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#### PREFACE FROM THE EDITOR

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Frederick Douglass was born in slavery as Frederick Augustus Washington Bailey near Easton in Talbot County, Maryland. He was not sure of the exact year of his birth, but he knew that it was 1817 or 1818. As a young boy he was sent to Baltimore, to be a house servant, where he learned to read and write, with the assistance of his master's wife. In 1838 he escaped from slavery and went to New York City, where he married Anna Murray, a free colored woman whom he had met in Baltimore. Soon thereafter he changed his name to Frederick Douglass. In 1841 he addressed a convention of the Massachusetts Anti-Slavery Society in Nantucket and so greatly impressed the group that they immediately employed him as an agent. He was such an impressive orator that numerous persons doubted if he had ever been a slave, so he wrote NARRATIVE OF THE LIFE OF FREDERICK DOUGLASS. During the Civil War he assisted in the recruiting of colored men for the 54th and 55th Massachusetts Regiments and consistently argued for the emancipation of slaves. After the war he was active in securing and protecting the rights of the freemen. In his later years, at different times, he was secretary of the Santo Domingo Commission, marshall and recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and United States Minister to His other autobiographical works are MY BONDAGE AND MY FREEDOM and LIFE AND TIMES OF FREDERICK DOUGLASS, published in 1855 and 1881 respectively. He died in 1895.

#### PREFACE

In the month of August, 1841, I attended an anti-slavery convention in Nantucket, at which it was my happiness to become **acquainted** with FREDERICK DOUGLASS, the writer of the following Narrative. He was a stranger to nearly every member of that body; but, having recently made his escape from the southern prison-house of **bondage**, and feeling his curiosity excited to ascertain the principles and measures of the abolitionists,—of whom he had heard a somewhat vague description while he was a slave,—he was induced to give his attendance, on the occasion **alluded** to, though at that time a resident in New Bedford.

Fortunate, most fortunate occurrence!—fortunate for the millions of his manacled **brethren**, yet **panting** for **deliverance** from their awful thraldom!—fortunate for the cause of **negro** emancipation, and of universal liberty!—fortunate for the land of his birth, which he has already done so much to save and bless!—fortunate for a large circle of friends and **acquaintances**, whose sympathy and affection he has strongly secured by the many **sufferings** he has **endured**, by his **virtuous** traits of character, by his ever-abiding **remembrance** of those who are in bonds, as being bound with them!—fortunate for the **multitudes**, in various parts of our republic, whose minds he has **enlightened** on the subject of slavery, and who have been melted to tears by his **pathos**, or **roused** to virtuous indignation by his stirring **eloquence** against the enslavers of men!—fortunate for himself, as it at once brought him into the field of public

#### German

acquaintances: Bekannte, Bekanntschaften, die Bekanntschaft, Reisebekanntschaften. acquainted: bekannt, mitgeteilt, teilte

mit, teilten mit, teiltest mit, teiltet mit.

alluded: angespielt, spieltet an, spieltest an, spielten an, spielte an, wies hin.

bondage: Hörigkeit, Sklaverei, Leibeigenschaft, Knechtschaft. brethren: Bruder, Brüder. deliverance: Befreiung.
eloquence: Beredsamkeit,
Sprachgewandtheit,
Redegewandtheit, Außdruckskraft.
endured: ertragen, ertrug, ertrugen,
ertrugst, ertrugt, hieltet aus,
ausgehalten, hielt aus, hielten aus,
hieltest aus, erduldetet.
enlightened: erleuchtetet,
erleuchtetest, erleuchteten,
erleuchtetet, erleuchtet, Aufgeklärt.
multitudes: Mengen.

negro: Neger, Farbige, Schwarze.
panting: Keuchend.
pathos: das Pathos, Pathos.
remembrance: Erinnerung, Andenken,
Gedächtnis, Memorandum,
Mahnung, Abberufung,
Erinnerungsvermögen,
Denkwürdigkeit, Denkschrift.
roused: geweckt, weckten, wecktest,
weckte, wecktet.
sufferings: Leidet.
virtuous: tugendhaft.

usefulness, "gave the world assurance of a MAN," **quickened** the **slumbering** energies of his soul, and **consecrated** him to the great work of breaking the rod of the **oppressor**, and letting the oppressed go free!

I shall never forget his first speech at the convention – the extraordinary emotion it excited in my own mind – the powerful impression it created upon a crowded auditory, completely taken by surprise - the applause which followed from the beginning to the end of his felicitous remarks. I think I never hated slavery so intensely as at that moment; certainly, my perception of the enormous outrage which is inflicted by it, on the godlike nature of its victims, was rendered far more clear than ever. There stood one, in physical proportion and stature commanding and exact—in intellect richly endowed—in natural eloquence a prodigy – in soul **manifestly** "created but a little lower than the angels" – yet a slave, ay, a fugitive slave, – trembling for his safety, hardly daring to believe that on the American soil, a single white person could be found who would befriend him at all hazards, for the love of God and humanity! Capable of high attainments as an intellectual and moral being—needing nothing but a comparatively small amount of cultivation to make him an ornament to society and a blessing to his race – by the law of the land, by the voice of the people, by the terms of the slave code, he was only a piece of property, a beast of burden, a chattel personal, nevertheless!

A beloved friend from New Bedford prevailed on Mr. DOUGLASS to address the convention: He came forward to the platform with a **hesitancy** and embarrassment, necessarily the **attendants** of a sensitive mind in such a novel position. After **apologizing** for his ignorance, and reminding the audience that slavery was a poor school for the human intellect and heart, he proceeded to **narrate** some of the facts in his own history as a slave, and in the course of his speech gave utterance to many noble thoughts and **thrilling** reflections. As soon as he had taken his seat, filled with hope and admiration, I rose, and declared that PATRICK HENRY, of revolutionary fame, never made a speech more eloquent in the cause of liberty, than the one we had just listened to from the lips of that hunted fugitive. So I believed at that time—such is my belief now. I

### German

apologizing: entschuldigend.
attainments: Erreichungen,
Erwerbung, Fähigkeit, Fertigkeit,
Kenntnisse, Erreichung.
attendants: Aufseher, Aufpasser,
Concierges, Hausmeister, Babysitter.
auditory: auditiv, Auditorium,
Zuhörerschaft, Hörsaal.
ay: ja.
befriend: behilflich sein, freundlich
sein.

chattel: Habe.

consecrated: segnete.
felicitous: glücklich, treffend,
gelungen.
fugitive: Flüchtling, Flüchtig.
godlike: gottähnlich, göttlich.
hesitancy: Unschlüssigkeit.
manifestly: offensichtlich,
offenkundig, offenbar, eindeutig.
narrate: erzählen, erzähle, erzählst,
erzählt, melden, sprechen, sagen,
mitteilen, deklamieren, berichten,
austragen.

oppressor: Unterdrücker.
ornament: Verzierung, Verzieren,
Zierat, Ornament, Zierde,
Dekoration, Ausschmückung,
Schmuck, Aufputzen, Ausputzen,
Schmücken.
quickened: beschleunigte,
beschleunigtet, beschleunigten.
slumbering: schlummernd.
thrilling: spannend, aufregend,
durchdringend.

reminded the audience of the peril which surrounded this self-emancipated young man at the North, — even in Massachusetts, on the soil of the Pilgrim Fathers, among the descendants of revolutionary sires; and I appealed to them, whether they would ever allow him to be carried back into slavery, — law or no law, constitution or no constitution. The response was unanimous and in thunder-tones—"NO!" "Will you succor and protect him as a brother-man—a resident of the old Bay State?" "YES!" shouted the whole mass, with an energy so startling, that the ruthless tyrants south of Mason and Dixon's line might almost have heard the mighty burst of feeling, and recognized it as the pledge of an invincible determination, on the part of those who gave it, never to betray him that wanders, but to hide the outcast, and firmly to abide the consequences.

It was at once deeply impressed upon my mind, that, if Mr. DOUGLASS could be persuaded to consecrate his time and talents to the promotion of the anti-slavery enterprise, a powerful impetus would be given to it, and a stunning blow at the same time inflicted on northern prejudice against a colored complexion. I therefore endeavored to instil hope and courage into his mind, in order that he might dare to engage in a vocation so anomalous and responsible for a person in his situation; and I was seconded in this effort by warm-hearted friends, especially by the late General Agent of the Massachusetts Anti-Slavery Society, Mr. JOHN A. COLLINS, whose judgment in this instance entirely coincided with my own. At first, he could give no encouragement; with unfeigned diffidence, he expressed his conviction that he was not adequate to the performance of so great a task; the path marked out was wholly an **untrodden** one; he was sincerely apprehensive that he should do more harm than good. After much deliberation, however, he consented to make a trial; and ever since that period, he has acted as a **lecturing** agent, under the auspices either of the American or the Massachusetts Anti-Slavery Society. In labors he has been most abundant; and his success in combating prejudice, in gaining proselytes, in agitating the public mind, has far surpassed the most sanguine expectations that were raised at the commencement of his brilliant career. He has borne himself with gentleness and meekness, yet with true manliness of

#### German

agitating: aufregend, beunruhigend, agitierend, Handeln, Agieren. colored: farbig, bunt, farbige. combating: bekämpfen, bekämpfend. consecrate: weihen, inaugurieren, inittieren, einsegnen, einweihen. consented: zugestimmt. diffidence: Schüchternheit. endeavored: bemühte. instil: einschärfen. invincible: unbesiegbar. labors: Arbeiten.

lecturing: Vorlesend, Einen Vortrag haltend. manliness: Mannhaftigkeit, Männlichkeit, Unerschrockenheit. meekness: Sanftmut, Gleichmutigkeit, Gelassenheit. outcast: Ausgestoßene, Paria, Verstoßene, Ausgestoßenen, Verworfene. proselytes: Bekehrt. sanguine: heiter, optimistisch. sires: Vorfahren.

succor: Beistand, beistehen, die Hilfe, Hilfe.
surpassed: übertrafst, übertrafen, übertraft, übertraffen, übertraf, übergeragt, ragte über, ragten über, ragtest über, ragtet über, überflügelte.
tyrants: Despoten.
unfeigned: echt, ungeheuchelt.
untrodden: unbetreten, nicht zugänglich, unberührt.
wanders: Wandert, irrt.

character. As a public speaker, he **excels** in pathos, wit, comparison, imitation, strength of reasoning, and fluency of language. There is in him that union of head and heart, which is indispensable to an enlightenment of the heads and a winning of the hearts of others. May his strength continue to be equal to his day! May he continue to "grow in grace, and in the knowledge of God," that he may be increasingly **serviceable** in the cause of bleeding humanity, whether at home or abroad!

It is certainly a very remarkable fact, that one of the most efficient advocates of the slave population, now before the public, is a fugitive slave, in the person of FREDERICK DOUGLASS; and that the free colored population of the United States are as **ably** represented by one of their own number, in the person of CHARLES LENOX REMOND, whose eloquent appeals have **extorted** the highest applause of multitudes on both sides of the Atlantic. Let the **calumniators** of the colored race despise themselves for their **baseness** and illiberality of spirit, and henceforth cease to talk of the natural inferiority of those who require nothing but time and opportunity to attain to the highest point of human excellence.

It may, perhaps, be fairly questioned, whether any other portion of the population of the earth could have endured the **privations**, sufferings and horrors of slavery, without having become more **degraded** in the scale of humanity than the slaves of African descent. Nothing has been left undone to **cripple** their **intellects**, **darken** their minds, **debase** their moral nature, **obliterate** all traces of their relationship to mankind; and yet how wonderfully they have sustained the mighty load of a most **frightful** bondage, under which they have been **groaning** for centuries! To illustrate the effect of slavery on the white man, — to show that he has no powers of endurance, in such a condition, superior to those of his black brother, — DANIEL O'CONNELL, the distinguished advocate of universal emancipation, and the **mightiest** champion of **prostrate** but not conquered Ireland, relates the following anecdote in a speech delivered by him in the Conciliation Hall, Dublin, before the Loyal National Repeal Association, March 31, 1845. "No matter," said Mr. O'CONNELL, "under what **specious** term it may disguise itself, slavery is still hideous. *It has a natural, an* 

#### German

ably: geschickt.
baseness: Niederträchtigkeit.
calumniators: Verleumder.
cripple: Krüppel.
darken: verdunkeln, verdunkle,
verdunkelt, verdunkels, verdunkele,
dunkeln, dunkelt, abdunkeln,
dunkele, dunkelst, dunkle.
debase: verschlechtern.
degraded: degradierte, degradierten,
degradiertest, degradiertet,
degradiert, abgesetzt, setzten ab,

setztet ab, setztest ab, setzte ab. excels: übertrifft. extorted: erzwungen, erpresst, erzwangst, erpreßten, erpreßten, erpreßtet, erzwangt, erpreßtest, erzwang.

frightful: schrecklich, entsetzlich, furchtbar, fürchterlich, grauenerregend, grausig, scheußlich, schlimm, unerhört.

**groaning**: stöhnend.

intellects: Intellekt, Denkvermögen,

Verstand.

mightiest: mächtigste.

**obliterate**: auslöschen, lösche aus, löschst aus, tilgen, löscht aus, löschen

aus.

privations: Entbehrungen.
prostrate: niederwerfen, erschöpft,
hingestreckt.

serviceable: dienlich, betriebsfähig, gebrauchsfähig, einsatzfähig,

brauchbar.

 ${\bf specious}: blendend, fadenscheinig.\\$ 

inevitable tendency to brutalize every noble faculty of man. An American sailor, who was cast away on the shore of Africa, where he was kept in slavery for three years, was, at the **expiration** of that period, found to be imbruted and stultified he had lost all reasoning power; and having forgotten his native language, could only utter some savage gibberish between Arabic and English, which nobody could understand, and which even he himself found difficulty in pronouncing. So much for the **humanizing** influence of THE DOMESTIC INSTITUTION!" Admitting this to have been an extraordinary case of mental deterioration, it proves at least that the white slave can sink as low in the scale of humanity as the black one.

Mr. DOUGLASS has very properly chosen to write his own Narrative, in his own style, and according to the best of his ability, rather than to employ some one else. It is, therefore, entirely his own production; and, considering how long and dark was the career he had to run as a slave, - how few have been his opportunities to improve his mind since he broke his iron fetters, —it is, in my judgment, highly creditable to his head and heart. He who can peruse it without a **tearful** eye, a **heaving** breast, an afflicted spirit, — without being filled with an unutterable abhorrence of slavery and all its abettors, and animated with a determination to seek the immediate overthrow of that execrable system, without trembling for the fate of this country in the hands of a righteous God, who is ever on the side of the oppressed, and whose arm is not shortened that it cannot save, – must have a flinty heart, and be qualified to act the part of a trafficker "in slaves and the souls of men." I am confident that it is essentially true in all its statements; that nothing has been set down in malice, nothing exaggerated, nothing drawn from the imagination; that it comes short of the reality, rather than overstates a single fact in regard to SLAVERY AS IT IS. The experience of FREDERICK DOUGLASS, as a slave, was not a peculiar one; his lot was not especially a hard one; his case may be regarded as a very fair specimen of the treatment of slaves in Maryland, in which State it is conceded that they are better fed and less cruelly treated than in Georgia, Alabama, or Louisiana. Many have suffered incomparably more, while very few on the plantations have suffered less, than himself. Yet how deplorable was his situation! what terrible

#### German

abettors: Anstifter. abhorrence: Abscheu, Gräuel, Widerwille, Schrecken, Schaurigkeit, Gegenstand des Abscheus. according: gemäß, entsprechend, übereinstimmend. brutalize: schikanieren, brüskieren, brutal behandeln, brutal vorgehen. cannot: kann nicht. creditable: anerkennenswert, achtbar. deplorable: bedauernswert, bedauerlich.

execrable: abscheulich, scheußlich. expiration: Ablauf, Verfall, Ausatmen, peruse: durchgehen, gehe durch, geht Ausatmung. flinty: hartherzig. gibberish: Kauderwelsch, Firlefanz, Dummes Zeug, Geplapper, Geschwafel, Geschwätz, Larifari, Quatsch, Schäkerei, Torheit, Unsinn. heaving: hebend, hochhebend. humanizing: humanisierung, humanisierend. incomparably: unvergleichlich.

overstates: übertreibt. durch, gehst durch, gehen durch. pronouncing: aussprechend. righteous: rechtschaffen, gerecht, tearful: tränenreich, weinerlich, tränenvoll. trafficker: Dealer, der Rauschgifthändler, Händler. unutterable: unaussprechlich, unsagbar.

chastisements were inflicted upon his person! what still more shocking outrages were perpetrated upon his mind! with all his noble powers and sublime aspirations, how like a brute was he treated, even by those **professing** to have the same mind in them that was in Christ Jesus! to what dreadful liabilities was he continually subjected! how destitute of friendly counsel and aid, even in his greatest extremities! how heavy was the midnight of woe which shrouded in blackness the last ray of hope, and filled the future with terror and gloom! what longings after freedom took possession of his breast, and how his misery augmented, in proportion as he grew reflective and intelligent, – thus demonstrating that a happy slave is an extinct man! how he thought, reasoned, felt, under the lash of the driver, with the chains upon his limbs! what perils he encountered in his endeavors to escape from his horrible doom! and how signal have been his deliverance and preservation in the midst of a nation of **pitiless** enemies!

This Narrative contains many affecting incidents, many passages of great eloquence and power; but I think the most thrilling one of them all is the description DOUGLASS gives of his feelings, as he stood soliloquizing respecting his fate, and the chances of his one day being a freeman, on the banks of the Chesapeake Bay – viewing the receding vessels as they flew with their white wings before the breeze, and **apostrophizing** them as animated by the living spirit of freedom. Who can read that passage, and be insensible to its pathos and **sublimity**? Compressed into it is a whole Alexandrian library of thought, feeling, and sentiment—all that can, all that need be urged, in the form of expostulation, entreaty, rebuke, against that crime of crimes, - making man the property of his fellow-man! O, how accursed is that system, which entombs the godlike mind of man, defaces the divine image, reduces those who by creation were crowned with glory and honor to a level with four-footed beasts, and exalts the dealer in human flesh above all that is called God! Why should its existence be prolonged one hour? Is it not evil, only evil, and that continually? What does its presence imply but the absence of all fear of God, all regard for man, on the part of the people of the United States? Heaven speed its eternal overthrow!

### German

accursed: verflucht, verhaßt, verwünscht. apostrophizing: apostrophierend. chastisements: Strafen. defaces: entstellt, verunstaltet. endeavors: Bemüht. entombs: begräbt. entreaty: das Flehen, Beschwörungs, Begehren, Beschwörung. exalts: verherrlicht, erhöht, erhebt. expostulation: die Vorhaltung, Protest, Vorhaltung.

extremities: Äußerst Notfall, Extremitäten, Äußerste, Gliedmaßen, Äußerst Ende, Extremität. four-footed: vierfüßig. honor: Ehre, ehren, beehren, honorieren, verehren. insensible: unempfindlich, bewußtlos, erbarmungslos, schonungslos. gefühllos, unempfänglich. lash: peitsche, festbinden, binden, Wimper, schnüren, knebeln, anbinden, zurren, fesseln, festlegen, festmachen.

outrages: Freveltaten, frevel, Gewalttätigkeiten. perpetrated: verübten, übte aus, trieb, trieben, triebst, triebt, pflegtet, übten aus, übtest aus, übtet aus, verübte. pitiless: unbarmherzig, professing: Erklärend. soliloquizing: Selbstgespräch führend. sublimity: die Erhabenheit. woe: Wehe, Weh.

So profoundly ignorant of the nature of slavery are many persons, that they are stubbornly incredulous whenever they read or listen to any recital of the **cruelties** which are daily inflicted on its victims. They do not deny that the slaves are held as property; but that terrible fact seems to convey to their minds no idea of injustice, exposure to outrage, or savage barbarity. Tell them of cruel scourgings, of mutilations and brandings, of scenes of pollution and blood, of the **banishment** of all light and knowledge, and they affect to be greatly indignant at such enormous exaggerations, such wholesale misstatements, such **abominable libels** on the character of the southern **planters**! As if all these direful outrages were not the natural results of slavery! As if it were less cruel to reduce a human being to the condition of a thing, than to give him a severe flagellation, or to deprive him of necessary food and clothing! As if whips, chains, thumb-screws, paddles, bloodhounds, overseers, drivers, patrols, were not all indispensable to keep the slaves down, and to give protection to their ruthless oppressors! As if, when the marriage institution is abolished, concubinage, adultery, and incest, must not necessarily abound; when all the rights of humanity are annihilated, any barrier remains to protect the victim from the fury of the **spoiler**; when absolute power is assumed over life and liberty, it will not be wielded with destructive sway! Skeptics of this character abound in society. In some few instances, their incredulity arises from a want of reflection; but, generally, it indicates a hatred of the light, a desire to shield slavery from the assaults of its foes, a contempt of the colored race, whether bond or free. Such will try to discredit the shocking tales of slaveholding cruelty which are recorded in this truthful Narrative; but they will labor in vain. Mr. DOUGLASS has frankly disclosed the place of his birth, the names of those who claimed ownership in his body and soul, and the names also of those who committed the crimes which he has alleged against them. His statements, therefore, may easily be **disproved**, if they are untrue.

In the course of his Narrative, he relates two instances of murderous cruelty, —in one of which a planter deliberately shot a slave belonging to a neighboring plantation, who had unintentionally gotten within his lordly domain in guest of fish; and in the other, an overseer blew out the brains of a

direful: grässlich.

#### German

disproved: widerlegten, widerlegtest,

abominable: abscheulich. annihilated: vernichtet, vernichtete, vernichtetest, vernichtetet, vernichteten. banishment: Verbannung, Geisterbeschwörung, Exil, Beschwörung, Deportation. barbarity: Unmenschlichkeit. bloodhounds: Schweisshunde. brandings: Marken. concubinage: Konkubinat, Wilde Ehe. lordly: großmütig, würdig, vornehm, cruelties: Grausamkeiten.

widerlegtet, widerlegte. exaggerations: Übertreibungen. flagellation: Geißelung. foes: Feinde. gotten: bekommen, geholt. incredulity: Ungläubigkeit. incredulous: ungläubig. libels: verunglimpft. stolz, stattlich, hochmütig, herrisch,

gebieterisch, erhaben, einem vornehmen Herrn gleichend, edel. neighboring: benachbart, angrenzend. overseer: Aufseher, Vorarbeiter. overseers: Aufpasserinnen, Aufseher. paddles: elektrodenspitze, paddelt. planter: Pflanzer, Plantagenbesitzer. planters: Pflanzer. spoiler: Vergeuder. unintentionally: unabsichtlich, ohne Absicht, unbeabsichtigt. wielded: gehandhabt.

slave who had fled to a stream of water to escape a bloody scourging. Mr. DOUGLASS states that in neither of these instances was any thing done by way of legal arrest or judicial investigation. The Baltimore American, of March 17, 1845, relates a similar case of **atrocity**, perpetrated with similar **impunity**—as follows: —"Shooting a slave. — We learn, upon the authority of a letter from Charles county, Maryland, received by a gentleman of this city, that a young man, named Matthews, a nephew of General Matthews, and whose father, it is believed, holds an office at Washington, killed one of the slaves upon his father's farm by shooting him. The letter states that young Matthews had been left in charge of the farm; that he gave an order to the servant, which was disobeyed, when he proceeded to the house, obtained a gun, and, returning, shot the servant. He immediately, the letter continues, fled to his father's residence, where he still remains unmolested." - Let it never be forgotten, that no slaveholder or overseer can be convicted of any outrage perpetrated on the person of a slave, however diabolical it may be, on the testimony of colored witnesses, whether bond or free. By the slave code, they are **adjudged** to be as **incompetent** to testify against a white man, as though they were indeed a part of the brute creation. Hence, there is no legal protection in fact, whatever there may be in form, for the slave population; and any amount of cruelty may be inflicted on them with impunity. Is it possible for the human mind to conceive of a more horrible state of society?

The effect of a religious profession on the conduct of southern masters is vividly described in the following Narrative, and shown to be any thing but **salutary**. In the nature of the case, it must be in the highest degree **pernicious**. The testimony of Mr. DOUGLASS, on this point, is sustained by a cloud of witnesses, whose **veracity** is **unimpeachable**. "A slaveholder's profession of Christianity is a **palpable imposture**. He is a **felon** of the highest grade. He is a man-stealer. It is of no importance what you put in the other scale."

Reader! are you with the man-stealers in sympathy and purpose, or on the side of their down-trodden victims? If with the former, then are you the **foe** of God and man. If with the latter, what are you prepared to do and dare in their behalf? Be faithful, be **vigilant**, be **untiring** in your efforts to break every **yoke**,

### German

imposture: der Schwindel, die

adjudged: erkanntet zu, zuerkannt, spracht zu, sprachst zu, zugesprochen, erkanntest zu, erkannten zu, sprachen zu, sprach zu. sprach zu. atrocity: Untat, Greueltaten, Grausamkeit, Gräueltat. diabolical: teuflisch. disobeyed: mißachtete. felon: Verbrecher, Schwerverbrecher, Nagelgeschwür, Fingerentzündung. foe: Feind.

Hochstapelei, der Gaunerstreich, der Betrug, Betrug, Hochstapelei.
impunity: Straflosigkeit,
Ungestraftheit.
incompetent: Unfähig, inkompetent,
unzuständig, untauglich, unbefugt,
nicht zuständig, ungeeignet.
palpable: fühlbar, offensichtlich,
greifbar, augenfällig.
pernicious: schädlich, verderblich,
perniziös.

salutary: gesund, heilsam, nützlich, lehrreich.
scourging: peitschend.
slaveholder: Sklavenhalter.
unimpeachable: unanfechtbar, unantastbar.
untiring: unermüdlich.
veracity: Wahrhaftigkeit.
vigilant: wachsam.
yoke: Joch, Passe, Paare,
Schulterstück, Eidotter, Dotter,
Gespänne.

and let the **oppressed** go free. Come what may—cost what it may—inscribe on the **banner** which you **unfurl** to the **breeze**, as your **religious** and political motto—"NO COMPROMISE WITH SLAVERY! NO UNION WITH SLAVEHOLDERS!"

WM. LLOYD GARRISON

Boston, May 1, 1845

#### German

**banner**: Banner, Fahne, Transparent, Flagge, Wimpel, Standarte, Spruchband.

breeze: Brise, Hauch, Briese, Wind. oppressed: beklemmte, beklemmtet, unterdrücktet, unterdrücktest, unterdrückten, unterdrückte, unterdrückte, beklemmt, bedrückte, bedrückten, beklemmten. religious: religiös, fromm, gläubig, gottesfürchtig, gewissenhaft.

unfurl: entfalten.

# LETTER FROM WENDELL PHILLIPS, ESQ.

Boston, April 22, 1845

My Dear Friend:

You remember the old **fable** of "The Man and the Lion," where the **lion complained** that he should not be so **misrepresented** "when the **lions** wrote history."

I am glad the time has come when the "lions write history." We have been left long enough to **gather** the character of **slavery** from the **involuntary** evidence of the masters. One might, indeed, rest sufficiently satisfied with what, it is evident, must be, in general, the results of such a relation, without seeking **farther** to find whether they have followed in every instance. Indeed, those who **stare** at the half-peck of **corn** a week, and love to count the **lashes** on the slave's back, are seldom the "stuff" out of which **reformers** and **abolitionists** are to be made. I remember that, in 1838, many were waiting for the results of the West India experiment, before they could come into our ranks. Those "results" have come long ago; but, **alas**! few of that number have come with them, as **converts**. A man must be **disposed** to judge of **emancipation** by other tests than whether it has increased the produce of sugar, — and to hate

#### German

abolitionists: Abolitionisten,
Sklavereigegner.
alas: leider, ach, bedauerlich.
complained: geklagt, klagte, klagten,
klagtest, klagtet, reklamiertest,
reklamiert, reklamierten,
reklamiertet, beanstandet,
reklamierte.
converts: konvertiert.
corn: Mais, Getreide, Hühnerauge,
Korn, Schwiele, Leichdorn, der Mais.
disposed: aufgelegt, geneigt,

angeordnet, verfügte, gestimmt.
emancipation: Emanzipation,
Freilassung,
fable: Fabel.
farther: weiter, ferner.
gather: sammeln, einsammeln,
zusammentragen, ernten, sich
versammeln, versammeln, pflücken,
ansammeln, auflesen, bündeln,
deduzieren.
involuntary: unfreiwillig,
unabsichtlich, unwillkürlich,

verpflichtet, gezwungen, zwangsmässig. lashes: peitscht. lion: Löwe. lions: Löwen. misrepresented: verdreht, verdrehtet, verdrehtest, verdrehte, verdrehten. reformers: Reformer. slavery: Sklaverei, Sklavenarbeit, Knechtschaft, Sklavenleben. stare: starren, anstarren, stieren, anglotzen. slavery for other reasons than because it starves men and whips women, – before he is ready to lay the first stone of his anti-slavery life.

I was glad to learn, in your story, how early the most neglected of God's children waken to a sense of their rights, and of the injustice done them. Experience is a keen teacher; and long before you had mastered your A B C, or knew where the "white sails" of the Chesapeake were bound, you began, I see, to gauge the wretchedness of the slave, not by his hunger and want, not by his lashes and toil, but by the cruel and blighting death which gathers over his soul.

In connection with this, there is one circumstance which makes your recollections peculiarly valuable, and renders your early insight the more remarkable. You come from that part of the country where we are told slavery appears with its fairest features. Let us hear, then, what it is at its best estate – gaze on its bright side, if it has one; and then imagination may task her powers to add dark lines to the picture, as she travels southward to that (for the colored man) Valley of the Shadow of Death, where the Mississippi sweeps along.

Again, we have known you long, and can put the most entire confidence in your truth, candor, and sincerity. Every one who has heard you speak has felt, and, I am confident, every one who reads your book will feel, persuaded that you give them a fair specimen of the whole truth. No one-sided portrait, – no wholesale complaints, – but strict justice done, whenever individual kindliness has neutralized, for a moment, the deadly system with which it was strangely allied. You have been with us, too, some years, and can fairly compare the twilight of rights, which your race enjoy at the North, with that "noon of night" under which they labor south of Mason and Dixon's line. Tell us whether, after all, the half-free colored man of Massachusetts is worse off than the **pampered** slave of the rice **swamps**!

In reading your life, no one can say that we have **unfairly** picked out some rare specimens of cruelty. We know that the bitter drops, which even you have drained from the cup, are no incidental aggravations, no

### German

aggravations: Ärger, Verschlimmerungen. blighting: vereitelnd. candor: Offenheit, Aufrichtigkeit. fairest: schönste.

gathers: Sammelt, Raffungen,

versammelt. kindliness: Güte.

labor: Arbeit, Arbeiten, Verrichten,

neutralized: neutralisiert. pampered: verhätschelten, verzärteltet, verzärteltest, verzärtelten, verzärtelte, verzärtelt, verhätscheltest, verhätschelte, verhätschelt, verhätscheltet, hätscheltet.

peculiarly: eigenartig, eigen. recollections: Erinnerungen. renders: leistet, gibt wieder.

sincerity: Aufrichtigkeit, Herzlichkeit, Wohlgemeintheit.

southward: südwärts, nach Süden, südlich.

starves: hungert, verhungert. swamps: Sümpfe, Moraste. sweeps: flügel.

toil: schleppen, sich fort schleppen. unfairly: unfair.

waken: wachst auf, weckt, weckst, wecken, wecke, wacht, wachst, wachen auf, wache auf, wache,

whips: peitschen, peitscht. wretchedness: Elend, Dürftigkeit, Armseligkeit, das Elend.

individual **ills**, but such as must **mingle** always and necessarily in the lot of every slave. They are the essential ingredients, not the occasional results, of the system.

After all, I shall read your book with trembling for you. Some years ago, when you were beginning to tell me your real name and birthplace, you may remember I stopped you, and preferred to remain ignorant of all. With the exception of a vague description, so I continued, till the other day, when you read me your memoirs. I hardly knew, at the time, whether to thank you or not for the sight of them, when I reflected that it was still dangerous, in Massachusetts, for honest men to tell their names! They say the fathers, in 1776, signed the Declaration of Independence with the halter about their necks. You, too, publish your declaration of freedom with danger compassing you around. In all the broad lands which the Constitution of the United States overshadows, there is no single spot, — however narrow or desolate, — where a fugitive slave can plant himself and say, "I am safe." The whole armory of Northern Law has no shield for you. I am free to say that, in your place, I should throw the MS. into the fire.

You, perhaps, may tell your story in safety, **endeared** as you are to so many warm hearts by rare gifts, and a still **rarer devotion** of them to the service of others. But it will be **owing** only to your labors, and the **fearless** efforts of those who, **trampling** the laws and Constitution of the country under their feet, are determined that they will "hide the outcast," and that their **hearths** shall be, **spite** of the law, an asylum for the oppressed, if, some time or other, the **humblest** may stand in our streets, and bear witness in safety against the cruelties of which he has been the victim.

Yet it is sad to think, that these very **throbbing** hearts which welcome your story, and form your best **safeguard** in telling it, are all **beating contrary** to the "statute in such case made and provided." Go on, my dear friend, till you, and those who, like you, have been saved, so as by fire, from the dark prison-house, shall **stereotype** these free, illegal

# German fearless: furchtlos, unerschrocken,

kaltblütig, mit größter Seelenruhe,

ohne Angst, seelenruhig.

halter: Halfter, Schlinge.

armory: Waffenkammer.
beating: Schlagen, Klopfen.
birthplace: Geburtsort.
contrary: Entgegengesetzt, Gegenteil,
zuwider, Gegenstück, Gegensatz,
verkehrt, Antipode, Kontrast,
widerwärtig.
devotion: Hingabe, Hingebung,
Ergebenheit, Einsatz, Frömmigkeit,
Widmung, Treue, Übergabe,

endeared: schmeichelte sich ein.

Gottesfurcht.

hearths: Herde. humblest: demütigst, demütigste. ills: Krank. memoirs: Memoiren, Erinnerungen, Denkschriften, Lebenserinnerungen. mingle: mischen, mischt, mische, mischst, mengen, menge, mengst, mengt, vermischen. necks: Hälse.
overshadows: überschattet.
owing: schuldend, verdankend.
rarer: rarere, seltener.
safeguard: Schutz, sichern, sicher
wegräumen, Sicherung, sicher
stellen.
spite: Boshaftigkeit.
stereotype: Stereotyp, Schablone.
throbbing: klopfend.
trampling: Zertrampeln, Trampeln,
Herumtrampeln, Getrampel.

pulses into statutes; and New England, cutting loose from a bloodstained Union, shall **glory** in being the house of **refuge** for the oppressed, — till we no **longer** merely "hide the outcast," or make a **merit** of standing idly by while he is hunted in our midst; but, consecrating anew the soil of the Pilgrims as an asylum for the oppressed, proclaim our WELCOME to the **slave** so **loudly**, that the **tones** shall reach every **hut** in the Carolinas, and make the broken-hearted **bondman leap** up at the thought of old Massachusetts.

> God speed the day! Till then, and ever, Yours truly, WENDELL PHILLIPS

# German

anew: von neuem, erneut, aufs Neue, wieder, abermalig, abermals. asylum: Asyl, Zufluchtsstätte, Zufluchtsort, Tierheim, Freistatt. bondman: der Leibeigene. consecrating: segnend. glory: Ruhm, Herrlichkeit, Glorie, Pracht, Ehre, Berühmtheit. hunted: gejagt, jagte, jagten, jagtest, jagtet. hut: Hütte. idly: untätig.

leap: Sprung, springen. longer: Länger. loose: lose, locker, los, beweglich, unverpackt, verlieren, nicht fest, weit. refuge: Zuflucht, Schutz, Hort, loudly: laut, laute. merit: Verdienst, verdienen, Wert, Würde, Verdienste, Geltung, Verdienstlichkeit. midst: Inmitten, Mitte. proclaim: proklamieren, proklamiere, proklamiert, proklamierst, verkünden, bestimmen, verkündigen, tones: Töne.

verordnen, diktieren, bekanntmachen, befehlen. pulses: Stromstoß, Stromstösse. Luftschutzraum, Ruhepunkt, Schlupfloch, Schlupfwinkel, Unterkunft, Unterschlupf, Unterstand, Zufluchtstätte. slave: Sklave, Sklavin, Knecht, Dienstsklave, Leibeigene. statutes: Satzungen.

#### CHAPTER I

I was born in Tuckahoe, near Hillsborough, and about twelve miles from Easton, in Talbot county, Maryland. I have no accurate knowledge of my age, never having seen any **authentic** record containing it. By far the larger part of the **slaves** know as little of their ages as horses know of **theirs**, and it is the wish of most masters within my knowledge to keep their slaves thus **ignorant**. I do not remember to have ever met a slave who could tell of his birthday. They **seldom** come **nearer** to it than planting-time, harvest-time, cherry-time, spring-time, or fall-time. A want of information concerning my own was a source of **unhappiness** to me even during childhood. The white children could tell their ages. I could not tell why I ought to be **deprived** of the same privilege. I was not allowed to make any **inquiries** of my master concerning it. He **deemed** all such inquiries on the part of a slave **improper** and **impertinent**, and evidence of a **restless** spirit. The nearest estimate I can give makes me now between twenty-seven and twenty-eight years of age. I come to this, from hearing my master say, some time during 1835, I was about seventeen years old.

My mother was named Harriet Bailey. She was the daughter of Isaac and Betsey Bailey, both colored, and quite dark. My mother was of a **darker complexion** than either my **grandmother** or **grandfather**.

My father was a white man. He was admitted to be such by all I ever heard speak of my **parentage**. The opinion was also whispered that my master was my

# German

authentic: authentisch, echt, urtümlich, ursprünglich, original, glaubhaft.
complexion: Gesichtsfarbe, Teint, Hautfarbe.
darker: dunkler.
deemed: erachtete, erachtetet, erachteten, erachtete, erachtetest, befand, befunden, befandest, befanden, befandet.
deprived: beraubte, beraubten, beraubt, beraubte, tarm,

bedürftig.
grandfather: Großvater, Opa,
Großpapa.
ignorant: unwissend, ungebildet,
unkundig, untauglich, ungeübt,
unentwickelt, unberechtigt,
ungelehrt, unterentwickelt.
impertinent: unverschämt, frech,
impertinent, flegelhaft, unmanierlich.
improper: unpassend, ungehörig,
unsachgemäß, unschicklich, falsch,
undibertroff
unübertroff
unübertroff
unmoralise!
rearer: nähe
parentage: A
restless: ruhe
seldom: seltess: ruhe
seldom: seltess: ruhe
seldom: seltess: ruhe
seldom: seltess: ruhe
seltom: theris: ihre, i
unhappiness

ungebührlich, ungeziemend, unübertroffen, unerhört, ungezogen, unmoralisch. inquiries: Erkundigungen. nearer: näher. parentage: Abstammung, Herkunft. restless: ruhelos, rastlos, unruhig. seldom: selten. slaves: Sklaven, Dienstknechte, Leibeigene. theirs: ihre, ihr, ihres, ihrer.

unhappiness: Elend, Unglück.

father; but of the correctness of this opinion, I know nothing; the means of knowing was withheld from me. My mother and I were separated when I was but an infant – before I knew her as my mother. It is a common custom, in the part of Maryland from which I ran away, to part children from their mothers at a very early age. Frequently, before the child has reached its twelfth month, its mother is taken from it, and hired out on some farm a considerable distance off, and the child is placed under the care of an old woman, too old for field labor. For what this separation is done, I do not know, unless it be to hinder the development of the child's affection toward its mother, and to **blunt** and destroy the natural affection of the mother for the child. This is the inevitable result.

I never saw my mother, to know her as such, more than four or five times in my life; and each of these times was very short in duration, and at night. She was hired by a Mr. Stewart, who lived about twelve miles from my home. She made her journeys to see me in the night, travelling the whole distance on foot, after the performance of her day's work. She was a field hand, and a whipping is the penalty of not being in the field at sunrise, unless a slave has special permission from his or her master to the contrary – a permission which they seldom get, and one that gives to him that gives it the proud name of being a kind master. I do not recollect of ever seeing my mother by the light of day. She was with me in the night. She would lie down with me, and get me to sleep, but long before I waked she was gone. Very little communication ever took place between us. Death soon ended what little we could have while she lived, and with it her hardships and suffering. She died when I was about seven years old, on one of my master's farms, near Lee's Mill. I was not allowed to be present during her illness, at her death, or burial. She was gone long before I knew any thing about it. Never having enjoyed, to any considerable extent, her soothing presence, her tender and watchful care, I received the tidings of her death with much the same emotions I should have probably felt at the death of a stranger.

Called thus suddenly away, she left me without the slightest intimation of who my father was. The **whisper** that my master was my father, may or may not be true; and, true or false, it is of but little consequence to my purpose whilst the

#### German

blunt: stumpf, abstumpfen, kurz angebunden, verflachen, unverblümt, hinderst, hindert, behinderst, ohne Umschweife, klobig, geradeheraus, einsilbig, brüsk, angebunden.

burial: Beisetzung, Beerdigung, Begräbnis, Bestattung. correctness: Korrektheit, Sorgfalt, Richtigkeit, Präzision, Genauigkeit, Akkuratesse.

duration: Dauer, Laufzeit, Lauffrist. hardships: Mühsale.

hinder: hindern, behindern, hindere, behindre, behindert, behindere, verhindern, erschweren. intimation: Andeutung. journevs: Reisen.

recollect: sich entsinnen, sich erinnern, whipping: peitschend. sich besinnen, behalten, sich erinnern whisper: Flüstern, tuscheln, zischeln, an, gedenken.

soothing: beruhigend, mildernd, besänftigend, lindernd, beschwichtigend.

sunrise: Sonnenaufgang. tidings: Neuigkeiten, Nachricht, Meldung, Neuigkeit, Bericht. twelfth: zwölfte.

waked: wachen, gewacht. watchful: wachsam.

säuseln, munkeln, Geflüster, lispeln. withheld: enthielt vor, vorenthalten, enthieltet vor, enthielten vor, enthieltest vor.

fact remains, in all its glaring odiousness, that slaveholders have ordained, and by law established, that the children of slave women shall in all cases follow the condition of their mothers; and this is done too obviously to administer to their own lusts, and make a gratification of their wicked desires profitable as well as pleasurable; for by this cunning arrangement, the slaveholder, in cases not a few, sustains to his slaves the double relation of master and father.

I know of such cases; and it is worthy of remark that such slaves invariably suffer greater hardships, and have more to contend with, than others. They are, in the first place, a constant offence to their mistress. She is ever disposed to find fault with them; they can seldom do any thing to please her; she is never better pleased than when she sees them under the lash, especially when she suspects her husband of showing to his mulatto children favors which he withholds from his black slaves. The master is frequently compelled to sell this class of his slaves, out of deference to the feelings of his white wife; and, cruel as the deed may strike any one to be, for a man to sell his own children to human flesh-mongers, it is often the dictate of humanity for him to do so; for, unless he does this, he must not only whip them himself, but must stand by and see one white son tie up his brother, of but few shades darker complexion than himself, and ply the gory lash to his naked back; and if he lisp one word of disapproval, it is set down to his parental partiality, and only makes a bad matter worse, both for himself and the slave whom he would protect and defend.

Every year brings with it multitudes of this class of slaves. It was doubtless in consequence of a knowledge of this fact, that one great statesman of the south predicted the downfall of slavery by the inevitable laws of population. Whether this prophecy is ever fulfilled or not, it is nevertheless plain that a very differentlooking class of people are springing up at the south, and are now held in slavery, from those originally brought to this country from Africa; and if their increase do no other good, it will do away the force of the argument, that God cursed Ham, and therefore American slavery is right. If the lineal descendants of Ham are alone to be scripturally enslaved, it is certain that slavery at the south must soon become unscriptural; for thousands are ushered into the world,

### German gratification: Genugtuung, Freude,

Befriedigung, Zufriedenstellung,

gerieben, durchtrieben, gerissen, Hinterlist, Schlauheit, ausgekocht, Arglist, arglistig. enslaved: versklavtet, versklavtest, versklavten, versklavte, versklavt, hörig. favors: gefallen. glaring: grell, kraß, scharf, spitz, schroff, schrill, schreiend, hell, grell beleuchtet, anblitzend. gory: blutig, mörderisch.

cunning: schlau, listig, Gerissenheit,

lineal: in gerade Linie, in gerader Linie, geradlinig, gerade, direkt. lisp: lispeln, munkeln, murmeln, brummeln, brabbeln, quaken. lusts: Begierden, Lüste. mulatto: Mulatte. odiousness: die Verhasstheit, Widerlichkeit, die Abscheulichkeit. partiality: Parteilichkeit, Befangenheit, withholds: enthält vor.

pleasurable: vergnüglich, angenehm. scripturally: schriftgemäß, biblisch, springing: Federung. statesman: Staatsmann, Politiker. sustains: hält aus, unterstützt, unterhält, stützt. unscriptural: unbiblisch. ushered: führte hinein.

annually, who, like myself, owe their existence to white fathers, and those fathers most frequently their own masters.

I have had two masters. My first master's name was Anthony. I do not remember his first name. He was generally called Captain Anthony – a title which, I **presume**, he acquired by sailing a craft on the Chesapeake Bay. He was not considered a rich slaveholder. He owned two or three farms, and about thirty slaves. His farms and slaves were under the care of an overseer. The overseer's name was Plummer. Mr. Plummer was a miserable drunkard, a profane swearer, and a savage monster. He always went armed with a cowskin and a heavy **cudgel**. I have known him to cut and **slash** the women's heads so **horribly**, that even master would be **enraged** at his cruelty, and would threaten to whip him if he did not mind himself. Master, however, was not a humane slaveholder. It required extraordinary barbarity on the part of an overseer to affect him. He was a cruel man, hardened by a long life of slaveholding. He would at times seem to take great pleasure in whipping a slave. I have often been awakened at the dawn of day by the most heart-rending shrieks of an own aunt of mine, whom he used to tie up to a **joist**, and whip upon her naked back till she was literally covered with blood. No words, no tears, no prayers, from his gory victim, seemed to move his iron heart from its bloody purpose. The **louder** she screamed, the harder he **whipped**; and where the blood ran fastest, there he whipped longest. He would whip her to make her scream, and whip her to make her hush; and not until overcome by fatigue, would he cease to swing the blood-clotted cowskin. I remember the first time I ever witnessed this horrible exhibition. I was quite a child, but I well remember it. I never shall forget it whilst I remember any thing. It was the first of a long series of such outrages, of which I was doomed to be a witness and a participant. It struck me with awful force. It was the blood-stained gate, the entrance to the hell of slavery, through which I was about to pass. It was a most terrible spectacle. I wish I could commit to paper the feelings with which I beheld it.

This occurrence took place very soon after I went to live with my old master, and under the following circumstances. Aunt Hester went out one night,—

### German

awakened: weckten, wecktest, wecktet, weckte, geweckt, erwecktest, erweckten, erweckte, erwecktet, erblicktet, erblicktet, erblicktet, erblicktet, erblicktet, gesehen, sah, sahen, sahst, saht, erblickten.
cudgel: Knüppel.
drunkard: Säufer, Trinker.
enraged: wütend, erzürnte.
fatigue: Ermüdung, Ermüden, Erschöpfung, Übermüdung,

Überanstrengung, Ermattung.
hardened: härteten, gehärtet, härtete,
härtetest, härtetet, härtetest ab,
härtetet ab, härteten ab, härtete ab,
abgehärtet, stählten.
horribly: entsetzlich.
humane: human, menschlich,
menschenfreundlich, gnädig,
karitativ, barmherzig.
hush: still.
joist: Balken.

louder: Lauter.

presume: voraussetzen, annehmen, vermuten, setzt voraus, setzen voraus, setzen voraus, vermutet, vermutest, vermute, schätzen, denken.
profane: weltlich, profan, profanieren, entweihen, entheiligen, gottlos. shrieks: kreischt. slash: Schrägstrich, Hieb, aufschlitzen, Schnitt, Abschlag. swearer: Fluchende, Fluchenden.

whipped: gepeitscht.

where or for what I do not know,—and happened to be absent when my master desired her presence. He had ordered her not to go out evenings, and warned her that she must never let him catch her in company with a young man, who was paying attention to her belonging to Colonel Lloyd. The young man's name was Ned Roberts, generally called Lloyd's Ned. Why master was so careful of her, may be safely left to conjecture. She was a woman of noble form, and of graceful proportions, having very few equals, and fewer superiors, in personal appearance, among the colored or white women of our neighborhood.

