some places.

专业人员的短缺在一些地方十分严重。

drink [drɪŋk] v. 喝 n. 一杯; 酒

shrink [ʃrɪŋk] v. 收缩, 缩水

People were short in those days – or else those military uniforms all shrank in the wash!

那个年代人们很矮—要么就是那些军装在洗涤时全都缩水了!

add [æd] v. 增加

odd [ɒd] adj. 奇怪的

He'd always been odd, but not to this extent.

他曾一直很古怪, 但没到这种程度。

wonderful ['wʌndəfəl] adj. 绝妙的, 极好的

wonder ['wʌndə] n. 奇迹 v. 想知道

I wondered what that noise was.

我想知道那噪音是什么。

hook [hʊk] n. 钩子

hooker ['hʊkə] n. 妓女

One of his jackets hung from a hook.

他的一件夹克衫挂在挂钩上。

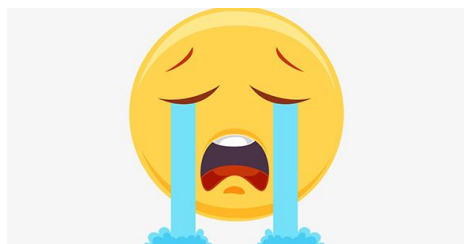
row [ro] n. 排, 行

brow [braʊ] n. 眉毛

frown [fraʊn] v. / n. 皱眉

Nancy shook her head, frowning.

南希摇摇头, 皱着眉头。



cry [kraɪ] v. 哭

crime [kraɪm] n. 犯罪

He and Lieutenant Cassidy were checking the scene of the **crime**.
当时他正与卡西迪中尉一起检查
犯罪现场。

tail [teɪl] n. 尾巴

tailor ['teɪlə] n. 裁缝; 调整

We can tailor the programme to the patient's needs.

我们可以根据病人的需要调整这个方案。

crow [kroʊ] n. 乌鸦

crowd [kraʊd] n. 人群

A huge **crowd** gathered in a square outside the Kremlin walls.

一大群人聚集在了克里姆林宫墙外的广场上。

wing [wɪŋ] n. 翅膀

swing [swɪŋ] v. 摇摆 n. 秋千

switch [swɪtʃ] v. 转换 n. 开关

swift [swɪft] adj. 迅速的

The sail of the little boat swung crazily from one side to the other.

这艘小船的船帆发疯似地左右摇晃着。

Our task is to challenge the U.N. to make a swift decision.

我们的任务是敦促联合国做出迅速的
决定。

well [wel] n. 井

dwelt [dwel] v. 居住

swell [swel] v. 膨胀; 肿胀

swollen ['swolən] adj. 肿胀的

"I'd rather not dwell on the past," he told me.

“我宁愿不多想过去，”他告诉我。

The human population swelled, at least temporarily, as migrants moved south.

随着移民们南移，人口便增加了，至少是暂时增加了。

swim [swɪm] v. 游泳

swam [swæm] v. swim的过去式

swamp [swamp] n. 沼泽

I spent one whole night by a swamp
behind the road listening to frogs.

我整个晚上都在这条路后面的一个沼泽地旁听蛙鸣。

substance ['sʌbstəns] n. 本质，根据；
物质

substantial [səb'stænʃəl] adj. 结实的；
大量的

A substantial number of mothers
with young children are deterred
from undertaking paid work
because they lack access to
childcare.

很多有小孩的母亲找不到人照顾小孩，从而无法从事有薪工作。

string [strɪŋ] n. 绳子；弦乐器

stretch [stretʃ] v. 伸展；延伸

strategy ['strætədʒi] n. 战略，策略

The procession stretched for several
miles.

游行队伍延伸了数英里。

The energy secretary will present
the strategy tomorrow afternoon.
能源部长将于明天下午提出该策略。

wheel [wil] n. 车轮; 方向盘

wheelchair ['wi:tʃɛr] n. 轮椅

The car wheels spun and slipped on some oil on the road.

小汽车的车轮在路面的油迹上空转打了滑。

state [stet] n. 州; 国家

statistics [stə'tɪstɪks] n. 统计学; 统计数字(或资料)

statistical [stə'tɪstɪkl] adj. 统计学的

The report contains a great deal of statistical information.

该报告包含大量统计资料。

star [star] n. 星星

starve [starv] v. 挨饿

stand [stænd] v. 站立

standard ['stændəd] n. 标准

A number of the prisoners we saw are starving.

我们看到的许多囚犯都快饿死了。

The standard of professional cricket has never been lower.

职业板球的水平从来没这么低过。

spin [spɪn] v. 旋转

spindle ['spɪndl] n. (机器的)轴, 心轴

sphere [sfɪr] n. 球体

atmosphere ['ætməsfɪr] n. 大气

The latest disks, used for small portable computers, spin 3,600 times a minute.

用于小型手提电脑的最新磁盘每分钟转动3600次。

The shuttle Columbia will re-enter Earth's atmosphere tomorrow morning. 哥伦比亚号航天飞机将在明天上午重进地球大气层。

spade [sped] n. 铁锹; 黑桃

spoon [spun] n. 汤匙

...a garden spade.

...一把花园里使用的锹。



shadow ['ʃædo] n. 影子

shade [ʃed] n. 树荫

shed [ʃed] n. 棚

In the mornings the sky
appeared a heavy shade of
mottled grey.

清晨, 天空看上去是斑驳的深
灰色调。

...a garden shed.

...一个园艺工具棚。

shy [ʃaɪ] adj. 害羞的

shame [ʃem] n. / v. 羞愧, 羞辱

She felt a deep sense of shame.

她深感羞耻。