Aunt Hester had not only **disobeyed** his orders in going out, but had been found in company with Lloyd's Ned; which circumstance, I found, from what he said while whipping her, was the chief offence. Had he been a man of pure morals himself, he might have been thought interested in protecting the innocence of my aunt; but those who knew him will not suspect him of any such virtue. Before he **commenced** whipping Aunt Hester, he took her into the kitchen, and stripped her from neck to waist, leaving her neck, shoulders, and back, entirely naked. He then told her to cross her hands, calling her at the same time a d - db - h. After crossing her hands, he tied them with a strong rope, and led her to a stool under a large hook in the joist, put in for the purpose. He made her get upon the stool, and tied her hands to the hook. She now stood fair for his **infernal** purpose. Her arms were stretched up at their full length, so that she stood upon the ends of her toes. He then said to her, "Now, you d - db - dbh, I'll learn you how to disobey my orders!" and after rolling up his sleeves, he commenced to lay on the heavy cowskin, and soon the warm, red blood (amid heart-rending shrieks from her, and horrid oaths from him) came dripping to the floor. I was so terrified and horror-stricken at the sight, that I hid myself in a closet, and dared not venture out till long after the bloody transaction was over. I expected it would be my turn next. It was all new to me. I had never seen any thing like it before. I had always lived with my grandmother on the **outskirts** of the **plantation**, where she was put to raise the children of the younger women. I had therefore been, until now, out of the way of the bloody scenes that often occurred on the plantation.

#### German

dripping: tröpfelnd, Getröpfel,

verhehltest, verhehltet,

circumstance: Umstand, Bewandtnis. closet: Wandschrank, Schrank. commenced: begannst, begann, begonnen, begannen, angefangen. conjecture: mutmaßen, Vermutung, vermuten, glauben, annehmen, Vermutung anstellen, schätzen. disobey: verweigern den Gehorsam, nicht gehorchen, mißachtet, mißachtest, mißachten, mißachte, gehorchen nicht.

equals: Ähneln, Gleichheitszeichen, Gleichen. graceful: graziös, anmutig, zierlich, hold, elegant, würdevoll, verschmitzt, reizend, lieblich, schick, hid: verstecktet, verstecktest, versteckten, versteckte,

sickernd, Getropf, Bratfett, Bratenfett. horrid: schrecklich, fürchterlich, entsetzlich, grauenvoll. infernal: Höllisch, gräßlich. morals: Moral, Sittlichkeit. oaths: Eide, Schwüre. outskirts: Peripherie, Stadtrand, Aussenbezirke, Vororten, Vorstädten. plantation: Pflanzung, Plantage, Anpflanzen, Anbauen. verheimlichtet, verhehlten, verhehlte, sleeves: Ärmel. superiors: Überlegene, Vorgesetzte.

verheimlichte, verheimlichten.

#### CHAPTER II

My master's family **consisted** of two sons, Andrew and Richard; one daughter, Lucretia, and her husband, Captain Thomas Auld. They lived in one house, upon the home plantation of Colonel Edward Lloyd. My master was Colonel Lloyd's **clerk** and **superintendent**. He was what might be called the overseer of the overseers. I spent two years of childhood on this plantation in my old master's family. It was here that I witnessed the bloody transaction recorded in the first chapter; and as I received my first **impressions** of slavery on this plantation, I will give some description of it, and of slavery as it there existed. The plantation is about twelve miles north of Easton, in Talbot county, and is **situated** on the border of Miles River. The principal products raised upon it were tobacco, corn, and wheat. These were raised in great abundance; so that, with the products of this and the other farms belonging to him, he was able to keep in almost constant employment a large sloop, in carrying them to market at Baltimore. This sloop was named Sally Lloyd, in honor of one of the colonel's daughters. My master's son-in-law, Captain Auld, was master of the vessel; she was otherwise manned by the colonel's own slaves. Their names were Peter, Isaac, Rich, and Jake. These were esteemed very highly by the other slaves, and looked upon as the **privileged** ones of the plantation; for it was no small affair, in the eyes of the slaves, to be allowed to see Baltimore.

Colonel Lloyd kept from three to four hundred slaves on his home plantation, and owned a large number more on the neighboring farms belonging to him.

#### German

abundance: Überfluss, Fülle, Reichtum, Abundanz, Stattlichkeit, Mannigfaltigkeit, Reichlichkeit, Üppigkeit, Verschiedenartigkeit, Vielzahl.

belonging: Zugehörig, Gehörend, Hingehorend, Stammend. clerk: Büroangestellte, Schreiber, Beamte, Handlungsgehilfe, Verkäufer, Kanzlist, Angestellte, Angestellter, Kommiß, Ladengehilfe, Schriftführer.

colonel: Oberst.
consisted: bestanden, bestand,
bestandet, bestandst.
daughters: Töchter.
esteemed: geachtet.
existed: existierte, existierten,
existiertest, existiertet, bestanden, bestandet, bestandst,
bestand.
farms: Bauernhöfe, Bauernhäuser.
impressions: Eindrücke.

manned: bemannt.

privileged: bevorrechtigt, privilegiert, privilegierte, Bevorzugte.
situated: gelegen, befindlich, situiert, stellte hin, stellten hin, gestellt, hingestellt, stelltet hin, stelltest hin.
sloop: Schaluppe, Slup.
superintendent: Leiter, Inspektor.
tobacco: Tabak, Kraut, Rauchtabak.
vessel: Gefäß, Schiff, Behälter, Besteck, Fahrzeug, Krug, Vase.
wheat: Weizen.
witnessed: bezeugte.

The names of the farms nearest to the home plantation were Wye Town and New Design. "Wye Town" was under the overseership of a man named Noah Willis. New Design was under the overseership of a Mr. Townsend. The overseers of these, and all the rest of the farms, **numbering** over twenty, received advice and direction from the managers of the home plantation. This was the great business place. It was the seat of government for the whole twenty farms. All disputes among the overseers were settled here. If a slave was convicted of any high misdemeanor, became unmanageable, or evinced a determination to run away, he was brought immediately here, severely whipped, put on board the sloop, carried to Baltimore, and sold to Austin Woolfolk, or some other slave-trader, as a warning to the slaves remaining.

Here, too, the slaves of all the other farms received their monthly allowance of food, and their **yearly** clothing. The men and women slaves received, as their monthly allowance of food, eight pounds of pork, or its equivalent in fish, and one bushel of corn meal. Their yearly clothing consisted of two coarse linen **shirts**, one pair of linen trousers, like the shirts, one jacket, one pair of trousers for winter, made of coarse negro cloth, one pair of stockings, and one pair of shoes; the whole of which could not have cost more than seven dollars. The allowance of the slave children was given to their mothers, or the old women having the care of them. The children unable to work in the field had neither shoes, stockings, jackets, nor trousers, given to them; their clothing consisted of two coarse linen shirts per year. When these failed them, they went naked until the next allowance-day. Children from seven to ten years old, of both sexes, almost naked, might be seen at all seasons of the year.

There were no beds given the slaves, unless one coarse blanket be considered such, and none but the men and women had these. This, however, is not considered a very great **privation**. They find less difficulty from the want of beds, than from the want of time to sleep; for when their day's work in the field is done, the most of them having their washing, mending, and cooking to do, and having few or none of the ordinary facilities for doing either of these, very many of their sleeping hours are consumed in preparing for the field the coming

# German

convicted: verurteilte.

Umfassend, Pauschal. bushel: Scheffel. coarse: grob, ungeschliffen, rauh, abgestanden, arg, barsch, grobkörnig, Leinenwäsche, Leinwände, Linnen, unflätig, holperig, obszön, ungehobelt. consumed: verbraucht, verbrauchte, verbrauchten, verbrauchtest, verbrauchtet, verzehrtet, verzehrte, verzehrten, konsumierte, verzehrtest,

konsumiertet.

blanket: Decke, Bettdecke, die Decke,

evinced: gezeigt, bekundete. jackets: Jäckchen. linen: Leinen, Wäsche, Leinwand, Bettzeug, Bettwäsche, aus Leinen, Weißwäsche. mending: Ausbesserung, Reparierend. misdemeanor: Übertretung, Vergehen. numbering: Nummerierung, numerieren, Nummerierend. pork: Schweinefleisch, Schwein.

privation: Entbehrung. seasons: Jahreszeiten. sexes: Geschlechter. shirts: Hemden. stockings: Strümpfe, Seidenstrümpfen, nylon Strümpfe. unmanageable: unhandlich, widerspenstig, widersetzlich, widerborstig, unregierbar, unlenkbar, störrisch, steuerlos, starrsinnig, schwer handhabbar. yearly: jährlich, alljährlich.

day; and when this is done, old and young, male and female, married and single, drop down side by side, on one common bed, — the cold, damp floor, — each covering himself or herself with their miserable blankets; and here they sleep till they are summoned to the field by the driver's horn. At the sound of this, all must rise, and be off to the field. There must be no halting; every one must be at his or her post; and woe betides them who hear not this morning summons to the field; for if they are not awakened by the sense of hearing, they are by the sense of feeling: no age nor sex finds any favor. Mr. Severe, the overseer, used to stand by the door of the quarter, armed with a large **hickory** stick and heavy cowskin, ready to whip any one who was so unfortunate as not to hear, or, from any other cause, was prevented from being ready to start for the field at the sound of the horn.

Mr. Severe was rightly named: he was a cruel man. I have seen him whip a woman, causing the blood to run half an hour at the time; and this, too, in the midst of her crying children, pleading for their mother's release. He seemed to take pleasure in manifesting his fiendish barbarity. Added to his cruelty, he was a profane swearer. It was enough to chill the blood and stiffen the hair of an ordinary man to hear him talk. Scarce a sentence escaped him but that was commenced or concluded by some horrid oath. The field was the place to witness his cruelty and **profanity**. His presence made it both the field of blood and of **blasphemy**. From the rising till the going down of the sun, he was cursing, raving, cutting, and slashing among the slaves of the field, in the most frightful manner. His career was short. He died very soon after I went to Colonel Lloyd's; and he died as he lived, uttering, with his dying groans, bitter curses and horrid oaths. His death was regarded by the slaves as the result of a merciful providence.

Mr. Severe's place was filled by a Mr. Hopkins. He was a very different man. He was less cruel, less profane, and made less noise, than Mr. Severe. His course was characterized by no extraordinary demonstrations of cruelty. He whipped, but seemed to take no pleasure in it. He was called by the slaves a good overseer.

## German

hickory: Hickoryholz, Hickory,

zögernd.

blankets: Decken, Bettdecken. blasphemy: Gotteslästerung, Fluch, Blasphemie, Verleumdung, Lästerung, Lästerrede, Laster, Frevel. manifesting: offenbarend. curses: Flüche. cursing: verwünschend. favor: Gunst, Gefallen, Gefälligkeit, begünstigen, Gnade, Huld. fiendish: teuflisch. groans: ächzen, Geächze, gewimmer, gewinsel.

halting: anhaltend, stillstehend,

Hickorynussbaum. merciful: barmherzig, mitleidig, pleading: plädierend, flehend, Plädoyer. profanity: Gotteslästerung, Weltlichkeit, Profanität, Fluch, die Weltlichkeit, die Respektlosigkeit, die Obszönität, die Gotteslästerung,

Profanitäts. providence: Vorsehung. raving: rasend, wahnsinnig, verrückt, slashing: schlitzend, das Aufschlitzen, das Schlichten, der Abbau, die Kürzung, schlichten, hauen. stiffen: steif werden, versteifen, erstarren, verstocken, versteinern, versteift, versteifst, versteife, verhärten, stillstehen, erfrieren. uttering: äußerst.

The home plantation of Colonel Lloyd wore the appearance of a country village. All the mechanical operations for all the farms were performed here. The shoemaking and mending, the blacksmithing, cartwrighting, coopering, weaving, and grain-grinding, were all performed by the slaves on the home plantation. The whole place wore a business-like aspect very unlike the neighboring farms. The number of houses, too, conspired to give it advantage over the neighboring farms. It was called by the slaves the *Great House Farm*. Few privileges were esteemed higher, by the slaves of the out-farms, than that of being selected to do errands at the Great House Farm. It was associated in their minds with greatness. A representative could not be prouder of his election to a seat in the American Congress, than a slave on one of the out-farms would be of his election to do errands at the Great House Farm. They regarded it as evidence of great confidence reposed in them by their overseers; and it was on this account, as well as a constant desire to be out of the field from under the driver's lash, that they esteemed it a high privilege, one worth careful living for. He was called the smartest and most trusty fellow, who had this honor conferred upon him the most frequently. The competitors for this office sought as diligently to please their overseers, as the office-seekers in the political parties seek to please and deceive the people. The same traits of character might be seen in Colonel Lloyd's slaves, as are seen in the slaves of the political parties.

The slaves selected to go to the Great House Farm, for the monthly allowance for themselves and their fellow-slaves, were peculiarly enthusiastic. While on their way, they would make the dense old woods, for miles around, reverberate with their wild songs, revealing at once the highest joy and the deepest sadness. They would compose and sing as they went along, consulting neither time nor tune. The thought that came up, came out—if not in the word, in the sound;—and as frequently in the one as in the other. They would sometimes sing the most pathetic sentiment in the most rapturous tone, and the most rapturous sentiment in the most pathetic tone. Into all of their songs they would manage to weave something of the Great House Farm. Especially would they do this, when leaving home. They would then sing most exultingly the following words:—

## German

compose: abfassen, komponieren, zusammenstellen, verfassen, stellt zusammen, ausfertigen, aufstellen, aufbauen, komponierst, komponiert, Musik komponieren. conferred: konferiertest, verliehen.

**conferred**: konferiertest, verliehen, konferiertet, übertrug, konferierte, konferiert, konferierten.

conspired: verschwor.consulting: konsultierend, befragend, um Rat fragend, heranziehend,

beratend.

deceive: betrügen, betrügt, betrügst, betrüge, täuschen, täuscht, hintergehen, täusche, täuschst, hintergehe, hintergehst. deepest: tiefste.

deligently: fleißig.
errands: Botengänge.
exultingly: frohlockend, triumphieren.
greatness: Größe.
smartest: am eleg
traits: Eigenschal
Charakterzüge.
trusty: treu, zuve

pathetic: rührend, pathetisch,
 melodramatisch, mitleiderregend.
prouder: stolzer.

rapturous: entzückt, hingerissen. reposed: ruhte. reverberate: hallen. sadness: Traurigkeit, Betrübnis. sentiment: Gefühl. smartest: am elegantesten.

traits: Eigenschaften, Züge, Charakterzüge.trusty: treu, zuverlässig.weave: weben, Webart, wirken,

Gewebe, Bindung. weaving: Weben, Weberei.

"I am going away to the Great House Farm! O, yea! O, yea! O!"

This they would sing, as a chorus, to words which to many would seem unmeaning jargon, but which, nevertheless, were full of meaning to themselves. I have sometimes thought that the mere hearing of those songs would do more to impress some minds with the horrible character of slavery, than the reading of whole volumes of philosophy on the subject could do.

I did not, when a slave, understand the deep meaning of those rude and apparently incoherent songs. I was myself within the circle; so that I neither saw nor heard as those without might see and hear. They told a tale of woe which was then altogether beyond my feeble comprehension; they were tones loud, long, and deep; they breathed the prayer and complaint of souls boiling over with the bitterest **anguish**. Every tone was a testimony against slavery, and a prayer to God for deliverance from chains. The hearing of those wild notes always depressed my spirit, and filled me with ineffable sadness. I have frequently found myself in tears while hearing them. The mere recurrence to those songs, even now, afflicts me; and while I am writing these lines, an expression of feeling has already found its way down my cheek. To those songs I trace my first **glimmering** conception of the **dehumanizing** character of slavery. I can never get rid of that conception. Those songs still follow me, to **deepen** my hatred of slavery, and **quicken** my **sympathies** for my brethren in bonds. If any one wishes to be impressed with the soul-killing effects of slavery, let him go to Colonel Lloyd's plantation, and, on allowance-day, place himself in the deep pine woods, and there let him, in silence, analyze the sounds that shall pass through the chambers of his soul, — and if he is not thus impressed, it will only be because "there is no flesh in his **obdurate** heart."

I have often been utterly astonished, since I came to the north, to find persons who could speak of the singing, among slaves, as evidence of their contentment and happiness. It is impossible to conceive of a greater mistake. Slaves sing

# German

afflicts: betrübt, plagt. analyze: analysieren, analysiere, analysierst, analysiert. anguish: Pein, Qual, Schreckhaftigkeit, dehumanizing: entmenschlichend. boiling: kochend, siedend, Kochen. comprehension: Verständnis. conceive: denkt aus, empfange, empfangen, empfängst, empfangt, entwickele, denkst aus, konzipiert, begreift, sich vorstellen, entwickelst. contentment: Zufriedenheit,

Genügsamkeit. deepen: vertiefen, vertiefst, vertiefe, vertieft, aushöhlen. feeble: schwach, kraftlos. glimmering: schimmernd, Blinken, flimmernd, Glänzen, Leuchten. incoherent: unzusammenhängend, zusammenhanglos, inkonsequent, nicht folgerichtig, inkohärent, folgewidrig. ineffable: unaussprechlich,

unbeschreiblich. jargon: Jargon, Fachsprache. obdurate: verstockt, halsstarrig. quicken: beschleunigen, beschleunigst, beschleunigt, beschleunige. recurrence: Wiederholung. souls: Seelen. sympathies: Sympathien. unmeaning: nichts sagend, nichtssagend. yea: ja.

most when they are most **unhappy**. The **songs** of the slave represent the **sorrows** of his heart; and he is **relieved** by them, only as an **aching** heart is relieved by its tears. At least, such is my experience. I have often sung to drown my sorrow, but seldom to express my happiness. Crying for joy, and singing for joy, were alike uncommon to me while in the jaws of slavery. The singing of a man cast away upon a desolate island might be as appropriately considered as evidence of contentment and happiness, as the singing of a slave; the songs of the one and of the other are **prompted** by the same emotion.

# German

aching: schmerzend, schmerzhaft. alike: gleich, ähnlich, gleichwertig, gleichförmig, gleicherweise, identisch, homogen, einander entsprechend, gleichartig, ebenso,

appropriately: passend, zurecht, angemessene.

crying: schreiend, schreiende, Weinen. relieved: erleichterten, erleichterte, desolate: verwüsten, trostlos, öde,

drown: ertrinken, ertrinkt, ertrinke,

ertrinkst, ertränken, ertränkt, ertränke, ertränkst, ersaufen,

happiness: Glück, Fröhlichkeit. jaws: Rachen, Maul, Fresse, Schnauze, sorrows: Kummer, Schmerzen, Schnabel, Schlund, Klappe, Mund. joy: Freude, Genuß, Wonne.

prompted: abgefragt.

erleichtertest, erleichtertet, erleichtert.

singing: singend, Gesang, Singen,

Pfeifen.

songs: Lieder. sorrow: Kummer, Sorge, Betrübnis,

Sorgen.

sung: Gesungen. tears: Tränen.

uncommon: ungewöhnlich, selten,

unhappy: unglücklich, unzufrieden,

traurig.

#### CHAPTER III

Colonel Lloyd kept a large and finely cultivated garden, which afforded almost constant employment for four men, besides the chief gardener, (Mr. M'Durmond.) This garden was probably the greatest attraction of the place. During the summer months, people came from far and near – from Baltimore, Easton, and Annapolis – to see it. It abounded in fruits of almost every description, from the **hardy** apple of the north to the delicate **orange** of the south. This garden was not the least source of trouble on the plantation. Its excellent fruit was quite a temptation to the hungry swarms of boys, as well as the older slaves, belonging to the colonel, few of whom had the virtue or the vice to resist it. Scarcely a day passed, during the summer, but that some slave had to take the lash for **stealing** fruit. The colonel had to resort to all kinds of **stratagems** to keep his slaves out of the garden. The last and most successful one was that of tarring his fence all around; after which, if a slave was caught with any tar upon his person, it was deemed sufficient proof that he had either been into the garden, or had tried to get in. In either case, he was severely whipped by the chief gardener. This plan worked well; the slaves became as **fearful** of tar as of the lash. They seemed to realize the impossibility of touching TAR without being defiled.

The colonel also kept a splendid riding **equipage**. His stable and carriage-house presented the appearance of some of our large city **livery establishments**. His horses were of the finest form and **noblest** blood. His carriage-house

#### German

abounded: strotzte, wimmeltest, gewimmelt, wimmelten, wimmeltet.
afforded: erlaubten, erlaubte, erlaubtest, erlaubtet, erlaubt.
cultivated: kultiviertest, kultivierte, kultiviertet, kultiviertet, kultiviertet, bebaute, bebaut.
defiled: defilierte, entweihtet, entweihtest, entweihtet, entweiht, defiliertet, defilierten, defiliert, defiliertest.

equipage: Ausrüstung.
establishments: Einrichtungen.
fearful: ängstlich, furchtsam,
furchtbar, angstvoll, schrecklich.
finely: fein.
fruits: Früchte.
gardener: Gärtner, Gärtnergehilfe.
hardy: kühn, abgehärtet.
impossibility: Unmöglichkeit.
livery: Livree.
noblest: edelste.
orange: Orange, Apfelsine,

Pomeranze.
stealing: Stehlend.
stratagems: Listen.
swarms: Schwärme.
tar: Teer, teeren.
tarring: teerend, mit Teer
einschmieren, Teeren.
touching: ergreifend, rührend,
herzzerreißend, herzergreifend,
ergriffen, Anrühren, Treffen.
vice: Schraubstock, Untugend, Laster,
Tugend, Klemmblock.

contained three splendid **coaches**, three or four gigs, besides dearborns and barouches of the most fashionable style.

This establishment was under the care of two slaves – old Barney and young Barney – father and son. To attend to this establishment was their sole work. But it was by no means an easy employment; for in nothing was Colonel Lloyd more particular than in the management of his horses. The slightest inattention to these was unpardonable, and was visited upon those, under whose care they were placed, with the severest punishment; no excuse could shield them, if the colonel only **suspected** any want of attention to his horses—a **supposition** which he frequently indulged, and one which, of course, made the office of old and young Barney a very trying one. They never knew when they were safe from punishment. They were frequently whipped when least deserving, and escaped whipping when most deserving it. Every thing **depended** upon the looks of the horses, and the state of Colonel Lloyd's own mind when his horses were brought to him for use. If a horse did not move fast enough, or hold his head high enough, it was owing to some fault of his keepers. It was painful to stand near the stable-door, and hear the various complaints against the keepers when a horse was taken out for use. "This horse has not had proper attention. He has not been sufficiently **rubbed** and **curried**, or he has not been properly fed; his food was too wet or too dry; he got it too soon or too late; he was too hot or too cold; he had too much hay, and not enough of grain; or he had too much grain, and not enough of hay; instead of old Barney's attending to the horse, he had very improperly left it to his son." To all these complaints, no matter how **unjust**, the slave must answer never a word. Colonel Lloyd could not **brook** any contradiction from a slave. When he spoke, a slave must stand, listen, and tremble; and such was literally the case. I have seen Colonel Lloyd make old Barney, a man between fifty and sixty years of age, uncover his bald head, kneel down upon the cold, damp ground, and receive upon his naked and toil-worn shoulders more than thirty lashes at the time. Colonel Lloyd had three sons — Edward, Murray, and Daniel, — and three sons-in-law, Mr. Winder, Mr. Nicholson, and Mr. Lowndes. All of these lived at the Great House Farm, and enjoyed the luxury of whipping the servants when they pleased, from old Barnev

# **German** ungeeignet, unpassend, unrichtig.

inattention: Unaufmerksamkeit,

bald: kahl, glatzköpfig. brook: Bach, Fluß, Strom. coaches: kutschen. contradiction: Widerspruch. curried: striegelte. depended: abgehangen, hingen ab, hingst ab, hingt ab, hing ab, hing davon ab. deserving: verdienend, verdienstvoll, wert, würdig. hay: Heu, das Heu.

improperly: unsachgemäß,

Unachtsamkeit.
indulged: ergingt, verschontest,
schontet, verschont, verschonte,
verschonten, schontest, verschontet,
verwöhnt, verwöhnte, verwöhnten.
keepers: Wärter.
kneel: knien, kniest, kniet, auf die
knieen gehen, knielen.
rubbed: gerieben.
severest: strengste.

supposition: Annahme,
Voraussetzung, Vermutung,
Mutmaßung.
suspected: vermutet.
tremble: zittern, beben, zucken.
uncover: abdecken, enthüllen, decke
ab, decken ab, deckst ab, deckt ab,
enthülle, enthüllst, enthüllt,
entdecken, freilegen.
unjust: ungerecht.
unpardonable: unverzeihlich.
winder: Spuler, Spule, Rolle.

down to William Wilkes, the coach-driver. I have seen Winder make one of the house-servants stand off from him a suitable distance to be touched with the end of his whip, and at every stroke raise great **ridges** upon his back.

To describe the wealth of Colonel Lloyd would be almost equal to describing the riches of Job. He kept from ten to fifteen house-servants. He was said to own a thousand slaves, and I think this estimate quite within the truth. Colonel Lloyd owned so many that he did not know them when he saw them; nor did all the slaves of the out-farms know him. It is reported of him, that, while riding along the road one day, he met a colored man, and addressed him in the usual manner of speaking to colored people on the public **highways** of the south: "Well, boy, whom do you belong to?" "To Colonel Lloyd," replied the slave. "Well, does the colonel treat you well?" "No, sir," was the ready reply. "What, does he work you too hard?" "Yes, sir." "Well, don't he give you enough to eat?" "Yes, sir, he gives me enough, such as it is."

The colonel, after **ascertaining** where the slave belonged, rode on; the man also went on about his business, not dreaming that he had been conversing with his master. He thought, said, and heard nothing more of the matter, until two or three weeks afterwards. The poor man was then informed by his overseer that, for having found fault with his master, he was now to be sold to a Georgia trader. He was immediately **chained** and handcuffed; and thus, without a moment's warning, he was snatched away, and forever sundered, from his family and friends, by a hand more **unrelenting** than death. This is the penalty of telling the truth, of telling the simple truth, in answer to a series of plain questions.

It is partly in consequence of such facts, that slaves, when inquired of as to their condition and the character of their masters, almost universally say they are **contented**, and that their masters are kind. The slaveholders have been known to send in spies among their slaves, to ascertain their views and feelings in regard to their condition. The frequency of this has had the effect to establish among the slaves the maxim, that a still tongue makes a wise head. They suppress the truth rather than take the consequences of telling it, and in so doing prove themselves a part of the human family. If they have any thing to say of

# German

ascertain: feststellen, stelle fest, stellt fest, stellen fest, stellst fest, ermitteln, inquired: forschtet aus, fahndeten, konstatieren, konstatiere, ermittelt, ermittle, ermittele.

ascertaining: feststellend, ermittelnd, konstatierend.

chained: angeschlossen, angekettet,

contented: zufrieden, befriedigt, befriedigte.

conversing: unterhalten, sprechend. dreaming: Träumend.

highways: Schnellwege, Autostraße. fahndetest, fahndetet, forschte, forschte aus, forschten, forschten aus, forschtest, forschtet, gefahndet. maxim: Grundsatz, Spruch, Sentenz, Maxime, Denkspruch.

riches: Reichtümer, Reichtum. ridges: Grate, Kämme, Kanten. snatched: gegriffen.

spies: Schnüffler, Spione. sundered: trennte.

suppress: unterdrücken, unterdrückst, unterdrückt, unterdrücke, ersticken, nicht erlauben, kleinkriegen, erpressen, erdrosseln, erwürgen. trader: Händler, Unternehmer,

universally: allgemein, allbekannt. unrelenting: unerbittlich, eigenwillig, unnachgiebig, unbeugsam, trotzig, störrisch, starrköpfig, gnadenlos, eigensinnig, dickköpfig, unversöhnlich.

their masters, it is generally in their masters' favor, especially when speaking to an **untried** man. I have been frequently asked, when a slave, if I had a kind master, and do not remember ever to have given a negative answer; nor did I, in pursuing this course, consider myself as uttering what was absolutely false; for I always measured the kindness of my master by the standard of kindness set up among slaveholders around us. Moreover, slaves are like other people, and imbibe prejudices quite common to others. They think their own better than that of others. Many, under the influence of this prejudice, think their own masters are better than the masters of other slaves; and this, too, in some cases, when the very reverse is true. Indeed, it is not uncommon for slaves even to fall out and quarrel among themselves about the relative goodness of their masters, each **contending** for the superior goodness of his own over that of the others. At the very same time, they mutually execrate their masters when viewed separately. It was so on our plantation. When Colonel Lloyd's slaves met the slaves of Jacob Jepson, they seldom **parted** without a quarrel about their masters; Colonel Lloyd's slaves contending that he was the richest, and Mr. Jepson's slaves that he was the smartest, and most of a man. Colonel Lloyd's slaves would boast his ability to buy and sell Jacob Jepson. Mr. Jepson's slaves would boast his ability to whip Colonel Lloyd. These quarrels would almost always end in a fight between the parties, and those that whipped were supposed to have gained the point at issue. They seemed to think that the greatness of their masters was transferable to themselves. It was considered as being bad enough to be a slave; but to be a poor man's slave was deemed a disgrace indeed!

# German

boast: prahlen, Prahlerei, angeben, aufschneiden, renommieren, großeRedeführen, rühmen, sich brüsten, brüsten, ausposaunen, sich mit etwas brüsten.
contending: streitend, disputierend. disgrace: Schande, Blamage, blamieren, Ungunst, Ungnade, Skandal, Pleite, Mißstand, jemandem blamieren.

execrate: verwünschen. goodness: Güte, Tugend. imbibe: aufsaugen.
kindness: Freundlichkeit,
Liebenswürdigkeit, Güte,
Wohlwollen.
mutually: gegenseitig, einander,
gemeinsam, reziprok, wechselseitig.
parted: auseinandergegangen,
getrennt.
prejudice: Vorurteil.
prejudices: Vorurteile.
pursuing: verfolgend, Vervolgen.
quarrel: Streit, Zank, Zwietracht,

zanken, Wortwechsel, streiten, Disput, Auseinandersetzung, Fehde, schimpfen, schelten. quarrels: Steitigkeiten, Zankt, Kräche, Streitereien. richest: reichhaltigste, reichste. transferable: übertragbar, abtretbar. untried: unversucht, unerprobt. whip: Peitsche, peitschen, quirlen, geißeln, Geißel, schlagen, kasteien,

auspeitschen, Karbatsche,

Reitpeitsche, stäupen.

#### CHAPTER IV

Mr. Hopkins remained but a short time in the office of **overseer**. Why his career was so short, I do not know, but suppose he lacked the necessary severity to suit Colonel Lloyd. Mr. Hopkins was succeeded by Mr. Austin **Gore**, a man **possessing**, in an eminent degree, all those **traits** of character indispensable to what is called a **first**-rate overseer. Mr. Gore had served Colonel Lloyd, in the capacity of overseer, upon one of the out-farms, and had shown himself worthy of the high station of overseer upon the home or Great House Farm.

Mr. Gore was proud, ambitious, and **persevering**. He was **artful**, **cruel**, and **obdurate**. He was just the man for such a place, and it was just the place for such a man. It **afforded** scope for the full exercise of all his powers, and he seemed to be perfectly at home in it. He was one of those who could torture the slightest look, word, or gesture, on the part of the slave, into **impudence**, and would treat it accordingly. There must be no answering back to him; no explanation was allowed a slave, showing himself to have been **wrongfully** accused. Mr. Gore **acted** fully up to the maxim laid down by slaveholders,—"It is better that a **dozen slaves** should suffer under the **lash**, than that the overseer should be convicted, in the presence of the slaves, of having been at fault." No matter how innocent a slave might be—it **availed** him nothing, when accused by Mr. Gore of any **misdemeanor**. To be accused was to be convicted, and to be convicted was to be punished; the one always following the other with **immutable** certainty. To escape punishment was to escape **accusation**; and few slaves had the **fortune** to

# German fortune: Vermögen, Glück, Schicksal,

Geschick, Fügung, Los, Verhängnis.

accusation: Anklage, Beschuldigung, Anschuldigung, Anzeige. acted: handelte. afforded: erlaubten, erlaubte, erlaubtest, erlaubtet, erlaubt. artful: listig, kunstvoll, hinterlistig. availed: nützte. cruel: grausam. dozen: Dutzend. first-rate: vorzüglich, erstklassig, erstrangig, herausragend, oberst, vortrefflich, oberste.

gore: Keil, Zwickel.
immutable: unveränderlich.
impudence: Frechheit,
Unverschämtheit, Unverschämt sein,
Indiskretion, Impertinenz.
lash: peitsche, festbinden, binden,
Wimper, schnüren, knebeln,
anbinden, zurren, fesseln, festlegen,
fostmesken zurren, fesseln, festlegen,
fostmesken zurren, sesseln, festlegen,
fostmesken zurren, sesseln, festlegen,

misdemeanor: Übertretung, Vergehen. Unrecht.

obdurate: verstockt, halsstarrig.
overseer: Aufseher, Vorarbeiter.
persevering: beharrlich, beharrend,
andauernd, ausdauernd,
durchhaltend.
possessing: besitzend.
slaves: Sklaven, Dienstknechte,
Leibeigene.
traits: Eigenschaften, Züge,
Charakterzüge.
wrongfully: unrechtmäßig, zu

do either, under the overseership of Mr. Gore. He was just proud enough to demand the most debasing homage of the slave, and quite servile enough to crouch, himself, at the feet of the master. He was ambitious enough to be contented with nothing short of the highest rank of overseers, and persevering enough to reach the height of his ambition. He was cruel enough to inflict the severest punishment, artful enough to descend to the lowest trickery, and obdurate enough to be insensible to the voice of a **reproving** conscience. He was, of all the overseers, the most dreaded by the slaves. His presence was painful; his eye flashed confusion; and seldom was his sharp, shrill voice heard, without producing horror and trembling in their ranks.

Mr. Gore was a grave man, and, though a young man, he indulged in no jokes, said no funny words, seldom smiled. His words were in perfect keeping with his looks, and his looks were in perfect keeping with his words. Overseers will sometimes indulge in a witty word, even with the slaves; not so with Mr. Gore. He spoke but to command, and commanded but to be obeyed; he dealt sparingly with his words, and bountifully with his whip, never using the former where the latter would answer as well. When he whipped, he seemed to do so from a sense of duty, and feared no consequences. He did nothing reluctantly, no matter how disagreeable; always at his post, never inconsistent. He never promised but to fulfil. He was, in a word, a man of the most inflexible firmness and stone-like coolness.

His savage barbarity was equalled only by the consummate coolness with which he committed the grossest and most savage deeds upon the slaves under his charge. Mr. Gore once undertook to whip one of Colonel Lloyd's slaves, by the name of Demby. He had given Demby but few stripes, when, to get rid of the scourging, he ran and plunged himself into a creek, and stood there at the depth of his shoulders, refusing to come out. Mr. Gore told him that he would give him three calls, and that, if he did not come out at the third call, he would shoot him. The first call was given. Demby made no response, but stood his ground. The second and third calls were given with the same result. Mr. Gore then, without consultation or deliberation with any one, not even giving Demby

# German

Erwägung.

bountifully: reichlich. consummate: vollendet, vollenden. disagreeable: unangenehm, coolness: Kühle, Kälte, Ungeselligkeit, Frische, Frischheit, Frostigkeit, Kühlheit. creek: Flüsschen, Bach, Rinne, Kanal, der Bach, Bucht. crouch: kauern, hocken, kaure, kauert, kauerst, kauere, sichducken, hockt, Hocke, eintauchen, einsinken. debasing: verschlechternd. deliberation: Überlegung, Anbetracht, obeyed: gehorchtest, gehorchten,

ungenießbar, schlecht gelaunt. dreaded: gefürchtet. equalled: geglichen. firmness: Festigkeit. inflexible: unbiegsam, unbeugsam, streng, herrisch, stark, unbeweglich. inflict: zufügen, fügst zu, fügen zu, füge zu, fügt zu, auferlegen,

befolgtet, befolgte, befolgtest, befolgten. reproving: tadelnd. servile: servil, unterwürfig, sklavisch. shrill: schrill, grell, höllisch, schroff, gellend, anzüglich, eindringlich, durchdringend, scharf klingend. sparingly: sparsam. trickery: Gaunerei, Trick, Kniff,

gehorchte, gehorcht, gehorchtet,

Betrügerei, Ausflucht. witty: witzig, geistreich, sinnreich. an additional call, raised his **musket** to his face, taking **deadly** aim at his standing victim, and in an instant poor Demby was no more. His **mangled** body **sank** out of sight, and blood and brains marked the water where he had stood.

A thrill of horror flashed through every soul upon the plantation, excepting Mr. Gore. He alone seemed cool and collected. He was asked by Colonel Lloyd and my old master, why he **resorted** to this extraordinary **expedient**. His reply was, (as well as I can remember,) that Demby had become unmanageable. He was setting a dangerous example to the other slaves, – one which, if suffered to pass without some such demonstration on his part, would finally lead to the total **subversion** of all rule and order upon the plantation. He argued that if one slave refused to be **corrected**, and escaped with his life, the other slaves would soon copy the example; the result of which would be, the freedom of the slaves, and the **enslavement** of the whites. Mr. Gore's defence was satisfactory. He was continued in his station as overseer upon the home plantation. His fame as an overseer went abroad. His horrid crime was not even submitted to judicial investigation. It was committed in the presence of slaves, and they of course could neither institute a suit, nor testify against him; and thus the guilty perpetrator of one of the bloodiest and most foul murders goes unwhipped of justice, and uncensured by the community in which he lives. Mr. Gore lived in St. Michael's, Talbot county, Maryland, when I left there; and if he is still alive, he very probably lives there now; and if so, he is now, as he was then, as highly esteemed and as much respected as though his guilty soul had not been stained with his brother's blood.

I speak **advisedly** when I say this,—that killing a slave, or any colored person, in Talbot county, Maryland, is not treated as a crime, either by the courts or the community. Mr. Thomas Lanman, of St. Michael's, killed two slaves, one of whom he killed with a **hatchet**, by **knocking** his brains out. He used to boast of the commission of the awful and bloody **deed**. I have heard him do so **laughingly**, saying, among other things, that he was the only **benefactor** of his country in the company, and that when others would do as much as he had done, we should be relieved of "the d—d niggers."

# German

advisedly: vorsätzlich, mit Bedacht. benefactor: Wohltäter, Patronen. bloodiest: blutigste. corrected: korrigiert. deadly: tödlich. deed: Tat, Urkunde, Handlung, Akt, Werk. enslavement: Versklavung. excepting: ausgenommen, aussondern, außer. expedient: angebracht, zweckmäßig, ratsam, zweckdienlich,

empfehlenswert, Notbehelf.
flashed: leuchtete auf, aufgeblitzt.
foul: schmutzig, Faul, regelwidrig,
widerlich, falsch spielen.
hatchet: Beil, Hackmesser,
Fleischmesser.
knocking: Klopfen, Klopfend.
laughingly: lachen, lachende.
mangled: gewrungen.

murders: mordet, ermordet, Mord, Morde. musket: Muskete. resorted: begab sich, geflüchtet.
sank: sanken.
stained: befleckt, fleckig, unsauber,
beschmutzt, gefleckt.
subversion: Untergrabung, der
Umsturz, die Staatsgefährdung, die
Subversion, Subversion, Subversions.
testify: bezeugen, bezeugt, bezeuge,
bezeugst, beglaubigen, bescheinigen.
thrill: durchzucken, Nervenkitzel.
unwhipped: nicht geschlagen.

perpetrator: Täter.

The wife of Mr. Giles Hicks, living but a short distance from where I used to live, **murdered** my wife's cousin, a young girl between fifteen and sixteen years of age, mangling her person in the most horrible manner, breaking her nose and breastbone with a stick, so that the poor girl expired in a few hours afterward. She was immediately buried, but had not been in her untimely grave but a few hours before she was taken up and examined by the coroner, who decided that she had come to her death by severe beating. The offence for which this girl was thus murdered was this: - She had been set that night to mind Mrs. Hicks's baby, and during the night she fell asleep, and the baby cried. She, having lost her rest for several nights previous, did not hear the crying. They were both in the room with Mrs. Hicks. Mrs. Hicks, finding the girl slow to move, jumped from her bed, seized an oak stick of wood by the fireplace, and with it broke the girl's nose and breastbone, and thus ended her life. I will not say that this most horrid murder produced no sensation in the community. It did produce sensation, but not enough to bring the murderess to punishment. There was a warrant issued for her arrest, but it was never served. Thus she escaped not only punishment, but even the pain of being arraigned before a court for her horrid crime.

Whilst I am **detailing** bloody **deeds** which took place during my stay on Colonel Lloyd's plantation, I will briefly narrate another, which occurred about the same time as the murder of Demby by Mr. Gore.

Colonel Lloyd's slaves were in the habit of spending a part of their nights and Sundays in fishing for **oysters**, and in this way made up the **deficiency** of their scanty allowance. An old man belonging to Colonel Lloyd, while thus engaged, happened to get beyond the limits of Colonel Lloyd's, and on the premises of Mr. Beal Bondly. At this **trespass**, Mr. Bondly took offence, and with his musket came down to the shore, and blew its deadly contents into the poor old man.

Mr. Bondly came over to see Colonel Lloyd the next day, whether to pay him for his property, or to justify himself in what he had done, I know not. At any rate, this whole fiendish transaction was soon hushed up. There was very little said about it at all, and nothing done. It was a common saying, even among little

# German

afterward: nachher, später, danach. arraigned: focht an. blew: blies blight vereiteln, blies, blasen, wehen. breastbone: Brustbein. coroner: Leichenbeschauer, Untersuchungsrichter. deeds: Taten. deficiency: Mangel, Unzulänglichkeit, mangling: wringend. Mangelhaftigkeit, Kassendefizit, Defizienz, Manko. detailing: Genau schildernd.

Verlaufen, verfielt, verfielst, verfielen, verfiel, verfallen, ungültig, liefst ab. fireplace: Kamin, Feuerstelle, Heizvorrichtung, Herd, Feuerungsanlage, Herdstätte. hushed: beruhigte. murdered: ermordet. murderess: Mörderin. oak: Eiche.

expired: abgelaufen, endetest, lieft ab, oysters: Austern. scanty: knapp, spärlich, dürftig, nicht im überfluss, gering. sensation: Sensation, Empfindung, Sinn, Aufsehen. trespass: Hausfriedensbruch. untimely: vorzeitig, verfrüht, ungelegen, frühzeitig. warrant: Garantie, gewährleisten, Gewähr, Ermächtigung, Warrant, verbürgen, sicherstellen, bürgen, Optionsschein, Lagerschein, haften.

white **boys**, that it was **worth** a half-cent to **kill** a "nigger," and a half-cent to **bury** one.

# German

boys: Jungen.
bury: begraben, vergraben, beerdigen,
begrabt, begräbst, beerdige,
beerdigst, beerdigt, begrabe,
vergräbst, vergrabt.
kill: töten, ermorden, umbringen,
fertigmachen, erledigen.
worth: Wert, Geltung, Bedeutung.

# CHAPTER V

As to my own treatment while I lived on Colonel Lloyd's plantation, it was very similar to that of the other slave children. I was not old enough to work in the field, and there being little else than field work to do, I had a great deal of **leisure** time. The most I had to do was to drive up the **cows** at evening, keep the **fowls** out of the garden, keep the front **yard** clean, and run of errands for my old master's daughter, Mrs. Lucretia Auld. The most of my leisure time I spent in **helping** Master Daniel Lloyd in **finding** his birds, after he had shot them. My connection with Master Daniel was of some advantage to me. He became quite attached to me, and was a sort of **protector** of me. He would not allow the older boys to impose upon me, and would divide his **cakes** with me.

I was seldom whipped by my old master, and suffered little from any thing else than **hunger** and cold. I suffered much from hunger, but much more from cold. In hottest summer and **coldest** winter, I was kept almost naked — no shoes, no stockings, no jacket, no trousers, nothing on but a coarse **tow** linen **shirt**, **reaching** only to my **knees**. I had no bed. I must have **perished** with cold, but that, the coldest **nights**, I used to **steal** a **bag** which was used for **carrying** corn to the **mill**. I would **crawl** into this bag, and there sleep on the cold, damp, clay floor, with my head in and feet out. My feet have been so **cracked** with the **frost**, that the pen with which I am writing might be **laid** in the **gashes**.

# German

bag: Sack, Beutel, Tasche, Tüte.
cakes: Kuchen.
carrying: tragend.
coldest: kälteste.
cows: Kühe.
cracked: gekracht, geknackt.
crawl: kriechen, krabbeln.
finding: gründend, Finden, Fund.
fowls: Hühner.
frost: Frost, Eisbildung.
gashes: Fügt eine tiefe Wunde bei.
helping: Helfend, Portion.

hunger: Hunger, Hungern.
knees: Kniet.
laid: legtet, legte, legtest, legten,
gelegt.
leisure: Muße, Freizeit.
mill: Mühle, Fabrik, fräsen, Mahlen.
nights: Nächte.
perished: kamt um, kamst um, kamen
um, kam um, umgekommen, gingt
unter, gingst unter, ging unter,
untergegangen, gingen unter.
protector: Beschützer, wer beschützt.

reaching: Reichend, Erreichen, Erreichend.
shirt: Hemd, Bluse, Trikot, Oberhemd.
steal: stehlen, entwenden, klauen, zurückbehalten, wegschnappen, wegnehmen, veruntreuen, verheimlichen, zurückhalten, unterschlagen, sich aneignen.
tow: schleppen, Abschleppen, nachschleppen, nachziehen.
yard: Hof, Yard, Hofraum, Lagerplatz, Werft, Bahnhofsgelände.

We were not regularly **allowanced**. Our food was coarse corn meal **boiled**. This was called *mush*. It was put into a large wooden tray or **trough**, and set down upon the ground. The children were then called, like so many pigs, and like so many pigs they would come and **devour** the mush; some with oystershells, others with pieces of shingle, some with naked hands, and none with **spoons**. He that ate **fastest** got most; he that was strongest secured the best place; and few left the trough satisfied.

I was probably between seven and eight years old when I left Colonel Lloyd's plantation. I left it with joy. I shall never forget the ecstasy with which I received the intelligence that my old master (Anthony) had determined to let me go to Baltimore, to live with Mr. Hugh Auld, brother to my old master's son-inlaw, Captain Thomas Auld. I received this information about three days before my departure. They were three of the **happiest** days I ever enjoyed. I spent the most part of all these three days in the creek, washing off the plantation scurf, and preparing myself for my departure.

The pride of appearance which this would indicate was not my own. I spent the time in washing, not so much because I wished to, but because Mrs. Lucretia had told me I must get all the dead skin off my feet and knees before I could go to Baltimore; for the people in Baltimore were very cleanly, and would laugh at me if I looked dirty. Besides, she was going to give me a pair of trousers, which I should not put on unless I got all the dirt off me. The thought of owning a pair of trousers was great indeed! It was almost a sufficient motive, not only to make me take off what would be called by pig-drovers the mange, but the skin itself. I went at it in good earnest, working for the first time with the hope of reward.

The ties that **ordinarily bind** children to their homes were all suspended in my case. I found no severe trial in my departure. My home was **charmless**; it was not home to me; on parting from it, I could not feel that I was leaving any thing which I could have enjoyed by staying. My mother was dead, my grandmother lived far off, so that I seldom saw her. I had two sisters and one brother, that lived in the same house with me; but the early separation of us from our mother had well nigh blotted the fact of our relationship from our memories.

# German

allowanced: teilte zu. bind: binden, verbinden, einbinden, mit der Schlinge fangen, festknüpfen, dirt: Schmutz, Dreck, Kot. festschnallen, festmachen, festbinden, earnest: ernst, ernsthaft, gesetzt, ketten, knebeln, ködern. blotted: befleckte, bekleckert. boiled: gekocht, siedete, abgekocht. charmless: reizlos. cleanly: sauber, reinlich. devour: verschlingen, verschlingst, verschlingt, verschlinge, fressen, verzehren, futtern, konsumieren,

hinunterschlingen, verdauen, hinunterschlucken. feierlich, seriös, aufrichtig. ecstasy: Ekstase, Verzückung, Entzückung. fastest: schnellste. happiest: glücklichste. mange: Räude. mush: Brei, Mus. nigh: nahe.

ordinarily: gewöhnlich, normalerweise. owning: besitzend. parting: Abschied, Trennung. pigs: Schweine. scurf: Schuppen. shingle: Schindel, Dachschindel, spoons: Löffel. trough: Trog, Mulde, Wanne, Fortwährend, Ständig, Kontinuierlich.

I looked for home elsewhere, and was confident of finding none which I should relish less than the one which I was leaving. If, however, I found in my new home hardship, hunger, whipping, and nakedness, I had the consolation that I should not have escaped any one of them by staying. Having already had more than a taste of them in the house of my old master, and having **endured** them there, I very naturally inferred my ability to endure them elsewhere, and especially at Baltimore; for I had something of the feeling about Baltimore that is expressed in the proverb, that "being hanged in England is preferable to dying a natural death in Ireland." I had the strongest desire to see Baltimore. Cousin Tom, though not **fluent** in speech, had inspired me with that desire by his **eloquent** description of the place. I could never point out any thing at the Great House, no matter how beautiful or powerful, but that he had seen something at Baltimore far exceeding, both in beauty and strength, the object which I pointed out to him. Even the Great House itself, with all its pictures, was far inferior to many buildings in Baltimore. So strong was my desire, that I thought a gratification of it would fully compensate for whatever loss of comforts I should sustain by the exchange. I left without a regret, and with the highest hopes of future happiness.

We **sailed** out of Miles River for Baltimore on a Saturday morning. I remember only the day of the week, for at that time I had no knowledge of the days of the month, nor the months of the year. On setting sail, I walked **aft**, and gave to Colonel Lloyd's plantation what I hoped would be the last look. I then placed myself in the **bows** of the sloop, and there spent the remainder of the day in looking ahead, interesting myself in what was in the distance rather than in things near by or behind.

In the afternoon of that day, we reached Annapolis, the capital of the State. We stopped but a few moments, so that I had no time to go on shore. It was the first large town that I had ever seen, and though it would look small compared with some of our New England factory villages, I thought it a wonderful place for its size—more **imposing** even than the Great House Farm!

# German

bows: verbeugungen, verbeugt, Bücklinge, bögen. comforts: Trost, Annehmlichkeiten, Behaglichkeiten. consolation: Trost, Vertröstung, Tröstung. eloquent: beredsam, eloquent, redegewandt, beredt. endure: ertragen, ertragt, ertrage, erträgst, aushalten, halte aus, halten aus, haltet aus, hältst aus, erdulden,

aft: hinten, achtern.

übersteigend, übertreffend, überschreitend, überschreitend, überragend, außerordentlich, herausfordernd, provozierend, höhnisch.

fluent: fließend, flüssig, geläufig. hanged: aufgehängt, gehängt. hardship: Not, Mühsal, Härte. imposing: imposant, auferlegend, imponierend, aufdrängend. inferior: Minderwertig, untergeordnet, niedrig, ärmlich,

armselig, dürftig, gebrechlich, hinfällig, karg, kärglich, Untergeordnete. inferred: folgerten, gefolgert, folgertest, folgerte, folgertet. nakedness: Nacktheit, Blöße. preferable: vorzuziehen. proverb: Sprichwort, Sentenz, Denkspruch, Spruch. relish: schlecken, naschen, Geschmack, genießen. sailed: gesegelt.

We arrived at Baltimore early on Sunday morning, landing at Smith's Wharf, not far from Bowley's Wharf. We had on board the sloop a large **flock** of sheep; and after aiding in driving them to the slaughterhouse of Mr. Curtis on Louden Slater's Hill, I was conducted by Rich, one of the hands belonging on board of the sloop, to my new home in Alliciana Street, near Mr. Gardner's ship-yard, on Fells Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Auld were both at home, and met me at the door with their little son Thomas, to take care of whom I had been given. And here I saw what I had never seen before; it was a white face beaming with the most kindly emotions; it was the face of my new mistress, Sophia Auld. I wish I could describe the rapture that flashed through my soul as I beheld it. It was a new and strange sight to me, **brightening** up my **pathway** with the light of happiness. Little Thomas was told, there was his Freddy, — and I was told to take care of little Thomas; and thus I entered upon the duties of my new home with the most cheering prospect ahead.

I look upon my departure from Colonel Lloyd's plantation as one of the most interesting events of my life. It is possible, and even quite probable, that but for the mere circumstance of being removed from that plantation to Baltimore, I should have to-day, instead of being here seated by my own table, in the **enjoyment** of freedom and the happiness of home, writing this Narrative, been confined in the **galling chains** of slavery. Going to live at Baltimore laid the foundation, and opened the **gateway**, to all my subsequent prosperity. I have ever regarded it as the first plain **manifestation** of that kind providence which has ever since attended me, and marked my life with so many favors. I regarded the selection of myself as being somewhat remarkable. There were a number of slave children that might have been sent from the plantation to Baltimore. There were those younger, those older, and those of the same age. I was chosen from among them all, and was the first, last, and only choice.

I may be deemed **superstitious**, and even **egotistical**, in regarding this event as a special **interposition** of divine Providence in my favor. But I should be false to the earliest **sentiments** of my soul, if I **suppressed** the opinion. I prefer to be

# German

aiding: helfend. beaming: strahlend, abstrahlend, blank, glatt, glimmend, schimmernd. gateway: Tor, Einfahrt. brightening: aufhellend. chains: Ketten. cheering: Jubel, Jauchzen, zujubelnd, Feudenruf, Freudentaumel. egotistical: egotistisch, ichbezogen. enjoyment: Genuß. flock: Herde, Schar, Volksmenge, Trupp, Schwarm, menge, Masse, Horde, Haufen.

galling: ärgerlich, ärgernd, fressender Verschleiß. interposition: Interposition, Sichzwischenschieben, Einschaltung, Einfügung, die Zwischenschaltung, die Einschaltung, die Einfügung, Dazwischentreten, das Eingreifen, die Vermittlung. kindly: freundlich, gütig,

freundlicherweise. manifestation: Kundgebung,

Manifestation. pathway: Bahn, Pfad. rapture: Entzücken, Begeisterung. seated: gesetzt, sitzend, seßhaft. sentiments: Empfindungen, Gefühle. slaughterhouse: Schlachthof, Schlachthaus, Schlächterei. superstitious: abergläubisch. suppressed: unterdrückt, unterdrücktet, unterdrücktest, unterdrückten, unterdrückte, niedergehalten.

true to myself, even at the **hazard** of **incurring** the **ridicule** of others, rather than to be false, and incur my own abhorrence. From my **earliest recollection**, I date the **entertainment** of a deep **conviction** that slavery would not always be able to hold me within its foul **embrace**; and in the **darkest** hours of my career in slavery, this living word of faith and spirit of hope **departed** not from me, but remained like **ministering angels** to **cheer** me through the **gloom**. This good spirit was from God, and to him I offer **thanksgiving** and praise.

# German abgefahren, fuhrst ab, fuhrt ab,

cheer: zujubeln, Hochruf, jubeln, bejubeln, Jubelruf, bejauchzen, komplimentieren, feiern, Freudenruf, Freudenschrei, zujauchzen. conviction: Überzeugung, Standpunkt, Anschauung, Ansicht, Auffassung, Denkweise, Gesinnung, Überführung, Verurteilung, Glaube. darkest: dunkelste. departed: abgereist, reiste ab, reistet ab, reistest ab, reisten ab, fuhr ab,

angels: Engel.

fuhren ab, ging fort.
earliest: früheste, frühest, erstes,
erster, erste.
embrace: umarmen, Umarmung,
umfassen, umschlingen.
entertainment: Unterhaltung.
gloom: Trübsinn, Dunkelheit.
hazard: Gefahr, Risiko, Zufall,
riskieren, Wagnis, wagen, Hasard.
incur: nehme auf, nimmst auf, sich
zuziehen, nehmt auf, nehmen auf,

erleiden, erleide, aufnehmen.
incurring: erleidend, aufnehmend.
ministering: minister, pastor, pfarrer,
sich kümmern, betreuend.
recollection: Erinnerung, Andenken,
Gedächtnis.
ridicule: Spott, spotten, verspotten,
lächerlich machen, verhöhnen,
Spöttelei, auslachen.
thanksgiving: Danksagung,
Erntedankfest.

nimm auf, erleidet, erleidest,

# CHAPTER VI

My new mistress proved to be all she appeared when I first met her at the door,—a woman of the kindest heart and finest feelings. She had never had a slave under her control previously to myself, and prior to her marriage she had been dependent upon her own industry for a living. She was by trade a **weaver**; and by constant application to her business, she had been in a good degree preserved from the blighting and dehumanizing effects of slavery. I was utterly **astonished** at her goodness. I scarcely knew how to behave towards her. She was entirely unlike any other white woman I had ever seen. I could not approach her as I was **accustomed** to approach other white ladies. My early instruction was all out of place. The **crouching servility**, usually so acceptable a quality in a slave, did not answer when **manifested** toward her. Her favor was not gained by it; she seemed to be disturbed by it. She did not **deem** it **impudent** or **unmannerly** for a slave to look her in the face. The **meanest** slave was put fully at ease in her presence, and none left without feeling better for having seen her. Her face was made of **heavenly smiles**, and her voice of **tranquil** music.

But, alas! this kind heart had but a short time to remain such. The fatal poison of **irresponsible** power was already in her hands, and soon commenced its infernal work. That cheerful eye, under the influence of slavery, soon became red with rage; that voice, made all of sweet accord, changed to one of harsh and horrid **discord**; and that **angelic** face gave place to that of a **demon**.

# German

accustomed: gewöhnt, gewöhnte, gewöhntet, gewöhntet, gewöhntest, gewöhnten, gewohnt, üblich, angewöhntest an, gewöhntet an.
angelic: engelhaft, himmlisch.
astonished: erstaunt, überraschte, überraschtet, überraschten, überraschtet, erstauntet, tiberraschtest, erstauntest, erstaunte, erstaunte.
crouching: kauernd, duckend, hockend.

deem: erachten, erachte, erachtest, erachtet, meinen, befinden, glauben, schauen, anblicken, zuschauen, ansehen.

ansenen.
demon: Dämon, Teufel.
discord: Zwietracht, Uneinigkeit,
Zwieträchte, Zwiespalt, Zwiedracht,
Mißstimmung, Zwiespältigkeit.
heavenly: himmlisch, formidabel,
köstlich, hervorragend, göttlich,
vorzüglich, ausgezeichnet,
auserlesen, vortrefflich, herrlich.

impudent: unverschämt, frech, dreist. irresponsible: unverantwortlich, verantwortungslos. manifested: demonstriert, kundgegeben. meanest: unterste.

servility: Unterwürfigkeit, Kriecherei. smiles: Lächelt. tranquil: ruhig, gelassen, still, ruhige,

**tranquil**: ruhig, gelassen, still, ruhige, gemütlich. **unmannerly**: ungezogen.

unmannerly: ungezogen.weaver: Weber, Spinnerin.

Very soon after I went to live with Mr. and Mrs. Auld, she very kindly commenced to teach me the A, B, C. After I had learned this, she assisted me in learning to **spell** words of three or four letters. Just at this point of my progress, Mr. Auld found out what was going on, and at once forbade Mrs. Auld to instruct me further, telling her, among other things, that it was unlawful, as well as unsafe, to teach a slave to read. To use his own words, further, he said, "If you give a **nigger** an inch, he will take an ell. A nigger should know nothing but to obey his master - to do as he is told to do. Learning would spoil the best nigger in the world. Now," said he, "if you teach that nigger (speaking of myself) how to read, there would be no keeping him. It would forever unfit him to be a slave. He would at once become unmanageable, and of no value to his master. As to himself, it could do him no good, but a great deal of harm. It would make him **discontented** and unhappy." These words sank deep into my heart, stirred up sentiments within that lay slumbering, and called into existence an entirely new train of thought. It was a new and special revelation, explaining dark and mysterious things, with which my youthful understanding had struggled, but struggled in vain. I now understood what had been to me a most **perplexing** difficulty – to wit, the white man's power to **enslave** the black man. It was a grand achievement, and I prized it highly. From that moment, I understood the pathway from slavery to freedom. It was just what I wanted, and I got it at a time when I the least expected it. Whilst I was saddened by the thought of losing the aid of my kind mistress, I was gladdened by the invaluable instruction which, by the merest accident, I had gained from my master. Though conscious of the difficulty of learning without a teacher, I set out with high hope, and a fixed purpose, at whatever cost of trouble, to learn how to read. The very decided manner with which he spoke, and strove to impress his wife with the evil consequences of giving me instruction, served to convince me that he was deeply sensible of the **truths** he was uttering. It gave me the best assurance that I might rely with the utmost confidence on the results which, he said, would flow from teaching me to read. What he most dreaded, that I most desired. What he most loved, that I most hated. That which to him was a great evil, to be carefully **shunned**, was to me a great good, to be diligently sought; and the argument

# German weisen an, weise an, unterrichtet,

discontented: unzufrieden, missmutig. ell: Elle. enslave: versklaven, versklavt, versklavst, versklave, knechten. forbade: verbotest, verboten, verbotet, perplexing: verwirrend, verbot, untersagten, untersagtest, untersagte, untersagtet, verbat. gladdened: erfreutet, erfreut, erfreute, erfreuten, erfreutest. instruct: unterrichten, anweisen, unterrichtest, unterrichte, weist an,

einweisen, weise ein, instruieren. invaluable: unschätzbar, unbezahlbar, köstlich. nigger: Nigger. kopfzerbrechend. prized: schätzte, geschätzt. saddened: betrübt, betrübte, betrübten, betrübtest, betrübtet. shunned: gemieden, mieden, miedest, mied, miedet.

stirred: gemischt, durchgerührt. strove: erstrebte, erstrebtet, kämpftet, kämpftest, kämpften, kämpfte, eiferte, erstrebten, erstrebtest, eifertet, truths: Wahrheiten, Wirklichkeiten. unfit: ungeeignet, untauglich, unfähig. unsafe: unsicher, gefährlich. utmost: äußerst, alleräußerste. vain: eitel, vergeblich, eingebildet,

vergebens, hinfällig, nutzlos, leer.

youthful: jugendlich, jung.

which he so warmly urged, against my learning to read, only served to inspire me with a desire and determination to learn. In learning to read, I owe almost as much to the bitter opposition of my master, as to the kindly aid of my mistress. I acknowledge the benefit of both.

I had resided but a short time in Baltimore before I observed a marked difference, in the treatment of slaves, from that which I had witnessed in the country. A city slave is almost a freeman, compared with a slave on the plantation. He is much better fed and clothed, and enjoys privileges altogether unknown to the slave on the plantation. There is a vestige of decency, a sense of shame, that does much to curb and check those outbreaks of atrocious cruelty so commonly **enacted** upon the plantation. He is a desperate slaveholder, who will shock the humanity of his non-slaveholding **neighbors** with the cries of his lacerated slave. Few are willing to incur the odium attaching to the reputation of being a cruel master; and above all things, they would not be known as not giving a slave enough to eat. Every city slaveholder is anxious to have it known of him, that he feeds his slaves well; and it is due to them to say, that most of them do give their slaves enough to eat. There are, however, some painful exceptions to this rule. Directly opposite to us, on Philpot Street, lived Mr. Thomas Hamilton. He owned two slaves. Their names were Henrietta and Mary. Henrietta was about twenty-two years of age, Mary was about fourteen; and of all the mangled and emaciated creatures I ever looked upon, these two were the most so. His heart must be harder than stone, that could look upon these unmoved. The head, neck, and shoulders of Mary were literally cut to pieces. I have frequently felt her head, and found it nearly covered with festering sores, caused by the lash of her cruel mistress. I do not know that her master ever whipped her, but I have been an eye-witness to the cruelty of Mrs. Hamilton. I used to be in Mr. Hamilton's house nearly every day. Mrs. Hamilton used to sit in a large chair in the middle of the room, with a heavy cowskin always by her side, and scarce an hour passed during the day but was marked by the blood of one of these slaves. The girls seldom passed her without her saying, "Move faster, you black gip!" at the same time giving them a blow with the cowskin over the head or shoulders, often drawing the blood. She

# German

Freundlichkeit.

gräßlich, grausam. attaching: befestigend, anheftend, anbringend, anfügen, anhängend, anheften. clothed: kleidetest, kleideten, kleidete, enacted: verordnet, verordnete. gekleidet, kleidetet, bekleidet, kleideten an, kleidete an, kleidetet an, freeman: Freier Mann. bekleidetet, bekleidetest.

atrocious: grauenhaft, scheußlich,

decency: Anstand, Schicklichkeit, Höflichkeit, Sittsamkeit, Korrektheit, Tugendhaftigkeit, Rechtschaffenheit, emaciated: abgemagert, schmächtig, ausgezehrt, spindeldürr, zehrte ab, knochig, knöchern, knochenartig, hohläugig, dürr, zehrtest ab. festering: Eiternd, Verfaulend. lacerated: zerfleischt, aufgerissen, riß auf, rissen auf, rissest auf, rißt auf, zerfleischte, zerfleischten, zerfleischtest, zerfleischtet,

gezerrissen. neighbors: Nachbarn. odium: Verhaßtheit. outbreaks: Ausbrüche. resided: angesiedelt, gewohnt, residierten, residierte, residiertet, wohnte, wohnten, wohntest, wohntet, residiert, residiertest. scarce: selten, knapp, kaum. sores: Wunden. unmoved: unbewegt, ungerührt. vestige: Spur.

would then say, "Take that, you *black gip*!" **continuing**, "If you don't **move faster**, I'll move you!" Added to the cruel **lashings** to which these slaves were **subjected**, they were **kept nearly** half-starved. They seldom knew what it was to **eat** a full **meal**. I have seen Mary contending with the pigs for the **offal thrown** into the **street**. So much was Mary **kicked** and **cut** to **pieces**, that she was **oftener** called "pecked" than by her name.

# German

continuing: fortfahrend, fortsetzend, weitermachend, Bestehenbleiben, Andauern, enthaltend, fortdauernd, dauernd.

cut: Schneiden, Schnitt, abschneiden, Schnittwunde, mähen, Einschnitt, geschnitten, hauen, Schliff, ausschneiden, Kürzung.

eat: essen, iß, esse, ißt, eßt, speisen, speist, speise, fressen, genießen, verspeisen.

faster: schneller.

kept: behieltest, behalten, behielten, behieltet, behielt, bewahrte auf, bewahrtet auf, bewahrten auf, aufbewahrt, bewahrtest auf, bewahrtest.

kicked: gestoßen.

lashings: Laschung, Ruten, Tauwerk, Eine Menge.

meal: Mahlzeit, Essen, Mehl, Mahl, Graupe, Speise, Fraß.

**move**: bewegen, rühren, verschieben, Bewegung, sich bewegen, Umzug, Spielzug, Zug, berühren, umziehen, ergreifen.

nearly: beinahe, fast, nahezu, schier, ungefähr, sofortig, unmittelbar, direkt, auf der Stelle, alsbald, nah genug.

offal: Abfall, Innereien.

oftener: öfter. pieces: Stücke. street: Straße.

**subjected**: unterwarf, ausgesetzt.

thrown: geworfen.

# CHAPTER VII

I lived in Master Hugh's family about seven years. During this time, I succeeded in learning to read and write. In **accomplishing** this, I was **compelled** to resort to various stratagems. I had no regular teacher. My mistress, who had kindly commenced to instruct me, had, in compliance with the advice and direction of her husband, not only **ceased** to instruct, but had set her face against my being instructed by any one else. It is **due**, however, to my mistress to say of her, that she did not adopt this course of treatment immediately. She at first lacked the **depravity indispensable** to **shutting** me up in **mental darkness**. It was at least necessary for her to have some training in the exercise of irresponsible power, to make her equal to the task of **treating** me as though I were a **brute**.

My mistress was, as I have said, a kind and **tenderhearted** woman; and in the **simplicity** of her **soul** she commenced, when I first went to live with her, to treat me as she supposed one human being ought to treat another. In entering upon the **duties** of a slaveholder, she did not seem to perceive that I sustained to her the relation of a **mere** chattel, and that for her to treat me as a human being was not only wrong, but **dangerously** so. Slavery proved as **injurious** to her as it did to me. When I went there, she was a **pious**, warm, and tender-hearted woman. There was no sorrow or **suffering** for which she had not a tear. She had **bread** for the **hungry**, clothes for the naked, and comfort for every **mourner** that came within her reach. Slavery soon proved its ability to **divest** her of these heavenly

# German

accomplishing: erreichend,
vollbringend, vollendend.
bread: Brot, Panieren, Weizenbrot.
brute: Tier, Unmensch, Rohling,
Brutaler Kerl, Brutal, Vieh, Wüterich,
Ein roher Mensch, Roh, Tierisch.
ceased: aufgehört, hörte auf.
compelled: zwang, gezwungen,
zwangst, zwangen, zwangt,
erzwungen.
danger: Gefahr.
darkness: Dunkell
Halbdunkel, Dän
Dämmerung.
depravity: Verder
divest: entblößen.
due: fällig, schuldi
duties: Pflichten, S
hungry: hungrig.
indispensable: un
unerläßlich, wese
unabdingbar, ess
entscheidend.

darkness: Dunkelheit, Finsternis,
Halbdunkel, Dämmerlicht,
Dämmerung.
depravity: Verderbtheit.
divest: entblößen.
due: fällig, schuldig, gebührend.
duties: Pflichten, Steuern.
hungry: hungrig.
indispensable: unentbehrlich,
unerläßlich, wesentlich, notwendig,
unabdingbar, essentiell, erforderlich,
entscheidend.

injurious: schädlich, angreifend. mental: geistig, seelisch, mental. mere: Bloß, Nur, Rein. mourner: Leidtragende. pious: fromm, gottesfürchtig. shutting: Schließend. simplicity: Einfachheit, Bescheidenheit, Genügsamkeit. soul: Seele, Gemüt. suffering: leidend, Leiden. tenderhearted: weichherzig, treating: behandelnd. qualities. Under its influence, the tender heart became stone, and the **lamblike** disposition gave way to one of tiger-like **fierceness**. The first step in her **downward** course was in her **ceasing** to instruct me. She now commenced to practise her husband's **precepts**. She finally became even more violent in her opposition than her husband himself. She was not satisfied with simply doing as well as he had commanded; she seemed anxious to do better. Nothing seemed to make her more angry than to see me with a newspaper. She seemed to think that here lay the danger. I have had her rush at me with a face made all up of fury, and **snatch** from me a newspaper, in a manner that fully revealed her **apprehension**. She was an **apt** woman; and a little experience soon demonstrated, to her satisfaction, that education and slavery were incompatible with each other.

From this time I was most narrowly watched. If I was in a separate room any considerable length of time, I was sure to be suspected of having a book, and was at once called to give an account of myself. All this, however, was too late. The first step had been taken. Mistress, in teaching me the **alphabet**, had given me the *inch*, and no **precaution** could prevent me from taking the *ell*.

The plan which I adopted, and the one by which I was most successful, was that of making friends of all the little white boys whom I met in the street. As many of these as I could, I converted into teachers. With their kindly aid, obtained at different times and in different places, I finally succeeded in learning to read. When I was sent of **errands**, I always took my book with me, and by going one part of my errand quickly, I found time to get a lesson before my return. I used also to carry bread with me, enough of which was always in the house, and to which I was always welcome; for I was much better off in this regard than many of the poor white children in our **neighborhood**. This bread I used to **bestow** upon the hungry little **urchins**, who, in return, would give me that more valuable bread of knowledge. I am strongly tempted to give the names of two or three of those little boys, as a **testimonial** of the gratitude and affection I bear them; but **prudence** forbids;—not that it would **injure** me, but it might **embarrass** them; for it is almost an unpardonable offence to teach slaves to

# alphabet: Alphabet. apprehension: Festnahme, Arrest, Befürchtung, Haft. apt: geeignet, passend, zirka, ungefähr, treffend, begabt. bestow: schenken. ceasing: beendend, endend. downward: abwärts, absteigend, herunter, sinkend, nach unten. embarrass: verwirren, verhindern, durcheinander bringen, jemanden verlegen machen.

# German

errand: Auftrag, Botengang,
Besorgung, Kommission, Bestellung.
fierceness: Wildheit, Heftigkeit,
Grellheit, Grimmigkeit, Eifer,
Intensität, Bissigkeit, Schärfe,
Stachlichkeit, Grimm, Stärke.
injure: verletzen, verletze, verletzst,
verletzt, beschädigen, beschädige,
beschädigst, verderben, beschädigt,
kränken, schaden zufügen.
lamblike: lammfromm.
neighborhood: Nachbarschaft,

precaution: Vorsorge, Vorkehrung,
Sicherheitsmassnahme, Vorsicht,
Sorge.
precepts: Regeln.
prudence: Umsicht, Besonnenheit,
Klugheit.
snatch: greifen, einstecken,
wegrücken, wegreißen, Verreißen des
Lenkrades, abhandenmachen.
testimonial: Zeugnis.

urchins: Bengel.

read in this Christian country. It is enough to say of the dear little **fellows**, that they lived on Philpot Street, very near Durgin and Bailey's ship-yard. I used to talk this matter of slavery over with them. I would sometimes say to them, I wished I could be as free as they would be when they got to be men. "You will be free as soon as you are twenty-one, but I am a slave for life! Have not I as good a right to be free as you have?" These words used to trouble them; they would express for me the liveliest sympathy, and **console** me with the hope that something would occur by which I might be free.

I was now about twelve years old, and the thought of being a slave for life began to bear heavily upon my heart. Just about this time, I got hold of a book entitled "The Columbian Orator." Every opportunity I got, I used to read this book. Among much of other interesting matter, I found in it a **dialogue** between a master and his slave. The slave was represented as having run away from his master three times. The dialogue represented the conversation which took place between them, when the slave was **retaken** the third time. In this dialogue, the whole argument in **behalf** of slavery was brought forward by the master, all of which was disposed of by the slave. The slave was made to say some very **smart** as well as impressive things in reply to his master—things which had the **desired** though unexpected effect; for the conversation **resulted** in the voluntary emancipation of the slave on the part of the master.

In the same book, I met with one of Sheridan's **mighty speeches** on and in behalf of Catholic emancipation. These were choice documents to me. I read them over and over again with **unabated** interest. They gave **tongue** to interesting thoughts of my own soul, which had frequently flashed through my mind, and died away for want of **utterance**. The moral which I gained from the dialogue was the power of truth over the **conscience** of even a slaveholder. What I got from Sheridan was a **bold denunciation** of slavery, and a powerful **vindication** of human rights. The reading of these documents **enabled** me to utter my thoughts, and to meet the arguments brought forward to **sustain** slavery; but while they relieved me of one difficulty, they brought on another even more painful than the one of which I was relieved. The more I read, the

# German

behalf: Namens.
bold: fett, dreist, kühn, keck, frech,
Mutig, ungezogen, schamlos,
schlimm, taktlos, tapfer.
conscience: Gewissen.
console: Konsole, trösten, Pult,
Bedienungsfeld, Trost spenden.
denunciation: Denunziation.
desired: gewünscht, erwünscht,
geforderte, gewünschte, verlangte.
dialogue: Dialog, Gespräch,
Konversation, Unerhaltung,

Zwiegespräch.

enabled: aktiviert, aktiviertet,
aktiviertest, aktivierte, aktivierten.
fellows: Gefährten, Kameraden,
Kollegen.
mighty: mächtig, gewaltig.
resulted: ergab.
retaken: wiedergenommen.
smart: schlau, klug, pfiffig, gewitzt,
gerieben, clever, flott, verschmitzt,
gewiegt, glatt, listig.
speeches: Reden.

aushalten, unterstützen, halten aus, unterhaltet, stützt, stütze, unterhalte, stemmen, lehnen. tongue: Zunge, Sprache, die Zunge. unabated: unvermindert. utter: äußerst, äußern, ausschließen, leibhaftig, aussondern. utterance: Äußerung, Erklärung,

Information, Bekanntgabe, Mitteilung. vindication: Rechtfertigung.

sustain: stützen, unterhalten,

more I was led to abhor and detest my enslavers. I could regard them in no other light than a band of successful robbers, who had left their homes, and gone to Africa, and stolen us from our homes, and in a strange land reduced us to slavery. I **loathed** them as being the meanest as well as the most wicked of men. As I read and contemplated the subject, **behold!** that very **discontentment** which Master Hugh had predicted would follow my learning to read had already come, to torment and sting my soul to unutterable anguish. As I writhed under it, I would at times feel that learning to read had been a curse rather than a blessing. It had given me a view of my wretched condition, without the remedy. It opened my eyes to the horrible pit, but to no ladder upon which to get out. In moments of agony, I **envied** my fellow-slaves for their **stupidity**. I have often wished myself a beast. I preferred the condition of the meanest reptile to my own. Any thing, no matter what, to get rid of thinking! It was this everlasting thinking of my condition that tormented me. There was no getting rid of it. It was pressed upon me by every object within sight or hearing, animate or **inanimate**. The silver **trump** of freedom had roused my soul to eternal wakefulness. Freedom now appeared, to disappear no more forever. It was heard in every sound, and seen in every thing. It was ever present to torment me with a sense of my wretched condition. I saw nothing without seeing it, I heard nothing without hearing it, and felt nothing without feeling it. It looked from every star, it smiled in every calm, breathed in every wind, and moved in every storm.

I often found myself **regretting** my own existence, and wishing myself dead; and but for the hope of being free, I have no doubt but that I should have killed myself, or done something for which I should have been killed. While in this state of mind, I was eager to hear any one speak of slavery. I was a ready listener. Every little while, I could hear something about the abolitionists. It was some time before I found what the word meant. It was always used in such connections as to make it an interesting word to me. If a slave ran away and succeeded in getting clear, or if a slave killed his master, set fire to a barn, or did any thing very wrong in the mind of a slaveholder, it was spoken of as the fruit of *abolition*. Hearing the word in this connection very often, I set about learning

# German

**abhor**: verabscheuen, verabscheut, verabscheust, verabscheue, hassen. **animate**: beleben, lebend, animieren, anregen, belebt.

**behold**: sehen, erblicken, siehe, sieh, siehst, seht, erblickst, sehe, erblicke, erblickt, wahrnehmen.

curse: verfluchen, fluch, verwünschen,lästern, fluchen.i detest: verabscheuen, verabscheue,l

verabscheust, verabscheut. **discontentment**: Unzufriedenheit.

envied: beneidet, beneidete, beneideten, beneidetest, beneidetet. everlasting: unaufhörlich, ewig, unvergänglich, anhaltend, fortwährend, Immerwährend, konstant, kontinuierlich, unabgebrochen, unablässig, unendlich.

inanimate: leblos, unbelebt. loathed: verabscheut, verabscheute, verabscheuten, verabscheutest, verabscheutet. regretting: bedauernd.
reptile: Reptil, Kriechtier.
robbers: Räuber.
stupidity: Dummheit,
Stumpfsinnigkeit, Geistlosigkeit,
Einfältigkeit.
trump: Trumpf, Atout, übertrumpfen,

abtrumpfen.

wakefulness: Schlaflosigkeit.

writhed: gekrümmt, gezappelt, krümmte sich, zappelte, zappelten, zappeltest, zappeltet.

what it meant. The dictionary afforded me little or no help. I found it was "the act of abolishing;" but then I did not know what was to be **abolished**. Here I was perplexed. I did not dare to ask any one about its meaning, for I was satisfied that it was something they wanted me to know very little about. After a patient waiting, I got one of our city papers, containing an account of the number of petitions from the north, praying for the abolition of slavery in the District of Columbia, and of the slave trade between the States. From this time I understood the words abolition and abolitionist, and always drew near when that word was spoken, expecting to hear something of importance to myself and fellow-slaves. The light broke in upon me by degrees. I went one day down on the **wharf** of Mr. Waters; and seeing two Irishmen **unloading** a **scow** of stone, I went, unasked, and helped them. When we had finished, one of them came to me and asked me if I were a slave. I told him I was. He asked, "Are ye a slave for life?" I told him that I was. The good Irishman seemed to be deeply affected by the statement. He said to the other that it was a pity so fine a little fellow as myself should be a slave for life. He said it was a shame to hold me. They both advised me to run away to the north; that I should find friends there, and that I should be free. I **pretended** not to be interested in what they said, and treated them as if I did not understand them; for I feared they might be treacherous. White men have been known to encourage slaves to escape, and then, to get the reward, catch them and return them to their masters. I was afraid that these seemingly good men might use me so; but I nevertheless remembered their advice, and from that time I **resolved** to run away. I looked forward to a time at which it would be safe for me to escape. I was too young to think of doing so immediately; besides, I wished to learn how to write, as I might have occasion to write my own pass. I consoled myself with the hope that I should one day find a good chance. Meanwhile, I would learn to write.

The idea as to how I might learn to write was suggested to me by being in Durgin and Bailey's ship-yard, and frequently seeing the ship carpenters, after hewing, and getting a piece of timber ready for use, write on the timber the name of that part of the ship for which it was intended. When a piece of timber was intended for the **larboard** side, it would be marked thus—"L." When a

# German

petitions: Bittschriften, Bitten.

verblüfft.

abolished: schafftet ab, abgeschafft, schafften ab, schafftest ab, schaffte

abolition: Abschaffung, Aufhebung. abolitionist: Abolitionist.

carpenters: Zimmerleute.

consoled: getröstt, tröstete, getröstet. feared: befürchtete, gefürchtet.

hewing: hauend. larboard: Backbord. masters: Meister.

perplexed: perplex, bestürzt, verwirrt, scow: das Flachboot, der Prahm.

pity: Mitleid, Bemitleiden, Erbarmen, Schade, Mitleid haben, Sich erbarmen, Mitgefühl. praying: betend. pretended: gab vor, vorgegeben, gabt vor, gaben vor, gabst vor, täuschtet vor, täuschtest vor, täuschten vor, täuschte vor, vorgetäuscht, angeblich. resolved: aufgelöst, entschlossen.

seemingly: scheinbar, anscheinend, dem Anschein nach. treacherous: heimtückisch, verräterisch, treulos, hinterlistig, trügerisch, wortbrüchig. unasked: ungebeten, ungefragt, unaufgefordert. unloading: Entladung, ausladend, Entladen, Ausladung, abladend, wharf: Kai, Bahnsteig.

ve: ihr, sie, du, euch.

piece was for the **starboard** side, it would be marked thus—"S." A piece for the larboard side forward, would be marked thus—"L. F." When a piece was for starboard side forward, it would be marked thus - "S. F." For larboard aft, it would be marked thus—"L. A." For starboard aft, it would be marked thus—"S. A." I soon learned the names of these letters, and for what they were intended when placed upon a piece of timber in the ship-yard. I immediately commenced **copying** them, and in a short time was able to make the four letters named. After that, when I met with any boy who I knew could write, I would tell him I could write as well as he. The next word would be, "I don't believe you. Let me see you try it." I would then make the letters which I had been so fortunate as to learn, and ask him to beat that. In this way I got a good many lessons in writing, which it is quite possible I should never have gotten in any other way. During this time, my copy-book was the board fence, brick wall, and pavement; my pen and **ink** was a **lump** of **chalk**. With these, I learned mainly how to write. I then commenced and continued copying the Italics in Webster's Spelling Book, until I could make them all without looking on the book. By this time, my little Master Thomas had gone to school, and learned how to write, and had written over a number of copy-books. These had been brought home, and shown to some of our near neighbors, and then laid aside. My mistress used to go to class meeting at the Wilk Street meetinghouse every Monday afternoon, and leave me to take care of the house. When left thus, I used to spend the time in writing in the spaces left in Master Thomas's copy-book, copying what he had written. I continued to do this until I could write a hand very similar to that of Master Thomas. Thus, after a long, tedious effort for years, I finally succeeded in learning how to write.

# German

brick: Ziegelstein, Backstein, Ziegel, Baustein, Stein.

chalk: Kreide, Kreide hinzufügen, Mörtel, Kreiden, Schulkreide. copying: Kopieren, Kopierend,

Abschreibend. **fence**: Zaun, Fechten, Einzäunung, Umzäunung, Gatter, Hindernis,

Gitter, Einfriedung, Drahtgitter, Bucht, Balustrade.

fortunate: glücklich, massel, hit, günstig, glücksfälle, glücksfall, fortuna, glückhaft, gelingen, erfolg, unerwartetes Glück. ink: Tinte, Druckfarbe, mit Tinte befeuchten, Farbe, Einfärben. lessons: Lektionen.

lump: Klumpen, Stück, Masse, Kloß, Fragment, Bruchstück, Tölpel, Holzschuh, Fleck, Klecks, Knoten.

mistress: Herrin, Gebieterin, Geliebte, Mätresse, Freundin, Geliebter, Freund, Liebchen, Liebhaber, Liebste, Meisterin

**pavement**: Bürgersteig, Pflaster, Gehweg, Trottoir.

**pen**: Feder, Kugelschreiber, Verschlag, Stifte, Stift, Stall, Schreibstifte, Hütte. **spaces**: Zwischenräume, Räume,

spaces: Zwischenräume, Räume, Leerfelder.

starboard: Steuerbord. succeeded: gelangt, gelungen, gelangst, gelangen, gelang.

tedious: langweilig, ermüdend, nicht abgelenkt, öde, nerven, geisttötend, fade, geistlos.

### CHAPTER VIII

In a very short time after I went to live at Baltimore, my old master's youngest son Richard died; and in about three years and six months after his death, my old master, Captain Anthony, died, leaving only his son, Andrew, and daughter, Lucretia, to share his estate. He died while on a visit to see his daughter at Hillsborough. Cut off thus unexpectedly, he left no will as to the disposal of his property. It was therefore necessary to have a valuation of the property, that it might be equally divided between Mrs. Lucretia and Master Andrew. I was immediately sent for, to be **valued** with the other property. Here again my feelings rose up in **detestation** of slavery. I had now a new **conception** of my degraded condition. Prior to this, I had become, if not insensible to my lot, at least partly so. I left Baltimore with a young heart overborne with sadness, and a soul full of apprehension. I took passage with Captain Rowe, in the schooner Wild Cat, and, after a sail of about twenty-four hours, I found myself near the place of my birth. I had now been absent from it almost, if not quite, five years. I, however, remembered the place very well. I was only about five years old when I left it, to go and live with my old master on Colonel Lloyd's plantation; so that I was now between ten and eleven years old.

We were all ranked together at the valuation. Men and women, old and young, married and single, were ranked with horses, sheep, and swine. There were horses and men, cattle and women, pigs and children, all holding the same rank in the scale of being, and were all subjected to the same narrow examination.

# German

divided: teiltest, teiltet, geteilt, teilten,

Lust, Anordnung.

absent: abwesend, fehlend, fernbleiben. birth: Geburt, Herkunft. cattle: Rindvieh, Vieh, Rinder, Rind. conception: Empfängnis, Konzeption, Vorstellung, Idee, Auffassung, Ansicht, Eindruck, Denkweise, Eindrücke, Bewußtsein, Begriffsvermögen. detestation: Verabscheuung, Abscheu. Reih und Glied aufstellen, Leine, disposal: Beseitigung, Verfügung, Entsorgung, Erledigung, Inklination, ranked: gereiht.

teilte, dividiertet, dividiertest, dividierten, dividierte, dividiert, entzweit. eleven: elf. horses: Pferde. rank: Rang, Reihe, Grad, Stand, Kette, Würde, Amtswürde, ausrichten, in Linie.

sail: Segel, segeln, steuern, lavieren, befahren, besegeln, navigieren. schooner: Schoner. sheep: Schaf, Schafe, Hammel. swine: Schwein. unexpectedly: unerwartet, plötzlich, auf einmal, unvorhergesehen, unversehens, unvermutet, unverhofft, jählings. valuation: Bewertung, Schätzung. valued: bewertet, geschätzt. youngest: jüngst, geringst.

Silvery-headed age and **sprightly** youth, **maids** and **matrons**, had to **undergo** the same **indelicate** inspection. At this moment, I saw more clearly than ever the **brutalizing** effects of slavery upon both slave and slaveholder.

After the valuation, then came the division. I have no language to express the high excitement and deep anxiety which were felt among us poor slaves during this time. Our fate for life was now to be decided. we had no more voice in that decision than the **brutes** among whom we were ranked. A single word from the white men was enough—against all our wishes, prayers, and entreaties—to **sunder** forever the **dearest** friends, dearest **kindred**, and strongest ties known to human beings. In addition to the pain of separation, there was the horrid **dread** of falling into the hands of Master Andrew. He was known to us all as being a most cruel wretch,—a common drunkard, who had, by his **reckless mismanagement** and **profligate dissipation**, already wasted a large portion of his father's property. We all felt that we might as well be sold at once to the Georgia traders, as to pass into his hands; for we knew that that would be our inevitable condition,—a condition held by us all in the utmost horror and dread.

I suffered more anxiety than most of my fellow-slaves. I had known what it was to be kindly treated; they had known nothing of the kind. They had seen little or nothing of the world. They were in very deed men and women of sorrow, and acquainted with grief. Their backs had been made familiar with the bloody lash, so that they had become **callous**; mine was yet tender; for while at Baltimore I got few whippings, and few slaves could boast of a **kinder** master and mistress than myself; and the thought of passing out of their hands into those of Master Andrew — a man who, but a few days before, to give me a sample of his bloody disposition, took my little brother by the throat, threw him on the ground, and with the **heel** of his boot **stamped** upon his head till the blood gushed from his nose and ears — was well calculated to make me anxious as to my fate. After he had committed this savage **outrage** upon my brother, he turned to me, and said that was the way he meant to serve me one of these days, — meaning, I suppose, when I came into his possession.

# German dread: Furcht, fürchten, Scheu, angst,

Ängstlichkeit, Bangigkeit,

brutalizing: brutal behandelnd, verrohend, brüskierend, schikanierend, brutalisierend. brutes: Scheusale, Unmenschen. callous: schwielig, hart, unbarmherzig, gefühllos, herzlos, hornhaut, hornhäute, kallös, Schwiele, mitleidslos, rücksichtslos. dearest: Teuerste. dissipation: Verschwendung, Zerstreuung, Vertreibung, Ableitung, Ausschweifung,

zurückschrecken, scheuen.
heel: Absatz, Ferse, Hacke, Hacken,
Schlagseite.
indelicate: taktlos.
kinder: Gütiger.
kindred: verwandt, gleichartig.
maids: Mägde, Mädchen.
matrons: Matronen.
mismanagement: Misswirtschaft,
Mißmanagement.

outrage: Mißstand.
profligate: verworfen.
reckless: rücksichtslos, leichtsinnig,
waghalsig, verwegen, ungezeugen,
unbekümmert, tollkühn.
sprightly: lebhaft, munter.
stamped: frankiert, gestempelt,
abgestempelt, freigemacht.
sunder: brechen.
undergo: erdulden, erleben, erduldet,
erduldest, erdulde, erlebt, erlebst,
erlebe.

Thanks to a kind Providence, I fell to the portion of Mrs. Lucretia, and was sent immediately back to Baltimore, to live again in the family of Master Hugh. Their joy at my return equalled their sorrow at my departure. It was a glad day to me. I had escaped a worse than lion's jaws. I was absent from Baltimore, for the purpose of valuation and division, just about one month, and it seemed to have been six.

Very soon after my return to Baltimore, my mistress, Lucretia, died, leaving her husband and one child, Amanda; and in a very short time after her death, Master Andrew died. Now all the property of my old master, slaves included, was in the hands of **strangers**, – strangers who had had nothing to do with accumulating it. Not a slave was left free. All remained slaves, from the youngest to the oldest. If any one thing in my experience, more than another, served to deepen my conviction of the infernal character of slavery, and to fill me with unutterable loathing of slaveholders, it was their base ingratitude to my poor old grandmother. She had served my old master faithfully from youth to old age. She had been the source of all his wealth; she had peopled his plantation with slaves; she had become a great grandmother in his service. She had **rocked** him in **infancy**, attended him in childhood, served him through life, and at his death wiped from his icy brow the cold death-sweat, and closed his eyes forever. She was nevertheless left a slave – a slave for life – a slave in the hands of strangers; and in their hands she saw her children, her grandchildren, and her great-grandchildren, divided, like so many sheep, without being gratified with the small privilege of a single word, as to their or her own destiny. And, to cap the **climax** of their base ingratitude and fiendish barbarity, my grandmother, who was now very old, having outlived my old master and all his children, having seen the beginning and end of all of them, and her present owners finding she was of but little value, her frame already racked with the pains of old age, and complete helplessness fast stealing over her once active **limbs**, they took her to the woods, built her a little hut, put up a little mudchimney, and then made her welcome to the privilege of supporting herself there in perfect loneliness; thus virtually turning her out to die! If my poor old grandmother now lives, she lives to suffer in utter loneliness; she lives to

# German

accumulating: akkumulierend, ansammelnd, anhäufend, häufend, aufhäufend.

brow: Braue, Augenbraue, Stirn. climax: Höhepunkt, Spitze, Klimax,

destiny: Schicksal, Verhängnis, Bestimmung, Los, Geschick, Fügung. faithfully: treu, ehrlich, treulich. grandchildren: Enkelkinder. gratified: befriedigtest, befriedigtet, befriedigten, befriedigte, befriedigt.

helplessness: Hilflosigkeit, Hilfebedürftigkeit, Ratlosigkeit. icy: eisig, eiskalt, frostig, schauderhaft, outlived: überlebt, überlebtet, kaltschnäuzig, kalt, grausig, grauenerregend, steinern, gräßlich, scheußlich kalt.

infancy: Kindheit, Kindesalter, Minderjährigkeit, Säuglingsalter. ingratitude: Undankbarkeit, Undank. limbs: Glieder, Gliedmaßen, Teil,

loathing: Verabscheuend, Ekel.

loneliness: Einsamkeit, Verlassenheit, Einsamkeitsgefühl. überlebtest, überlebten. racked: gestreckt.

rocked: geschaukelt. strangers: Fremde, Fremder, Unbekannter.

wiped: wischtet, wischtest, gewischt, wischte, wischten, streiftet ab, abgestreift, streiften ab, streifte ab, streiftest ab.

remember and mourn over the loss of children, the loss of grandchildren, and the loss of great-grandchildren. They are, in the language of the slave's poet, Whittier.—

> "Gone, gone, sold and gone To the rice **swamp dank** and lone, Where the slave-whip ceaseless swings, Where the **noisome** insect **stings**, Where the fever-demon strews Poison with the falling **dews**, Where the **sickly** sunbeams glare Through the hot and misty air: -Gone, gone, sold and gone To the rice swamp dank and lone, From Virginia hills and waters — Woe is me, my stolen daughters!"

The hearth is desolate. The children, the unconscious children, who once sang and danced in her presence, are gone. She gropes her way, in the darkness of age, for a drink of water. Instead of the voices of her children, she hears by day the **moans** of the **dove**, and by night the **screams** of the hideous owl. All is gloom. The grave is at the door. And now, when weighed down by the pains and aches of old age, when the head inclines to the feet, when the beginning and ending of human existence meet, and helpless infancy and painful old age combine together – at this time, this most **needful** time, the time for the exercise of that tenderness and affection which children only can exercise towards a declining parent – my poor old grandmother, the devoted mother of twelve children, is left all alone, in yonder little hut, before a few dim embers. She stands – she sits – she staggers – she falls – she groans – she dies – and there are none of her children or grandchildren present, to wipe from her wrinkled brow

# German

aches: schmerzt. ceaseless: unaufhörlich. dank: naßkalt, feucht. dews: taut. dove: Taube. embers: Glut. gropes: tastet, tappt. inclines: neigt sich, neigt, böschung. misty: neblig, dunstig, verschwommen, nebelig, diesig, trüb, ungesund, widerlich, schlecht, eklig, vage, unklar, unbestimmt, trübe, nebelhaft.

mourn: betrauern, trauern, traure, trauere, trauerst, betrauerst, trauert, betrauert, betrauere, betrauere, needful: notwendig, nötig. noisome: widerlich. screams: Schreien. sickly: kränklich, krank, blass, übel, ekelhaft. stings: sticht.

strews: streut. swamp: Sumpf. swings: schaukeln. tenderness: Zärtlichkeit, Weichheit, Zuneigung, Innigkeit, Zartheit, Sanftheit, Sanftmut. wrinkled: gerunzelt, faltig, runzlig, runzelig, geriffelt, genarbt, gefurcht, gefaltet, gekreuzelt. yonder: jener, dort drüben, dahin, nach dort, dort, die, derjenige, hierhin, das, dorthin, da.

the cold **sweat** of death, or to place beneath the **sod** her fallen remains. Will not a righteous God visit for these things?

In about two years after the death of Mrs. Lucretia, Master Thomas married his second wife. Her name was Rowena Hamilton. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. William Hamilton. Master now lived in St. Michael's. Not long after his marriage, a misunderstanding took place between himself and Master Hugh; and as a means of **punishing** his brother, he took me from him to live with himself at St. Michael's. Here I **underwent** another most **painful** separation. It, however, was not so severe as the one I dreaded at the division of property; for, during this interval, a great change had taken place in Master Hugh and his once kind and **affectionate** wife. The influence of **brandy** upon him, and of slavery upon her, had effected a disastrous change in the characters of both; so that, as far as they were concerned, I thought I had little to lose by the change. But it was not to them that I was attached. It was to those little Baltimore boys that I felt the strongest attachment. I had received many good lessons from them, and was still receiving them, and the thought of leaving them was painful indeed. I was leaving, too, without the hope of ever being allowed to return. Master Thomas had said he would never let me return again. The barrier betwixt himself and brother he considered **impassable**.

I then had to regret that I did not at least make the attempt to carry out my resolution to run away; for the chances of success are **tenfold** greater from the city than from the country.

I sailed from Baltimore for St. Michael's in the sloop Amanda, Captain Edward Dodson. On my passage, I paid particular attention to the direction which the steamboats took to go to Philadelphia. I found, instead of going down, on reaching North Point they went up the bay, in a north-easterly direction. I deemed this knowledge of the utmost importance. My determination to run away was again **revived**. I resolved to wait only so long as the offering of a **favorable** opportunity. When that came, I was determined to be off.

# German

affectionate: liebevoll, anhänglich, zugetan, ergeben, zärtlich, gütig, lieb, wert, teuer, liebend, innig.
attachment: Pfändung, Anlage, Befestigung, Anhang, Zusatzgerät, Treue, Hingebung, Hingabe, Geschiebe, Festheftung, Beschlagnahmung.
betwixt: zwischen.
brandy: Weinbrand, Branntwein, Kognak, Schnaps.
effected: bewirkt, bewirkte.

eldest: älteste, Senior, Altmeister, Ältere, Major, Oberfeldwebel. favorable: günstig, gefällig. impassable: unbefahrbar, unpassierbar, unzugänglich. misunderstanding: mißverstehend, Mißverständnis. painful: schmerzhaft, schmerzlich, peinlich. punishing: bestrafend, strafend, ahndend, züchtigend. revived: belebt, belebten, belebtet,

auflebtest wieder, auflebten wieder, auflebte wieder, wiederbelebt, auflebtet wieder. sod: Sode, Plagge, Rasen, Rasenplagge, Rasenstück, Grassode. strongest: kampfstärkste, stärkste. sweat: Schweiß, schwitzen. tenfold: zehnfach. underwent: erduldeten, erduldetest, erduldetet, erlebte, erlebtet, erlebtet, erlebtet.

belebtest, belebte, wiedergeauflebt,

# CHAPTER IX

I have now **reached** a period of my life when I can give **dates**. I left Baltimore, and went to live with Master Thomas Auld, at St. Michael's, in March, 1832. It was now more than seven years since I lived with him in the family of my old master, on Colonel Lloyd's plantation. We of course were now almost entire strangers to each other. He was to me a new master, and I to him a new slave. I was ignorant of his **temper** and **disposition**; he was equally so of mine. A very short time, however, brought us into full **acquaintance** with each other. I was made acquainted with his wife not less than with himself. They were well matched, being equally mean and cruel. I was now, for the first time during a space of more than seven years, made to feel the painful gnawings of hunger – a something which I had not experienced before since I left Colonel Lloyd's plantation. It went hard enough with me then, when I could look back to no period at which I had enjoyed a sufficiency. It was tenfold harder after living in Master Hugh's family, where I had always had enough to eat, and of that which was good. I have said Master Thomas was a mean man. He was so. Not to give a slave enough to eat, is regarded as the most aggravated development of meanness even among slaveholders. The rule is, no matter how coarse the food, only let there be enough of it. This is the theory; and in the part of Maryland from which I came, it is the general practice,—though there are many **exceptions**. Master Thomas gave us enough of neither coarse nor fine food. There were four slaves of us in the kitchen – my sister Eliza, my aunt Priscilla, Henny, and

# German

Verwendung, Aufstellung, Seele,

Verfügung, Veranlagung, Einteilung.

Anordnung, Art, Wesen,

acquaintance: Bekanntschaft,
Bekannter, Bekannte, Kenntnisse,
Bekanntmachung, Kenntnis, Begriff.
aggravated: verschlimmert,
verschlimmertet, verschlimmertest,
verschlimmerten, verschlimmerte,
erschwerte, erschwert, erschwerten,
erschwertest, verschlechtert,
verschlechterte.
aunt: Tante, die Tante.
dates: Daten.
disposition: Disposition, Gemüt,

enjoyed: genoßt, genossest, genossen, genoß.
entire: Ganz, total, vollständig, ganze, völlig, gesamt, gänzlich.
exceptions: Ausnahmen, Ausnahme.
experienced: erfahren, bewandert, geübt, geschult, routiniert, kundig, gewiegt, gewandt, qualifiziert.
harder: Härter.

lived: lebtet, lebtest, gelebt, lebten, lebte, wohntest, wohnten, gewohnt, wohnte, wohnte, haustet. matched: angepaßt. meanness: Gemeinheit, Niedrtracht, Niederträchtigkeit. reached: erreicht. sister: Schwester, die Schwester. sufficiency: Zulänglichkeit. temper: Stimmung, härten, Laune, hart machen, abhärten, Humor, Temperament, stählen.

myself; and we were allowed less than a half of a bushel of corn-meal per week, and very little else, either in the shape of meat or vegetables. It was not enough for us to **subsist** upon. We were therefore reduced to the **wretched** necessity of living at the expense of our neighbors. This we did by **begging** and stealing, whichever came handy in the time of need, the one being considered as legitimate as the other. A great many times have we poor creatures been nearly **perishing** with hunger, when food in abundance lay **mouldering** in the safe and smoke-house, and our pious mistress was aware of the fact; and yet that mistress and her husband would kneel every morning, and pray that God would **bless** them in **basket** and store!

Bad as all slaveholders are, we seldom meet one destitute of every element of character **commanding** respect. My master was one of this rare sort. I do not know of one single noble act ever performed by him. The leading trait in his character was meanness; and if there were any other element in his nature, it was made subject to this. He was mean; and, like most other mean men, he lacked the ability to conceal his meanness. Captain Auld was not born a slaveholder. He had been a poor man, master only of a Bay craft. He came into possession of all his slaves by marriage; and of all men, adopted slaveholders are the worst. He was cruel, but **cowardly**. He **commanded** without firmness. In the enforcement of his rules, he was at times rigid, and at times lax. At times, he spoke to his slaves with the firmness of Napoleon and the fury of a demon; at other times, he might well be mistaken for an **inquirer** who had lost his way. He did nothing of himself. He might have passed for a lion, but for his ears. In all things noble which he attempted, his own meanness shone most conspicuous. His airs, words, and actions, were the airs, words, and actions of born slaveholders, and, being assumed, were awkward enough. He was not even a good **imitator**. He possessed all the disposition to deceive, but wanted the power. Having no resources within himself, he was compelled to be the copyist of many, and being such, he was forever the victim of inconsistency; and of consequence he was an object of contempt, and was held as such even by his slaves. The luxury of having slaves of his own to wait upon him was something new and **unprepared** for. He was a slaveholder without the ability to hold slaves.

# German

basket: Korb, der Korb.
begging: Bittend, Bettelnd, Bettelei,
ersuchend, Betteln, Abstauben,
Schnorren.
bless: segnen, segnet, segne, segnest.
commanded: befahl, befohlene.
commanding: befehlend.
conspicuous: auffallend, auffällig,
deutlich.
copyist: Abschreiber.
cowardly: feig, feige.

airs: Lüftet.

destitute: mittellos, bettelarm, notleidend, arm, bedürftig, brotlos, total verarmt, verarmt.
imitator: Nachahmer, Imitator, Nachfolger, Verfälscher, Fälscher.
inconsistency: Unvereinbarkeit, Widersprüchlichkeit, Folgewidrigkeit, Inkonsequenz, Inkonsistenz, Unmöglichkeit.
inquirer: Untersuchende.
lax: locker, träge, nachlässig, lasch. mouldering: zerfallend.

perishing: umkommend, zeitlich, vergänglich, untergehend. shone: schien, geschienen. subsist: existierst, existiert, leben, lebst, lebt, existiere, existieren, lebe. trait: Zug, Gesichtszug, Merkmal, Eigenschaft. unprepared: unvorbereitet, improvisiert. wretched: elend, erbärmlich, jämmerlich, miserabel, unglücklich, jämmerliche, erbärmliche, elende.

He found himself **incapable** of managing his slaves either by force, fear, or fraud. We seldom called him "master;" we generally called him "Captain Auld," and were hardly disposed to title him at all. I doubt not that our conduct had much to do with making him appear awkward, and of consequence fretful. Our want of **reverence** for him must have perplexed him greatly. He wished to have us call him master, but lacked the firmness necessary to command us to do so. His wife used to insist upon our calling him so, but to no purpose. In August, 1832, my master attended a Methodist camp-meeting held in the Bay-side, Talbot county, and there experienced religion. I indulged a faint hope that his conversion would lead him to emancipate his slaves, and that, if he did not do this, it would, at any rate, make him more kind and humane. I was disappointed in both these **respects**. It neither made him to be humane to his slaves, nor to emancipate them. If it had any effect on his character, it made him more cruel and **hateful** in all his ways; for I believe him to have been a much worse man after his conversion than before. Prior to his conversion, he relied upon his own depravity to shield and sustain him in his savage barbarity; but after his conversion, he found religious sanction and support for his slaveholding cruelty. He made the greatest **pretensions** to **piety**. His house was the house of prayer. He prayed morning, noon, and night. He very soon distinguished himself among his brethren, and was soon made a class-leader and exhorter. His activity in revivals was great, and he proved himself an instrument in the hands of the church in **converting** many souls. His house was the **preachers'** home. They used to take great pleasure in coming there to put up; for while he starved us, he stuffed them. We have had three or four preachers there at a time. The names of those who used to come most frequently while I lived there, were Mr. Storks, Mr. Ewery, Mr. Humphry, and Mr. Hickey. I have also seen Mr. George Cookman at our house. We slaves loved Mr. Cookman. We believed him to be a good man. We thought him **instrumental** in getting Mr. Samuel Harrison, a very rich slaveholder, to emancipate his slaves; and by some means got the impression that he was **laboring** to effect the emancipation of all the slaves. When he was at our house, we were sure to be called in to **prayers**. When the others were there, we were sometimes called in and sometimes not. Mr. Cookman took more notice

# German

Umwandlung. cruelty: Grausamkeit. emancipate: emanzipieren, emanzipiert, emanzipiere, befreien, emanzipierst. fretful: verdrießlich, weinerlich, hateful: verhasst, abscheulich. incapable: unfähig, inkompetent, unzuständig, unfachmännisch.

instrumental: instrumentell,

converting: verwandelnd,

instrumentalisch. laboring: arbeitend. noon: Mittag, der Mittag. piety: Frömmigkeit, Pietät. prayed: betetet, gebetet, betetest, beteten, betete. prayers: Gebete. preachers: Prediger. relied: sich verlassen.

pretensions: Anspruch, Ansprüche. respects: Respektiert. reverence: Ehrfurcht.

revivals: Wiederbelebungen. sanction: Sanktion, sanktionieren, Strafmaßnahme. savage: wild, grausam, Wilde. starved: hungerte, gehungert, hungertet, hungerten, hungertest, verhungertest, verhungerten, verhungerte, verhungert, verhungertet. storks: Störche. stuffed: ausgestopft, gefüllt, vollgestopft, stopfst, voll.

of us than either of the other ministers. He could not come among us without betraying his sympathy for us, and, stupid as we were, we had the sagacity to see it.

While I lived with my master in St. Michael's, there was a white young man, a Mr. Wilson, who proposed to keep a Sabbath school for the instruction of such slaves as might be disposed to learn to read the New Testament. We met but three times, when Mr. West and Mr. Fairbanks, both class-leaders, with many others, came upon us with sticks and other missiles, drove us off, and forbade us to meet again. Thus ended our little Sabbath school in the pious town of St. Michael's.

I have said my master found religious sanction for his cruelty. As an example, I will state one of many facts going to prove the charge. I have seen him tie up a lame young woman, and whip her with a heavy cowskin upon her naked shoulders, causing the warm red blood to **drip**; and, in justification of the bloody deed, he would quote this passage of Scripture — "He that knoweth his master's will, and doeth it not, shall be beaten with many stripes."

Master would keep this lacerated young woman tied up in this horrid situation four or five hours at a time. I have known him to tie her up early in the morning, and whip her before breakfast; leave her, go to his store, return at dinner, and whip her again, cutting her in the places already made raw with his cruel lash. The secret of master's cruelty toward "Henny" is found in the fact of her being almost helpless. When quite a child, she fell into the fire, and burned herself horribly. Her hands were so **burnt** that she never got the use of them. She could do very little but bear heavy **burdens**. She was to master a bill of expense; and as he was a mean man, she was a constant offence to him. He seemed desirous of getting the poor girl out of existence. He gave her away once to his sister; but, being a poor gift, she was not disposed to keep her. Finally, my benevolent master, to use his own words, "set her adrift to take care of herself." Here was a recently-converted man, holding on upon the mother, and at the same time turning out her helpless child, to starve and die! Master Thomas was

# German tröpfeln, sickern, träufeln, lecken,

laufen, Infusion, herauströpfeln,

durchsickern.

adrift: treibend. benevolent: wohlwollend, wohltuend, wohltätig, gütig, guttuend, zugetan. betraying: verratend. burdens: Belastungen, Ladungen, Last, Lasten, Trägerlasten. burned: gebrannt, brannte, verbrannt. lame: Lahm, hinkend, träge, burnt: verbrannt, angebrannt, gebrannt, brennen, verbrennen. desirous: begierig, verlangend, begehrlich, lüstern. drip: tropfen, triefen, abtropfen,

helpless: hilflos, ratlos, unvermögend, ohnmächitg, machtlos, kraftlos, wehrlos, unbemittelt. verkrüppelt, verstümmelt, lähmen. missiles: Geschosse, Raketengeschosse. sagacity: Scharfsinn, Schlauheit, Schlauigkeit, Schlagfertigkeit,

Scharfsichtigkeit, Listigkeit, List, Klugheit. starve: hungern, hungerst, hungere, verhungern, hungert, verhungre, verhungert, verhungerst, verhungere, verrenken, Hunger leiden. sticks: stecken, zweig, taktstock, stück, stöcke, steuerknüppel, stechen, stange, rute, Reisig, stock. tied: gebunden, verschnürte. toward: zu, nach, gegen, in, an,

betreffs, bezüglich.

one of the many pious slaveholders who hold slaves for the very **charitable** purpose of taking care of them.

My master and myself had quite a number of differences. He found me **unsuitable** to his purpose. My city life, he said, had had a very pernicious effect upon me. It had almost ruined me for every good purpose, and fitted me for every thing which was bad. One of my greatest faults was that of letting his horse run away, and go down to his father-in-law's farm, which was about five miles from St. Michael's. I would then have to go after it. My reason for this kind of carelessness, or carefulness, was, that I could always get something to eat when I went there. Master William Hamilton, my master's father-in-law, always gave his slaves enough to eat. I never left there hungry, no matter how great the need of my **speedy** return. Master Thomas at length said he would stand it no longer. I had lived with him nine months, during which time he had given me a number of severe whippings, all to no good purpose. He resolved to put me out, as he said, to be broken; and, for this purpose, he let me for one year to a man **named** Edward **Covey**. Mr. Covey was a poor man, a farm-renter. He rented the place upon which he lived, as also the hands with which he tilled it. Mr. Covey had acquired a very high reputation for breaking young slaves, and this reputation was of **immense** value to him. It enabled him to get his farm tilled with much less expense to himself than he could have had it done without such a reputation. Some slaveholders thought it not much loss to allow Mr. Covey to have their slaves one year, for the sake of the training to which they were subjected, without any other compensation. He could hire young help with great ease, in consequence of this reputation. Added to the natural good qualities of Mr. Covey, he was a professor of religion – a pious soul – a member and a class-leader in the Methodist church. All of this added weight to his reputation as a "nigger-breaker." I was aware of all the facts, having been made acquainted with them by a young man who had lived there. I nevertheless made the change gladly; for I was sure of getting enough to eat, which is not the smallest consideration to a hungry man.

# German

breaking: Bruch, Zerstörung, unterbrechend, brechend. carefulness: Sorgfalt, Gründlichkeit. carelessness: Nachlässigkeit, Achtlosigkeit, Sorglosigkeit, Unvorsichtigkeit. charitable: wohltätig, karitativ. covey: Hecke. expense: Ausgabe, Aufwand, Geldausgabe, Aufwendung. father-in-law: Schwiegervater. faults: Fehler.

fitted: zugeschnitten, tailliert.
gladly: gern, gerne, froh, mit
Vergnügen.
hire: mieten, mietet, mietest, miete,
heuern, dingen, heuerst, heuere,
dinge, heuert, dingst.
immense: unermesslich, ungeheuer,
immens, gewaltig, unabsehbar,
endlos, unübersehbar, riesig.
letting: Lassend, vermietend,
Vermietung.
named: genannt.

qualities: Qualitäten.
rented: gemietet.
ruined: vernichtet, zu nichte gemacht,
zerstört, verwüstet, abgewirtschaftet,
in Trümmern.
smallest: kleinste, geringst, geringste,
allergeringst, kleinst.
speedy: schnell, baldig, geschwind,
flott, hurtig, rasch, zügig.
tilled: bestellte.
unsuitable: unpassend, ungeeignet.

professor: Professor, Akademiker.

### CHAPTER X

I had left Master Thomas's house, and went to live with Mr. Covey, on the 1st of January, 1833. I was now, for the first time in my life, a field hand. In my new employment, I found myself even more awkward than a country boy appeared to be in a large city. I had been at my new home but one week before Mr. Covey gave me a very severe whipping, cutting my back, causing the blood to run, and raising ridges on my flesh as large as my little finger. The details of this affair are as follows: Mr. Covey sent me, very early in the morning of one of our coldest days in the month of January, to the woods, to get a load of wood. He gave me a team of unbroken oxen. He told me which was the in-hand ox, and which the off-hand one. He then tied the end of a large **rope** around the **horns** of the inhand ox, and gave me the other end of it, and told me, if the oxen started to run, that I must hold on upon the rope. I had never driven oxen before, and of course I was very awkward. I, however, succeeded in getting to the edge of the woods with little difficulty; but I had got a very few rods into the woods, when the oxen took **fright**, and started full **tilt**, carrying the **cart** against trees, and over **stumps**, in the most frightful manner. I expected every moment that my brains would be dashed out against the trees. After running thus for a considerable distance, they finally upset the cart, dashing it with great force against a tree, and threw themselves into a **dense thicket**. How I escaped death, I do not know. There I was, entirely alone, in a thick wood, in a place new to me. My cart was upset and **shattered**, my oxen were **entangled** among the young trees, and there was

# German

awkward: unbeholfen, unangenehm, ungeschickt, linkisch, peinlich, mißlich, ungünstig, täppisch, schwierig, ungelenk, unbequem. brains: Gehirne, Hirn, Schädel, Kopf, Gehirn, Gehirnkasten. cart: Karren, Fuder, Wagen, Fuhre. dashed: geschlagen. dashing: schneidig. dense: dicht, gedrängt, kurz hintereinander, geschlossen. entangled: verwickelten, verwickelt,

verwickeltest, verwickeltet, verwickelte, durcheinander, verwirrt. zerschmettert, zerschmetterte, fright: Schreck, Entsetzen, Schrecken, Bestürztheit, Angst, Bestürzung, Furcht, Abscheu. horns: Hörner, Geweih. ox: Ochse, Ochs, Rind. oxen: Ochsen. rods: Ruten. rope: Seil, Tau, Strick, Leine, Strang, Seilen, Schnur.

shattered: zerschmettertest,

zerrüttet, zerschmetterd, zertrümmerd. stumps: Stümpfe. thicket: Dickicht, Gebüsch, Holz, Unterholz, Gestrüpp, Gesträuch, Gehölz, Busch, Büsche. tilt: neigen, Neigung, Kippen, unbroken: ungebrochen, ganz,

ununterbrochen.

zerschmettertet, zerschmetterten,

none to help me. After a long spell of effort, I succeeded in getting my cart righted, my oxen disentangled, and again voked to the cart. I now proceeded with my team to the place where I had, the day before, been chopping wood, and loaded my cart pretty heavily, thinking in this way to tame my oxen. I then proceeded on my way home. I had now consumed one half of the day. I got out of the woods safely, and now felt out of danger. I stopped my oxen to open the woods gate; and just as I did so, before I could get hold of my ox-rope, the oxen again started, rushed through the gate, catching it between the wheel and the body of the cart, tearing it to pieces, and coming within a few inches of crushing me against the gate-post. Thus twice, in one short day, I escaped death by the merest chance. On my return, I told Mr. Covey what had happened, and how it happened. He ordered me to return to the woods again immediately. I did so, and he followed on after me. Just as I got into the woods, he came up and told me to stop my cart, and that he would teach me how to trifle away my time, and break gates. He then went to a large **gum**-tree, and with his axe cut three large switches, and, after trimming them up neatly with his pocketknife, he ordered me to take off my clothes. I made him no answer, but stood with my clothes on. He repeated his order. I still made him no answer, nor did I move to strip myself. Upon this he rushed at me with the fierceness of a tiger, tore off my clothes, and lashed me till he had worn out his switches, cutting me so savagely as to leave the marks visible for a long time after. This whipping was the first of a number just like it, and for similar offences.

I lived with Mr. Covey one year. During the first six months, of that year, scarce a week passed without his whipping me. I was seldom free from a sore back. My **awkwardness** was almost always his excuse for whipping me. We were worked fully up to the point of **endurance**. Long before day we were up, our horses fed, and by the first approach of day we were off to the field with our **hoes** and **ploughing** teams. Mr. Covey gave us enough to eat, but scarce time to eat it. We were often less than five minutes taking our meals. We were often in the field from the first approach of day till its last **lingering** ray had left us; and at saving-fodder time, midnight often caught us in the field binding **blades**.

# German

awkwardness: Ungeschicklichkeit, Ungeschicktheit, Unbeholfenheit. blades: Blätter, Halme. chopping: abhackend, hacken, zerhackend. crushing: Zertrümmerung, Zermalmung, zerdrückend, Schmähung, Quetschung. disentangled: entwirrten, entwirrtest, entwirrtet, entwirrt, entwirrte, enträtselt, enträtseltet, enträtselten, enträtseltest, enträtselte.

endurance: Ausdauer, Dauer, Standhaftigkeit. gum-tree: Kautschukbaum. hoes: Hacken. lashed: gepeitscht. lingering: Verweilend, hinfällig, schwach, matt, Nachklingend. ploughing: Pflügen. pocketknife: Klappmesser. savagely: wild. switches: Schalter, Schlaaterr. tame: zähmen, zahm, bändigen, dressieren, abrichten, einreiten, bezähmen.
tearing: Zeilenreißen, Zerreißen, durchreißend.
trifle: Kleinigkeit, Bagatelle,
Nebensache, Leckerei, Leckerbissen, Imbiß, Detail, Einzelheit.
trimming: Besatz, Beschneidung,
Borte, Pflegend, Trimmen,
Garnierung, Posament, Auflage,
Tresse, Beschneiden.
voked: paarte.

Covey would be out with us. The way he used to stand it, was this. He would spend the most of his afternoons in bed. He would then come out fresh in the evening, ready to urge us on with his words, example, and frequently with the whip. Mr. Covey was one of the few slaveholders who could and did work with his hands. He was a hard-working man. He knew by himself just what a man or a boy could do. There was no deceiving him. His work went on in his absence almost as well as in his presence; and he had the faculty of making us feel that he was ever present with us. This he did by surprising us. He seldom approached the spot where we were at work **openly**, if he could do it **secretly**. He always aimed at taking us by surprise. Such was his cunning, that we used to call him, among ourselves, "the snake." When we were at work in the cornfield, he would sometimes crawl on his hands and knees to avoid detection, and all at once he would rise nearly in our midst, and scream out, "Ha, ha! Come, come! Dash on, dash on!" This being his mode of attack, it was never safe to stop a single minute. His **comings** were like a **thief** in the night. He appeared to us as being ever at hand. He was under every tree, behind every stump, in every bush, and at every window, on the plantation. He would sometimes mount his horse, as if bound to St. Michael's, a distance of seven miles, and in half an hour afterwards you would see him coiled up in the corner of the wood-fence, watching every motion of the slaves. He would, for this purpose, leave his horse tied up in the woods. Again, he would sometimes walk up to us, and give us orders as though he was upon the point of starting on a long journey, turn his back upon us, and make as though he was going to the house to get ready; and, before he would get half way thither, he would turn short and crawl into a fencecorner, or behind some tree, and there watch us till the going down of the sun.

Mr. Covey's *forte* consisted in his power to deceive. His life was devoted to planning and **perpetrating** the grossest **deceptions**. Every thing he possessed in the shape of learning or religion, he made **conform** to his disposition to deceive. He seemed to think himself equal to deceiving the Almighty. He would make a short prayer in the morning, and a long prayer at night; and, strange as it may seem, few men would at times appear more **devotional** than he. The exercises of his family **devotions** were always commenced with singing; and, as he was a

# German

Nachweis.

afternoons: Nachmittage.
coiled: wand, aufgewickelt.
comings: Einkünfte.
conform: entsprechen.
cornfield: Kornfeld.
dash: Gedankenstrich, Schuß, Strich,
Spritzer, Bindestrich, Spur.
deceiving: betrügend, täuschend,
hintergehend.
deceptions: Täuschungen, Betrug,
Irreführung.
detection: Entdeckung, Erkennung,

devotional: andächtig.
devotions: Andachten.
forte: Stärke.
openly: offen, öffentlich, aufrichtig,
aus vollem Halse, aus voller Kehle,
freimütig, geradeheraus,
unverhohlen, rundheraus.
perpetrating: pflegend, treibend,
verübend, begehend, betreibend,
begehen, ausübend.
scream: schreien, Schrei, Geheul,

Schnitzer, Ruf, plärren, Irrtum, herausschreien, Ausruf, Aufschrei, Fehler.
secretly: heimlich, geheim, im geheimen, unter der Hand, doppelzüngig, heimtückisch, verstohlen, hinterlistig, illegal, nicht erlaubt, tückisch.
stump: Stumpf, Stummel.
thief: Dieb, Einbrecher.
thither: dorthin, dahin, nach dort,

hierhin.

very poor singer himself, the duty of raising the hymn generally came upon me. He would read his hymn, and nod at me to **commence**. I would at times do so; at others, I would not. My non-compliance would almost always produce much confusion. To show himself independent of me, he would start and stagger through with his hymn in the most **discordant** manner. In this state of mind, he prayed with more than ordinary spirit. Poor man! such was his disposition, and success at deceiving, I do verily believe that he sometimes deceived himself into the solemn belief, that he was a sincere worshipper of the most high God; and this, too, at a time when he may be said to have been guilty of **compelling** his woman slave to commit the sin of adultery. The facts in the case are these: Mr. Covey was a poor man; he was just **commencing** in life; he was only able to buy one slave; and, shocking as is the fact, he bought her, as he said, for a breeder. This woman was named Caroline. Mr. Covey bought her from Mr. Thomas Lowe, about six miles from St. Michael's. She was a large, able-bodied woman, about twenty years old. She had already given birth to one child, which proved her to be just what he wanted. After buying her, he hired a married man of Mr. Samuel Harrison, to live with him one year; and him he used to fasten up with her every night! The result was, that, at the end of the year, the miserable woman gave birth to twins. At this result Mr. Covey seemed to be highly pleased, both with the man and the wretched woman. Such was his joy, and that of his wife, that nothing they could do for Caroline during her confinement was too good, or too hard, to be done. The children were regarded as being quite an addition to his wealth.

If at any one time of my life more than another, I was made to drink the bitterest **dregs** of slavery, that time was during the first six months of my stay with Mr. Covey. We were worked in all weathers. It was never too hot or too cold; it could never rain, blow, hail, or snow, too hard for us to work in the field. Work, work, was scarcely more the order of the day than of the night. The longest days were too short for him, and the shortest nights too long for him. I was somewhat unmanageable when I first went there, but a few months of this discipline tamed me. Mr. Covey succeeded in breaking me. I was broken in body, soul, and spirit. My natural elasticity was crushed, my intellect languished,

# German

able-bodied: gesund. adultery: Ehebruch. breeder: Züchter, Brüter. commence: beginnen, beginne, beginnt, beginnst, anfangen, anbrechen, starten. commencing: beginnend. compelling: zwingend, zwingende. confinement: Gefangenschaft, Beschränkung. deceived: betrogt, betroget, betrogen, betrog, täuschte, täuschtet, getäuscht,

täuschten, täuschtest, hintergingt, hintergingst. discordant: uneinig. dregs: Bodensatz, Abschaum, Bodensätze, Hefe, Niederschlag, Sätze, Schlacke, Schlamm, Ablagerung. befestige, fixieren, verriegeln, festsetzen, anschließen, zuriegeln. hail: Hagel, hageln, anreden, anrufen, ansprechen.

hymn: Hymne, Hymnus, Loblied, Lobgesang, Preislied. shortest: kürzeste. stagger: schwanken, wanken, verblüffen, erstaunen, wankelen, verdutzen. tamed: gezähmt. fasten: befestigen, befestigst, befestigt, verily: wahrlich, wahrhaft, allerdings, das stimmt, in der Tat, wahrhaftig. weathers: Witterungen, Wetter. worshipper: Verehrer, Kirchgänger,

the disposition to read departed, the cheerful spark that lingered about my eye died; the dark night of slavery closed in upon me; and behold a man transformed into a brute!

Sunday was my only leisure time. I spent this in a sort of beast-like **stupor**, between sleep and wake, under some large tree. At times I would rise up, a flash of energetic freedom would dart through my soul, accompanied with a faint beam of hope, that **flickered** for a moment, and then vanished. I sank down again, mourning over my wretched condition. I was sometimes prompted to take my life, and that of Covey, but was prevented by a combination of hope and fear. My sufferings on this plantation seem now like a dream rather than a stern reality.

Our house stood within a few rods of the Chesapeake Bay, whose broad **bosom** was ever white with sails from every quarter of the **habitable** globe. Those beautiful vessels, **robed** in **purest** white, so delightful to the eye of freemen, were to me so many shrouded ghosts, to terrify and torment me with thoughts of my wretched condition. I have often, in the deep stillness of a summer's Sabbath, stood all alone upon the lofty banks of that noble bay, and traced, with saddened heart and tearful eye, the countless number of sails moving off to the mighty ocean. The sight of these always affected me powerfully. My thoughts would **compel** utterance; and there, with no audience but the Almighty, I would pour out my soul's complaint, in my rude way, with an **apostrophe** to the moving multitude of ships: —

"You are loosed from your moorings, and are free; I am fast in my chains, and am a slave! You move merrily before the gentle gale, and I sadly before the bloody whip! You are freedom's swift-winged angels, that fly round the world; I am confined in bands of iron! O that I were free! O, that I were on one of your gallant decks, and under your protecting wing! Alas! betwixt me and you, the turbid waters roll. Go on, go on. O that I could also go! Could I but swim! If I could fly! O, why was I born a man, of whom to make a brute! The glad ship is gone; she hides in the dim distance. I am left in the hottest hell of unending slavery. O God, save me! God, deliver me! Let me be free! Is there any God?

# German

habitable: bewohnbar.

verhehlt, birgt.

hides: versteckt, verheimlicht,

Auslassungszeichen, Abkürzungszeichen. bosom: Busen, Brust. compel: zwingen, zwinge, zwingst, zwingt, nötigen, pressen, zwängen, forcieren. dart: Pfeil, Wurfpfeil, Satz. flickered: flackerte. freemen: Bürger. gallant: galant, tapfer, Ritterlich,

tüchtig, brav, mutig, wacker.

apostrophe: Apostroph,

lingered: verweilt, verweiltet, verweiltest, verweilte, verweilten. lofty: erhaben, hoch, hochfliegend, hochmütig, hochgestellt, pathetisch. loosed: gelöst. merrily: fröhlich. moorings: Vertäuung, Anlegestellen, Anlegestelle, Anlegeplatz.

mourning: Trauer, Trauernd,

betrauernd, Trauern, beweinend. purest: reinste. robed: geschmückt, geraubt. shrouded: verschleiert, eingehüllt. stillness: Stille. stupor: Benommenheit, Stupor. terrify: erschrecken, erschrecke, erschreckt, erschrick, erschrickst, in Schrecken setzen, entsetzen verbreiten, entsetzen. turbid: trübe, trüb. unending: endlos.

Why am I a slave? I will run away. I will not stand it. Get caught, or get clear, I'll try it. I had as well die with **ague** as the fever. I have only one life to lose. I had as well be killed running as die standing. Only think of it; one hundred miles straight north, and I am free! Try it? Yes! God helping me, I will. It cannot be that I shall live and die a slave. I will take to the water. This very bay shall yet bear me into freedom. The steamboats **steered** in a north-east course from North Point. I will do the same; and when I get to the head of the bay, I will turn my **canoe** adrift, and walk straight through Delaware into Pennsylvania. When I get there, I shall not be required to have a pass; I can travel without being disturbed. Let but the first opportunity offer, and, come what will, I am off. Meanwhile, I will try to bear up under the yoke. I am not the only slave in the world. Why should I **fret**? I can bear as much as any of them. Besides, I am but a boy, and all boys are bound to some one. It may be that my misery in slavery will only increase my happiness when I get free. There is a better day coming."

Thus I used to think, and thus I used to speak to myself; **goaded** almost to **madness** at one moment, and at the next **reconciling** myself to my wretched lot.

I have already **intimated** that my condition was much worse, during the first six months of my stay at Mr. Covey's, than in the last six. The circumstances leading to the change in Mr. Covey's course toward me form an **epoch** in my **humble** history. You have seen how a man was made a slave; you shall see how a slave was made a man. On one of the hottest days of the month of August, 1833, Bill Smith, William Hughes, a slave named Eli, and myself, were engaged in **fanning** wheat. Hughes was clearing the **fanned** wheat from before the fan. Eli was turning, Smith was feeding, and I was carrying wheat to the fan. The work was simple, requiring strength rather than **intellect**; yet, to one entirely **unused** to such work, it came very hard. About three o'clock of that day, I broke down; my strength failed me; I was seized with a violent aching of the head, attended with extreme **dizziness**; I **trembled** in every **limb**. Finding what was coming, I **nerved** myself up, feeling it would never do to stop work. I stood as long as I could stagger to the **hopper** with grain. When I could stand no longer, I fell, and felt as if held down by an immense weight. The fan of course stopped;

# German

abmühen, Fritt.

goaded: trieb an.

ague: Schüttelfrost, Fieber.
canoe: Kanu, Paddelboot, Kanoe,
Kanu fahren.
dizziness: Schwindel,
Schwindelgefühl, Schwindelanfall,
Benommenheit, Schwindelgefühle.
epoch: Epoche, Zeitabschnitt,
Zeitraum, Zeitalter, Zeit.
fanned: fächelte.
fanning: fächelnd.
fret: Handbohrer, sich abquälen,
Nagelbohrer, kleiner Bohrer, sich

hopper: Trichter, Hopfenstange. humble: demütig, bescheiden, einfach, unterwürfig, niedrig, kleinlaut, gering. intellect: Intellekt, Verstand, Geist, Genie, Geistesvermögen, Denkvermögen, Intelligenz, Scharfsinn. intimated: bekanntgegeben. limb: Glied, Mitglied, Körperteil,

Knochen, Gebeine, Bestandteil, Ast. madness: Wahnsinn, Verrücktheit, Idiotie, Unsinn, Unklugheit, Torheit, Tollheit, Schelmerei, Irrsinn, Dummheit, Schalkhaftigkeit. nerved: nervte. reconciling: versöhnend. steered: gesteuert. trembled: bangte, gezittert. unused: unbenutzt, ungebraucht, ungewohnt, nicht genutzt, ungenutzt.

every one had his own work to do; and no one could do the work of the other, and have his own go on at the same time.

Mr. Covey was at the house, about one hundred yards from the treadingyard where we were fanning. On hearing the fan stop, he left immediately, and came to the spot where we were. He **hastily** inquired what the matter was. Bill answered that I was sick, and there was no one to bring wheat to the fan. I had by this time **crawled** away under the side of the post and rail-fence by which the yard was **enclosed**, hoping to find relief by getting out of the sun. He then asked where I was. He was told by one of the hands. He came to the spot, and, after looking at me awhile, asked me what was the matter. I told him as well as I could, for I scarce had strength to speak. He then gave me a savage kick in the side, and told me to get up. I tried to do so, but fell back in the attempt. He gave me another kick, and again told me to rise. I again tried, and succeeded in gaining my feet; but, stooping to get the tub with which I was feeding the fan, I again **staggered** and fell. While down in this situation, Mr. Covey took up the hickory slat with which Hughes had been striking off the half-bushel measure, and with it gave me a heavy blow upon the head, making a large wound, and the blood ran freely; and with this again told me to get up. I made no effort to comply, having now made up my mind to let him do his worst. In a short time after receiving this blow, my head grew better. Mr. Covey had now left me to my fate. At this moment I resolved, for the first time, to go to my master, enter a complaint, and ask his protection. In order to do this, I must that afternoon walk seven miles; and this, under the circumstances, was truly a severe undertaking. I was **exceedingly** feeble; made so as much by the **kicks** and **blows** which I received, as by the severe fit of **sickness** to which I had been subjected. I, however, watched my chance, while Covey was looking in an opposite direction, and started for St. Michael's. I succeeded in getting a considerable distance on my way to the woods, when Covey discovered me, and called after me to come back, threatening what he would do if I did not come. I disregarded both his calls and his threats, and made my way to the woods as fast as my feeble state would allow; and thinking I might be overhauled by him if I kept the road, I walked through the woods, keeping far enough from the road to avoid detection,

# German

awhile: eine Weile. blows: Schläge. crawled: gekrochen, kroch. disregarded: unbeachtet gelassen, mißachtete. enclosed: beiliegend, schlossest ein, schloßt ein, schloßein, schloß ein, eingeschlossen, anbei, beigefügt, beigelegt, beigeschlossen, inliegend. exceedingly: außerordentlich, äußerst, überaus, ungewöhnlich, merkwürdig, ungemein, unüblich,

speziell, sonderbar, selten, schlimmst. staggered: gestaffelt, gewankt, fan: Fächer, Ventilator, Lüfter, fächeln, erstaunt. Gebläse, Fan, antreiben, wedeln, anblasen, anfeuern. gaining: gewinnend. hastily: hastig, eilig, schnell, vorschnell, rasch, geschwind. kicks: tritt, Tritte, stößt. overhauled: überholt, überholte, überholten, überholtest, überholtet. sickness: Krankheit, Übelkeit. slat: Latte, Lamelle.

stooping: bückend. threats: Drohungen, Bedrohungen. tub: Wanne, Zuber, Bottich, Bütte, Kübel, Waschwanne, Gerichtsbehörde, Faß, Anwaltschaft, undertaking: unternehmend, Leichenbestattung, Unternehmen,

Unternehmung, Betrieb, Übernahme, Verpflichtung.

and near enough to prevent losing my way. I had not gone far before my little strength again failed me. I could go no farther. I fell down, and lay for a considerable time. The blood was yet oozing from the wound on my head. For a time I thought I should bleed to death; and think now that I should have done so, but that the blood so **matted** my hair as to stop the wound. After lying there about three quarters of an hour, I nerved myself up again, and started on my way, through bogs and briers, barefooted and bareheaded, tearing my feet sometimes at nearly every step; and after a journey of about seven miles, **occupying** some five hours to perform it, I arrived at master's store. I then presented an appearance enough to affect any but a heart of iron. From the crown of my head to my feet, I was covered with blood. My hair was all clotted with dust and blood; my shirt was stiff with blood. I suppose I looked like a man who had escaped a den of wild beasts, and barely escaped them. In this state I appeared before my master, humbly entreating him to interpose his authority for my protection. I told him all the circumstances as well as I could, and it seemed, as I spoke, at times to affect him. He would then walk the floor, and seek to justify Covey by saying he expected I deserved it. He asked me what I wanted. I told him, to let me get a new home; that as sure as I lived with Mr. Covey again, I should live with but to die with him; that Covey would surely kill me; he was in a fair way for it. Master Thomas ridiculed the idea that there was any danger of Mr. Covey's killing me, and said that he knew Mr. Covey; that he was a good man, and that he could not think of taking me from him; that, should he do so, he would lose the whole year's wages; that I belonged to Mr. Covey for one year, and that I must go back to him, come what might; and that I must not trouble him with any more stories, or that he would himself get hold of me. After threatening me thus, he gave me a very large dose of salts, telling me that I might remain in St. Michael's that night, (it being quite late,) but that I must be off back to Mr. Covey's early in the morning; and that if I did not, he would get hold of me, which meant that he would whip me. I remained all night, and, according to his orders, I started off to Covey's in the morning, (Saturday morning,) wearied in body and broken in spirit. I got no supper that night, or breakfast that morning. I reached Covey's about nine o'clock; and just as I was

# German

barefooted: barfüßig. bareheaded: barhäuptig. beasts: Tiere. belonged: gehörte zu. bleed: bluten, blute, blutest, blutet. bogs: Sümpfe. briers: Dornsträucher. clotted: geronnen, klumpig, klebrig,

gummiartig. den: Höhle, Baufälliges Haus, Grube, Horst, Hütte, Bruchbude, Nest,

Baracke, Verschlag, Käfig.

deserved: verdienten, verdient, verdientest, verdientet, verdiente. dose: Dosis, Dosieren, Abgabe, bei Bedarf nehmen, Gabe, Portion. entreating: flehend, anflehend, flehenden, flehende, bitten inständig, oozing: sickernd. anflehen, ersuchend. humbly: demütig, bescheiden. interpose: schaltt zwischen, sich einsetzen, trete dazwischen, treten dazwischen, schaltst zwischen, tritt dazwischen, bringt, trittst

dazwischen, vorbringen, tretet dazwischen, schalten zwischen. matted: mattiert, stumpf, matt, glanzlos, verfilzt. occupying: besetzend, belegend. ridiculed: verspottet. salts: Salze, Salzt. stiff: Steif, starr, hart, schwierig, spröde, fest. supper: Abendessen, Souper,

Abendmahl.

getting over the fence that divided Mrs. Kemp's fields from **ours**, out ran Covey with his cowskin, to give me another whipping. Before he could reach me, I succeeded in getting to the cornfield; and as the corn was very high, it afforded me the means of hiding. He seemed very angry, and searched for me a long time. My **behavior** was altogether **unaccountable**. He finally gave up the **chase**, thinking, I suppose, that I must come home for something to eat; he would give himself no further trouble in looking for me. I spent that day mostly in the woods, having the alternative before me, - to go home and be whipped to death, or stay in the woods and be starved to death. That night, I fell in with Sandy Jenkins, a slave with whom I was somewhat acquainted. Sandy had a free wife who lived about four miles from Mr. Covey's; and it being Saturday, he was on his way to see her. I told him my circumstances, and he very kindly invited me to go home with him. I went home with him, and talked this whole matter over, and got his advice as to what course it was best for me to pursue. I found Sandy an old adviser. He told me, with great solemnity, I must go back to Covey; but that before I went, I must go with him into another part of the woods, where there was a certain *root*, which, if I would take some of it with me, carrying it always on my right side, would **render** it impossible for Mr. Covey, or any other white man, to whip me. He said he had carried it for years; and since he had done so, he had never received a blow, and never expected to while he carried it. I at first **rejected** the idea, that the simple carrying of a root in my pocket would have any such effect as he had said, and was not disposed to take it; but Sandy **impressed** the **necessity** with much **earnestness**, telling me it could do no harm, if it did no good. To please him, I at length took the root, and, according to his direction, carried it upon my right side. This was Sunday morning. I immediately started for home; and upon entering the yard gate, out came Mr. Covey on his way to meeting. He spoke to me very kindly, bade me drive the pigs from a lot near by, and passed on towards the church. Now, this singular conduct of Mr. Covey really made me begin to think that there was something in the ROOT which Sandy had given me; and had it been on any other day than Sunday, I could have attributed the conduct to no other cause than the influence of that root; and as it was, I was half **inclined** to think the *root* to be something

# German

adviser: Berater, Ratgeber, Konsulent. impressed: beeindruckt. attributed: zugeschrieben. bade: geboten.

behavior: Verhalten, Benehmen, Betragen, Gebaren.

chase: jagen, verfolgen, Verfolgung, nachgehen, treiben, fahnden, folgen, nachzusetzen, hetzen, nachjagen, hochtreiben.

earnestness: Ernst, Ernsthaftigkeit. hiding: versteckend, verhehlend, Verheimlichend, bergend.

inclined: geneigt, schräg, geneigt zu. necessity: Notwendigkeit, Not, Bedürfnis, Armut, Bedürftigkeit, Unglück, Seuche, Schicksalsschläge, Schicksalsschlag, Elend, Rückschläge. singular: Einzahl, Einzigartig, ours: unsere, unseres, das unsere, der

unsere, unser. pursue: verfolgen, verfolgt, verfolgst, verfolge, nachzusetzen, fahnden.

rejected: reflektiert.

render: wiedergeben, leisten, gebt

wieder, gebe wieder, geben wieder, gib wieder, gibst wieder. root: Wurzel, die Wurzel, Stamm. searched: gesucht, abgesucht,

singulär, in der Einzahl, einmalig,

solemnity: Feierlichkeit. unaccountable: unerklärlich, unverantwortlich. woods: Wald, Forst.

more than I at first had taken it to be. All went well till Monday morning. On this morning, the virtue of the ROOT was fully tested. Long before daylight, I was called to go and rub, curry, and feed, the horses. I obeyed, and was glad to obey. But whilst thus engaged, whilst in the act of throwing down some blades from the loft, Mr. Covey entered the stable with a long rope; and just as I was half out of the loft, he caught hold of my legs, and was about tying me. As soon as I found what he was up to, I gave a sudden spring, and as I did so, he holding to my legs, I was brought sprawling on the stable floor. Mr. Covey seemed now to think he had me, and could do what he pleased; but at this moment—from whence came the spirit I don't know – I resolved to fight; and, suiting my action to the resolution, I seized Covey hard by the throat; and as I did so, I rose. He held on to me, and I to him. My resistance was so entirely unexpected that Covey seemed taken all aback. He trembled like a leaf. This gave me assurance, and I held him uneasy, causing the blood to run where I touched him with the ends of my fingers. Mr. Covey soon called out to Hughes for help. Hughes came, and, while Covey held me, attempted to tie my right hand. While he was in the act of doing so, I watched my chance, and gave him a heavy kick close under the ribs. This kick fairly sickened Hughes, so that he left me in the hands of Mr. Covey. This kick had the effect of not only weakening Hughes, but Covey also. When he saw Hughes bending over with pain, his courage quailed. He asked me if I meant to persist in my resistance. I told him I did, come what might; that he had used me like a brute for six months, and that I was determined to be used so no longer. With that, he strove to drag me to a stick that was lying just out of the stable door. He meant to knock me down. But just as he was leaning over to get the stick, I seized him with both hands by his collar, and brought him by a sudden snatch to the ground. By this time, Bill came. Covey called upon him for assistance. Bill wanted to know what he could do. Covey said, "Take hold of him, take hold of him!" Bill said his master hired him out to work, and not to help to whip me; so he left Covey and myself to fight our own battle out. We were at it for nearly two hours. Covey at length let me go, puffing and blowing at a great rate, saying that if I had not **resisted**, he would not have whipped me half so much. The truth was, that he had not whipped me at all. I considered

# German

aback: rückwärts, erstaunt. bending: Biegen, Umkehr, Umgestaltung, Umbruch, Umbiegen, Trendwende, Kenterung, Umschlag, biegend, Änderung, Abwandlung. blowing: Blasend, Blasen, Sausen, Geblas, Gepus. curry: Striegeln, Curry. loft: Dachboden, Speicher. obey: gehorchen, gehorcht, gehorche, gehorchst, befolgen, befolgst, befolge, rub: reiben, frottieren, abreiben, befolgt, folgen, nachfolgen,

nachkommen. persist: beharren, beharrt, beharrst, beharre, bestehen, aushalten, andauern, sich eigensinnig in den Kopf setzen, verharren, trotzen. puffing: die Aufbauschung, die Aufblähung, paffend, Aufblähung. resisted: widerstandet, widerstanden, widerstandst, widerstand. einreiben, rubbeln.

sickened: erkrankten, erkranktest, erkranktet, erkrankte, erkrankt. sprawling: ausbreitend, ausstreckend, riesig, sich der Länge nach hinstreckend, Ausgebreitet. suiting: Kleidsam, der Anzugsstoff. tying: Zuknüpfend, Knüpfend. weakening: abschwächend, erschlaffend, schwächend, Schwächung, erlahmend, Abschwächen. whence: woher.

him as getting entirely the worst end of the bargain; for he had drawn no blood from me, but I had from him. The whole six months afterwards, that I spent with Mr. Covey, he never laid the weight of his finger upon me in anger. He would occasionally say, he didn't want to get hold of me again. "No," thought I, "you need not; for you will come off worse than you did before."

This battle with Mr. Covey was the **turning**-point in my career as a slave. It rekindled the few expiring embers of freedom, and revived within me a sense of my own **manhood**. It **recalled** the departed self-confidence, and inspired me again with a determination to be free. The gratification afforded by the triumph was a full compensation for whatever else might follow, even death itself. He only can understand the deep satisfaction which I experienced, who has himself repelled by force the bloody arm of slavery. I felt as I never felt before. It was a **glorious resurrection**, from the **tomb** of slavery, to the heaven of freedom. My long-crushed spirit rose, cowardice departed, bold defiance took its place; and I now resolved that, however long I might remain a slave in form, the day had passed forever when I could be a slave in fact. I did not hesitate to let it be known of me, that the white man who expected to succeed in whipping, must also succeed in killing me.

From this time I was never again what might be called fairly whipped, though I remained a slave four years afterwards. I had several fights, but was never whipped.

It was for a long time a matter of surprise to me why Mr. Covey did not immediately have me taken by the constable to the whipping-post, and there regularly whipped for the crime of raising my hand against a white man in defence of myself. And the only explanation I can now think of does not entirely satisfy me; but such as it is, I will give it. Mr. Covey enjoyed the most unbounded reputation for being a first-rate overseer and negro-breaker. It was of considerable importance to him. That reputation was at stake; and had he sent me — a boy about sixteen years old — to the public whipping-post, his reputation would have been lost; so, to save his reputation, he suffered me to go unpunished.

# German wonnig, hervorragend, berühmt,

bargain: feilschen, Geschäft, Gelegenheitskauf, handeln, Handel, Abmachung, dingen, abhandeln, abfeilschen, Abmarkten, markten. cowardice: Feigheit.

defiance: Trotz, Herausforderung. expiring: ablaufend, endend, verfallend.

fights: rauferei, handgemenge,

glorious: glorreich, herrlich, prächtig, ruhmreich, paradiesisch, köstlich,

engelhaft, glänzend. hesitate: zögern, zögere, zögert, zögre, Wiederbelebung. zögerst, zaudern, schwanken, zaudere, zauderst, zaudert, zaudre. manhood: Männlichkeit, Mannesalter. recalled: wiedergerufen. rekindled: erweckte wieder, erweckten wieder, erwecktest wieder, erwecktet wieder, lebte wieder auf, wiedererweckt. repelled: stieß ab, abgestoßen, stießt

ab, stießest ab, stießen ab. resurrection: Auferstehung, tomb: Grab, Gruft, Grabmal, Grabgewölbe, Grabstätte, Gräber, Grabdenkmal, Grabstelle, Krypta, Friedhöfe, Sarkophag. turning-point: Wendepunkt, Drehung. unbounded: unbegrenzt. unpunished: ungestraft, unbestraft,

My term of actual service to Mr. Edward Covey ended on Christmas day, 1833. The days between Christmas and New Year's day are allowed as holidays; and, accordingly, we were not required to perform any labor, more than to feed and take care of the stock. This time we regarded as our own, by the grace of our masters; and we therefore used or **abused** it nearly as we pleased. Those of us who had families at a distance, were generally allowed to spend the whole six days in their society. This time, however, was spent in various ways. The staid, sober, thinking and industrious ones of our number would employ themselves in making corn-brooms, mats, horse-collars, and baskets; and another class of us would spend the time in hunting opossums, hares, and coons. But by far the larger part engaged in such sports and merriments as playing ball, wrestling, running foot-races, fiddling, dancing, and drinking whisky; and this latter mode of spending the time was by far the most agreeable to the feelings of our masters. A slave who would work during the holidays was considered by our masters as scarcely deserving them. He was regarded as one who rejected the favor of his master. It was deemed a disgrace not to get drunk at Christmas; and he was regarded as lazy indeed, who had not provided himself with the necessary means, during the year, to get whisky enough to last him through Christmas.

From what I know of the effect of these holidays upon the slave, I believe them to be among the most effective means in the hands of the slaveholder in keeping down the spirit of **insurrection**. Were the slaveholders at once to abandon this practice, I have not the slightest doubt it would lead to an immediate insurrection among the slaves. These holidays serve as **conductors**, or safety-valves, to carry off the **rebellious** spirit of enslaved humanity. But for these, the slave would be forced up to the **wildest** desperation; and woe betide the slaveholder, the day he **ventures** to remove or hinder the operation of those conductors! I warn him that, in such an event, a spirit will go forth in their midst, more to be dreaded than the most appalling **earthquake**.

The holidays are part and parcel of the gross fraud, wrong, and **inhumanity** of slavery. They are **professedly** a custom established by the **benevolence** of the slaveholders; but I undertake to say, it is the result of **selfishness**, and one of the

#### German

industrious: fleißig, emsig, arbeitsam,

abused: missbraucht, missbrauchte.
agreeable: angenehm, behaglich,
genehm, herrlich.
baskets: Körbe.
benevolence: Wohlwollen, Güte,
Wohltätigkeit, Wohltat, Milde,
Gnade, Entgegenkommen,
Barmherzigkeit.
conductors: Führer, Schaffner.
earthquake: Erdbeben, Beben.
fiddling: fiedelnd, Bastelei,
Handarbeit.

strebsam, aktiv, wirksam, geschäftig, geflissentlich, eifrig, beflissen, berufstätig.
inhumanity: Unmenschlichkeit,
Grausamkeit, Barbarei, Bestialität.
insurrection: Aufstand, Rebellion,
Volksaufstand, Volkserhebung,
Erhebung.
mats: Matten.

merriments: Belustigungen.

professedly: erklärtermaßen, angeblich, eingestandenermaßen. rebellious: aufrührerisch, rebellisch, aufsändisch, aufsässig, widerspenstig, revolutionär. selfishness: Selbstsucht, Egoismus, Selbstsüchte, Eigensucht. stad: gesetzt, ruhig, seriös, nüchtern, mäßig, ernsthaft, ernst, abstinent. ventures: Risiken, Wagnisse. wildest: ungebärdigste. wrestling: Ringen, Ringkampf.

grossest frauds committed upon the down-trodden slave. They do not give the slaves this time because they would not like to have their work during its **continuance**, but because they know it would be unsafe to **deprive** them of it. This will be seen by the fact, that the slaveholders like to have their slaves spend those days just in such a manner as to make them as glad of their ending as of their beginning. Their object seems to be, to disgust their slaves with freedom, by **plunging** them into the lowest **depths** of dissipation. For instance, the slaveholders not only like to see the slave drink of his own accord, but will adopt various plans to make him drunk. One plan is, to make **bets** on their slaves, as to who can drink the most whisky without getting drunk; and in this way they succeed in getting whole multitudes to drink to excess. Thus, when the slave asks for virtuous freedom, the cunning slaveholder, knowing his **ignorance**, cheats him with a dose of vicious dissipation, artfully labelled with the name of liberty. The most of us used to drink it down, and the result was just what might be supposed; many of us were led to think that there was little to choose between liberty and slavery. We felt, and very properly too, that we had almost as well be slaves to man as to rum. So, when the holidays ended, we staggered up from the filth of our wallowing, took a long breath, and marched to the field, —feeling, upon the whole, rather glad to go, from what our master had deceived us into a belief was freedom, back to the arms of slavery.

I have said that this mode of treatment is a part of the whole system of fraud and inhumanity of slavery. It is so. The mode here adopted to disgust the slave with freedom, by allowing him to see only the abuse of it, is carried out in other things. For instance, a slave **loves molasses**; he **steals** some. His master, in many cases, goes off to town, and buys a large quantity; he returns, takes his whip, and **commands** the slave to eat the molasses, until the poor fellow is made sick at the very mention of it. The same mode is sometimes adopted to make the slaves refrain from asking for more food than their regular allowance. A slave runs through his allowance, and applies for more. His master is enraged at him; but, not willing to send him off without food, gives him more than is necessary, and **compels** him to eat it within a given time. Then, if he **complains** that he cannot eat it, he is said to be satisfied neither full nor fasting, and is whipped for being

#### German

accord: Übereinstimmung, Abkommen, Akkord, Übereinkunft, Einklang, Übereinkommen, gestatten, erteilen, erlauben, Einverständnis.

artfully: listig, kunstvoll.

bets: Wetten. buys: kauft. cheats: mogelt.

commands: befehle, Dienstliche

Anweisungen. compels: zwingt.

complains: klagt, reklamiert.

continuance: Dauer.

deprive: berauben, beraubt, beraubst, beraube, entwenden, fortnehmen, entnehmen, wegnehmen, rauben, stehlen, abnehmen.

depths: Tiefen.

disgust: Ekel, Ekeln, Empören,

Abstoß, Übelkeit. fasting: Fastend.

filth: Schmutz, Dreck, Schweinerei. ignorance: Unwissenheit, Unkenntnis.

labelled: markiert, beschriftet.

loves: liebt.

marched: marschierte. molasses: Melasse, Sirup, Zuckerrübensirup.

plunging: tauchend. refrain: Refrain, Kehrreim.

rum: Rum. steals: stiehlt.

vicious: boshaft, bösartig, lasterhaft, hämisch, tückisch, heimtückisch,

fehlerhaft, arglistig, arg. wallowing: schwelgen.

hard to please! I have an abundance of such illustrations of the same principle, drawn from my own observation, but think the cases I have cited sufficient. The practice is a very common one.

On the first of January, 1834, I left Mr. Covey, and went to live with Mr. William Freeland, who lived about three miles from St. Michael's. I soon found Mr. Freeland a very different man from Mr. Covey. Though not rich, he was what would be called an educated southern gentleman. Mr. Covey, as I have shown, was a well-trained negro-breaker and slave-driver. The former (slaveholder though he was) seemed to possess some regard for honor, some reverence for justice, and some respect for humanity. The latter seemed totally insensible to all such sentiments. Mr. Freeland had many of the faults peculiar to slaveholders, such as being very passionate and fretful; but I must do him the justice to say, that he was exceedingly free from those degrading vices to which Mr. Covey was constantly addicted. The one was open and frank, and we always knew where to find him. The other was a most artful deceiver, and could be understood only by such as were skilful enough to detect his cunninglydevised frauds. Another advantage I gained in my new master was, he made no pretensions to, or profession of, religion; and this, in my opinion, was truly a great advantage. I **assert** most **unhesitatingly**, that the religion of the south is a mere covering for the most horrid crimes, —a justifier of the most appalling barbarity, - a sanctifier of the most hateful frauds, - and a dark shelter under, which the darkest, foulest, grossest, and most infernal deeds of slaveholders find the strongest protection. Were I to be again reduced to the chains of slavery, next to that enslavement, I should regard being the slave of a religious master the greatest calamity that could befall me. For of all slaveholders with whom I have ever met, religious slaveholders are the worst. I have ever found them the meanest and basest, the most cruel and cowardly, of all others. It was my unhappy lot not only to belong to a religious slaveholder, but to live in a community of such religionists. Very near Mr. Freeland lived the Rev. Daniel Weeden, and in the same neighborhood lived the Rev. Rigby Hopkins. These were members and ministers in the Reformed Methodist Church. Mr. Weeden owned, among others, a woman slave, whose name I have forgotten. This

# German

addicted: süchtig. appalling: Entsetzlich, schrecklich, furchtbar, skandalös, schlimm, fürchterlich. assert: behaupten, behauptet, behaupte, behauptest,

eineKundgebungabhalten, konstatieren, geltend machen, feststellen, eineKundgebunghalten, annehmen, demonstrieren. basest: gemeinst.

befall: brichst herein, wandele an,

anwandeln, widerfahrt, widerfährst, widerfahren, widerfahre, wandle an, wandelt an, wandeln an, sich begeben.

calamity: Unglück, Katastrophe, Schicksalsschlag, Unheil, Unglücksfall, Schicksalsschläge, Not, Malheur, Elend, Pech.

deceiver: Betrüger, Schwindler. degrading: degradierend, entwürdigend, absetzend, herabsetzend, degradieren,

foulest: schmutzigste. frauds: Betrüge, Betrug, Schwindel, Steuerhinterzüge. illustrations: Illustrationen, Bilder. justifier: Rechtfertiger. skilful: geschickt, gewandt, geübt, unhesitatingly: bereitwillig,

herabsetzen, zurückseetzen.

unverzügliche, unverzüglich, ohne Zögern, ohne zu zögern, prompt. vices: Untugenden.

woman's back, for weeks, was kept literally raw, made so by the lash of this merciless, religious wretch. He used to hire hands. His maxim was, Behave well or behave ill, it is the duty of a master occasionally to whip a slave, to remind him of his master's authority. Such was his theory, and such his practice.

Mr. Hopkins was even worse than Mr. Weeden. His chief boast was his ability to manage slaves. The **peculiar** feature of his government was that of whipping slaves in advance of deserving it. He always managed to have one or more of his slaves to whip every Monday morning. He did this to alarm their fears, and strike terror into those who escaped. His plan was to whip for the smallest offences, to prevent the commission of large ones. Mr. Hopkins could always find some excuse for whipping a slave. It would astonish one, unaccustomed to a slaveholding life, to see with what wonderful ease a slaveholder can find things, of which to make occasion to whip a slave. A mere look, word, or motion, —a mistake, accident, or want of power, — are all matters for which a slave may be whipped at any time. Does a slave look dissatisfied? It is said, he has the **devil** in him, and it must be whipped out. Does he speak loudly when spoken to by his master? Then he is getting high-minded, and should be taken down a button-hole lower. Does he forget to pull off his hat at the approach of a white person? Then he is wanting in reverence, and should be whipped for it. Does he ever venture to **vindicate** his conduct, when **censured** for it? Then he is guilty of impudence,—one of the greatest crimes of which a slave can be guilty. Does he ever venture to suggest a different mode of doing things from that pointed out by his master? He is indeed presumptuous, and getting above himself; and nothing less than a flogging will do for him. Does he, while ploughing, break a plough, – or, while **hoeing**, break a hoe? It is owing to his carelessness, and for it a slave must always be whipped. Mr. Hopkins could always find something of this sort to justify the use of the lash, and he seldom failed to embrace such opportunities. There was not a man in the whole county, with whom the slaves who had the getting their own home, would not prefer to live, rather than with this Rev. Mr. Hopkins. And yet there was not a man any where round, who made higher professions of religion, or was more active in revivals, – more attentive to the class, love-feast, prayer and preaching meetings,

## German

astonish: überraschen, erstaunen, erstaunst, überraschst, überrascht, erstaune, überrasche, erstaunt. attentive: aufmerksam, achtsam, bedächtig. behave: sich benehmen, sich verhalten, sich betragen, sich aufführen, benehmen. censured: getadelt, tadelte. devil: Teufel, Satan. dissatisfied: unzufrieden, frustriert, mißfielen, mißfiel, mißfallen, mißfielt,

flogging: Peitschend, Tracht Prügel. hoe: hacke, hacken, Schaufel. hoeing: umhackend, hackend. literally: buchstäblich, wörtlich. merciless: erbarmungslos, unbarmherzig, gnadenlos, mitleidlos, terror: Schrecken, Schreck, Grauen, mitleidslos, schonungslos, gewissenlos.

peculiar: eigentümlich, eigenartig, seltsam, eigen, sonderbar, wunderlich, kurios, merkwürdig,

besondere, besonders, befremdend. preaching: Predigend. presumptuous: anmaßend, vermessen, überheblich, respektlos, unbescheiden, dreist, arrogant. professions: Berufen, Berufe. Entzetzen, Entsetzen. unaccustomed: ungewohnt. vindicate: rechtfertigen. wretch: Schmierfink, Ferkel, Schmutzfink.

or more devotional in his family, - that prayed earlier, later, louder, and longer, – than this same **reverend** slave-driver, Rigby Hopkins.

But to return to Mr. Freeland, and to my experience while in his employment. He, like Mr. Covey, gave us enough to eat; but, unlike Mr. Covey, he also gave us sufficient time to take our meals. He worked us hard, but always between sunrise and **sunset**. He required a good deal of work to be done, but gave us good tools with which to work. His farm was large, but he employed hands enough to work it, and with ease, compared with many of his neighbors. My treatment, while in his employment, was heavenly, compared with what I experienced at the hands of Mr. Edward Covey.

Mr. Freeland was himself the owner of but two slaves. Their names were Henry Harris and John Harris. The rest of his hands he hired. These consisted of myself, Sandy Jenkins, and Handy Caldwell. Henry and John were quite **intelligent**, and in a very little while after I went there, I succeeded in **creating** in them a strong desire to learn how to read. This desire soon sprang up in the others also. They very soon **mustered** up some old spelling-books, and nothing would do but that I must keep a Sabbath school. I agreed to do so, and accordingly devoted my Sundays to teaching these my loved fellow-slaves how to read. Neither of them knew his letters when I went there. Some of the slaves of the neighboring farms found what was going on, and also availed themselves of this little opportunity to learn to read. It was understood, among all who came, that there must be as little display about it as possible. It was necessary to keep our religious masters at St. Michael's unacquainted with the fact, that, instead of spending the Sabbath in wrestling, boxing, and drinking whisky, we were trying to learn how to read the will of God; for they had much

I held my Sabbath school at the house of a free colored man, whose name I deem it imprudent to mention; for should it be known, it might embarrass him greatly, though the crime of holding the school was committed ten years ago. I had at one time over forty scholars, and those of the right sort, ardently desiring to learn. They were of all ages, though mostly men and women. I look back to those Sundays with an amount of pleasure not to be expressed. They were great

#### German

accordingly: dementsprechend, folglich, entsprechend, danach, somit, also, demgemäß, wohl, jedoch, daher, doch. ardently: heiß. boxing: Boxen, das Boxen. creating: schaffend, erschaffend, erstellend, verfertigung, anfertigung, anfertigen, herstellung, kreieren, kreierend.

desiring: wünschend. devoted: anhänglich, widmete, widmeten, gewidmet, widmetest, widmetet, ergeben, hingebungsvoll,

drinking: Trinken, Trinkend. hired: mietete, gemietet, mieteten, mietetest, mietetet, dingtest, heuertet, herstammen von, springen. heuerte, geheuert, heuertest, dingtet. sunset: Sonnenuntergang, Abendrot, imprudent: unklug, unvorsichtig. intelligent: intelligent, verständig, klug, scharfsinnig, denkfähig, weise, einsichtsvoll, hochgelehrt, mit Verstand begabt, schlau, gelehrt.

meals: Mahlzeiten. mustered: gemustert. reverend: ehrwürdig, Hochwürden. scholars: Gelehrte. sprang: gesprungen, sprang, Sonnenstand.

unacquainted: nicht vertraut,

whisky: Whisky, Zweirädriger

days to my soul. The work of instructing my dear fellow-slaves was the sweetest engagement with which I was ever blessed. We loved each other, and to leave them at the close of the Sabbath was a severe cross indeed. When I think that these precious souls are to-day shut up in the prison-house of slavery, my feelings overcome me, and I am almost ready to ask, "Does a righteous God govern the universe? and for what does he hold the thunders in his right hand, if not to **smite** the oppressor, and deliver the **spoiled** out of the hand of the spoiler?" These dear souls came not to Sabbath school because it was popular to do so, nor did I teach them because it was reputable to be thus engaged. Every moment they spent in that school, they were liable to be taken up, and given thirty-nine lashes. They came because they wished to learn. Their minds had been starved by their cruel masters. They had been shut up in mental darkness. I taught them, because it was the delight of my soul to be doing something that looked like bettering the condition of my race. I kept up my school nearly the whole year I lived with Mr. Freeland; and, beside my Sabbath school, I devoted three evenings in the week, during the winter, to teaching the slaves at home. And I have the happiness to know, that several of those who came to Sabbath school learned how to read; and that one, at least, is now free through my agency.

The year passed off smoothly. It seemed only about half as long as the year which **preceded** it. I went through it without receiving a single blow. I will give Mr. Freeland the credit of being the best master I ever had, till I became my own master. For the ease with which I passed the year, I was, however, somewhat indebted to the society of my fellow-slaves. They were noble souls; they not only possessed loving hearts, but brave ones. We were linked and interlinked with each other. I loved them with a love stronger than any thing I have experienced since. It is sometimes said that we slaves do not love and **confide** in each other. In answer to this assertion, I can say, I never loved any or confided in any people more than my fellow-slaves, and especially those with whom I lived at Mr. Freeland's. I believe we would have died for each other. We never **undertook** to do any thing, of any importance, without a mutual consultation. We never moved separately. We were one; and as much so by our tempers and

# German

blessed: segnete, segnetet, segnetest, gesegnet, segneten. confide: vertrauen, vertraue, vertraut, instructing: unterrichtend, anweisend, vertraust, anvertrauen, betrauen mit, zutrauen, vertrauen setzen in, vertrauen mit. confided: vertraut, vertrautet, vertrautest, vertrauten, vertraute. govern: regieren, regiere, regierst, regiert, beherrschen, herrschen, beherrsche, beherrscht, beherrschst.

bettering: zubesserung, überwindend. indebted: verschuldet, schuldig, verpflichtet sein an, verpflichtet,

einweisend, instruierend, anleitend. preceded: gingst voraus,

vorangegangen, vorausgegangen, gingt voraus, gingt voran, ging voran, gingen voraus, gingen voran, ging voraus, gingst voran, fortgeschritten.

reputable: ehrbar, achtbar, angesehen,

smite: befallen, schlagt, schlägst, schlagen, schlage, befällst, befalle,

spoiled: verdorben, verwöhnt. sweetest: Schatz, Liebling, Liebe, Liebchen, Lieb, Geliebte, Schätzchen, Herzchen, Liebste.

tempers: Gemüter, Launen. thunders: donnert.

undertook: unternahm, unternahmen, unternahmst, unternahmt.

**dispositions**, as by the mutual hardships to which we were necessarily subjected by our condition as slaves.

At the close of the year 1834, Mr. Freeland again hired me of my master, for the year 1835. But, by this time, I began to want to live upon free land as well as with freeland; and I was no longer content, therefore, to live with him or any other slaveholder. I began, with the **commencement** of the year, to prepare myself for a final struggle, which should decide my fate one way or the other. My tendency was upward. I was fast approaching manhood, and year after year had passed, and I was still a slave. These thoughts roused me – I must do something. I therefore resolved that 1835 should not pass without witnessing an attempt, on my part, to secure my **liberty**. But I was not willing to **cherish** this determination alone. My fellow-slaves were dear to me. I was anxious to have them participate with me in this, my life-giving determination. I therefore, though with great prudence, commenced early to ascertain their views and feelings in regard to their condition, and to imbue their minds with thoughts of freedom. I bent myself to devising ways and means for our escape, and meanwhile strove, on all **fitting** occasions, to **impress** them with the gross fraud and inhumanity of slavery. I went first to Henry, next to John, then to the others. I found, in them all, warm hearts and noble spirits. They were ready to hear, and ready to act when a **feasible** plan should be proposed. This was what I wanted. I talked to them of our want of manhood, if we submitted to our enslavement without at least one noble effort to be free. We met often, and consulted frequently, and told our hopes and fears, recounted the difficulties, real and imagined, which we should be called on to meet. At times we were almost disposed to give up, and try to content ourselves with our wretched lot; at others, we were firm and **unbending** in our determination to go. Whenever we suggested any plan, there was shrinking – the odds were fearful. Our path was beset with the greatest obstacles; and if we succeeded in gaining the end of it, our right to be free was yet questionable – we were yet liable to be returned to bondage. We could see no spot, this side of the ocean, where we could be free. We knew nothing about Canada. Our knowledge of the north did not extend farther than New York; and to go there, and be forever harassed with the

# German

approaching: nähernd.
beset: bedrängen.
cherish: knuddeln, streicheln,
schmusen, kuscheln.
commencement: Beginn, Anfang,
Eröffnung, Start, Einleitung,
Anfangen, Abschlußfeier.
devising: Ausdenkend.
dispositions: Anordnungen, Naturen,
Charakter.
feasible: durchführbar, machbar,
möglich, ausführbar, realisierbar,

tunlich. **fitting**: passend, Fitting, konform,
gehörig, gleich, anliegend, Anprobe,
entsprechend.

harassed: schikaniert, schikaniertest, schikanierten, schikaniertet, schikanierte, belästigtet, belästigtest, belästigten, belästigte, belästigt, genlagt.

imbue: dringe durch, dringen durch, dringst durch, dringt durch, durchdringen. impress: imponieren, beeindrucken, Eindruck machen auf, Achtung einflößen, ausdrucken, drucken, Eindruck machen, abdrucken.

liberty: Freiheit.
obstacles: Hindernisse.

recounted: erzählt. unbending: entspannend, unbeugsam, unbiegsam.

**upward**: aufwärts, ansteigend, empor, steigend.

witnessing: bezeugend.

frightful liability of being returned to slavery - with the certainty of being treated tenfold worse than before – the thought was truly a horrible one, and one which it was not easy to overcome. The case sometimes stood thus: At every gate through which we were to pass, we saw a watchman – at every ferry a guard – on every bridge a sentinel – and in every wood a patrol. We were **hemmed** in upon every side. Here were the difficulties, real or imagined – the good to be sought, and the evil to be shunned. On the one hand, there stood slavery, a stern reality, glaring frightfully upon us, —its robes already crimsoned with the blood of millions, and even now feasting itself greedily upon our own flesh. On the other hand, away back in the dim distance, under the flickering light of the north star, behind some craggy hill or snow-covered mountain, stood a doubtful freedom—half frozen—beckoning us to come and share its **hospitality**. This in itself was sometimes enough to stagger us; but when we permitted ourselves to survey the road, we were frequently **appalled**. Upon either side we saw grim death, assuming the most horrid shapes. Now it was starvation, causing us to eat our own flesh; - now we were contending with the waves, and were drowned; - now we were **overtaken**, and torn to pieces by the fangs of the terrible **bloodhound**. We were **stung** by scorpions, **chased** by wild beasts, **bitten** by snakes, and finally, after having nearly reached the desired spot, - after swimming rivers, **encountering** wild beasts, sleeping in the woods, suffering hunger and nakedness, – we were overtaken by our pursuers, and, in our resistance, we were shot dead upon the spot! I say, this picture sometimes appalled us, and made us

"rather bear those ills we had, Than fly to others, that we knew not of."

In coming to a fixed determination to run away, we did more than Patrick Henry, when he resolved upon liberty or death. With us it was a doubtful liberty at most, and almost certain death if we failed. For my part, I should prefer death to **hopeless** bondage.

#### German

erschrak, entsetztet, entsetztest, entsetzte, entsetzt, entsetzen, ensetzte, entsetzten, erschrocken. bitten: gebissen. chased: Verfolgte, Jagte. craggy: felsig. dim: dunkel, dämmerig, trübe, schwach, abblenden, finster, vage, schattenhaft, schimmerhaft, schummerig, düster.

appalled: erschrecken, erschreckte,

encountering: begegnend, Finden, findend, Antreffen. feasting: Ergötzend. ferry: Fähre, Prahm. flickering: flackernd, flimmern, bloodhound: Schweißhund, Bluthund. flackern, funkeln, glänzen, glitzern, lichtsignal, lichtzeichen, schimmer. frightfully: schrecklich. greedily: gierig, habgierig. hemmed: gesäumt, säumte. hopeless: hoffnungslos, aussichtslos, unverbesserlich, ausweglos,

verzweifelt, ratlos, ohne hoffnung, hospitality: Gastfreundschaft, Gastfreundlichkeit, Gastfreiheit. overtaken: überholt. robes: Roben. snakes: schlangen, Reptilienkunde, Schlangentierkunde. starvation: Verhungern, Hungern, Aushungerung. stern: Heck, ernst, das Heck, streng. stung: gestochen.

Sandy, one of our number, gave up the notion, but still encouraged us. Our company then consisted of Henry Harris, John Harris, Henry Bailey, Charles Roberts, and myself. Henry Bailey was my uncle, and belonged to my master. Charles married my aunt: he belonged to my master's father-in-law, Mr. William Hamilton.

The plan we finally concluded upon was, to get a large canoe belonging to Mr. Hamilton, and upon the Saturday night previous to Easter holidays, paddle directly up the Chesapeake Bay. On our arrival at the head of the bay, a distance of seventy or eighty miles from where we lived, it was our purpose to turn our canoe adrift, and follow the guidance of the north star till we got beyond the **limits** of Maryland. Our reason for taking the water route was, that we were less liable to be suspected as runaways; we hoped to be regarded as fishermen; whereas, if we should take the land route, we should be subjected to interruptions of almost every kind. Any one having a white face, and being so disposed, could stop us, and subject us to examination.

The week before our intended start, I wrote several **protections**, one for each of us. As well as I can remember, they were in the following words, to wit: —

"This is to **certify** that I, the **undersigned**, have given the **bearer**, my servant, full liberty to go to Baltimore, and spend the Easter holidays. Written with mine own hand, &c., 1835.

"WILLIAM HAMILTON,

"Near St. Michael's, in Talbot county, Maryland."

We were not going to Baltimore; but, in going up the bay, we went toward Baltimore, and these protections were only intended to protect us while on the bay.

As the time drew near for our **departure**, our **anxiety** became more and more intense. It was truly a matter of life and death with us. The strength of our determination was about to be fully tested. At this time, I was very active in explaining every difficulty, removing every doubt, dispelling every fear, and

#### German

anxiety: Angst, Ängstlichkeit, Unruhe, holidays: Ferien, Urlaub, Festtage. Beklemmung, Besorgnis. bearer: Inhaber, Träger, Überbringer. certify: bescheinigen, bescheinigst, bescheinigt, bescheinige, bestätigen. departure: Abfahrt, Abreise, Abgang, Abzug, Abflug, Start, Abmarsch, Aufbruch, Abweichung. dispelling: vertreibend. explaining: erklärend, erläuternd, darlegend, auseinandersetzend. fishermen: Fischer.

intense: intensiv, heftig, stark, interruptions: Unterbrechungen. liable: verantwortlich, verpflichtet, haftbar, haftpflichtig. limits: grenzen, begrenzt. paddle: Paddel, paddeln, Wasser treten, Schaufel, barfußim Wasser

protections: Protektionen, Schutz, Förderungen.

removing: entfernend, beseitigend, fortschaffend, Ausnehmen, Amputieren, abtragend, Abnehmen, Entfernen.

runaways: Ausreißer, Deserteure. servant: Diener, Dienstbote, Knecht, Bursche, Bedienstete, Dienerin, Bediente, Dienstmädchen, Gehilfe, Magd, Stallknecht. seventy: siebzig.

tested: geprüft, getestet. undersigned: unterzeichnet. **inspiring** all with the firmness indispensable to success in our undertaking; **assuring** them that half was gained the instant we made the move; we had talked long enough; we were now ready to move; if not now, we never should be; and if we did not intend to move now, we had as well fold our arms, sit down, and acknowledge ourselves fit only to be slaves. This, none of us were prepared to acknowledge. Every man stood firm; and at our last meeting, we **pledged** ourselves **afresh**, in the most **solemn** manner, that, at the time appointed, we would certainly start in pursuit of freedom. This was in the middle of the week, at the end of which we were to be off. We went, as usual, to our several fields of labor, but with **bosoms** highly **agitated** with thoughts of our truly hazardous undertaking. We tried to **conceal** our feelings as much as possible; and I think we succeeded very well.

After a painful waiting, the Saturday morning, whose night was to witness our departure, came. I hailed it with joy, bring what of sadness it might. Friday night was a sleepless one for me. I probably felt more anxious than the rest, because I was, by common consent, at the head of the whole affair. The responsibility of success or failure lay heavily upon me. The glory of the one, and the confusion of the other, were alike mine. The first two hours of that morning were such as I never experienced before, and hope never to again. Early in the morning, we went, as usual, to the field. We were spreading manure; and all at once, while thus engaged, I was overwhelmed with an indescribable feeling, in the fulness of which I turned to Sandy, who was near by, and said, "We are betrayed!" "Well," said he, "that thought has this moment struck me." We said no more. I was never more certain of any thing.

The horn was blown as usual, and we went up from the field to the house for breakfast. I went for the form, more than for want of any thing to eat that morning. Just as I got to the house, in looking out at the lane gate, I saw four white men, with two colored men. The white men were on **horseback**, and the colored ones were walking behind, as if tied. I watched them a few moments till they got up to our lane gate. Here they **halted**, and tied the colored men to the gate-post. I was not yet certain as to what the matter was. In a few moments, in

## German

verheimlichen, verheimlicht,

afresh: wieder, von neuem, abermals, erneut, wiederholt, zurück, abermalig.
agitated: regtet auf, regte auf, regten auf, aufgeregt, regtest auf, beunruhigt, beunruhigte, beunruhigten, beunruhigtest, beunruhigtet, erregt.
assuring: versichernd, zusichernd.
bosoms: Brüste, Busen.
conceal: verbergen, verbirgst, verbergt, verberge, verbirg,

verheimlichst, verheimliche, verstecken, verhehlen. fulness: Fülle, die Fülle. hailed: gehagelt. halted: unterbrochen. horseback: Zu Pferd. indescribable: unbeschreiblich. inspiring: eingebend, inspirierend, begeisternd, einflößend, anregend. manure: Mist, Dünger, Dung, Düngen, Jauche, Düngemittel.

overwhelmed: überwältigtest, überwältigte, überschüttetet, überschütteten, überschütteten, überschütteten, überschütteten, überwältigten, überschüttete, überwältigten, überschüttete, überwältigt. pledged: lombardiert, verpfändet. sleepless: schlaflos. solemn: feierlich, festlich, ernst, erhaben, herrschaftlich, würdig, würdevoll, stattlich, vornehm, königlich, hocherhaben.

rode Mr. Hamilton, with a speed betokening great excitement. He came to the door, and inquired if Master William was in. He was told he was at the barn. Mr. Hamilton, without dismounting, rode up to the barn with extraordinary speed. In a few moments, he and Mr. Freeland returned to the house. By this time, the three constables rode up, and in great haste dismounted, tied their horses, and met Master William and Mr. Hamilton returning from the barn; and after talking awhile, they all walked up to the kitchen door. There was no one in the kitchen but myself and John. Henry and Sandy were up at the barn. Mr. Freeland put his head in at the door, and called me by name, saying, there were some gentlemen at the door who wished to see me. I stepped to the door, and inquired what they wanted. They at once seized me, and, without giving me any satisfaction, tied me—lashing my hands closely together. I insisted upon knowing what the matter was. They at length said, that they had learned I had been in a "scrape," and that I was to be examined before my master; and if their information proved false, I should not be hurt.

In a few moments, they succeeded in tying John. They then turned to Henry, who had by this time returned, and commanded him to cross his hands. "I won't!" said Henry, in a firm tone, indicating his **readiness** to meet the consequences of his refusal. "Won't you?" said Tom Graham, the constable. "No, I won't!" said Henry, in a still stronger tone. With this, two of the constables pulled out their **shining pistols**, and **swore**, by their Creator, that they would make him cross his hands or kill him. Each **cocked** his pistol, and, with fingers on the **trigger**, walked up to Henry, saying, at the same time, if he did not cross his hands, they would blow his **damned** heart out. "Shoot me, shoot me!" said Henry; "you can't kill me but once. Shoot, shoot, —and be damned! I won't be tied!" This he said in a tone of loud defiance; and at the same time, with a motion as quick as **lightning**, he with one single stroke dashed the pistols from the hand of each constable. As he did this, all hands fell upon him, and, after beating him some time, they finally **overpowered** him, and got him tied.

During the **scuffle**, I managed, I know not how, to get my pass out, and, without being discovered, put it into the fire. We were all now tied; and just as

## German

Wetterleuchten.

cocked: richtete auf. constables: Polizisten, Schutzmänner. damned: verdammt, gottverdammt, verflixt, verflucht, verdammt noch mal. dismounted: saßen ab, saßt ab, saßest ab, saß ab, abgesessen. dismounting: absitzend. gentlemen: Ehrenmänner, Herren. haste: Eile, Hast, Geschwindigkeit.

lightning: Blitz, Himmelsfeuer,

betokening: ankündigend.

overpowered: zähmtest, unterworfen, zähmte, unterwarft, unterwarfst, unterwarfst, unterwarfen, unterwarf, zähmtet, überwältigtet, zähmten, überwältigten.
pistol: Pistole, Spritze, Wehr, Waffe, Knarre, Flinte.
pistols: Pistolen.
readiness: Bereitschaft.
rode: ritt.
scuffle: Handgemenge, Raufen,

Kämpfen, Schlägerei, Schlacht, Scharmützeln, Keilerei, Balgerei, Fechten, Kampf. shining: glänzend, strahlend, leuchtend, glimmend. swore: schwurst, schwur, schwurt, schwuren, schwor, fluchtet, fluchtest, fluchten, fluchte, beeidigtet, beeidigten. trigger: Auslöser, Abzug, auslösen,

**trigger**: Ausloser, Abzug, auslosen, Drücker, Hahn, Abzug von eine Feuerwaffe, Trigger. we were to leave for Easton jail, Betsy Freeland, mother of William Freeland, came to the door with her hands full of biscuits, and divided them between Henry and John. She then delivered herself of a speech, to the following effect:—addressing herself to me, she said, "You devil! You yellow devil! it was you that put it into the heads of Henry and John to run away. But for you, you long-legged mulatto devil! Henry nor John would never have thought of such a thing." I made no reply, and was immediately hurried off towards St. Michael's. Just a moment previous to the scuffle with Henry, Mr. Hamilton suggested the propriety of making a search for the protections which he had understood Frederick had written for himself and the rest. But, just at the moment he was about carrying his proposal into effect, his aid was needed in helping to tie Henry; and the excitement attending the scuffle caused them either to forget, or to deem it unsafe, under the circumstances, to search. So we were not yet convicted of the intention to run away.

When we got about half way to St. Michael's, while the constables having us in charge were looking ahead, Henry inquired of me what he should do with his pass. I told him to eat it with his biscuit, and own nothing; and we passed the word around, "Own nothing;" and "Own nothing!" said we all. Our confidence in each other was unshaken. We were resolved to succeed or fail together, after the calamity had **befallen** us as much as before. We were now prepared for any thing. We were to be dragged that morning fifteen miles behind horses, and then to be placed in the Easton jail. When we reached St. Michael's, we underwent a sort of examination. We all denied that we ever intended to run away. We did this more to bring out the evidence against us, than from any hope of getting clear of being sold; for, as I have said, we were ready for that. The fact was, we **cared** but little where we went, so we went together. Our greatest concern was about **separation**. We dreaded that more than any thing this side of death. We found the evidence against us to be the **testimony** of one person; our master would not tell who it was; but we came to a unanimous decision among ourselves as to who their **informant** was. We were sent off to the jail at Easton. When we got there, we were delivered up to the **sheriff**, Mr. Joseph Graham, and by him placed in jail. Henry, John, and myself, were placed

# German informant: Informant, Informantin.

jail: Gefängnis, Kerker, einsperren.

attending: besuchend, pflegend, beiwohnend.
befallen: geschehen, zugestoßen, passiert.
biscuit: Biskuit, Keks, Zwieback,
Bisquit, Gebäck, Kuchen, Massekloß.
biscuits: Kekse, Gebäck.
cared: sorgte.
dragged: zog, zogt, gezogen, zogst, zogen, geschleppt, schlepptest, schlepptest, schlepptet.
hurried: beeilt, hastig, eilig.

propriety: Anstand, Anständigkeit, der Anstand, die Anständigkeit, die Korrektheit, die Schicklichkeit, Gute Erziehung, Schicklichkeit. separation: Trennung, Abtrennung, Abscheidung, Scheidung, Absonderung, Isolierung, Abteilung, sheriff: der Scheriff, Sheriff, der Sheriff, Friedensrichter. succeed: gelingen, gelingt, gelinge,

gelingst, erfolg haben, folgen. testimony: Zeugnis, Zeugenaussage, Testimonium, Attest, Zertifikat. tie: Krawatte, Band, binden, Schlips, verbinden, Binde, Verband, knüpfen, Knöpfe, Klotz am Bein, anschließen. unanimous: einmütig, einstimmig, einhellig, einig, gleichgestimmt, gemeinsam, gleichförmig, geschlossen, solidarisch, gemeinschaftlich. unshaken: unerschüttert.

in one room together - Charles, and Henry Bailey, in another. Their object in separating us was to hinder concert.

We had been in jail **scarcely** twenty minutes, when a **swarm** of slave **traders**, and agents for slave traders, flocked into jail to look at us, and to ascertain if we were for sale. Such a set of beings I never saw before! I felt myself surrounded by so many **fiends** from **perdition**. A band of **pirates** never looked more like their father, the devil. They laughed and grinned over us, saying, "Ah, my boys! we have got you, haven't we?" And after taunting us in various ways, they one by one went into an examination of us, with intent to ascertain our value. They would impudently ask us if we would not like to have them for our masters. We would make them no answer, and leave them to find out as best they could. Then they would curse and **swear** at us, telling us that they could take the devil out of us in a very little while, if we were only in their hands.

While in jail, we found ourselves in much more comfortable quarters than we expected when we went there. We did not get much to eat, nor that which was very good; but we had a good clean room, from the windows of which we could see what was going on in the street, which was very much better than though we had been placed in one of the dark, damp cells. Upon the whole, we got along very well, so far as the jail and its keeper were concerned. Immediately after the holidays were over, contrary to all our expectations, Mr. Hamilton and Mr. Freeland came up to Easton, and took Charles, the two Henrys, and John, out of jail, and carried them home, leaving me alone. I regarded this separation as a final one. It caused me more pain than any thing else in the whole transaction. I was ready for any thing rather than separation. I supposed that they had consulted together, and had decided that, as I was the whole cause of the intention of the others to run away, it was hard to make the innocent suffer with the guilty; and that they had, therefore, concluded to take the others home, and sell me, as a warning to the others that remained. It is due to the noble Henry to say, he seemed almost as reluctant at leaving the prison as at leaving home to come to the prison. But we knew we should, in all **probability**, be **separated**, if

# German

consulted: konsultiertet, konsultiert, konsultierte, konsultierten, konsultiertest, befragt, befragte, befragten, befragtest, befragtet, herangezogen. fiends: Unmenschen.

flocked: beflockt, versammelte sich.

grinned: grinste.

impudently: unverschämt, frech. intent: Absicht, Vorhaben, Vorsatz. keeper: Wärter, Wächter, Aufseher. noble: edel, Adlig, edelmütig, adelig,

hehr, erhaben, stattlich, nobel. perdition: Verderben. pirates: Seeräuber, Piraten. probability: Wahrscheinlichkeit, Wahrscheinlich. quarters: Viertel. scarcely: kaum, fast kein, schwerlich,

knapp, gering, fast keine.

separated: getrennt, gesondert, abgesondert, geschieden, entbunden, geteilt, aufgeteilt, aufgelöst, auseinander gegangen.

separating: absondernd, trennend, Auseinandergehen, scheidend,

swarm: Schwarm, schwärmen, wimmeln, Gewimmel, schwirren.

swear: schwören, schwöre, schwörst, schwört, fluchen, beeidigen, beschwören, flucht, beeidigt,

beeidige, fluche.

taunting: stichelnd, verspottend, verspotten, Spott, Hohn, spottend. traders: Kaufmänner.

we were sold; and since he was in their hands, he concluded to go peaceably home.

I was now left to my fate. I was all alone, and within the walls of a stone prison. But a few days before, and I was full of hope. I expected to have been safe in a land of freedom; but now I was covered with gloom, sunk down to the utmost despair. I thought the possibility of freedom was gone. I was kept in this way about one week, at the end of which, Captain Auld, my master, to my surprise and utter astonishment, came up, and took me out, with the intention of sending me, with a gentleman of his acquaintance, into Alabama. But, from some cause or other, he did not send me to Alabama, but concluded to send me back to Baltimore, to live again with his brother Hugh, and to learn a trade.

Thus, after an absence of three years and one month, I was once more **permitted** to return to my old home at Baltimore. My master sent me away, because there existed against me a very great prejudice in the community, and he feared I might be killed.

In a few weeks after I went to Baltimore, Master Hugh hired me to Mr. William Gardner, an extensive ship-builder, on Fell's Point. I was put there to learn how to calk. It, however, proved a very unfavorable place for the accomplishment of this object. Mr. Gardner was engaged that spring in building two large man-of-war brigs, professedly for the Mexican government. The vessels were to be launched in the July of that year, and in failure thereof, Mr. Gardner was to lose a considerable sum; so that when I entered, all was hurry. There was no time to learn any thing. Every man had to do that which he knew how to do. In entering the ship-yard, my orders from Mr. Gardner were, to do whatever the carpenters commanded me to do. This was placing me at the beck and call of about seventy-five men. I was to regard all these as masters. Their word was to be my law. My situation was a most trying one. At times I needed a dozen pair of hands. I was called a dozen ways in the space of a single minute. Three or four voices would strike my ear at the same moment. It was—"Fred., come help me to **cant** this timber here." – "Fred., come carry this timber yonder." – "Fred., bring that roller here." – "Fred., go get a fresh can of water." –

## German

accomplishment: Ausführung, Vollbringung, Tat, Handlung. astonishment: Erstaunen, Verwunderung, Aufsehen, Wunder, Staunen, Befremdung. beck: Wink. brigs: briggs. calk: kalfatern, Stollen. cant: kippen. despair: Verzweiflung, verzweifeln, Schwermut, Ratlosigkeit, Mutlosigkeit, Lebensmüdigkeit,

engaged: besetzt, beschäftigt, legte ein, pressieren, schnell, jagen, hasten. legtet ein, legtest ein, engagierte, sich peaceably: friedlich. befassen, sich beschäftigen, engagierten, engagiertest, legten ein. entering: eintretend, hereinkommend, roller: Walze, Rolle, Zylinder, hineingehend, eintragend, Hineingehen, betretend, buchend, Eindringen, eingehend, einsteigend, einlaufend.

gardner: Gärtner. hurry: eilen, Eile, sich beeilen, beeilen,

sputen, hast, Tempo machen, permitted: zulässig, erlaubt. **placing**: Platzierung, platzierend. Blauracke, Lockenwickler. sunk: gesunken. thereof: davon. unfavorable: unvorteilhaft, ungünstig. vessels: Schiffchen, Schiffe, Gefäße,

Kähne, Geschirr, Dampfer.

"Fred., come help saw off the end of this timber." – "Fred., go quick, and get the crowbar." – "Fred., hold on the end of this fall." – "Fred., go to the blacksmith's shop, and get a new punch." – "Hurra, Fred.! run and bring me a cold chisel." – "I say, Fred., bear a hand, and get up a fire as quick as lightning under that steam-box." – "Halloo, nigger! come, turn this grindstone." – "Come, come! move, move! and BOWSE this timber forward." – "I say, darky, blast your eyes, why don't you heat up some pitch?" - "Halloo! halloo! halloo!" (Three voices at the same time.) "Come here! - Go there! - Hold on where you are! Damn you, if you move, I'll **knock** your brains out!"

This was my school for eight months; and I might have remained there longer, but for a most horrid fight I had with four of the white apprentices, in which my left eye was nearly knocked out, and I was horribly mangled in other respects. The facts in the case were these: Until a very little while after I went there, white and black ship-carpenters worked side by side, and no one seemed to see any impropriety in it. All hands seemed to be very well satisfied. Many of the black carpenters were freemen. Things seemed to be going on very well. All at once, the white carpenters knocked off, and said they would not work with free colored workmen. Their reason for this, as alleged, was, that if free colored carpenters were encouraged, they would soon take the trade into their own hands, and poor white men would be thrown out of employment. They therefore felt called upon at once to put a stop to it. And, taking advantage of Mr. Gardner's necessities, they broke off, swearing they would work no longer, unless he would discharge his black carpenters. Now, though this did not extend to me in form, it did reach me in fact. My fellow-apprentices very soon began to feel it degrading to them to work with me. They began to put on airs, and talk about the "niggers" taking the country, saying we all ought to be killed; and, being encouraged by the **journeymen**, they commenced making my condition as hard as they could, by hectoring me around, and sometimes **striking** me. I, of course, kept the **vow** I made after the fight with Mr. Covey, and struck back again, regardless of consequences; and while I kept them from combining, I succeeded very well; for I could whip the whole of them, taking them separately. They, however, at length combined, and came upon me, armed

# German Ungebührlichkeit, Unanständigkeit,

Sauerei, Grobheit.

apprentices: Lehrlinge. blast: Windstoß, sprengen, Explosion. combining: Kombinierend. damn: verdammen, verurteilen, verdammt, verwünschen, verfluchen, schlagen, Anschlag. verdammtnochmal. discharge: Entladung, entladen, Entlastung, Abfluß, verabschieden, entlassen, Entlassung, Abdanken, Quittung, Durchfluss, Austrag. impropriety: Ungehörigkeit, Unschicklichkeit, Ungezogenheit,

journeymen: Gesellen. knock: klopfen, schlag, anklopfen, necessities: Notwendigkeiten, Lebensbedärfe, Lebensnotwendigkeiten, Lebensbedürfnisse. regardless: ohne Bezug, ungeachtet, unbekümmert, trotzdem, ohne Rücksicht, achtlos, ohne Rücksicht

striking: auffallend, eindrucksvoll, ungewöhnlich, schlagend, unverkennbar, prononciert, beachtenswert, hervorragend, plakativ, bemerkenswert, anschlagend. swearing: schwörend, fluchend, Beeidigung, beeidigend, Krönung, feierliche Einsetzung, Vereidigung. vow: Schwur, Gelübde, geloben. workmen: Arbeiter.

with sticks, stones, and heavy **handspikes**. One came in front with a half brick. There was one at each side of me, and one behind me. While I was attending to those in front, and on either side, the one behind ran up with the handspike, and struck me a heavy blow upon the head. It **stunned** me. I fell, and with this they all ran upon me, and fell to beating me with their fists. I let them lay on for a while, gathering strength. In an instant, I gave a sudden surge, and rose to my hands and knees. Just as I did that, one of their number gave me, with his heavy boot, a powerful kick in the left eye. My eyeball seemed to have burst. When they saw my eye closed, and badly swollen, they left me. With this I seized the handspike, and for a time pursued them. But here the carpenters **interfered**, and I thought I might as well give it up. It was impossible to stand my hand against so many. All this took place in sight of not less than fifty white ship-carpenters, and not one interposed a friendly word; but some cried, "Kill the damned nigger! Kill him! kill him! He struck a white person." I found my only chance for life was in flight. I succeeded in getting away without an additional blow, and barely so; for to strike a white man is death by Lynch law, - and that was the law in Mr. Gardner's ship-yard; nor is there much of any other out of Mr. Gardner's ship-yard.

I went directly home, and told the story of my wrongs to Master Hugh; and I am happy to say of him, **irreligious** as he was, his conduct was heavenly, compared with that of his brother Thomas under similar circumstances. He listened attentively to my narration of the circumstances leading to the savage outrage, and gave many **proofs** of his strong **indignation** at it. The heart of my once overkind mistress was again **melted** into pity. My puffed-out eye and blood-covered face moved her to tears. She took a chair by me, washed the blood from my face, and, with a mother's tenderness, bound up my head, covering the wounded eye with a lean piece of fresh beef. It was almost compensation for my suffering to witness, once more, a manifestation of kindness from this, my once affectionate old mistress. Master Hugh was very much enraged. He gave expression to his feelings by **pouring** out curses upon the heads of those who did the deed. As soon as I got a little the better of my bruises, he took me with him to Esquire Watson's, on Bond Street, to see what

# German

interfered: vermittelte.

attentively: aufmerksam. bruises: Quetscht, Zerstampft. eyeball: Augapfel. fists: Fäuste. gathering: Versammlung, Sammeln, Erfassung, Zusammenkunft, Schwarm, Einholen, Einziehen, Zusammensein, Gewühl, Masse, handspike: die Handspeiche, Hebel, der Hebebaum.

indignation: Empörung, Entrüstung,

interposed: eingeworfen. irreligious: ungläubig. melted: geschmolzen. narration: Erzählung. pouring: der Abguss, der Abstich, der Roheisenabstich, gießen, giessend, strömend, das Abstechen. proofs: Beweis, Fest, Alkoholgehalt, Beweise, Korrektur, Probe, Prüfung,

instant: Augenblick, Moment, sofortig. stunned: betäubt, benommen, fassungslos, betäubtet, betäubten, betäubte, berauscht, betäubtest, apathisch, duselig, benebelt. surge: Stromstoß, wogen. swollen: geschwollen, angeschwollen, aufgedunsen, verschwollen. wounded: Verwundet, angeschossen, wund, getroffen, verletzt, verwundete. wrongs: Falsch.

could be done about the matter. Mr. Watson inquired who saw the assault committed. Master Hugh told him it was done in Mr. Gardner's ship-yard at midday, where there were a large company of men at work. "As to that," he said, "the deed was done, and there was no question as to who did it." His answer was, he could do nothing in the case, unless some white man would come forward and testify. He could issue no warrant on my word. If I had been killed in the presence of a thousand colored people, their testimony combined would have been insufficient to have arrested one of the murderers. Master Hugh, for once, was compelled to say this state of things was too bad. Of course, it was impossible to get any white man to volunteer his testimony in my behalf, and against the white young men. Even those who may have **sympathized** with me were not prepared to do this. It required a degree of courage unknown to them to do so; for just at that time, the slightest manifestation of humanity toward a colored person was denounced as abolitionism, and that name subjected its bearer to frightful liabilities. The watch-words of the bloody-minded in that region, and in those days, were, "Damn the abolitionists!" and "Damn the niggers!" There was nothing done, and probably nothing would have been done if I had been killed. Such was, and such remains, the state of things in the Christian city of Baltimore.

Master Hugh, finding he could get no **redress**, refused to let me go back again to Mr. Gardner. He kept me himself, and his wife dressed my wound till I was again restored to health. He then took me into the ship-yard of which he was **foreman**, in the employment of Mr. Walter Price. There I was immediately set to calking, and very soon learned the art of using my mallet and irons. In the course of one year from the time I left Mr. Gardner's, I was able to command the highest wages given to the most experienced calkers. I was now of some importance to my master. I was bringing him from six to seven dollars per week. I sometimes brought him nine dollars per week: my wages were a dollar and a half a day. After learning how to calk, I sought my own employment, made my own contracts, and collected the money which I earned. My pathway became much more smooth than before; my condition was now much more comfortable. When I could get no calking to do, I did nothing. During these leisure times,

#### German

abolitionism: Abschaffung, Abolitionismus. calking: pausend. courage: Mut, Tüchtigkeit, Schneidigkeit, Rüstigkeit. denounced: denunziertest, denunzierten, denunzierte, denunziert, zeigten an, denunziertet, angezeigt, zeigte an, zeigtet an, zeigtest an, brandmarkten. foreman: Vorarbeiter, Meister, Werkmeister, Sägemeister,

Kolonnenführer, Hüttenmeister, Häupter, Haupt, Gruppenleiter, Anführer, Obergeselle. humanity: Menschlichkeit, Menschheit, Humanität, Menschenfreundlichkeit. insufficient: ungenügend, unzureichend, unzulänglich, nicht ausreichend.

liabilities: Verpflichtungen, Passiva, Verbindlichkeiten, Haftung,

Schulden. mallet: Holzhammer, Hammer, Schlegel, Schlaghammer. midday: Mittag, Mittäglich. murderers: Mörder. redress: Entschädigungsansprüche, Entschädigungsanspruch. sympathized: mitgefühlt, fühltest mit, fühlten mit, gemeinschaftlich, fühltet mit, fühlte mit, gemeinsam. volunteer: Freiwilliger, Freiwillige, Volontär, Anwärter, Praktikant.

those old **notions** about freedom would steal over me again. When in Mr. Gardner's employment, I was kept in such a **perpetual whirl** of excitement, I could think of nothing, scarcely, but my life; and in thinking of my life, I almost forgot my liberty. I have observed this in my experience of slavery, — that whenever my condition was improved, instead of its increasing my contentment, it only increased my desire to be free, and set me to thinking of plans to gain my freedom. I have found that, to make a contented slave, it is necessary to make a **thoughtless** one. It is necessary to darken his moral and mental vision, and, as far as possible, to **annihilate** the power of reason. He must be able to **detect** no **inconsistencies** in slavery; he must be made to feel that slavery is right; and he can be brought to that only when he **ceases** to be a man.

I was now getting, as I have said, one **dollar** and fifty **cents** per day. I **contracted** for it; I earned it; it was paid to me; it was **rightfully** my own; yet, upon each returning Saturday night, I was compelled to deliver every cent of that money to Master Hugh. And why? Not because he earned it,—not because he had any hand in **earning** it,—not because I **owed** it to him,—nor because he **possessed** the slightest shadow of a right to it; but solely because he had the power to compel me to give it up. The right of the grim-visaged **pirate** upon the high **seas** is exactly the same.

## German

annihilate: vernichten, vernichte, vernichtest, vernichtet, zerschlagen, auslöschen.
ceases: endet.
cent: Cent.
cents: Prozente.
contracted: zusammengezogen, vertrag geschlossen.
detect: erkennen, entdecken, nachweisen, ermitteln, erkennt, erkennst, erkenne.
dollar: Dollar.

earning: verdienend, verdienen.
inconsistencies: Unvereinbarkeiten.
notions: Ahnungen.
owed: geschuldet, schuldete,
schuldeten, schuldetest, schuldetet.
perpetual: ewig, fortwährend, endlos,
zeitlebens, lebenslänglich,
lebenslang, grenzenlos, entlos
dauernd, auf Lebenszeit.
pirate: Pirat, Seeräuber, Geiselnehmer,
Glücksritter, Kaper, Korsar.
possessed: besaßest, besaßt, besaßen,

besaß, besessen.
rightfully: rechtmäßig,
gerechterweise.
seas: Meere.
thoughtless: gedankenlos,
rücksichtslos, unüberlegt,
unbesonnen, leichtfertig,
geistesabwesend, gedankenlosig,
leichtsinnig, unbedachtsam,
abwesend, waghalsig.
whirl: wirbeln, sich drehen, kreiseln,
quirlen, schwingen, Wirbel.

## CHAPTER XI

I now come to that part of my life during which I planned, and finally succeeded in making, my escape from slavery. But before narrating any of the peculiar circumstances, I deem it proper to make known my intention not to state all the facts connected with the transaction. My reasons for pursuing this course may be understood from the following: First, were I to give a minute statement of all the facts, it is not only possible, but quite probable, that others would thereby be involved in the most embarrassing difficulties. Secondly, such a statement would most undoubtedly induce greater vigilance on the part of slaveholders than has existed heretofore among them; which would, of course, be the means of guarding a door whereby some dear brother bondman might escape his galling chains. I deeply regret the necessity that impels me to suppress any thing of importance connected with my experience in slavery. It would afford me great pleasure indeed, as well as materially add to the interest of my **narrative**, were I at liberty to **gratify** a **curiosity**, which I know exists in the minds of many, by an accurate statement of all the facts pertaining to my most fortunate escape. But I must deprive myself of this pleasure, and the curious of the gratification which such a statement would afford. I would allow myself to suffer under the greatest imputations which evil-minded men might suggest, rather than exculpate myself, and thereby run the hazard of closing the slightest avenue by which a brother slave might clear himself of the chains and fetters of slavery.

# German

Boulevard.
curiosity: Neugierde, Neugier,
Seltenheit, Kuriosität, Kuriosum,
Seltsames Exemplar, Wißbegier,
Sehenswürdigkeit, Neugierigkeit,
Exentrizität.
embarrassing: peinlich, hindernd,
genant, unangenhem.
evil-minded: übelgesinnt.
exculpate: entschuldigen,
freisprechen, rechtfertigen.

avenue: Allee, Straße, Baumgang,

fetters: Fesselt, Fußfesseln.
gratify: befriedigen, befriedige,
befriedigst, befriedigt,
guarding: Bewachung.
heretofore: bis jetzt, vordem.
impels: treibt.
induce: induzieren, veranlassen,
induziere, induzierst, induziert,
bewegen, schließen, veranlasse,
folgern, veranlaßt.
materially: materiell, wesentlich.
narrating: erzählend.

narrative: Erzählung, erzählend, Geschichte, Bericht, Schilderung, erzählerisch.pertaining: betreffend, gehörend.

probable: Wahrscheinlich, vermutlich, mutmaßlich, voraussichtlich, glaubhaft.

regret: Bedauern, bereuen, etwas bedauern, leid tun, beweinen, beklagen, betrauern.

vigilance: Wachsamkeit, Vigilanz. whereby: wodurch, womit, wobei.

I have never approved of the very public manner in which some of our western friends have conducted what they call the underground railroad, but which I think, by their open **declarations**, has been made most **emphatically** the upperground railroad. I honor those good men and women for their noble daring, and applaud them for willingly subjecting themselves to bloody persecution, by openly **avowing** their participation in the escape of slaves. I, however, can see very little good resulting from such a course, either to themselves or the slaves escaping; while, upon the other hand, I see and feel assured that those open declarations are a positive evil to the slaves remaining, who are seeking to escape. They do nothing towards enlightening the slave, whilst they do much towards enlightening the master. They stimulate him to greater watchfulness, and enhance his power to capture his slave. We owe something to the slave south of the line as well as to those north of it; and in aiding the latter on their way to freedom, we should be careful to do nothing which would be likely to hinder the former from escaping from slavery. I would keep the merciless slaveholder **profoundly** ignorant of the means of flight adopted by the slave. I would leave him to imagine himself surrounded by myriads of invisible tormentors, ever ready to snatch from his infernal grasp his trembling prey. Let him be left to feel his way in the dark; let darkness commensurate with his crime hover over him; and let him feel that at every step he takes, in pursuit of the flying bondman, he is running the frightful risk of having his hot brains dashed out by an invisible agency. Let us render the tyrant no aid; let us not hold the light by which he can trace the **footprints** of our flying brother. But enough of this. I will now proceed to the statement of those facts, connected with my escape, for which I am alone responsible, and for which no one can be made to suffer but myself.

In the early part of the year 1838, I became quite restless. I could see no reason why I should, at the end of each week, pour the reward of my toil into the **purse** of my master. When I carried to him my weekly wages, he would, after counting the money, look me in the face with a robber-like fierceness, and ask, "Is this all?" He was satisfied with nothing less than the last cent. He would, however, when I made him six dollars, sometimes give me six cents, to

## German

applaud: applaudieren, applaudiert, applaudierst, applaudiere, Beifall spenden, klatschen, klatsche, klatscht, klatschst, akklamieren, akklamierst.

avowing: bekennend. commensurate: gleich groß,

angemessen. daring: wagend, wagemutig, gewagt, Tollkühnheit, Wagemut, Kühnheit, Schneidigkeit, sich Getrauen, verwegen, Schneid, Mut haben. declarations: Erklärungen.
emphatically: nachdrücklich,
ausdrücklich.
enlightening: erleuchtend.
escaping: entgehend, verlassend.
footprints: Fußspuren.
hover: schweben, schwebst, schwebe,
schwebt, gleiteen, hängen.
myriads: Myriaden.
persecution: Verfolgung, Verfahren,
Rechtsverfahren, gerichtliche
Verfolgung.

profoundly: tief, tiefsinnig.
purse: Geldbeutel, Handtasche,
Beutel, Börse, Brieftasche, Geldbörse,
Portemonnaie, Portemonaie.
pursuit: Verfolgung,
railroad: Eisenbahn, Bahn.
subjecting: unterwerfend.
tyrant: Tyrann, Wüterich, Despot.
watchfulness: Wachsamkeit.
willingly: bereitwillig, gern, gutwillig,
zuvorkommend, wohlwollend,

encourage me. It had the opposite effect. I regarded it as a sort of admission of my right to the whole. The fact that he gave me any part of my wages was proof, to my mind, that he believed me entitled to the whole of them. I always felt worse for having received any thing; for I feared that the giving me a few cents would ease his conscience, and make him feel himself to be a pretty honorable sort of robber. My discontent grew upon me. I was ever on the look-out for means of escape; and, finding no direct means, I determined to try to hire my time, with a view of getting money with which to make my escape. In the spring of 1838, when Master Thomas came to Baltimore to purchase his spring goods, I got an opportunity, and applied to him to allow me to hire my time. He unhesitatingly refused my request, and told me this was another stratagem by which to escape. He told me I could go nowhere but that he could get me; and that, in the event of my running away, he should spare no pains in his efforts to catch me. He **exhorted** me to content myself, and be **obedient**. He told me, if I would be happy, I must lay out no plans for the future. He said, if I behaved myself properly, he would take care of me. Indeed, he advised me to complete thoughtlessness of the future, and taught me to depend solely upon him for happiness. He seemed to see fully the **pressing** necessity of setting aside my intellectual nature, in order to contentment in slavery. But in spite of him, and even in spite of myself, I continued to think, and to think about the injustice of my enslavement, and the means of escape.

About two months after this, I applied to Master Hugh for the **privilege** of hiring my time. He was not acquainted with the fact that I had applied to Master Thomas, and had been refused. He too, at first, seemed disposed to refuse; but, after some reflection, he granted me the privilege, and proposed the following terms: I was to be allowed all my time, make all contracts with those for whom I worked, and find my own employment; and, in return for this liberty, I was to pay him three dollars at the end of each week; find myself in calking tools, and in board and clothing. My board was two dollars and a half per week. This, with the wear and tear of clothing and calking tools, made my regular expenses about six dollars per week. This amount I was compelled to make up, or **relinquish** the privilege of hiring my time. Rain or **shine**, work or no work, at

#### German

behaved: benahm sich, benahm. clothing: Kleidung, kleidend, Bekleidung, Bekleidend, ankleidend, Kleider, Einkleidend, Anziehen, Anlegen, Ankleiden. discontent: Unzufriedenheit, Unzufrieden. exhorted: ermahnt, ermahnte, ermahnten, ermahntest, ermahntet. hiring: mietend, heuernd, dingend. honorable: ehrenwert, ehrenhaft. injustice: Ungerechtigkeit, Unrecht,

Unrechtfertigkeit. obedient: gehorsam, folgsam, fügsam, robber: Räuber, Freibeuter, gefügig, gefällig, willig, zahm. pains: Sorgen. pressing: Pressung, dringend. privilege: Privileg, Vorrecht, Vergünstigung, Privilegium, Privilegieren, bevorzugen, begünstigen, Vorzug, Vorzugsrecht. relinquish: aufgeben, abtreten, tritt ab, absehen, trete ab, geben auf, verzichten, weichen, gebe auf, gebt

auf, gib auf. shine: leuchten, scheinen, glänzen, schein, schimmern, Glanz, strahlen, Schimmer, blinken, glühen. stratagem: List. tear: zerreißen, Träne, einreißen, zerren, reißen, Riss, aufreißen, zupfen, zerlegen, zerfetzen, tränen. thoughtlessness: Gedankenlosigkeit, Unüberlegtheit, Rücksichtslosigkeit.

the end of each week the money must be forthcoming, or I must give up my privilege. This arrangement, it will be perceived, was **decidedly** in my master's favor. It relieved him of all need of looking after me. His money was sure. He received all the benefits of slaveholding without its evils; while I endured all the evils of a slave, and suffered all the care and anxiety of a freeman. I found it a hard bargain. But, hard as it was, I thought it better than the old mode of getting along. It was a step towards freedom to be allowed to bear the responsibilities of a freeman, and I was determined to hold on upon it. I bent myself to the work of making money. I was ready to work at night as well as day, and by the most untiring perseverance and industry, I made enough to meet my expenses, and lay up a little money every week. I went on thus from May till August. Master Hugh then refused to allow me to hire my time longer. The ground for his refusal was a failure on my part, one Saturday night, to pay him for my week's time. This failure was occasioned by my attending a camp meeting about ten miles from Baltimore. During the week, I had entered into an engagement with a number of young friends to start from Baltimore to the camp ground early Saturday evening; and being detained by my employer, I was unable to get down to Master Hugh's without disappointing the company. I knew that Master Hugh was in no special need of the money that night. I therefore decided to go to camp meeting, and upon my return pay him the three dollars. I staid at the camp meeting one day longer than I intended when I left. But as soon as I returned, I called upon him to pay him what he considered his due. I found him very angry; he could scarce **restrain** his **wrath**. He said he had a great mind to give me a severe whipping. He wished to know how I dared go out of the city without asking his permission. I told him I hired my time and while I paid him the price which he asked for it, I did not know that I was bound to ask him when and where I should go. This reply troubled him; and, after reflecting a few moments, he turned to me, and said I should hire my time no longer; that the next thing he should know of, I would be running away. Upon the same plea, he told me to bring my tools and clothing home forthwith. I did so; but instead of seeking work, as I had been accustomed to do previously to hiring my time, I spent the whole week without the performance of a single stroke of work. I did

## German

disappointing: enttäuschend.

gekrümmt, verneigt, vorüber
gebogen, umgebogen, geneigt,
gewölbt, gewunden.

dared: wagtet, wagten, wagte, gewagt,
wagtest.

decidedly: entschieden.
detained: abgehalten, setztet fest,
zurückgehalten, setztets fest, setzten
fest, setzte fest, hieltet zurück, hieltet
fest, hieltest zurück, hieltest fest,
hielten zurück.

dengagement: Verpflichtung
verlabenden.
forthcoming:
forthwith: unv
perseverance:
Ausdauer, Setsudantigke,
Aushalten.

bent: Gebogen, verbogen, krumm,

engagement: Verlobung,
Verpflichtung, Verbindung,
Verabredung, Einstellung.
evils: Sünden.
forthcoming: bevorstehend,
entgegenkommend, mitteilsam.
forthwith: unverzüglich, sofort.
perseverance: Beharrlichkeit,
Ausdauer, Beharren, Beharrung,
Standhaftigkeit, Zähigkeit,
Aushalten.

plea: Einspruch, Plädieren, Beweisgrund, Argument, Bitte. reflecting: reflektierend, abspiegelnd. restrain: zurückhalten, hältst zurück, haltet zurück, halten zurück, halte zurück, beherrschen, beherrsche, beherrscht, beherrschst, enthalten, sich beruhigen. troubled: gestört, beunruhigt, aufgewühlt, trüb, unruhig, trübe.

aufgewühlt, trüb, unruhig, trübe. wrath: Zorn, Wut, Erbitterung, Grimm, Gram.

this in **retaliation**. Saturday night, he called upon me as usual for my week's wages. I told him I had no wages; I had done no work that week. Here we were upon the point of coming to blows. He raved, and swore his determination to get hold of me. I did not allow myself a single word; but was resolved, if he laid the weight of his hand upon me, it should be blow for blow. He did not strike me, but told me that he would find me in constant employment in future. I thought the matter over during the next day, Sunday, and finally resolved upon the third day of September, as the day upon which I would make a second attempt to secure my freedom. I now had three weeks during which to prepare for my journey. Early on Monday morning, before Master Hugh had time to make any engagement for me, I went out and got employment of Mr. Butler, at his ship-yard near the drawbridge, upon what is called the City Block, thus making it unnecessary for him to seek employment for me. At the end of the week, I brought him between eight and nine dollars. He seemed very well pleased, and asked why I did not do the same the week before. He little knew what my plans were. My object in working **steadily** was to remove any suspicion he might entertain of my intent to run away; and in this I succeeded admirably. I suppose he thought I was never better satisfied with my condition than at the very time during which I was planning my escape. The second week passed, and again I carried him my full wages; and so well pleased was he, that he gave me twenty-five cents, (quite a large sum for a slaveholder to give a slave,) and bade me to make a good use of it. I told him I would.

Things went on without very **smoothly** indeed, but within there was trouble. It is impossible for me to describe my feelings as the time of my **contemplated** start drew near. I had a number of warm-hearted friends in Baltimore, - friends that I loved almost as I did my life, – and the thought of being separated from them forever was painful beyond expression. It is my opinion that thousands would escape from slavery, who now remain, but for the strong cords of affection that bind them to their friends. The thought of leaving my friends was decidedly the most painful thought with which I had to contend. The love of them was my tender point, and shook my decision more than all things else. Besides the pain of separation, the dread and apprehension of a failure exceeded

# German

admirably: bewundernswert. affection: Zuneigung, Neigung, Affekt, Bewegung, Erkrankung, Gemütsbewegung, Krankheit, Liebe, Wohlwollen, Rührung. butler: Hausdiener, Herrenknecht, Kammerdiener, Butler. contemplated: betrachtete, betrachtetet, betrachtetest, betrachteten, betrachtet. contend: streiten. cords: Schnüre, Bindfäden, Drähte,

Seile. dollars: Dollars. drawbridge: Zugbrücke, Klappbrücke. smoothly: reibungslos, glatt, weich. entertain: bewirten, unterhalten, unterhalte, unterhaltet, unterhältst, bewirtet, bewirte, bewirtest, regalieren, gastieren, zerstreuen. forever: für immer, ewig, auf immer, unumstößlich, definitiv, endgültig, fortwährend, immer, ständig, unwiderruflich, unwiederbringlich. raved: gerast.

retaliation: Vergeltung, Vergeltungsmaßnahme. steadily: ständig, zuverlässig, ununterbrochen, stet. suspicion: Verdacht, Argwohn, Vermutung, Vorgefühl, Ahnung, tender: zart, Angebot, weich, Verdingung, anbieten, Anerbieten, empfindlich, mürbe, präsentieren,

Submission, sorgfältig.

what I had experienced at my first attempt. The appalling defeat I then sustained returned to **torment** me. I felt assured that, if I failed in this attempt, my case would be a hopeless one—it would seal my fate as a slave forever. I could not hope to get off with any thing less than the severest punishment, and being placed beyond the means of escape. It required no very vivid imagination to **depict** the most frightful scenes through which I should have to pass, in case I failed. The wretchedness of slavery, and the **blessedness** of freedom, were **perpetually** before me. It was life and death with me. But I remained firm, and, according to my resolution, on the third day of September, 1838, I left my chains, and succeeded in reaching New York without the slightest interruption of any kind. How I did so,—what means I adopted,—what direction I travelled, and by what mode of conveyance,—I must leave **unexplained**, for the reasons before mentioned.

I have been frequently asked how I felt when I found myself in a free State. I have never been able to answer the question with any satisfaction to myself. It was a moment of the highest excitement I ever experienced. I suppose I felt as one may imagine the unarmed mariner to feel when he is rescued by a friendly man-of-war from the pursuit of a pirate. In writing to a dear friend, immediately after my arrival at New York, I said I felt like one who had escaped a den of hungry lions. This state of mind, however, very soon subsided; and I was again seized with a feeling of great insecurity and loneliness. I was yet liable to be taken back, and subjected to all the **tortures** of slavery. This in itself was enough to damp the ardor of my enthusiasm. But the loneliness overcame me. There I was in the midst of thousands, and yet a perfect stranger; without home and without friends, in the midst of thousands of my own brethren - children of a common Father, and yet I dared not to unfold to any one of them my sad condition. I was afraid to speak to any one for fear of speaking to the wrong one, and thereby falling into the hands of money-loving kidnappers, whose business it was to lie in wait for the panting fugitive, as the **ferocious** beasts of the forest lie in wait for their prey. The motto which I adopted when I started from slavery was this—"Trust no man!" I saw in every white man an enemy, and in almost every colored man cause for distrust. It was a most painful situation; and, to

# German

ardor: Begeisterung, Leidenschaft, Hitze.
blessedness: die Glückseligkeit, Seligkeit, die Seligkeit.
depict: schildern, darstellen, schilderst, stellt dar, stellst dar, stellen dar, stelle dar, schildert, schildere, schilder, abbilden.
distrust: Misstrauen, Argwohn.
ferocious: wild, grausam, grimmig.
kidnappers: Entführer.
mariner: Seemann.

overcame: überwältigtet, überwaltigtet, überwaltigtest, überwandest, überwandest, überwand, überwandet, überwanden, übermanntest, übermannten, übermanntet. perpetually: endlos, unaufhörlich, ständig, fortwährende, dauernd, ewig. subsided: sankst, sackten ein, klangt ab, sackte ab, sackte ein, sackten ab, sacktest ab, sacktest ein, sacktet ab, sacktest bin, sacktet ab, sacktest ein, sacktest ab, sacktest ein, sacktest ab, sacktest ein, ein e

torment: Qual, quälen, martern, peinigen, Marter, Quälung, Pein, Belästigung. tortures: foltert, foltern. unarmed: unbewaffnet, waffenlos. unexplained: unerklärt, ungeklärt. unfold: entfalten, aufklappen, entfaltest, entfalte, entfaltet, auseinanderfalten, faltet auseinander, ausrollen, klappt auf, klappst auf, klappen auf.

sacktet ein, klangst ab.

understand it, one must needs experience it, or imagine himself in similar circumstances. Let him be a fugitive slave in a strange land – a land given up to be the hunting-ground for slaveholders - whose inhabitants are legalized kidnappers – where he is every moment subjected to the terrible liability of being seized upon by his fellowmen, as the hideous crocodile seizes upon his prey!—I say, let him place himself in my situation – without home or friends – without money or credit – wanting shelter, and no one to give it – wanting bread, and no money to buy it, — and at the same time let him feel that he is pursued by merciless men-hunters, and in total darkness as to what to do, where to go, or where to stay, - perfectly helpless both as to the means of defence and means of escape,—in the midst of plenty, yet suffering the terrible gnawings of hunger, in the midst of houses, yet having no home, - among fellow-men, yet feeling as if in the midst of wild beasts, whose greediness to swallow up the trembling and half-famished fugitive is only equalled by that with which the monsters of the deep swallow up the helpless fish upon which they subsist, —I say, let him be placed in this most trying situation, – the situation in which I was placed, – then, and not till then, will he fully appreciate the hardships of, and know how to **sympathize** with, the toil-worn and whip-scarred fugitive slave.

Thank Heaven, I remained but a short time in this **distressed** situation. I was relieved from it by the humane hand of Mr. DAVID RUGGLES, whose vigilance, kindness, and perseverance, I shall never forget. I am glad of an opportunity to express, as far as words can, the love and gratitude I bear him. Mr. Ruggles is now **afflicted** with **blindness**, and is himself in need of the same kind offices which he was once so forward in the performance of toward others. I had been in New York but a few days, when Mr. Ruggles sought me out, and very kindly took me to his boarding-house at the corner of Church and Lespenard Streets. Mr. Ruggles was then very deeply engaged in the **memorable** *Darg* case, as well as attending to a number of other fugitive slaves, devising ways and means for their successful escape; and, though watched and hemmed in on almost every side, he seemed to be more than a match for his enemies.

# German

afflicted: betrübtest, betrübtet, betrübte, betrübten, betrübt, geplagt, behaftet, plagte, plagten, plagtest, plagtet.

**blindness**: Blindheit, Verblendung. **crocodile**: Krokodil.

distressed: trübsinnig, quälte, schwermütig, bekümmert, betrübt, gedrückt, trübselig, traurig,

verdrießlich, trüb.

greediness: Habsucht, Gelüst, Gierde,

Gierigkeit.

hideous: scheußlich, abscheulich, gräßlich, häßlich, widerlich, grundhäßlich, garstig, abscheuerregend.

 legalized:
 legalisierte, legalisiertest,
 schlingen.

 legalisiertet, legalisierte, legalisierten,
 sympathize:
 mitfühlen, fühlt mit, einfühlen, einfühlen, fühle mit, fühlen, einfühlen, e

unvergesslich.

monsters: Ungeheuer. seizes: ergreift, greift, zieht ein. swallow: Schwalbe, schlucken, Rauchschwalbe, Schluck, wegschlucken, Bauernschwalbe, herunterschlucken, hinunterschlingen, hinunterschlucken, runterschlucken, schlingen.

sympathize: mitfühlen, fühlt mit, einfühlen, einleben, fühle mit, fühlen, fühlen mit, fühlst mit, sympathisieren, mitleben, mitempfinden.

**trembling**: zitternd, Zittern, Erschütterung, Beben.

Very soon after I went to Mr. Ruggles, he wished to know of me where I wanted to go; as he deemed it unsafe for me to remain in New York. I told him I was a calker, and should like to go where I could get work. I thought of going to Canada; but he decided against it, and in favor of my going to New Bedford, thinking I should be able to get work there at my trade. At this time, Anna, my intended wife, came on; for I wrote to her immediately after my arrival at New York, (notwithstanding my homeless, houseless, and helpless condition,) informing her of my successful flight, and wishing her to come on forthwith. In a few days after her arrival, Mr. Ruggles called in the Rev. J. W. C. Pennington, who, in the presence of Mr. Ruggles, Mrs. Michaels, and two or three others, performed the marriage ceremony, and gave us a certificate, of which the following is an exact copy:—

"This may certify, that I joined together in **holy matrimony** Frederick Johnson and Anna Murray, as man and wife, in the presence of Mr. David Ruggles and Mrs. Michaels.

"JAMES W. C. PENNINGTON

"New York, Sept. 15, 1838"

Upon **receiving** this certificate, and a five-dollar bill from Mr. Ruggles, I **shouldered** one part of our **baggage**, and Anna took up the other, and we set out forthwith to take passage on board of the **steamboat** John W. Richmond for Newport, on our way to New Bedford. Mr. Ruggles gave me a letter to a Mr. Shaw in Newport, and told me, in case my money did not serve me to New Bedford, to stop in Newport and obtain further assistance; but upon our arrival at Newport, we were so anxious to get to a place of safety, that, notwithstanding we **lacked** the necessary money to pay our **fare**, we decided to take seats in the stage, and promise to pay when we got to New Bedford. We were encouraged to do this by two excellent gentlemen, residents of New Bedford, whose names I afterward **ascertained** to be Joseph Ricketson and William C. Taber. They seemed at once to understand our circumstances, and gave us such **assurance** of

# German exact: genau, richtig, exakt, pünktlich,

zutreffend, requirieren, recht.

ascertained: stellten fest, stelltet fest, stellte fest, festgestellt, stelltest fest, ermitteltet, ermitteltest, ermittelten, ermittelte, ermittelte, konstatiert. assurance: Versicherung, Zusicherung, Assekuranz. baggage: Gepäck, Bagage, Reisegepäck, Verpackung. ceremony: Zeremonie, Feierlichkeit, Feier, Förmlichkeit, Festlichkeit, Festumzug, Pracht, Prozession, Stattlichkeit, Vierung, Festakt.

fare: Fahrpreis, Fahrgeld, Kost,
Fahrkarte, kleine Fracht, Ticket, sich
befinden, Fahrschein.
holy: heilig.
homeless: heimatlos, obdachlos.
houseless: obdachlos.
informing: Informierend,
Benachrichtigung, Information,
Beratung, Auskunft, Anfragen.
lacked: fehltet, fehlten, fehltest, fehlte,

gefehlt, mangelten, mangeltest, mangelte, mangelte, gemangelt, entbehrtet.

matrimony: Ehe, Ehestand, Trauung, Hochzeit, Heirat, Ehegemeinschaft.

notwithstanding: ungeachtet, trotz.

receiving: empfangend, erhaltend, empfang, Hehlerei, Annahme, in Empfangnahme.

shouldered: geschultert.

steamboat: Dampfschiff, Dampfer.

wishing: Wünschend.

their friendliness as put us fully at ease in their presence. It was good indeed to meet with such friends, at such a time. Upon reaching New Bedford, we were directed to the house of Mr. Nathan Johnson, by whom we were kindly received, and hospitably provided for. Both Mr. and Mrs. Johnson took a deep and lively interest in our welfare. They proved themselves quite worthy of the name of abolitionists. When the stage-driver found us unable to pay our fare, he held on upon our baggage as security for the debt. I had but to mention the fact to Mr. Johnson, and he forthwith advanced the money.

We now began to feel a degree of safety, and to prepare ourselves for the duties and **responsibilities** of a life of freedom. On the morning after our arrival at New Bedford, while at the breakfast-table, the question arose as to what name I should be called by. The name given me by my mother was, "Frederick Augustus Washington Bailey." I, however, had dispensed with the two middle names long before I left Maryland so that I was generally known by the name of "Frederick Bailey." I started from Baltimore bearing the name of "Stanley." When I got to New York, I again changed my name to "Frederick Johnson," and thought that would be the last change. But when I got to New Bedford, I found it necessary again to change my name. The reason of this necessity was, that there were so many Johnsons in New Bedford, it was already quite difficult to distinguish between them. I gave Mr. Johnson the privilege of **choosing** me a name, but told him he must not take from me the name of "Frederick." I must hold on to that, to **preserve** a sense of my identity. Mr. Johnson had just been reading the "Lady of the Lake," and at once suggested that my name be "Douglass." From that time until now I have been called "Frederick Douglass;" and as I am more widely known by that name than by either of the others, I shall continue to use it as my own.

I was quite **disappointed** at the general appearance of things in New Bedford. The impression which I had received respecting the character and condition of the people of the north, I found to be **singularly erroneous**. I had very **strangely** supposed, while in slavery, that few of the comforts, and scarcely any of the luxuries, of life were enjoyed at the north, compared with what were enjoyed by

# German dispensed: dispensiertet, verteilte,

arose: entstand, entstanden, entstandst, entstandet, gingt auf, ging auf, gingst auf, entsprangst, gingen auf, entsprangt, entsprangen. bearing: Lager, tragend, Peilung. choosing: wählend, auslesend, aussuchend, erwählend. directed: gerichtet, adressiert, zugespitzt. disappointed: enttäuscht, enttäuschtet, enttäuschte,

enttäuschten, enttäuschtest.

dispensierte, dispensiertest, dispensiert, dispensierten. erroneous: fehlerhaft, irrig, falsch, friendliness: Freundlichkeit, Jovialität, respecting: respektierend, achtend. Wohlwollen, Herzlichkeit, Freundschaftlichkeit. hospitably: gastfreundlich. lively: lebhaft, lebendig, munter, witzig, flott, geistreich, heiter, Herzhaftigkeit, sinnreich.

luxuries: Luxus. preserve: einmachen, konservieren, einlegen, bewahren, erhalten, Konserve, aufbewahren, einkochen, wahren, bergen, behalten. responsibilities: Verantwortlichkeiten. singularly: einzigartig.

strangely: merkwürdig, seltsam. worthy: Würdig, bieder, ehrenwert,

the slaveholders of the south. I probably came to this conclusion from the fact that northern people owned no slaves. I supposed that they were about upon a level with the non-slaveholding population of the south. I knew they were exceedingly poor, and I had been accustomed to regard their poverty as the necessary consequence of their being non-slaveholders. I had somehow imbibed the opinion that, in the absence of slaves, there could be no wealth, and very little **refinement**. And upon coming to the north, I expected to meet with a rough, hard-handed, and uncultivated population, living in the most Spartan-like simplicity, knowing nothing of the ease, luxury, pomp, and grandeur of southern slaveholders. Such being my **conjectures**, any one acquainted with the appearance of New Bedford may very readily infer how palpably I must have seen my mistake.

In the afternoon of the day when I reached New Bedford, I visited the wharves, to take a view of the shipping. Here I found myself surrounded with the strongest proofs of wealth. Lying at the wharves, and riding in the stream, I saw many ships of the finest model, in the best order, and of the largest size. Upon the right and left, I was walled in by granite warehouses of the widest dimensions, stowed to their utmost capacity with the necessaries and comforts of life. Added to this, almost every body seemed to be at work, but **noiselessly** so, compared with what I had been accustomed to in Baltimore. There were no loud songs heard from those engaged in loading and unloading ships. I heard no deep oaths or horrid curses on the laborer. I saw no whipping of men; but all seemed to go smoothly on. Every man appeared to understand his work, and went at it with a sober, yet cheerful earnestness, which betokened the deep interest which he felt in what he was doing, as well as a sense of his own dignity as a man. To me this looked exceedingly strange. From the wharves I strolled around and over the town, gazing with wonder and admiration at the splendid churches, beautiful dwellings, and finely-cultivated gardens; evincing an amount of wealth, comfort, taste, and refinement, such as I had never seen in any part of slaveholding Maryland.

#### German

betokened: kündigtest an, kündigtet an, kündigten an, kündigte an, angekündigt. conjectures: Vermutungen, Vermutet. infer: folgern, folgre, folgere, folgerst, dwellings: Behausungen. evincing: bekundend, zeigend. grandeur: Herrlichkeit. granite: Granit, Granitartig, Graniten. hard-handed: schroff, wild, unsanft, rüde, roh, haarig, grob, brutal, gewalttätig, unzart, gewaltsam. imbibed: saugtest auf, saugtet auf,

saugten auf, saugte auf, getrunken, trankt, aufgesaugt. folgert, schließen. laborer: Arbeiter. necessaries: Bedarfsartikel. Notwendig. noiselessly: geräuschlos. palpably: fühlbar. pomp: Pomp, Gepränge. refinement: Verfeinerung,

trank, tranken, trankst, angenommen, Veredelung, Feinheit, Raffinesse, Raffinement, Finesse. stowed: verstaut, verstautet, verstautest, verstauten, verstaute. strolled: gebummelt. uncultivated: unkultiviert, unbebaut. walled: zugemauert, von Mauern umgeben, vermauerte. warehouses: Lagerhäuser, Depots, wharves: Kais, Anlegeplätze. widest: weiteste.

Every thing looked clean, new, and beautiful. I saw few or no dilapidated houses, with poverty-stricken inmates; no half-naked children and barefooted women, such as I had been accustomed to see in Hillsborough, Easton, St. Michael's, and Baltimore. The people looked more able, stronger, healthier, and happier, than those of Maryland. I was for once made glad by a view of extreme wealth, without being saddened by seeing extreme poverty. But the most astonishing as well as the most interesting thing to me was the condition of the colored people, a great many of whom, like myself, had escaped thither as a refuge from the hunters of men. I found many, who had not been seven years out of their chains, living in finer houses, and evidently enjoying more of the comforts of life, than the average of slaveholders in Maryland. I will venture to assert, that my friend Mr. Nathan Johnson (of whom I can say with a grateful heart, "I was hungry, and he gave me meat; I was thirsty, and he gave me drink; I was a stranger, and he took me in") lived in a neater house; dined at a better table; took, paid for, and read, more newspapers; better understood the moral, religious, and political character of the nation, – than nine tenths of the slaveholders in Talbot county Maryland. Yet Mr. Johnson was a working man. His hands were hardened by toil, and not his alone, but those also of Mrs. Johnson. I found the colored people much more spirited than I had supposed they would be. I found among them a determination to protect each other from the blood-thirsty kidnapper, at all hazards. Soon after my arrival, I was told of a circumstance which illustrated their spirit. A colored man and a fugitive slave were on **unfriendly** terms. The former was heard to threaten the latter with informing his master of his whereabouts. Straightway a meeting was called among the colored people, under the stereotyped notice, "Business of importance!" The **betrayer** was invited to attend. The people came at the appointed hour, and organized the meeting by appointing a very religious old gentleman as president, who, I believe, made a prayer, after which he addressed the meeting as follows: "Friends, we have got him here, and I would recommend that you young men just take him outside the door, and kill him!" With this, a number of them **bolted** at him; but they were **intercepted** by some more **timid** than themselves, and the betrayer escaped their vengeance, and has not been seen in

# German

hunters: Jäger.

inmates: Insassen.

appointing: ernennend, bestimmend. healthier: gesünder. astonishing: erstaunlich, überraschend, erstaunend, verwunderlich. betraver: Verräter. bolted: verriegelte, abgeriegelt. dilapidated: baufällig, verfallen, hinfällig, abgelebt, gebrechlich. dined: gespeist, speistet, speistest, speisten, speiste. finer: feiner. hazards: Zufälle, Gefahren.

intercepted: abgefangen, aufgefangen, tenths: zehnte. fing ab, fingen ab, fingst ab, fingt ab, hörte ab, unterschlagen, hörtet ab, hörten ab, abgehört. kidnapper: Entführer, Korsar, Kaper, Geiselnehmer, Geisel. neater: netter. poverty-stricken: bettelarm, total veramrt.

lebendig. stereotyped: stereotyp, klichee. thirsty: durstig. timid: zaghaft, befangen, schüchtern, Furchtsam, scheu, verlegen, bang, unfriendly: unfreundlich. vengeance: Rache. whereabouts: Aufenthaltsort, zeitweiliger Aufenthaltsort.

spirited: temperamentvoll, mutig,

New Bedford since. I believe there have been no more such threats, and should there be **hereafter**, I doubt not that death would be the consequence.

I found employment, the third day after my arrival, in **stowing** a sloop with a load of oil. It was new, dirty, and hard work for me; but I went at it with a glad heart and a willing hand. I was now my own master. It was a happy moment, the rapture of which can be understood only by those who have been slaves. It was the first work, the reward of which was to be entirely my own. There was no Master Hugh standing ready, the moment I earned the money, to rob me of it. I worked that day with a pleasure I had never before experienced. I was at work for myself and newly-married wife. It was to me the starting-point of a new existence. When I got through with that job, I went in pursuit of a job of calking; but such was the strength of prejudice against color, among the white calkers, that they refused to work with me, and of course I could get no employment. Finding my trade of no immediate benefit, I threw off my calking habiliments, and prepared myself to do any kind of work I could get to do. Mr. Johnson kindly let me have his wood-horse and saw, and I very soon found myself a plenty of work. There was no work too hard – none too dirty. I was ready to saw wood, shovel coal, carry wood, sweep the chimney, or roll oil casks, - all of which I

In about four months after I went to New Bedford, there came a young man to me, and inquired if I did not wish to take the "Liberator." I told him I did; but, just having made my escape from slavery, I **remarked** that I was unable to pay for it then. I, however, finally became a **subscriber** to it. The paper came, and I read it from week to week with such feelings as it would be quite **idle** for me to attempt to describe. The paper became my meat and my drink. My soul was set all on fire. Its **sympathy** for my brethren in bonds—its **scathing denunciations** of slaveholders—its **faithful exposures** of slavery—and its powerful attacks upon the upholders of the institution—sent a thrill of joy through my soul, such as I had never felt before!

I had not long been a reader of the "Liberator," before I got a pretty correct idea of the principles, measures and spirit of the anti-slavery reform. I took right

#### German

chimney: Schornstein, Kamin, Esse, der Schornstein.
color: Farbe, Färben.
denunciations: Denunziationen.
earned: verdientest, verdientet, verdiente, verdiente, verdienten.
exposures: Aussetzungen, Preisgaben.
faithful: Treu, gläubig, vertrauensvoll, loyal, bieder.

hereafter: Jenseits, danach, Paradies, nachher, Himmel, Firmament, Ewigkeit. idle: faul, untätig, nutzlos, Leerlauf, nicht belegt, müßig, leerlaufen, freilaufen, träge, unbeschäftigt, arbeitsscheu.

remarked: merkte.

reward: Belohnung, belohnen, Lohn, lohnen, vergelten, honorieren, Gage, Einkommen, vergüten, Gehalt, Finderlohn.

rob: rauben, raubst, raubt, raube, plündern, berauben, plündert, plündre, plünderst, plündere, horauht

scathing: vernichtend, beißend. shovel: Schaufel, schaufeln, Schippe, Schippe.

stowing: verstauend, Stauung. subscriber: Abonnent, Teilnehmer, Bezieher, Abonnentin, Zeichner. sweep: fegen, kehren, Schwung, wischen, Zeitablenkung, abkehren, abseifen, abwischen, wegfegen. sympathy: Sympathie, Mitleid, Anteilnahme, Mitgefühl. hold of the cause. I could do but little; but what I could, I did with a joyful heart, and never felt happier than when in an anti-slavery meeting. I seldom had much to say at the meetings, because what I wanted to say was said so much better by others. But, while attending an anti-slavery convention at Nantucket, on the 11th of August, 1841, I felt strongly moved to speak, and was at the same time much urged to do so by Mr. William C. Coffin, a gentleman who had heard me speak in the colored people's meeting at New Bedford. It was a severe cross, and I took it up reluctantly. The truth was, I felt myself a slave, and the idea of speaking to white people weighed me down. I spoke but a few moments, when I felt a degree of **freedom**, and said what I desired with considerable **ease**. From that time until now, I have been engaged in pleading the cause of my brethren with what success, and with what devotion, I leave those acquainted with my labors to decide.

#### German

coffin: Sarg, Grabkiste. convention: Konvention, Kongress, Tagung, Versammlung. cross: Kreuz, böse, Kreuzung, übertreten, quer, Kreuzchen, durchkreuzen, überqueren, kreuzen, moments: Momente, Augenblicke. arg, übergeben. ease: Bequemlichkeit, Leichtigkeit, lindern, mildern. freedom: Freiheit, die Freiheit, Ungebundenheit, Unabhängigkeit, Selbständigkeit.

gentleman: Herr, Ehrenmann. happier: glücklicher. joyful: freudig, erfreulich. meetings: Besprechungen, Zusammenkünfte. reluctantly: widerstrebend, ungern, widerwillig, unwillig, widerspenstig,

severe: streng, ernst, hart, schwer, straff, scharf, heftig, fest, eisern, schlimm, handfest.

speak: sprechen, sprichst, spreche, sprecht, sprich, reden. speaking: Sprechend, Redend. spoke: sprachen, sprachst, Sprach, spracht, Speiche, Spake. strongly: stark. truth: Wahrheit. urged: drängte, gedrängt. weighed: wogen, wogt, gewogen, wog, wogst, wog ab, abgewogen, wogst ab, wogt ab, wogen ab. william: Wilhelm.

## APPENDIX

I find, since reading over the **foregoing** Narrative, that I have, in several instances, spoken in such a tone and manner, respecting religion, as may possibly lead those unacquainted with my religious views to suppose me an opponent of all religion. To remove the liability of such misapprehension, I deem it proper to append the following brief explanation. What I have said respecting and against religion, I mean strictly to apply to the slaveholding religion of this land, and with no possible reference to Christianity proper; for, between the Christianity of this land, and the Christianity of Christ, I recognize the widest possible difference – so wide, that to receive the one as good, pure, and holy, is of necessity to reject the other as bad, corrupt, and wicked. To be the friend of the one, is of necessity to be the enemy of the other. I love the pure, peaceable, and **impartial** Christianity of Christ: I therefore hate the corrupt, slaveholding, women-whipping, cradle-plundering, partial and hypocritical Christianity of this land. Indeed, I can see no reason, but the most deceitful one, for calling the religion of this land Christianity. I look upon it as the climax of all misnomers, the **boldest** of all frauds, and the grossest of all libels. Never was there a **clearer** case of "stealing the livery of the court of heaven to serve the devil in." I am filled with unutterable loathing when I contemplate the religious pomp and show, together with the horrible inconsistencies, which every where surround me. We have men-stealers for ministers, women-whippers for missionaries, and

#### German

append: befestigen, hinzufügen. boldest: kühnste. clearer: heller, Reiniger. contemplate: betrachten, betrachtet, betrachtest, betrachtest, betrachtest, betrachtest, brachtest, bestechlich, korrupt; verdorben, bestechlich, korrumpiert, korrumpieren, verderben, korrumpiere, käuflich, entstellen, entarten. deceitful: betrügerisch, trügerisch,

hinterlistig, verfänglich, unwirklich,

illusorisch, fiktiv, eingebildet.
foregoing: vorhergehend,
vorangehend.
hypocritical: heuchlerisch,
scheinheilig, gleisnerisch.
impartial: unparteiisch, objektiv,
neutral, vorurteilsfrei,
unvoreingenommen.
misapprehension: Missverständnis.
missionaries: Missionare.
opponent: Gegner, Widerpart,
Widersacher, Entgegengesetzt,

Antagonist, Gegenspieler, Kontrahent. peaceable: friedlich, friedfertig, gewaltlos, friedliebend, einlenkend. surround: umgeben, umgebe, umgebt, umgib, umgibst, umringen, umringe, umzingeln, umringt, umringst, umzingle.

wicked: böse, boshaft, gemein, schlimm, verderbt, verlottert, vergammelt, verdorben, liederlich, niederträchtig. cradle-plunderers for church members. The man who wields the blood-clotted cowskin during the week fills the pulpit on Sunday, and claims to be a minister of the meek and lowly Jesus. The man who robs me of my earnings at the end of each week meets me as a class-leader on Sunday morning, to show me the way of life, and the path of salvation. He who sells my sister, for purposes of **prostitution**, stands forth as the pious advocate of purity. He who **proclaims** it a religious duty to read the Bible denies me the right of learning to read the name of the God who made me. He who is the religious advocate of marriage robs whole millions of its sacred influence, and leaves them to the ravages of wholesale pollution. The warm defender of the sacredness of the family relation is the same that **scatters** whole families, – sundering husbands and wives, parents and children, sisters and brothers, -leaving the hut vacant, and the hearth desolate. We see the thief preaching against theft, and the adulterer against adultery. We have men sold to build churches, women sold to support the **gospel**, and **babes** sold to purchase Bibles for the *poor heathen!* All for the glory of God and the good of souls! The slave auctioneer's bell and the church-going bell **chime** in with each other, and the bitter cries of the heart-broken slave are drowned in the religious **shouts** of his pious master. Revivals of religion and revivals in the slave-trade go hand in hand together. The slave prison and the church stand near each other. The clanking of fetters and the rattling of chains in the prison, and the pious psalm and solemn prayer in the church, may be heard at the same time. The dealers in the bodies and souls of men erect their stand in the presence of the pulpit, and they mutually help each other. The dealer gives his blood-stained gold to support the pulpit, and the pulpit, in return, covers his infernal business with the garb of Christianity. Here we have religion and robbery the allies of each other - devils dressed in angels' robes, and hell presenting the semblance of paradise.

"Just God! and these are they, Who minister at thine altar, God of right! Men who their hands, with prayer and blessing, lay On Israel's ark of light.

#### German

adulterer: Ehebrecher. ark: Arche. babes: Babys. chime: läuten, Glockenspiel, Ton, klöppeln. clanking: klirrend. fills: füllen, füllungsmaterial, füllungen, füllt. garb: Tracht, Gewand. gospel: Evangelium. hearth: Herd, Kamin, Feuerstelle, Esse. scheppernd. heathen: heidnisch.

lowly: niedrig, bescheiden, unten. meek: sanftmütig, mild, ergeben, gelassen, sanft. paradise: Paradies. proclaims: proklamiert. prostitution: Prostitution. psalm: Psalm. pulpit: Kanzel, Katheder. rattling: rasselnd, Gerassel, Geklapper, Geklirr, Gepolter,

ravages: Verwüstet.

robs: raubt, plündert, beraubt, raubt sacredness: Heiligkeit. scatters: streut, zerstreut, verstreut. sells: Verkauft, veräußert. semblance: Anschein. shouts: schreit. slave-trade: Menschenhandel, Sklavenhandel. thine: dein. wholesale: Großhandel, engros. wields: handhabt.

"What! **preach**, and **kidnap** men? Give thanks, and rob thy own afflicted poor? Talk of thy glorious liberty, and then Bolt hard the captive's door?

"What! servants of thy own Merciful Son, who came to seek and save The homeless and the outcast, **fettering** down The tasked and plundered slave!

"Pilate and Herod friends! Chief priests and rulers, as of old, combine! Just God and holy! is that church which lends Strength to the spoiler thine?"

The Christianity of America is a Christianity, of whose **votaries** it may be as truly said, as it was of the ancient scribes and Pharisees, "They bind heavy burdens, and grievous to be borne, and lay them on men's shoulders, but they themselves will not move them with one of their fingers. All their works they do for to be seen of men. — They love the **uppermost** rooms at **feasts**, and the chief seats in the **synagogues**, . . . . . and to be called of men, Rabbi, Rabbi. – But woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men; for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in. Ye devour widows' houses, and for a pretence make long prayers; therefore ye shall receive the greater damnation. Ye compass sea and land to make one proselyte, and when he is made, ye make him twofold more the child of hell than yourselves. - Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint, and anise, and cumin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith; these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone. Ye blind guides! which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel. Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye

# German

anise: Anis. camel: Kamel. cumin: Kreuzkümmel, Kümmel. damnation: Verdammnis, Verdammung, Verwerfung, Ablehnung, Verurteilung. feasts: ergötzt, Feiertage. fettering: fesselnd. gnat: Mücke, Stechmücke, Schnake. grievous: schmerzlich, kränkend, bedauernswert, bedauerlich. hypocrites: Heuchler, Scheinheilige.

entführst, kidnappen. lends: leiht, verleiht, borgt. mint: Minze, Münzen, Prägen. plundered: geplündert. preach: predigen, predigst, predigt, predige.

proselyte: Proselyt. scribes: Schreiber, Schriftgelehrten. synagogues: Synagogen.

thy: Dein.

tithe: der Zehnt, Zehnte.

kidnap: entführen, entführt, entführe, twofold: zweifach, zweigliedrig, zweiteilig, doppelt, zweierlei. undone: offen, abgebunden, ungetan, unerledigt.

uppermost: höchste, höchst, hervorragendste, bedeutendste, oberste, äußerst, vornehmste.

votaries: Verehrer. weightier: gewichtiger. widows: Witwen. yourselves: sich.

make clean the outside of the cup and of the platter; but within, they are full of extortion and excess. – Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness. Even so ye also outwardly appear righteous unto men, but within ye are full of hypocrisy and iniquity."

Dark and terrible as is this picture, I hold it to be strictly true of the overwhelming mass of **professed** Christians in America. They strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel. Could any thing be more true of our churches? They would be **shocked** at the **proposition** of **fellowshipping** a *sheep*-stealer; and at the same time they **hug** to their **communion** a *man*-stealer, and brand me with being an **infidel**, if I find fault with them for it. They attend with Phari-saical strictness to the outward forms of religion, and at the same time neglect the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith. They are al-ways ready to sacrifice, but seldom to show mercy. They are they who are represented as professing to love God whom they have not seen, whilst they hate their brother whom they have seen. They love the heathen on the other side of the globe. They can pray for him, pay money to have the Bible put into his hand, and missionaries to instruct him; while they despise and totally neglect the heathen at their own doors.

Such is, very briefly, my view of the religion of this land; and to avoid any misunderstanding, growing out of the use of general terms, I mean by the religion of this land, that which is revealed in the words, deeds, and actions, of those bodies, north and south, calling themselves Christian churches, and yet in union with slaveholders. It is against religion, as presented by these bodies, that I have felt it my duty to testify.

I conclude these remarks by copying the following portrait of the religion of the south, (which is, by communion and fellowship, the religion of the north,) which I soberly affirm is "true to the life," and without caricature or the slightest exaggeration. It is said to have been drawn, several years before the present antislavery agitation began, by a northern Methodist preacher, who, while residing

## German

affirm: bestätigen, bestätigt, bestätigst, bestätige, behaupten, bejahen, bejahe, bejahst, bejaht, ja sagen, versichern. agitation: Bewegung, Aufruhr, Agitation, Aufstand, Hektik, Ruhelosigkeit, Streß, Krawall, Nervosität, Tumult, Getümmel. caricature: Karikatur, Karikieren, Spottbild, Zerrbild. communion: Kommunion. despise: verachten, verachtet, verachtest, verachte, geringschätzen, infidel: Ungläubig.

verschmähen, schätzst gering, schätze gering, schätzen gering, schätzt gering, verschmäht. exaggeration: Übertreibung. extortion: Erpressung. fellowship: Kameradschaft, Forschungsstipendium. hug: umarmen, Umarmung, umfassen, Schmuserei, umschlingen. hypocrisy: Heuchelei, Frömmelei, Hypokrisie, Scheinheiligkeit.

outward: äußerlich. outwardly: äußerlich, nach außen hin. platter: Servierplatte, Schale, Platte, Schüssel. preacher: Prediger, Verkündiger. professed: erklärt. proposition: Vorschlag, Satz, Vorschlag machen, Lehrsatz. shocked: schockiert, erschüttert. soberly: nüchtern. strictness: Strenge, Genauigkeit. uncleanness: Unreinheit.

at the south, had an opportunity to see slaveholding morals, **manners**, and piety, with his own eyes. "Shall I not visit for these things? saith the Lord. Shall not my soul be **avenged** on such a nation as this?"

#### A PARODY

"Come, saints and **sinners**, hear me tell How pious priests whip Jack and Nell, And women buy and children sell, And preach all sinners down to hell, And sing of heavenly union.

"They'll **bleat** and **baa**, dona like **goats**, Gorge down black sheep, and strain at motes, Array their backs in fine black **coats**, Then **seize** their **negroes** by their **throats**, And **choke**, for heavenly union.

"They'll church you if you **sip** a **dram**, And damn you if you steal a lamb; Yet rob old Tony, Doll, and Sam, Of human rights, and bread and ham; Kidnapper's heavenly union.

"They'll loudly talk of Christ's reward, And bind his image with a **cord**, And **scold**, and swing the lash **abhorred**, And sell their brother in the Lord To handcuffed heavenly union.

"They'll read and sing a sacred song,

### German

abhorred: verabscheutet, verabscheutest, verabscheuten, verabscheute, verabscheut. avenged: gerächt, rächtet, rächtest, rächten, rächte, ahndete, geahndet. baa: Blöken, das Blöken, das Geblök. bleat: blöken, meckern, wiehern, plärren, quaken, brüllen. choke: Drossel, ersticken, erwürgen, erdrosseln, würgen, drosseln. coats: Anstriche, Jacken. cord: Schnur, Strick, Kordel, Leine,

Strang, Kabel, Seil, Kord, Flexible
Leitung, Garn, Saite.
dram: Aperitif.
goats: Ziegen.
manners: Umgangsformen, Sitten,
Manieren, Weisen, Benehmen,
Kinderstube.
negroes: Neger.
scold: schelten, Rüffel geben,
Standpauke halten, vermahnen,
Verweis geben, vorwerfen, Vorwürfe
machen, zurechtweisen, zureden,

nhalten.

seize: ergreifen, ergreife, greifen, ergreifst, ergreift, greife, greifst, greift, beschlagnahmen, einziehen, hervorholen.

sinners: Sünder.

sip: Schlürfen, Nippen, Schlückchen, langsam zu sich nehmen, einsaugen, schluckweise trinken, einschlürfen, aufsaugen.

**throats**: Kehlen, Abkehlen, Abstechen, Gurgeln.

And make a prayer both loud and long, And teach the right and do the wrong, Hailing the brother, sister throng, With words of heavenly union.

"We wonder how such saints can sing, Or praise the Lord upon the wing, Who roar, and scold, and whip, and sting, And to their slaves and mammon cling, In guilty conscience union.

"They'll raise tobacco, corn, and rye, And drive, and thieve, and cheat, and lie, And lay up **treasures** in the sky, By making switch and cowskin fly, In hope of heavenly union.

"They'll crack old Tony on the skull, And preach and roar like Bashan bull, Or braying ass, of mischief full, Then seize old Jacob by the wool, And pull for heavenly union.

"A roaring, ranting, sleek man-thief, Who lived on **mutton**, **veal**, and beef, Yet never would afford relief To **needy**, **sable** sons of grief, Was big with heavenly union.

"'Love not the world,' the preacher said, And winked his eye, and shook his head; He seized on Tom, and Dick, and Ned,

# German Unartigkeit, Dummejungenstreiche,

ass: Esel, Arsch. braying: zerreibend. cheat: betrügen, hintergehen, beschwindeln, Gauner, bescheißen, beschummeln, prellen, täuschen, mogeln, neppen, Schuft. cling: klammern, klammerst, klammre, klammere, kleben, klammert, ankleben, anleimen, festkleben, anschmiegen, leimen. mammon: Mammon, der Mammon. mischief: Unfug, Unheil, Schaden,

Jungenstreich, Schelmenstreich, Ungezogenheit, Schalkhaftigkeit. mutton: Hammelfleisch, Schaffleisch, needy: bedürftig, notleidend, hilfsbedürftig, unvermögend, bedürftige, arm. ranting: Geschwollen redend. roar: brausen, sausen, Gebrüll, brüllen, treasures: Schätze, Sammelt. roaring: Spektakel, Gegröle, Gepolter, winked: gezwinkert.

Gekreisch, Gejohle, Gebrüll, brüllend, Geschimpfe, Zetergeschrei, schwunghaft, Schreien. rye: Roggen. sable: Zobel, Zobelpelz, schwarz. sleek: geschmeidig, glatt. thieve: stehlen, stiehlst, stiehl, stehlt, throng: Gedränge. veal: Kalbfleisch, Kalb, Kalbsfleisch.

Cut short their meat, and clothes, and bread, Yet still loved heavenly union.

"Another preacher whining spoke Of One whose heart for sinners broke: He tied old Nanny to an oak, And drew the blood at every **stroke**, And prayed for heavenly union.

"Two others oped their iron jaws, And waved their children-stealing paws; There sat their children in gewgaws; By **stinting** negroes' **backs** and maws, They kept up heavenly union.

"All good from Jack another takes, And **entertains** their flirts and **rakes**. Who dress as sleek as **glossy** snakes, And **cram** their **mouths** with **sweetened** cakes; And this goes down for union."

Sincerely and earnestly hoping that this little book may do something toward throwing light on the American slave system, and hastening the glad day of deliverance to the millions of my brethren in bonds-faithfully relying upon the power of truth, love, and justice, for success in my humble efforts – and solemnly pledging my self anew to the sacred cause, —I subscribe myself,

FREDERICK DOUGLASS

LYNN, Mass., April 28, 1845

# German

backs: Rückseiten. cram: vollstopfen, stopfen, fressen. earnestly: ernsthaft, ernst. entertains: unterhält, bewirtet. glossy: glänzend, glatt. hastening: beeilend, beschleunigend, eilend. hoping: hoffend. loved: geliebt, liebte, beliebt.

meat: Fleisch, Braten, das Fleisch. millions: Millionen. mouths: Münder.

paws: Pfoten, Klauen, Tatzen. pledging: Verpfändung, lombardierung, verpfändend. rakes: harkt. relying: sich verlassend. sacred: heilig, geweiht. self: Selbst, Selber. solemnly: festlich, ernst, feierlich. stinting: absparend. stroke: Schlag, Strich, streicheln, Hub, Takt, Streich, Schlaganfall, Hieb, Infarkt, Liebkosen, Stoß.

subscribe: unterzeichnen, unterzeichnet, unterzeichnest, unterzeichne, abonnieren, abonnierst, abonniert, abonniere, beisteuern. sweetened: süßten, gesüßt, süßte, süßtest, süßtet, zuckerte, zuckerten, zuckertest, zuckertet, gezuckert, versüßt.

throwing: Schmeißen. waved: gewellt, winkte zu. whining: wimmernd, Quengelei, heulend.

# GLOSSARY

aback: rückwärts, erstaunt abandon: verlassen, verlaß, verlasse, verlaßt, verläßt, aufgeben, gibst auf, aussetzen, gebe auf, gebt auf, gib auf

abettors: Anstifter

**abhor**: verabscheuen, verabscheut, verabscheust, verabscheue, hassen

**abhorred**: verabscheutet, verabscheutest, verabscheuten, verabscheute, verabscheut

**abhorrence**: Abscheu, Gräuel, Widerwille, Schrecken, Schaurigkeit, Gegenstand des Abscheus

abide: aushalten, ausstehen, bleiben, warten, halten aus, haltet aus, hältst aus, stehe aus, stehen aus, halte aus, steht aus

able-bodied: gesund
ably: geschickt

**abolished**: schafftet ab, abgeschafft, schafften ab, schafftest ab, schaffte ab

abolition: Abschaffung, Aufhebung abolitionism: Abschaffung, Abolitionismus

**abolitionist**: Abolitionist **abolitionists**: Abolitionisten,

Sklavereigegner

abominable: abscheulich abound: wimmeln, wimmle, wimmelst, wimmelt, schwärmen, im Überfluss vorhanden sein, wimmele

**abounded**: strotzte, wimmeltest, gewimmelt, wimmelten, wimmelte, wimmeltet

abroad: im Ausland, ins Ausland, auswärtig, draußen, äußerlich, ausländisch, überallhin, fremd

absence: Abwesenheit, Fehlen, Manko, Nichtvorhandensein, Absenz, Verzug, Versäumnis, Fehler

**absent**: abwesend, fehlend, fernbleiben

**absolute**: absolut, unbedingt, unbeschränkt, uneingeschränkt

**abundance**: Überfluss, Fülle, Reichtum, Abundanz, Stattlichkeit, Mannigfaltigkeit, Reichlichkeit, Üppigkeit, Verschiedenartigkeit, Vielzahl

abundant: reichlich, üppig, aufwendig, wohlversehen, reichlich vorhanden, in reichem Maße, luxuriös, reich, vollauf

abuse: Missbrauch, missbrauchen, beschimpfen, Beleidigung, mißhandeln, Schmähung, quälen, peinigen, Schädigung, Schändung, Anstoß

abused: missbraucht, missbrauchte acceptable: annehmbar, akzeptabel, zulässig, tragbar, annehmbare

accompanied: begleitetet, begleitet, begleitetest, begleiteten, begleitete, begleiten, begleit

**accomplishing**: erreichend, vollbringend, vollendend

**accomplishment**: Ausführung, Vollbringung, Tat, Handlung **accord**: Übereinstimmung,

Abkommen, Akkord, Übereinkunft, Einklang, Übereinkommen, gestatten, erteilen, erlauben, Einverständnis

according: gemäß, entsprechend, übereinstimmend

accordingly: dementsprechend, folglich, entsprechend, danach, somit, also, demgemäß, wohl, jedoch, daher, doch

accumulating: akkumulierend, ansammelnd, anhäufend, häufend, aufhäufend

accurate: genau, akkurat, exakt, pünktlich, präzise, präzis, skrupulös, fehlerfrei, richtig, sicher, sorgfältig

accursed: verflucht, verhaßt, verwünscht

accusation: Anklage, Beschuldigung, Anschuldigung, Anzeige

accused: klagtest an, klagten an, Klagte an, klagtet an, Angeklagt, beschuldigtet, Beschuldigt, beschuldigtest, beschuldigten, Beschuldigte, Angeklagte accustomed: gewöhnt, gewöhnte, gewöhntet, gewöhntest, gewöhnten, gewohnt, üblich, angewöhnt, gewöhnten an, gewöhntest an, gewöhntet an

aches: schmerzt

achievement: Leistung, Erfolg, Gelingen, Tat, Handlung, Großtat, Verrichtung, Vollziehung, Bedeutende Leistung,

Arbeitsleistung, Ausübung

aching: schmerzend, schmerzhaft acknowledge: anerkennen, erkenne an, erkennen an, erkennst an, erkennt an, bestätigen, eingestehen, positive Rückmeldung,

konfirmieren, gestehen, genehmigen acquaintance: Bekanntschaft, Bekannter, Bekannte, Kenntnisse, Bekanntmachung, Kenntnis, Begriff

acquaintances: Bekannte,

Bekanntschaften, die Bekanntschaft, Reisebekanntschaften

acquainted: bekannt, mitgeteilt, teilte mit, teilten mit, teiltest mit, teiltet mit

acquired: erworben, erwarbt, erwarbst, erwarb, erwarben acted: handelte

acteu: nanden

actions: Aktionen, Handlungen

addicted: süchtig

addition: Zusatz, Addition, Hinzufügung, Zuschlag, Zugabe, Beilage, Anhang, Zufügung, Zählung, Zusammenzählung, Supplement

addressed: adressiert

adequate: adäquat, angemessen, ausreichend, entsprechend, passend, hinreichend

adjudged: erkanntet zu, zuerkannt, spracht zu, sprachst zu, zugesprochen, erkanntest zu, erkannten zu, erkannte zu, sprachen zu, sprach zu

administer: verwalten, verwalte,

verwaltest, verwaltet, administrieren, administrierst, administriert, administriere, verabreichen, verabreicht, verabreichst

admirably: bewundernswert admiration: Bewunderung admission: Eintritt, Aufnahme, Zulassung, Geständnis, Zutritt, Eingeständnis, Annahme, Eingang,

Beichte, Bekenntnis, Bewilligung

admitted: ließ zu, zugelassen, ließt zu, ließest zu, ließen zu, ließ ein, ließen ein, eingelassen, ließest ein, ließt ein,

admitting: zulassend, einlassend, zugebend

adopt: adoptieren, adoptiere, adoptierst, adoptiert, annehmen, übernehmen, übernimmst, übernimm, übernehmt, übernehme

adopted: adoptiertest, adoptiertest, adoptierten, adoptierte, adoptiert, angenommen, nahm an, übernahmen, übernahm, übernommen, übernahmst

adrift: treibend adulterer: Ehebrecher adultery: Ehebruch

advance: Vorschuss, Fortschritt, fortschreiten, Avancieren, Fortschritt machen, proponieren, vorschlagen, borgen, Vorschiessen, verfrühen, Darlehen

advanced: fortgeschritten, erweitert, vorgerückt, höher, vorgeschritten

advised: rietst, riet, rieten, geraten, rietet, beriet, berietet, berietet, berietst, beraten, überlegt

advisedly: vorsätzlich, mit Bedacht adviser: Berater, Ratgeber, Konsulent advocate: Fürsprecher, Anwalt, Rechtsanwalt, Verfechter, Advokat, Befürworter, Vorkämpfer, Anhänger, befürworten

advocates: Anwalt, Fürsprecher, verteidigt

affair: Angelegenheit, Sache, Affäre, Ding, Beziehung, Verbindung, Kopplung, Fall, Werk

affect: beeinflussen, beeinflusse, beeinflußt, berühren, berührst, berührt, betreffen, berühre, betriffst, betreffe, Affekt

affected: beeinflußtest, beeinflußten, beeinflußtet, beeinflußte, beeinflußt, berührten, berührtest, berührte, berührtet, geziert, berührt

affecting: beeinflussend, berührend, betreffend, bewegend, ergreifend, einwirkend, rührend, angreifen, antasten

affection: Zuneigung, Neigung, Affekt, Bewegung, Erkrankung, Gemütsbewegung, Krankheit, Liebe, Wohlwollen, Rührung

affectionate: liebevoll, anhänglich, zugetan, ergeben, zärtlich, gütig, lieb, wert, teuer, liebend, innig

affirm: bestätigen, bestätigt, bestätigst, bestätige, behaupten, bejahen, bejahe, bejahst, bejaht, ja sagen, versichern

afflicted: betrübtest, betrübtet, betrübte, betrübten, betrübt, geplagt, behaftet, plagte, plagten, plagtest, plagtet

afflicts: betrübt, plagt

afford: erlauben, erlaube, leisten, gestatten, produzieren, erzeugen, erlaubt, erlaubst, hervorbringen

afforded: erlaubten, erlaubte, erlaubtest, erlaubtet, erlaubt

afresh: wieder, von neuem, abermals, erneut, wiederholt, zurück, abermalig

african: Afrikanisch, Afrikaner

aft: hinten, achtern afternoons: Nachmittage

afterward: nachher, später, danach

afterwards: nachher, hinterher, danach, hernach, später, darauf, hinten, dann, hierauf, anschließend, nachträglich

agent: Vertreter, Agent, Mittel, Agens, Geschäftsbesorger, Stellvertreter, Verkaufsvertreter, Werkzeug, Intendant, Makler

agents: Zwischenperson, Agent, Agenten

ages: Ewigkeit, von unendlicher Dauer, Unendlichkeit

aggravated: verschlimmert, verschlimmertet, verschlimmertest, verschlimmerten, verschlimmerte, erschwerte, erschwert, erschwerten, erschwertest, verschlechtert, verschlechterte

aggravations: Ärger, Verschlimmerungen

agitated: regtet auf, regte auf, regten auf, aufgeregt, regtest auf, beunruhigt, beunruhigte, beunruhigten, beunruhigtest, beunruhigtet, erregt

agitating: aufregend, beunruhigend, agitierend, Handeln, Agieren

agitation: Bewegung, Aufruhr, Agitation, Aufstand, Hektik, Ruhelosigkeit, Streß, Krawall, Nervosität, Tumult, Getümmel

agony: Agonie, Todeskampf, Qual,

agreeable: angenehm, behaglich,

genehm, herrlich

ague: Schüttelfrost, Fieber

aiding: helfend

aimed: zieltet, gezielt, zieltest, zielten, zielte, richteten, gerichtet, richtetet, richtetest, richtete

airs: Lüftet

alarm: Alarm, alarmieren, beängstigen, beunruhigen, verscheuchen, Grauen, in Bestürzung versetzen, konsternieren,

Entsetzen, einschüchtern, Notsignal

alas: leider, ach, bedauerlich alexandrian: alexandrinisch

alike: gleich, ähnlich, gleichwertig, gleichförmig, gleicherweise, identisch, homogen, einander entsprechend, gleichartig, ebenso,

analog

alive: lebendig, lebend, belebt, existierend, am Leben

alleged: angeblich, behauptet, behauptetet, behauptetest, behauptete, behaupteten, vermeintlich

allied: alliiert, verbündete, verbündet, stammverwandt

allies: Verbündete, Alliierte allowance: Beihilfe, Zuwendung,

Zuschuß, Vergütung, Zulage, Freibetrag, Beistand, Unterstützung, Erlaubnis, Zuweisung, Auftragserteilung

allowanced: teilte zu

allowing: erlaubend, gestattend, gewährend

alluded: angespielt, spieltet an, spieltest an, spielten an, spielte an,

almighty: allmächtig, übermächtig alone: allein, alleine, einzig, nur, bloß, alleinig, einsam

alphabet: Alphabet

altar: Altar

alternative: alternativ, Alternative, abwechselnd

altogether: insgesamt, zusammen, Gänzlich, überhaupt, völlig, miteinander, im Ganzen, gemeinsam, gemein, alles, gemeinschaftlich

ambition: Ehrgeiz, Streben, Ambition, Eifer, Bestreben, Bemühen, Bestrebung

ambitious: ehrgeizig, ambitiös, eifrig, enorm, großartig, tollkühn

amid: inmitten

analyze: analysieren, analysiere, analysierst, analysiert

ancient: alt, uralt, antik, altertümlich, ehemalig

andrew: Andreas

112 anecdote: Anekdote anew: von neuem, erneut, aufs Neue, wieder, abermalig, abermals angelic: engelhaft, himmlisch angels: Engel anger: Ärger, Zorn, Groll, Wut, Ingrimm, ärgern, Verärgerung angry: zornig, böse, ärgerlich, wütend, verärgert, aufgebracht, erzürnt, Haßerfüllt, arg, bitterböse, borstig anguish: Pein, Qual, Schreckhaftigkeit, Angst animate: beleben, lebend, animieren, anregen, belebt animated: lebhaft, angeregt, belebt, lebendig, ausgelassen, eifrig, emsig, heiter, gesellig, lustig, munter anise: Anis annihilate: vernichten, vernichte, vernichtest, vernichtet, zerschlagen, auslöschen annihilated: vernichtet, vernichtete, vernichtetest, vernichtetet, vernichteten annually: jährlich anomalous: anomal, regelwidrig, ungewöhnlich, unregelmäßig, anormal Anrufbeantwortung Unruhe, Beklemmung, Besorgnis anxious: besorgt, unruhig, ängstlich, bange, sorgenvoll

answered: geantwortet answering: antwortend, anxiety: Angst, Ängstlichkeit, apologizing: entschuldigend apostrophe: Apostroph, Auslassungszeichen, Abkürzungszeichen apostrophizing: apostrophierend appalled: erschrecken, erschreckte, erschrak, entsetztet, entsetztest, entsetzte, entsetzt, entsetzen, ensetzte, entsetzten, erschrocken

appalling: Entsetzlich, schrecklich, furchtbar, skandalös, schlimm, fürchterlich appealed: berufen appeals: appelliert, berufungen appearance: Erscheinung, Aussehen, Anschein, Erscheinen, Äußere,

Erscheinungsbild, Auftritt, Ansehen appeared: erschient, erschienst, erschienen, erschien, aufgetreten, traten auf, trat auf, tratet auf, tratest anf

Anblick, Schein, Augenschein,

append: befestigen, hinzufügen appendix: Anhang, Blinddarm, Appendix, Anlage, Ergänzung, Bilnddarm

applaud: applaudieren, applaudiert, applaudierst, applaudiere, Beifall spenden, klatschen, klatsche, klatscht, klatschst, akklamieren, akklamierst

applause: Applaus, Beifall apple: Apfel, der Apfel applied: wandtet an, wandte an, wandten an, angewandt, wandtest an, galt, galten, galtet, galtst, gegolten, legtet auf

applies: wendet an, gilt, verwendet, trifft zu, bewirbt, legt auf

appointed: ernannt, ernannte, ernannten, ernanntest, ernanntet, bestimmte

appointing: ernennend, bestimmend appreciate: schätzen, würdigen, würdige, schätze, schätzt, würdigt, würdigst, achten, wertschätzen, achtet, achtest

apprehension: Festnahme, Arrest, Befürchtung, Haft

apprehensive: besorgt, bedenklich, begreifend, bange, beängstigt

apprentices: Lehrlinge approached: genähert approaching: nähernd

appropriately: passend, zurecht, angemessene

approved: genehmigtest, genehmigt, genehmigte, genehmigtet, genehmigten, gebilligt, billigten, billigtest, billigtet, billigte, bewährt

apt: geeignet, passend, zirka, ungefähr, treffend, begabt

arabic: Arabisch ardently: heiß

ardor: Begeisterung, Leidenschaft,

arguments: Argumente

arises: entsteht, entspringt, geht auf, kommt auf, erscheint

ark: Arche armed: bewaffnet

armory: Waffenkammer

arose: entstand, entstanden, entstandst, entstandet, gingt auf, ging auf, gingst auf, entsprangst, gingen auf, entsprangt, entsprangen

arraigned: focht an arrangement: Anordnung, Einrichtung, Abmachung, Absprache, Zusammenstellung, Ordnung, Aufstellung, Vereinbarung, Eingliederung, Bearbeitung, Aufbau

array: Feld, Reihe, Array, Matrix, Aufstellung

arrest: verhaften, festnehmen, Festnahme, Haft, Verhaftung, Arrest, Arestieren, vorläufige Festnahme,

erfassen, fassen, arrestieren arrested: verhaftet, verhaftete, gefangen

arrival: Ankunft, Eintreffen, Versorgung, Kommen

arrived: angekommen, kam an, kamen an, kamt an, kamst an, eingetroffen, traft ein, trafst ein, trafen ein, traf ein, langtest an

artful: listig, kunstvoll, hinterlistig artfully: listig, kunstvoll

ascertain: feststellen, stelle fest, stellt fest, stellen fest, stellst fest, ermitteln, konstatieren, konstatiere, ermittelt, ermittle, ermittele

ascertained: stellten fest, stelltet fest, stellte fest, festgestellt, stelltest fest, ermitteltet, ermitteltest, ermittelten, ermittelte, ermittelt, konstatiert

ascertaining: feststellend, ermittelnd, konstatierend

aside: Beiseite, Abseits, daneben, seitlich, zur Seite

asks: fragt, bittet, fordert auf, fragt an asleep: schlafend

aspect: Aspekt, Anblick, Aussehen aspirations: Aspirationen

ass: Esel, Arsch

assault: Angriff, anfallen, angreifen, überfallen, ausfallen, ein Attentat ausführen, ein Anschlag ausführen, notzüchten, quälen, vergewaltigen, mißhandeln

assaults: Angriffe, Erstürmungen, Überfälle, Stürme, Greift an assert: behaupten, behauptet, behaupte, behauptest, eineKundgebungabhalten, konstatieren, geltend machen, feststellen, eineKundgebunghalten, annehmen, demonstrieren

assertion: Behauptung, Erklärung, These, Geltendmachung, Feststellung, Angeben, Aufstellung, Behauptungsclaim

assistance: Unterstützung, Beistand, Hilfe, Mithilfe, Assistenz

assisted: assistierte, assistiertet, assistierten, assistiert, assistiertest, halft, halfst, halfen, half, geholfen, standst bei

associated: verbunden, angeschlossen, vereinigt

assumed: angenommen, nahm an, nahmen an, nahmt an, nahmst an, vorausgesetzt

assuming: annehmend, anmassend, Unterstellen, angenommen, Annehmen

assurance: Versicherung, Zusicherung, Assekuranz assured: versichertet, versichert, versicherte, versichertest, versicherten, sichertest zu, sichertet zu, sicherten zu, sicherte zu, zugesichert, sicher

assuring: versichernd, zusichernd astonish: überraschen, erstaunen, erstaunst, überraschst, überrascht, erstaune, überrasche, erstaunt

astonished: erstaunt, überraschte. überraschtet, überraschten, überrascht, erstauntet, überraschtest, erstauntest, erstaunten, erstaunte

astonishing: erstaunlich, überraschend, erstaunend, verwunderlich

astonishment: Erstaunen. Verwunderung, Aufsehen, Wunder, Staunen, Befremdung

asylum: Asyl, Zufluchtsstätte, Zufluchtsort, Tierheim, Freistatt ate: aßt, aßest, Aßen, Aß, speisten, speistet, speiste, speistest

atlantic: atlantisch, Atlantik,

Atlantischer Ozean atrocious: grauenhaft, scheußlich, gräßlich, grausam

atrocity: Untat, Greueltaten, Grausamkeit, Gräueltat

attached: befestigt, befestigtest, befestigte, befestigtet, befestigten, heftetest an, angeheftet, heftetet an, heftete an, hefteten an, hingt an

attaching: befestigend, anheftend, anbringend, anfügen, anhängend, anheften

attachment: Pfändung, Anlage, Befestigung, Anhang, Zusatzgerät, Treue, Hingebung, Hingabe, Geschiebe, Festheftung, Beschlagnahmung

attacks: angriffe

attain: erreichen, erreichst, erreicht, erreiche, erzielen, erlangen, erlangst, erlangt, erziele, erzielst, erzielt

attainments: Erreichungen, Erwerbung, Fähigkeit, Fertigkeit, Kenntnisse, Erreichung attempted: probiertest, erprobtest,

erprobtet, probiert, probierte, erprobten, erprobte, probiertet, versucht, probierten, erprobt

attend: besuchen, besuche, besuchst, besucht, pflegen, pflegt, pflege, begleiten, beiwohnen, teilnehmen, bedienen

attendance: Teilnahme, Anwesenheit, Dienst, Anzahl teilnehmender Personen, Bedienung, Aufwartung,

attendants: Aufseher, Aufpasser, Concierges, Hausmeister, Babysitter attended: besuchtest, besucht,

besuchte, besuchten, besuchtet, pflegtest, pflegtet, pflegten, gepflegt, pflegte, wohntest bei

attending: besuchend, pflegend, beiwohnend

attentive: aufmerksam, achtsam, bedächtig

attentively: aufmerksam

attraction: Anziehungskraft, Attraktion, Anziehung, Anreiz, Nummer

attributed: zugeschrieben audience: Audienz, Publikum, Zuhörer

auditory: auditiv, Auditorium, Zuhörerschaft, Hörsaal

augmented: vergrößerte augustus: August aunt: Tante, die Tante

Schutzherrschaften

auspices: Auspizien, Schirmherrschaft, Unter der Schirmherrschaft von.

authentic: authentisch, echt, urtümlich, ursprünglich, original, glaubhaft

availed: nützte

avenged: gerächt, rächtet, rächtest, rächten, rächte, ahndete, geahndet

avenue: Allee, Straße, Baumgang, Boulevard

avowing: bekennend

awakened: weckten, wecktest, wecktet, weckte, geweckt, erwecktest, erweckten, erweckte, erwecktet, erweckt

awful: furchtbar, schrecklich, miserabel, elend

awhile: eine Weile awkward: unbeholfen, unangenehm,

ungeschickt, linkisch, peinlich, mißlich, ungünstig, täppisch, schwierig, ungelenk, unbequem

awkwardness: Ungeschicklichkeit, Ungeschicktheit, Unbeholfenheit axe: Axt, Beil, Hacke, Streitaxt,

streichen, Spalter, kürzen, Hackbeil, Hackmesser, Buschmesser

baa: Blöken, das Blöken, das Geblök

babes: Babys backs: Rückseiten bade: geboten

badly: schlecht, dringend bag: Sack, Beutel, Tasche, Tüte

baggage: Gepäck, Bagage, Reisegepäck, Verpackung bailey: Burgmauer, Zwinger, Vorwerk, Bollwerk, Bastion,

Burghof

bald: kahl, glatzköpfig bands: Kapellen

banishment: Verbannung, Geisterbeschwörung, Exil, Beschwörung, Deportation

banner: Banner, Fahne, Transparent, Flagge, Wimpel, Standarte,

Spruchband

barbarity: Unmenschlichkeit

barefooted: barfüßig bareheaded: barhäuptig barely: kaum, knapp

bargain: feilschen, Geschäft, Gelegenheitskauf, handeln, Handel, Abmachung, dingen, abhandeln, abfeilschen, Abmarkten, markten

barn: Scheune, Stall, Hütte, Lagerhütte, Scheuer, Bude, die Scheune, Bauernscheuer, Baracke

barrier: Sperre, Barriere, Schranke, Absperrung, Hindernis, Umhüllung, Sperrbaum, Verschluß, Sperrung, Schlagbaum, Hürde

baseness: Niederträchtigkeit

basest: gemeinst

basket: Korb, der Korb

baskets: Körbe

bay: Bucht, Bai, Bellen, Erker, Rotfuchs, Meerbusen, Lorbeer, Fjord beam: Balken, Strahl, strahlen, Träger, Strahlenbündel, scheinen, Kreuzholz, leuchten

beaming: strahlend, abstrahlend, blank, glatt, glimmend, schimmernd bear: Bär, tragen, ertragen, aushalten, gebären, Baissier, hervorbringen, Baissespekulant, einziehen, ausharren, leiden

bearer: Inhaber, Träger, Überbringer bearing: Lager, tragend, Peilung beast: Tier, Biest, Bestie, Vieh, Getier

beasts: Tiere beat: schlagen, schlag, hauen,

Schwebung, klopfen, Runde, einen Klaps geben beaten: geschlagen

beating: Schlagen, Klopfen beauty: Schönheit, Pracht, Hübschheit

beck: Wink beds: Betten

beef: Rindfleisch, Meckern, Rind befall: brichst herein, wandele an, anwandeln, widerfahrt, widerfährst, widerfahren, widerfahre, wandle an, wandelt an, wandeln an, sich begeben

befallen: geschehen, zugestoßen, passiert

befriend: behilflich sein, freundlich

begging: Bittend, Bettelnd, Bettelei, ersuchend, Betteln, Abstauben, Schnorren

behalf: Namens behave: sich benehmen, sich verhalten, sich betragen, sich aufführen, benehmen

behaved: benahm sich, benahm behavior: Verhalten, Benehmen,

Betragen, Gebaren

beheld: erblickte, erblicktest, erblickt, erblicktet, gesehen, sah, sahen, sahst, saht, erblickten

behold: sehen, erblicken, siehe, sieh, siehst, seht, erblickst, sehe, erblicke, erblickt, wahrnehmen

beings: Wesen, Menschen belief: Glaube, Glauben,

Überzeugung

believed: glaubten, glaubtest, geglaubt, glaubte, glaubtet bell: Glocke, Klingel, Schelle, die Klingel, Wecker

belong: hingehören, gehören belonged: gehörte zu

belonging: Zugehörig, Gehörend, Hingehorend, Stammend beloved: geliebt, Geliebte, lieb,

beliebt, Herzchen, allerliebst, auserkoren, auserwählt, Geliebten, heißgeliebt, Juwel

bending: Biegen, Umkehr, Umgestaltung, Umbruch, Umbiegen, Trendwende, Kenterung, Umschlag, biegend, Änderung, Abwandlung beneath: unter, unterhalb, darunter,

unten, neben benefactor: Wohltäter, Patronen benevolence: Wohlwollen, Güte,

Wohltätigkeit, Wohltat, Milde, Gnade, Entgegenkommen,

Barmherzigkeit

benevolent: wohlwollend, wohltuend, wohltätig, gütig, guttuend, zugetan

bent: Gebogen, verbogen, krumm, gekrümmt, verneigt, vorüber gebogen, umgebogen, geneigt, gewölbt, gewunden

beset: bedrängen

beside: neben, an, außer, bei, zu besides: außerdem, außer, neben, darüber, übrigens, zudem, namentlich, fort, sonstig, weiter, zusätzlich

bestow: schenken

betokened: kündigtest an, kündigtet an, kündigten an, kündigte an, angekündigt

betokening: ankündigend betray: verraten, verrätst, verrate, verratet, verpfeifen, petzen, anzeigen

betrayer: Verräter betraying: verratend bets: Wetten

bettering: zubesserung, überwindend

betwixt: zwischen

bible: Bibel, Heilige Schrift

bibles: Bibel, Bibeln

bind: binden, verbinden, einbinden, mit der Schlinge fangen, festknüpfen, festschnallen, festmachen, festbinden, ketten,

knebeln, ködern

binding: verbindlich, bindend, Einband, Bindung, Binde, stringent, schlüssig, bindende, Binden, Streifen

birth: Geburt, Herkunft birthday: Geburtstag

birthplace: Geburtsort biscuit: Biskuit, Keks, Zwieback,

Bisquit, Gebäck, Kuchen, Massekloß

biscuits: Kekse, Gebäck

bitten: gebissen

bitter: bitter, herb, bitterlich blackness: Schwärze, Schwarz sein

blades: Blätter, Halme blanket: Decke, Bettdecke, die Decke,

Umfassend, Pauschal

blankets: Decken, Bettdecken blasphemy: Gotteslästerung, Fluch,

Blasphemie, Verleumdung, Lästerung, Lästerrede, Laster, Frevel

blast: Windstoß, sprengen, Explosion bleat: blöken, meckern, wiehern,

plärren, quaken, brüllen bleed: bluten, blute, blutest, blutet

bleeding: Blutend, Blutung, Bluten bless: segnen, segnet, segne, segnest

blessed: segnete, segnetet, segnetest, gesegnet, segneten

blessedness: die Glückseligkeit, Seligkeit, die Seligkeit

blessing: segnend, Segen, Heil, Einsetzung, Glückwunsch, Einsegnung, Heiligkeit, Heiligung, Herrlichkeit, Segenspendung, Segenswunsch

blew: blies blight vereiteln, blies, blasen, wehen

blighting: vereitelnd

blind: blind, Blinder, blenden, verblenden, Blende, blendest, blendet, Rollgardine, Rollo

blindness: Blindheit, Verblendung block: Block, blockieren, Klotz,

verstopfen, sperren, Druckstock, zusperren, zustopfen, versperren, stopfen, Scheit

bloodhound: Schweißhund, Bluthund

bloodhounds: Schweisshunde

bloodiest: blutigste

blotted: befleckte, bekleckert blow: Schlag, blasen, Hieb, wehen, pfeifen, Streich, flöten, leichter Schlag, Klaps, Handschlag, Handschläge

blowing: Blasend, Blasen, Sausen, Geblas, Gepus

blown: geblasen, geschneuzt blows: Schläge

**blunt**: stumpf, abstumpfen, kurz angebunden, verflachen, unverblümt, ohne Umschweife, klobig, geradeheraus, einsilbig, brüsk, angebunden

boast: prahlen, Prahlerei, angeben, aufschneiden, renommieren, großeRedeführen, rühmen, sich brüsten, brüsten, ausposaunen, sich mit etwas brüsten

bogs: Sümpfe

boiled: gekocht, siedete, abgekocht boiling: kochend, siedend, Kochen bold: fett, dreist, kühn, keck, frech, Mutig, ungezogen, schamlos, schlimm, taktlos, tapfer

boldest: kühnste

bolt: Bolzen, Riegel, Schraube, Durchgehen, Schloß, Verriegeln, Blitz, Bolz, Mutterbolzen, Zuriegeln, Verschluß

bolted: verriegelte, abgeriegelt bond: Obligation, Bindung, Schuldverschreibung, Band, Fessel, Anleihe, Verpflichtung, Bürgschaft, Affinität, Bund, Bündnis

bondage: Hörigkeit, Sklaverei, Leibeigenschaft, Knechtschaft

bondman: der Leibeigene bonds: Verbindungen, Schuldscheine

bones: Knochen, Gebeine, Knöchel boot: Stiefel, Kofferraum, start, booten, betätigen, einschalten, in Funktion setzen, Muffe

border: Rand, Grenze, Kante, Saum, Einfassung, Grat, Einfassen, Rahmen, Säumen, Gestade, Strand

borne: getragen bosom: Busen, Brust bosoms: Brüste, Busen

bound: gebunden, begrenzen, Grenze, abgrenzen, eindämmen, einschränken, Schranke,

beschränken

bountifully: reichlich bows: verbeugungen, verbeugt,

Bücklinge, bögen boxing: Boxen, das Boxen

brains: Gehirne, Hirn, Schädel, Kopf, Gehirn, Gehirnkasten

brand: Marke, Brandmal, Markenzeichen, Warenzeichen,

Handelszeichen, Zeichen

brandings: Marken

brandy: Weinbrand, Branntwein,

Kognak, Schnaps brave: Tapfer, mutig, beherzt, tüchtig, brav, wacker, lieb, dreist, getrost braving: zerreibend bread: Brot, Panieren, Weizenbrot breakfast: Frühstück, Frühstücken, das Frühstück breaking: Bruch, Zerstörung, unterbrechend, brechend breast: Brust, Busen, Mutterbrust breastbone: Brustbein breath: Atem, Hauch, Atemzug, Schnaufer, Inhalation, Einatmung, Aspiration breathed: geatmet, atmeten, atmetest, atmetet, atmete breeder: Züchter, Brüter breeze: Brise, Hauch, Briese, Wind brethren: Bruder, Brüder brick: Ziegelstein, Backstein, Ziegel, Baustein, Stein brief: kurz, Schriftsatz, instruieren, benachrichtigen briefly: kurz, bündig, kurzgefaßt, kurzerhand briers: Dornsträucher bright: hell, blank, gescheit, leuchtend, klug, intelligent, licht, heiter, helle, aufgeweckt, frisch brightening: aufhellend brigs: briggs brilliant: glänzend, brillant, hervorragend, blank, genial, besser als die anderen bringing: Bringend, mitbringend, Anbringend, überbringend, einbringend brings: bringt, bringt mit, bringt ein, überbringt, bringt an broad: Breit, weit, deutlich, umfassend, globaal, gesamt, hell, im Großen und Ganzen, Breite broke: pleite, brach, bankrott, mit leerer Tasche, blank, abgebrannt brook: Bach, Fluß, Strom brow: Braue, Augenbraue, Stirn bruises: Ouetscht, Zerstampft brutalize: schikanieren, brüskieren, brutal behandeln, brutal vorgehen brutalizing: brutal behandelnd, verrohend, brüskierend, schikanierend, brutalisierend brute: Tier, Unmensch, Rohling, Brutaler Kerl, Brutal, Vieh, Wüterich, Ein roher Mensch, Roh, Tierisch brutes: Scheusale, Unmenschen bull: Stier, Bulle, Haussier, Haussespekulant burden: Last, Belasten, Bürde, Belastung, Beauftragen, Ladung,

Beladen, Gewicht, Aufladen,

Auftragen, Fuhre

burdens: Belastungen, Ladungen, bedecken, Barett, Hut, Last, Lasten, Trägerlasten burial: Beisetzung, Beerdigung, Begräbnis, Bestattung buried: begruben, beerdigt, beerdigte, beerdigten, beerdigtest, beerdigtet, begrub, vergrubst, begrubst, fachmännisch begrubt, vergraben burned: gebrannt, brannte, verbrannt burnt: verbrannt, angebrannt, gebrannt, brennen, verbrennen burst: platzen, bersten, zerplatzen, zerspringen, Explosion, explodieren, Bruch, Ausbruch bury: begraben, vergraben, beerdigen, begrabt, begräbst, beerdige, beerdigst, beerdigt, begrabe, cared: sorgte vergräbst, vergrabt bush: Strauch, Busch, Gebüsch, Staude, Buchse bushel: Scheffel butler: Hausdiener, Herrenknecht, Kammerdiener, Butler buying: Kaufen, Kauf buys: kauft cakes: Kuchen calamity: Unglück, Katastrophe, Schicksalsschlag, Unheil, Unglücksfall, Schicksalsschläge, Not, Malheur, Elend, Pech carrying: tragend calculated: berechnet, berechnete, berechnetet, berechnetest, berechneten, kalkuliertet, kalkuliertest, kalkulierten, Gipsverband kalkulierte, kalkuliert, rechnete calk: kalfatern, Stollen calking: pausend calling: rufend, Anrufend, heißend, aufrufend, Rufen, Berufung, Anrufung, Ruf, Zurufen, Schreien, Vokation callous: schwielig, hart, unbarmherzig, gefühllos, herzlos, hornhaut, hornhäute, kallös, Schwiele, mitleidslos, rücksichtslos calls: ruft, ruft an, heißt, ruft auf, schreit calm: ruhig, beruhigen, still, gelassen, Flaute, sanft, windstill, Stille, lindern, gemütlich, zugänglich calumniators: Verleumder ceases: endet camel: Kamel camp: Lager, Zelten, Lagern, cent: Cent Kampieren, Lagerplatz, Kamp, cents: Prozente Zeltlager canada: Kanada candor: Offenheit, Aufrichtigkeit cannot: kann nicht canoe: Kanu, Paddelboot, Kanoe, Kanu fahren cant: kippen

cap: Kappe, Mütze, Haube, Deckel,

Knallplätzchen, Kopfbedeckung, Decke, Käppchen capable: fähig, tüchtig, imstande, kompetent, tauglich, kapabel, kundig, geübt, geschult, gescheit, captain: Kapitän, Hauptmann, Anführer, Kommandant, Schiffskapitän, Mannschaftskapitän, Katitän, Führer, Flugzeugkapitän, Flugkapitän, Pilot capture: einfangen, erbeuten, Einfang, Einnahme, erfassen, fangen, erwischen, Gefangennahme, Bemächtigung, ergreifen, ertappen careful: vorsichtig, sorgfältig, sorgsam, behutsam, besorgt, bedachtsam, reiflich, akkurat, bedächtig, besonnen, eingehend carefulness: Sorgfalt, Gründlichkeit carelessness: Nachlässigkeit, Achtlosigkeit, Sorglosigkeit, Unvorsichtigkeit caricature: Karikatur, Karikieren, Spottbild, Zerrbild carolinas: Carolina carpenters: Zimmerleute cart: Karren, Fuder, Wagen, Fuhre cast: Besetzung, werfen, Guss, gießen, Abguss, geworfen, Wurf, Gips, cat: Katze, Kater, die Katze catch: fangen, fangt, fange, fängst, erwischen, erwischt, erwische, erwischst, Fang, ertappen, ertappt catching: fangend, erwischend, ertappend, fassend, nehmend, auffangend, ansteckend, infektiös catholic: katholisch, Katholik cattle: Rindvieh, Vieh, Rinder, Rind causing: Verursachen, Anstiftung, Anrichten, Erzeugend, Veranlassend cease: aufhören, verzichten, zurücktreten, etwas aufgeben, ausscheiden, ablassen ceased: aufgehört, hörte auf ceaseless: unaufhörlich ceasing: beendend, endend censured: getadelt, tadelte centuries: Jahrhunderte ceremony: Zeremonie, Feierlichkeit, Feier, Förmlichkeit, Festlichkeit, Festumzug, Pracht, Prozession, Stattlichkeit, Vierung, Festakt certainty: Gewissheit, Sicherheit, Bestimmtheit, Überzeugung,

Zuversicht, Pfand, Garantie certificate: Zertifikat, Attest, Bescheinigung, Zeugnis, Schein, Urkunde, Notiz, Zertifikaat, Vermerk, Prüfungszeugnis, Anmerkung

certify: bescheinigen, bescheinigst, bescheinigt, bescheinige, bestätigen chained: angeschlossen, angekettet, verkettete

chains: Ketten

**chalk**: Kreide, Kreide hinzufügen, Mörtel, Kreiden, Schulkreide

chambers: Kammern

champion: Meister, Sieger, Maestro chances: Chancen, Gelegenheiten, Zufälle

characterized: charakterisiertest, charakterisiert, charakterisiertet, charakterisierten, charakterisierte, kennzeichnetet, kennzeichnete, kennzeichneten, kennzeichnetest, gekennzeichnet

characters: Zeichen

charitable: wohltätig, karitativ

charmless: reizlos

chase: jagen, verfolgen, Verfolgung, nachgehen, treiben, fahnden, folgen, nachzusetzen, hetzen, nachjagen, hochtreiben

chased: Verfolgte, Jagte chastisements: Strafen

**chattel**: Habe

cheat: betrügen, hintergehen, beschwindeln, Gauner, bescheißen, beschummeln, prellen, täuschen, mogeln, neppen, Schuft

cheats: mogelt cheek: Backe, Wange

cheer: zujubeln, Hochruf, jubeln, bejubeln, Jubelruf, bejauchzen, komplimentieren, feiern, Freudenruf, Freudenschrei, zujauchzen

cheerful: fröhlich, heiter, lustig, vergnügt, gutgelaunt, munter, herzensfroh, aufgekratzt, froh, freudig, entzückt

**cheering**: Jubel, Jauchzen, zujubelnd, Feudenruf, Freudentaumel

cherish: knuddeln, streicheln, schmusen, kuscheln

**childhood**: Kindheit, Kinderjahre, Kinderzeit

chill: Kälte, Erkältung, Kühle,

erstarren, Schnupfen **chime**: läuten, Glockenspiel, Ton, klöppeln

**chimney**: Schornstein, Kamin, Esse, der Schornstein

choke: Drossel, ersticken, erwürgen, erdrosseln, würgen, drosseln choosing: wählend, auslesend, aussuchend, erwählend chopping: abhackend, hacken, zerhackend

chorus: Chor, Refrain, Sängerchor chosen: gewählt, ausgewählt, auserkoren, ausgelesen, ausgesucht, bevorzugt, erwählt, auserlesen,

auserwählt

Christenheit

christ: Christus, du lieber Himmel, du meine Güte

christianity: Christentum,

christians: Christen

circle: Kreis, Kreisen, Zirkel, Umkreisen, Runde, Zyklus, Gebiet, Einigung, Association, Bezirk, der Kreis

circumstance: Umstand, Bewandtnis cited: zitiertet, zitiertest, zitierten, zitierte, zitiert, führte an, führtet an, angeführt, führten an, führtest an,

erwähnt

clanking: klirrend

**clay**: Ton, Lehm, Tonerde, Kleie, Irden, Tönern

clean: sauber, rein, reinigen, reinige, reinigst, reinigt, säubern, putzen, putzt, säubere, säubre

cleanly: sauber, reinlich clearer: heller, Reiniger clearing: Lichtung,

Verrechnungsverkehr, Clearing, Rodung, Auslösen, Frei machen

clerk: Büroangestellte, Schreiber, Beamte, Handlungsgehilfe, Verkäufer, Kanzlist, Angestellte, Angestellter, Kommiß, Ladengehilfe, Schriftführer

**climax**: Höhepunkt, Spitze, Klimax, Orgasmus

Ciling: klammern, klammerst, klammre, klammere, kleben, klammert, ankleben, anleimen, festkleben, anschmiegen, leimen

closely: dicht, eng, nah

closet: Wandschrank, Schrank closing: schließend, Schließen, verschließend, zumachend, Schließung, Schluss, Einschalten, Dichten, Abdichten, zufallend, Abschliessen

cloth: Tuch, Stoff, Lappen, Zeug, Gewebe, Komplex, Stramin, tüchern, Aufbau, Faserstoff, aus Tuch

**clothed**: kleidetest, kleideten, kleidete, gekleidet, kleidetet, bekleidet, kleideten an, kleidete an, kleidetet

an, bekleidetet, bekleidetest **clothing**: Kleidung, kleidend, Bekleidung, Bekleidend, ankleidend, Kleider, Einkleidend, Anziehen, Anlegen, Ankleiden clotted: geronnen, klumpig, klebrig,

gummiartig **cloud**: Wolke, Trüben, Schatten

coaches: kutschen

**coal**: Kohle, Steinkohle, Kohlen, Steinkohlen

coarse: grob, ungeschliffen, rauh, abgestanden, arg, barsch, grobkörnig, unflätig, holperig, obszön, ungehobelt

coats: Anstriche, Jacken cocked: richtete auf code: Kode, Code, Chiffre,

Verschlüsseln, Kodieren, Schlüssel, Geheimschrift, Marke, Codierung

coffin: Sarg, Grabkiste
coiled: wand, aufgewickelt

coincided: traf zusammen, trafen zusammen, trafst zusammen, traft zusammen, zusammengetroffen, fielen zusammen, fiel zusammen, fielst zusammen, zusammengefallen, fielt zusammen

coldest: kälteste

collar: Kragen, Halsband, Leine, Zügel, der Kragen, Halskragen, kleineKragen, Zaum, Longe, Bund collected: sammeltet, sammelte,

sammeltest, gesammelt, sammelten, sammeltet ein, sammelte ein, eingesammelt, sammelten ein, sammeltest ein, gefasst

colonel: Oberst color: Farbe, Färben colored: farbig, bunt, farbige columbia: Kolumbien columbian: Kolumbianerin, kolumbianisch, Kolumbianer, Kolumbier

combating: bekämpfen, bekämpfend combination: Kombination, Verbindung, Zusammensetzung,

Zusammenschluß

**combine**: kombinieren, kombinierst, kombiniert, kombiniere, Mähdrescher, Kombinat,

aneinanderreihen, Konzern, koppeln, verknüpfen, zusammenlegen

combined: kombiniert, kombinierte, kombiniertet, kombinierten, kombiniertest, aneinander, zusammen, ineinander

combining: Kombinierend comfort: Komfort, Behaglichkeit, trösten, Bequemlichkeit, Trost, Ermutigung, Gemütlichkeit, Trost spenden, unterstützen, Zuspruch, Ermunterung

**comfortable**: bequem, komfortabel, gemütlich, behaglich, gemächlich, ruhig, zu tragen, wohnlich,

wohltuend, vergnüglich, tragbar comforts: Trost, Annehmlichkeiten, Behaglichkeiten

comings: Einkünfte

command: Befehl, Kommando, kommandieren, Gebot, befehlen, gebieten, Anweisung, befehligen, Weisung, Dienstbefehl, dirigieren commanded: befahl, befohlene

commanding: befehlend

commands: befehle, Dienstliche Anweisungen

commence: beginnen, beginne, beginnt, beginnst, anfangen, anbrechen, starten

commenced: begannst, begann, begonnen, begannt, begannen, angefangen

commencement: Beginn, Anfang, Eröffnung, Start, Einleitung, Anfangen, Abschlußfeier commencing: beginnend commensurate: gleich groß,

angemessen

commit: anvertrauen, vertraust an, vertraue an, treiben, betreiben, vertrauen an, pflegen, vertraut an, ausüben

committed: anvertraut, vertrautet an, gebunden, gezwungen, unfrei, vertraute an, vertrauten an, vertrautest an

commonly: landläufig, normalerweise, im allgemeinen, gewöhnlich, gemeinhin, üblich, häufig

communion: Kommunion comparatively: vergleichsweise, verhältnismäßig

compare: vergleichen, vergleicht, vergleichst, vergleiche, kollationieren, konfrontieren, zusammenhalten, Vergleich

comparison: Vergleich, Gleichnis, Gegenüberstellung

compass: Kompass, der Kompass,

compel: zwingen, zwinge, zwingst, zwingt, nötigen, pressen, zwängen, forcieren

compelled: zwang, gezwungen, zwangst, zwangen, zwangt, erzwungen

compelling: zwingend, zwingende compels: zwingt

compensate: ausgleichen, gleicht aus, entschädigen, gleiche aus, gleichen aus, gleichst aus, vergüten, vergüte, vergütest, ersetzen, entschädigst

compensation: Kompensation, Entschädigung, Ausgleich, Abfindung, Vergütung,

Schadensersatz, Schadenersatz, Ersatz, Kostenerstattung, Gegenleistung, Kompensieren competitors: Konkurrenten

complained: geklagt, klagte, klagten, klagtest, klagtet, reklamiertest, reklamiert, reklamierten, reklamiertet, beanstandet,

complains: klagt, reklamiert complaint: Beschwerde, Klage, Beanstandung, Reklamation, Krankheit, Leiden, Ärgernis, Übel complaints: Klagen, Beschwerden complexion: Gesichtsfarbe, Teint,

Hautfarbe

reklamierte

compliance: Nachgiebigkeit, Befolgung, Erfüllung, Compliance, Hilfsbereitschaft, Dienstfertigkeit comply: nachkomme, willigt ein,

willigst ein, entsprechen, willigen ein, willige ein, sich richten, nachkommen, erfüllt, erfüllst,

compose: abfassen, komponieren, zusammenstellen, verfassen, stellt zusammen, ausfertigen, aufstellen, aufbauen, komponierst, komponiert, Musik komponieren

comprehension: Verständnis compressed: komprimiert, drückte zusammen

compromise: Kompromiss, kompromittieren, sich nicht festlegen, ausweeichen

conceal: verbergen, verbirgst, verbergt, verberge, verbirg, verheimlichen, verheimlicht, verheimlichst, verheimliche, verstecken, verhehlen

conceded: zugestanden, gestandet zu, gestand zu, gestanden zu, gestandst

conceive: denkt aus, empfange, empfangen, empfängst, empfangt, entwickele, denkst aus, konzipiert, begreift, sich vorstellen, entwickelst

conception: Empfängnis, Konzeption, Vorstellung, Idee, Auffassung, Ansicht, Eindruck, Denkweise, Eindrücke, Bewußtsein, Begriffsvermögen

concerning: betreffend, bezüglich, in Bezug auf, hinsichtlich, betreffs, über, von, anbelangt, anbelangend, wegen, in der Nähe

concert: Konzert, Musikaufführung conciliation: Schlichtung, Versöhnung

conclude: beenden, beendet, abschließen, beende, beendest, schließe ab, schließen ab, schließt ab, folgern

concluded: beendet, beendetet, beendetest, beendeten, beendeten, schloß ab, schlossen ab, schlossest ab, schloßt ab, abgeschlossen

conclusion: Schluss, Folgerung, Schlussfolgerung, Abschluss, Ergebnis, Resultat, Konklusion, Rückschluss, Gesamtzahl, Gesamtergebnis, Endergebnis

concubinage: Konkubinat, Wilde Ehe conduct: leiten, Verhalten, führen, Benehmen, dirigieren, Betragen, Gebahren, Führung, Aufführung,

lenken

conducted: geleitet, leitete conductors: Führer, Schaffner conferred: konferiertest, verliehen, konferiertet, übertrug, konferierte, konferiert, konferierten

confide: vertrauen, vertraue, vertraut, vertraust, anvertrauen, betrauen mit, zutrauen, vertrauen setzen in. vertrauen mit

confided: vertraut, vertrautet, vertrautest, vertrauten, vertraute confident: überzeugt, zuversichtlich, vertrauend, sicher

confined: begrenzte, begrenzt confinement: Gefangenschaft,

Beschränkung conform: entsprechen confusion: Verwirrung,

Verwechslung, Durcheinander, Gewirr, Trubel, Verworrenheit, Wirrsal, Verwechselung, Verschmelzung, Konfusion, Wirbel

congress: Kongress, Tagung conjecture: mutmaßen, Vermutung, vermuten, glauben, annehmen, Vermutung anstellen, schätzen

conjectures: Vermutungen, Vermutet connected: verbunden, verbandest, verbandet, verbanden, verband, angeschlossen, schloß an, schlossen an, schlossest an, schloßt an, verknüpft

connection: Verbindung, Anschluss, Zusammenhang, Verband, Beziehung, Liga, Vertrag, Konnex, Allianz, Band, Binde

connections: Verbindungen, Anschlüsse

conquered: erobert, eroberte, eroberten, erobertet, erobertest conscience: Gewissen

conscious: bewusst, sehr bewußt, bei Bewusstsein, wissentlich

consecrate: weihen, inaugurieren, initiieren, einsegnen, einweihen

consecrated: segnete consecrating: segnend consent: Zustimmung, zustimmen, einwilligen, Einwilligung, Einverständnis, Gutdünken, Eintracht, Konsens, Einigkeit, Votum, zuwilligen consented: zugestimmt

consequence: Konsequenz, Folge, Schnitt, Wirkung, Wertpapier, Tätigkeit, Sequenz, Lösung, Auswirkung, Effekt

**consequences**: Folgen, Konsequenzen, Wirkung, Effekte

consideration: Erwägung, Überlegung, Abwägung, Gegenleistung, Anbetracht, Bedenken, Betracht, Erwägen, Hinweis, Nachdenken, Nachsinnen considering: erwägend,

berücksichtigend, betrachtend, in Anbetracht, erachtend, entsprechend, ansehend consisted: bestanden, bestand,

bestandet, bestandst **consolation**: Trost, Vertröstung, Tröstung

console: Konsole, trösten, Pult, Bedienungsfeld, Trost spenden consoled: getröstt, tröstete, getröstet conspicuous: auffallend, auffällig, deutlich

conspired: verschwor constable: Polizist, Schutzmann constables: Polizisten, Schutzmänner constant: konstant, ständig, konstante, stetig, beständig, andauernd, unablässig, dauernd, kontinuierlich, endgültig, fest

constantly: ständig, stetig, beständig, stets, immer, dauernd, konstant

constitution: Verfassung, Konstitution, Grundgesetz, Gesundheit, Konstituierung, Körperbau, Körperbeschaffentheit, Leibesbeschaffenheit

consultation: Beratung, Konsultation consulted: konsultiertet, konsultiert, konsultierte, konsultierten, konsultiertest, befragt, befragte, befragten, befragtest, befragtet, herangezogen

consulting: konsultierend, befragend, um Rat fragend, heranziehend, beratend

consumed: verbraucht, verbrauchte, verbrauchten, verbrauchtest, verbrauchtet, verzehrtet, verzehrten, verzehrten, konsumierte, verzehrtest, konsumiertet consummate: vollendet, vollenden contained: enthieltest, enthalten, enthieltet, enthielten, enthielt

containing: enthaltend

contains: enthält

**contemplate**: betrachten, betrachtet, betrachtest, betrachte

**contemplated**: betrachtete, betrachtetet, betrachtetest, betrachteten, betrachtet

**contempt**: Verachtung, Geringschätzung, Mißachtung

contend: streiten

contending: streitend, disputierend content: Inhalt, zufrieden, Gehalt

contented: zufrieden, befriedigt, befriedigte

**contentment**: Zufriedenheit, Genügsamkeit

contents: Inhalt, womit etwas gefüllt

continually: fortgesetzt
continuance: Dauer

**continues**: fährt fort, setzt fort, macht weiter, dauert, dauert fort

continuing: fortfahrend, fortsetzend, weitermachend, Bestehenbleiben, Andauern, enthaltend, fortdauernd, dauernd

**contracted**: zusammengezogen, vertrag geschlossen

contracts: Verträge

contradiction: Widerspruch contrary: Entgegengesetzt, Gegenteil, zuwider, Gegenstück, Gegensatz, verkehrt, Antipode, Kontrast,

widerwärtig

**convention**: Konvention, Kongress, Tagung, Versammlung

conversation: Gespräch, Unterhaltung, Konversation, Unterredung, Aussprache, Dialog, Geplauder, Talk

conversing: unterhalten, sprechend conversion: Umsetzung,

Umwandlung, Konversion, Konvertierung, Wechsel, Veränderung, Tausch, Bekehrung, Abwechslung, Umformung, Änderung

converted: konvertiert, verwandelte converting: verwandelnd, Umwandlung

converts: konvertiert

convey: herreichen, einhändigen, transportieren, aushändigen, angeben, überliefern, übermitteln

convicted: verurteilte

conviction: Überzeugung, Standpunkt, Anschauung, Ansicht, Auffassung, Denkweise, Gesinnung, Überführung, Verurteilung, Glaube

convince: überzeugen, überzeugst, überzeuge, überzeugt, überreden cooking: Kochen, Kocherei, Sieden, Küche, Gekochte, Kochend cool: kühl, frisch, toll, kühlen, abweisend, großartig, prima, kalt, hoch, hervorragend, herrlich

coolness: Kühle, Kälte, Ungeselligkeit, Frische, Frischheit, Frostigkeit, Kühlheit

copy: Kopie, kopieren, Abschrift, Exemplar, abschreiben, Abdruck, Nachbildung, nachmachen, nachbilden, nachahmen, imitieren copying: Kopieren, Kopierend,

Abschreibend

copyist: Abschreiber

cord: Schnur, Strick, Kordel, Leine, Strang, Kabel, Seil, Kord, Flexible Leitung, Garn, Saite

**cords**: Schnüre, Bindfäden, Drähte, Seile

**corn**: Mais, Getreide, Hühnerauge, Korn, Schwiele, Leichdorn, der Mais

cornfield: Kornfeld coroner: Leichenbeschauer, Untersuchungsrichter corrected: korrigiert

correctness: Korrektheit, Sorgfalt, Richtigkeit, Präzision, Genauigkeit, Akkuratesse

corrupt: verdorben, bestechlich, korrupt, korrumpieren, verderben, korrumpiert, korrumpierst, korrumpiere, käuflich, entstellen, entarten

counsel: Ratschlag, Rechtsanwalt, Rat, Anwalt, ratgeben, raten, Advokat, avisieren, beraten

count: zählen, Zählung, abzählen, Graf, rechnen, kalkulieren, erachten, Zählereignis, Zählimpuls, passen, berechnen

**counting**: Zählend, Zählen, Abzählend

countless: zahllos, unzählig, Legion, ungezählt

**courage**: Mut, Tüchtigkeit, Schneidigkeit, Rüstigkeit **courts**: Höfe, Wohnhöfe

**cousin**: Vetter, Kusine, Cousin, Base, Cousine, Neffe

covered: bedeckt, gedeckt, zugedeckt, bedeckte, eindeckt, überdacht, überdeckt, abgedeckt, überlegen

covering: Deckung, Abdeckung, Zudeckend, übergreifend, überwölbend, Schutz, Belag, Zudeckung

covers: Einschlagen, Umschläge, verdeckt, Schutzbezüge, Überzüge covey: Hecke

cowardice: Feigheit cowardly: feig, feige cows: Kühe

crack: Riss, Sprung, Krachen,

Knarren, Spalte, knacken, brechen, knallen, Spalt, Knall, entschlüsseln cracked: gekracht, geknackt craft: Handwerk craggy: felsig cram: vollstopfen, stopfen, fressen crawl: kriechen, krabbeln crawled: gekrochen, kroch creating: schaffend, erschaffend, erstellend, verfertigung, anfertigung, anfertigen, herstellung, kreieren, kreierend creation: Schöpfung, Kreation, Erzeugung, Schaffung, Verfertigung, Herstellung, Anfertigung, Anfertigen, Schöpfungswerk creator: Schöpfer, Erschaffer, Gestalter, Schöpferin, Schriftstellerin, Entwerfer, Autorin, Erbauer, Autor, Dichterin, Gott creatures: Geschöpfe creditable: anerkennenswert, achtbar creek: Flüsschen, Bach, Rinne, Kanal, der Bach, Bucht cried: geschrieen, schrie cries: schreit crimes: Verbrechen, Verbreche, Untaten cripple: Krüppel crocodile: Krokodil crossing: Kreuzung, Überfahrt, Straßenkreuzung, Schnittpunkt, Kreuzpunkt, Kreuzend, Punkt wo Linien sich kreuzen, Kreuzen, Fußgängerüberweg, Fußgängerbrücke, Kreuzungsstelle crouch: kauern, hocken, kaure, kauert, kauerst, kauere, sichducken, hockt, Hocke, eintauchen, einsinken crouching: kauernd, duckend, hockend crowded: überfüllt, gedrängt, vollgestopft, voll, übervoll, gerammelt voll, gedrängt voll crown: Krone, Kranz, Krönen, die Krone crowned: krönte cruel: grausam cruelly: grausam cruelties: Grausamkeiten cruelty: Grausamkeit crushed: zerbrochen, zerdrückte crushing: Zertrümmerung, Zermalmung, zerdrückend, Schmähung, Quetschung crying: schreiend, schreiende, Weinen cudgel: Knüppel cultivated: kultiviertest, kultiviert,

kultiviertet, kultivierten, kultivierte,

cultivation: Anbau, Kultivierung,

bebaute, bebaut

Entstehen, Erhöhung, Zuwachs, verdunkelt, verdunkelst, verdunkele, Entstehung, Entwicklung, Entwürfe, dunkeln, dunkelt, abdunkeln, Erziehung, Fortgang, Fortgänge dunkele, dunkelst, dunkle cumin: Kreuzkümmel, Kümmel darker: dunkler cunning: schlau, listig, Gerissenheit, darkest: dunkelste gerieben, durchtrieben, gerissen, darkness: Dunkelheit, Finsternis, Hinterlist, Schlauheit, ausgekocht, Halbdunkel, Dämmerlicht, Arglist, arglistig Dämmerung curb: zügeln, Bordstein, beherrschen, dart: Pfeil, Wurfpfeil, Satz bändigen, unterdrücken, Bordkante, dash: Gedankenstrich, Schuß, Strich, dämpfen, in Zucht halten Spritzer, Bindestrich, Spur curiosity: Neugierde, Neugier, dashed: geschlagen Seltenheit, Kuriosität, Kuriosum, dashing: schneidig Seltsames Exemplar, Wißbegier, dates: Daten Sehenswürdigkeit, Neugierigkeit, daughters: Töchter Exentrizität dawn: Morgendämmerung, curious: neugierig, merkwürdig, Dämmern, Tagesanbruch, Anbruch, gespannt, seltsam, kurios, sonderbar Beginn, Dämmerung, Anbrechen, curried: striegelte Tagen, Morgenstunde, curry: Striegeln, Curry Morgengrauen, Anfangen curse: verfluchen, fluch, daylight: Tageslicht verwünschen, lästern, fluchen deadly: tödlich cursed: verflucht, verdammt, dealer: Händler, Handelsmänner, Straßenhändler, Spender, verteufelt, verfluchte, verflixt curses: Flüche Geschäftsmänner, cursing: verwünschend Gewerbetreibende, Handelsmann, custom: Sitte, Brauch, Gewohnheit, Schenker, Unternehmer, Geschäftsmann, Geschäftsinhaber Angewohnheit, Gebrauch, Usus, Maßgeschneidert, Gepflogenheit dealers: Händler cutting: Schneiden, Schnitt, dealt: gehandelt abschneidend, schneidend, dearest: Teuerste Sprößling, Schnipsel, Sproß, Schuß, debase: verschlechtern Schößling, ausschnitt, Trieb debasing: verschlechternd damn: verdammen, verurteilen, debt: Schuld, Ausstand, verdammt, verwünschen, Verschuldung, Verpflichtung, verfluchen, verdammtnochmal Forderung damnation: Verdammnis, deceitful: betrügerisch, trügerisch, Verdammung, Verwerfung, hinterlistig, verfänglich, unwirklich, Ablehnung, Verurteilung illusorisch, fiktiv, eingebildet damned: verdammt, gottverdammt, deceive: betrügen, betrügt, betrügst, verflixt, verflucht, verdammt noch betrüge, täuschen, täuscht, hintergehen, täusche, täuschst, damp: Feucht, Feuchtigkeit, dunstig, hintergehe, hintergehst dämpfen, dampfend, qualmig, deceived: betrogt, betrogst, betrogen, neblig betrog, täuschte, täuschtet, getäuscht, täuschten, täuschtest, danced: getanzt, tanzte dancing: Tanzend, Tanzen hintergingt, hintergingst dangerous: gefährlich, heikel, deceiver: Betrüger, Schwindler unbestimmt, schwierig, besorglich, deceiving: betrügend, täuschend, riskant, prekär, mißlich, brenzlig hintergehend dangerously: gefährlich decency: Anstand, Schicklichkeit, dank: naßkalt, feucht Höflichkeit, Sittsamkeit, Korrektheit, dare: wagen, wagt, wage, wagst, sich Tugendhaftigkeit, Rechtschaffenheit, trauen, sich getrauen, riskieren, sich Freundlichkeit deceptions: Täuschungen, Betrug, dared: wagtet, wagten, wagte, Irreführung gewagt, wagtest decidedly: entschieden daring: wagend, wagemutig, gewagt, declaration: Erklärung, Vereinbarung, Tollkühnheit, Wagemut, Kühnheit, Anzeige, Angabe, Deklaration, Proklamation, Stellungnahme, Schneidigkeit, sich Getrauen,

verwegen, Schneid, Mut haben

darken: verdunkeln, verdunkle,

Bekanntmachung, Aussage,

Zollerklärung, Veröffentlichung

declarations: Erklärungen declared: deklariert, deklarierte, deklarierten, deklariertest, deklariertet, erklärt, angegeben, erklärte

declining: abwinkend, sinkend, abnehmend, schwächer werdend, ablehnend

**deed**: Tat, Urkunde, Handlung, Akt, Werk

deeds: Taten

deem: erachten, erachte, erachtest, erachtet, meinen, befinden, glauben, schauen, anblicken, zuschauen, ansehen

deemed: erachtete, erachtetet, erachteten, erachtet, erachtetest, befand, befunden, befandest, befanden, befandet

**deepen**: vertiefen, vertiefst, vertiefe, vertieft, aushöhlen

deepest: tiefste

deeply: tief, zutiefst, weh defaces: entstellt, verunstaltet defeat: Niederlage, besiegen, meistern, bewältigen, Verlust, Verlieren, überwinden, siegen, Schlappe, bemeistern, Besiegung

**defend**: verteidigen, verteidigst, verteidige, verteidigt, behaupten, beschützen

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**defender**: Verteidiger **deference**: Ehrerbietung, Achtung **defiance**: Trotz, Herausforderung

deficiency: Mangel, Unzulänglichkeit, Mangelhaftigkeit, Kassendefizit, Defizienz, Manko

defiled: defilierte, entweihtet, entweihtest, entweihten, entweihte, entweiht, defiliertet, defilierten, defiliert, defiliertest

degraded: degradierte, degradierten, degradiertest, degradiertet, degradiert, abgesetzt, setzten ab, setztet ab, setztest ab, setzte ab

degrading: degradierend, entwürdigend, absetzend, herabsetzend, degradieren, herabsetzen, zurückseetzen

degrees: Grad

**dehumanizing**: entmenschlichend **deliberately**: absichtlich, vorsätzlich, absichtliche

**deliberation**: Überlegung, Anbetracht, Erwägung

delicate: zart, delikat, fein, heikel, zierlich, empfindlich, sanft, feinfühlig, verletzbar, quetschbar,

lecker

delight: Entzücken, Lust, Freude, Vergnügen, verzücken, bezaubern delightful: entzückend, reizend, köstlich, formidabel, wunderbar, vorzüglich, vortrefflich, sehr angenehm, himmlisch, hervorragend, ausgezeichnet

deliver: liefern, lieferst, ausliefern, liefre, liefere, liefert, lieferst aus, liefre aus, liefert aus, liefern aus,

liefere aus

deliverance: Befreiung

delivered: liefertet, liefertest, lieferten, geliefert, lieferte, lieferte aus, liefertet aus, liefertest aus, lieferten aus, ausgeliefert, liefertet ab

demon: Dämon, Teufel demonstrated: demonstrierten, demonstriertest, demonstrierte, demonstriertet, demonstriert, manifestiertest, manifestiertet, manifestierten, manifestierte, manifestiert

**demonstrating**: demonstrierend, manifestierend

demonstration: Demonstration, Kundgebung, Vorführung, Äußerung

**demonstrations**: Demonstrationen, Vorführungen

den: Höhle, Baufälliges Haus, Grube, Horst, Hütte, Bruchbude, Nest, Baracke, Verschlag, Käfig

denied: leugnetest, leugnete, leugnetet, geleugnet, leugneten, verweigert, verweigerten, verweigertest, verweigertet, verweigerte, bestrittet

**denies**: leugnet, verweigert, bestreitet, verneint, streitet ab

denounced: denunziertest, denunzierten, denunzierte, denunziert, zeigten an, denunziertet, angezeigt, zeigte an, zeigtet an, zeigtest an, brandmarkten

dense: dicht, gedrängt, kurz hintereinander, geschlossen

denunciation: Denunziation denunciations: Denunziationen

deny: leugnen, leugnest, leugnet, leugne, verweigern, verweigre, verweigerst, verweigert, verweigere, bestreiten, bestreitet

departed: abgereist, reiste ab, reistet ab, reistest ab, reisten ab, fuhr ab, abgefahren, fuhrst ab, fuhrt ab, fuhren ab, ging fort

departure: Abfahrt, Abreise, Abgang, Abzug, Abflug, Start, Abmarsch, Aufbruch, Abweichung

depend: abhängen, hänge ab, hängt ab, hängst ab, hängen ab, von der Situation abhängend

**depended**: abgehangen, hingen ab, hingst ab, hingt ab, hing ab, hing

davon ab

**dependent**: abhängig, abhängige, abhängig von, unfrei

depict: schildern, darstellen, schilderst, stellt dar, stellst dar, stellen dar, stelle dar, schildert, schildere, schildre, abbilden

**deplorable**: bedauernswert, bedauerlich

**depravity**: Verderbtheit **depressed**: deprimiert, gedrückt,

niedergeschlagen, deprimierte, deprimiertet, deprimierten, deprimiertest, flau

deprive: berauben, beraubt, beraubst, beraube, entwenden, fortnehmen, entnehmen, wegnehmen, rauben, stehlen, abnehmen

**deprived**: beraubte, beraubten, beraubt, beraubtest, beraubtet, arm, bedürftig

depth: Tiefe, Höhe depths: Tiefen

descend: herunterkommen, kommt herunter, kommst herunter, kommen herunter, komme herunter, herabsteigen, absteigen, abstammen

descendants: Nachkommen, Nachkommenschaft, Abkommen, Nachwelt

descent: Abstieg, Abstammung, Herkunft, Abhang, Niedergang, Abfall

describe: beschreiben, beschreibe, beschreibst, beschreibt, schildern, umschreiben, wiedergeben, entwerfen, skizzieren, erklären, abbilden

**describing**: beschreibend, typisch, bezeichnend, charakterisierend, kennzeichnend

**description**: Beschreibung, Art, Bezeichnung, Schilderung, Charakteristik

deserved: verdienten, verdient, verdientest, verdientet, verdiente deserving: verdienend, verdienstvoll,

wert, würdig

desire: Wunsch, wünschen, Begierde, begehren, Verlangen, Lust, Begehr, hoffen, Gier, herbeisehnen, erwarten desired: gewünscht, erwünscht,

geforderte, gewünscht, erwunscht, geforderte, gewünschte, verlangte desires: wünscht

desiring: wünschend

desirous: begierig, verlangend, begehrlich, lüstern

desolate: verwüsten, trostlos, öde, desolat

despair: Verzweiflung, verzweifeln, Schwermut, Ratlosigkeit, Mutlosigkeit, Lebensmüdigkeit, Trübsal

desperate: Verzweifelt, hoffnungslos,

desperation: Verzweiflung,

Verzweifelung, Hoffnungslosigkeit, Erschütterung, Zerrüttung

despise: verachten, verachtet, verachtest, verachte, geringschätzen, verschmähen, schätzst gering, schätze gering, schätzen gering, schätzt gering, verschmäht

**destiny**: Schicksal, Verhängnis, Bestimmung, Los, Geschick, Fügung

destitute: mittellos, bettelarm, notleidend, arm, bedürftig, brotlos, total verarmt, verarmt

destroy: zerstören, zerstört, zerstörst, zerstöre, vernichten, zertrümmern, umbringen, zugrunde richten, verheeren, verderben, umreißen

destructive: zerstörend, destruktiv, schädlich, verheerend, zerstörerisch detailing: Genau schildernd

detained: abgehalten, setztet fest, zurückgehalten, setztest fest, setzten fest, setzte fest, hieltet zurück, hieltet fest, hieltest zurück, hieltest fest, hielten zurück

**detect**: erkennen, entdecken, nachweisen, ermitteln, erkennt, erkennst, erkenne

**detection**: Entdeckung, Erkennung, Nachweis

deterioration: Verschlechterung, Verwesung, Verfall, Abstieg, Verderb, Schimmel, Rückgang, Fäule, Entartung, Abfaulen, Verluderung

determination: Bestimmung, Entschlossenheit, Entschluss, Bestimmtheit, Festlegung, Anordnung, Beschluss, Verordnung, Feststellung, Entschiedenheit

determined: entschlossen, bestimmte, bestimmten, bestimmtest, bestimmtet, bestimmt, determiniertest, resolut, determiniert, determinierten, determiniertet

detest: verabscheuen, verabscheue, verabscheust, verabscheut detestation: Verabscheuung,

detestation: Verabscheuung Abscheu

devil: Teufel, Satan devising: Ausdenkend devoted: anhänglich, widmete, widmeten, gewidmet, widmetest, widmetet, ergeben, hingebungsvoll,

**devotion**: Hingabe, Hingebung, Ergebenheit, Einsatz, Frömmigkeit, Widmung, Treue, Übergabe, Gottesfurcht

devotional: andächtig devotions: Andachten

devour: verschlingen, verschlingst, verschlingt, verschlinge, fressen, verzehren, futtern, konsumieren, hinunterschlingen, verdauen, hinunterschlucken

dews: taut

diabolical: teuflisch

dialogue: Dialog, Gespräch, Konversation, Unerhaltung, Zwiegespräch

dick: der Schwanz, der Schnüffler, der Penis

dictate: diktieren, diktiert, diktierst, diktiere, vorschreiben, befehlen, auferlegen, anordnen, zuerkennen, herrschen über, Herr sein über

dictionary: Wörterbuch, Lexikon,
Verzeichnis

die: sterben, stirbst, stirb, sterbt,

sterbe, Würfel, krepieren, krepiert, krepierst, krepiere, einschlafen diffidence: Schüchternheit

dignity: Würde, Anstand dilapidated: baufällig, verfallen, hinfällig, abgelebt, gebrechlich diligently: fleißig

dim: dunkel, dämmerig, trübe, schwach, abblenden, finster, vage, schattenhaft, schimmerhaft, schummerig, düster

**dimensions**: Dimensionen, Masse, Abmessungen

**dined**: gespeist, speistet, speistest, speisten, speiste

directed: gerichtet, adressiert,
 zugespitzt

direful: grässlich dirt: Schmutz, Dreck, Kot

**dirty**: schmutzig, dreckig, unlauter, beschmutzen, gemein, unanständig

disagreeable: unangenehm, ungenießbar, schlecht gelaunt

disappear: verschwinden, verschwindet, verschwindest, verschwinde, entschwinden, entschwinde, entschwindest, entschwindet

disappointed: enttäuscht, enttäuschtet, enttäuschte, enttäuschten, enttäuschtest disappointing: enttäuschend

disapproval: Missbilligung,
Missfallen

disastrous: katastrophal, unheilvoll, verhängnisvoll, verheerend, heillos, glücklos, fatal, elend, unglückselig, unselig, unglücklich

discharge: Entladung, entladen, Entlastung, Abfluß, verabschieden, entlassen, Entlassung, Abdanken, Ouittung, Durchfluss, Austrag

discipline: Disziplin, bestrafen, disziplinieren, Anordnung, Ordnung, züchtigen, Zucht, kasteien,

Fügung, Vorschrift, Verordnung disclosed: offenbart, enthüllte discontent: Unzufriedenheit, Unzufrieden

discontented: unzufrieden, missmutig

discontentment: Unzufriedenheit discord: Zwietracht, Uneinigkeit, Zwieträchte, Zwiespalt, Zwiedracht, Mißstimmung, Zwiespältigkeit

discordant: uneinig

discovered: entdeckt, entdeckte, entdeckten, entdecktest, entdecktet, fanden auf, fandest auf, fandet, fandest, gefunden, fandet auf

discredit: Mißkredit, verketzern, bestrafen, fortschaffen, nachtragen, rügen, hinterhertragen, schätzen, schelten, hinhalten, zurechtweisen

disentangled: entwirrten, entwirrtest, entwirrtet, entwirrt, entwirrte, enträtselt, enträtseltet, enträtselten, enträtseltest, enträtselte

disgrace: Schande, Blamage, blamieren, Ungunst, Ungnade, Skandal, Pleite, Mißstand, jemandem blamieren

disguise: verkleiden, Verkleidung, tarnen, Tarnung, Verstellung, umkleiden, Maske, vermummen, Vermummung

disgust: Ekel, Ekeln, Empören, Abstoß, Übelkeit

**dismounted**: saßen ab, saßt ab, saßest ab, saß ab, abgesessen

dismounting: absitzend

disobey: verweigern den Gehorsam, nicht gehorchen, mißachtet, mißachtest, mißachten, mißachte, gehorchen nicht

disobeyed: mißachtete dispelling: vertreibend

dispensed: dispensiertet, verteilte, dispensierte, dispensiertest, dispensiert, dispensierten

display: Anzeige, Auslage, Ausstellung, Bildschirm, prunken, ausstellen, anzeigen, zeigen, darstellen, aushängen, darbieten

disposal: Beseitigung, Verfügung, Entsorgung, Erledigung, Inklination, Lust, Anordnung

disposed: aufgelegt, geneigt, angeordnet, verfügte, gestimmt disposition: Disposition, Gemüt,

Anordnung, Art, Wesen, Verwendung, Aufstellung, Seele, dose: Dosis, Dosieren, Abgabe, bei

Bedarf nehmen, Gabe, Portion

downfall: Untergang, Sturz, Fall,

downward: abwärts, absteigend,

doubtful: fraglich, zweifelhaft,

doors: Türen

unsicher

dove: Taube

Untergänge

doubtless: zweifellos

122 Verfügung, Veranlagung, Einteilung dispositions: Anordnungen, Naturen, Charakter disproved: widerlegten, widerlegtest, widerlegtet, widerlegte disputes: streitet disregarded: unbeachtet gelassen, mißachtete dissatisfied: unzufrieden, frustriert, mißfielen, mißfiel, mißfallen, mißfielt, mißfielst dissipation: Verschwendung, Zerstreuung, Vertreibung, Ableitung, Ausschweifung distinguish: unterscheiden, unterscheidet, unterscheide, unterscheidest, auszeichnen, zeichnet aus, hervorheben, zeichnen aus, zeichnest aus, auseinanderhalten, zeichne aus distinguished: unterschiedet, unterschied, unterschiedest, unterschieden, vornehm, ausgezeichnet, zeichnete aus, zeichneten aus, zeichnetest aus, zeichnetet aus, hieltest auseinander distressed: trübsinnig, quälte, schwermütig, bekümmert, betrübt, gedrückt, trübselig, traurig, verdrießlich, trüb distrust: Misstrauen, Argwohn disturbed: störte, störtest, störten, gestört, störtet, geniert, genierte, genierten, geniertet, geniertest divest: entblößen divide: teilen, teile, teilt, teilst, dividieren, dividiert, dividierst, dividiere, entzweien, gliedern, scheiden divided: teiltest, teiltet, geteilt, teilten, teilte, dividiertet, dividiertest, dividierten, dividierte, dividiert, entzweit divine: Göttlich dizziness: Schwindel, Schwindelgefühl, Schwindelanfall, Benommenheit, Schwindelgefühle documents: Dokumente, Unterlagen, Urkunden, Scheine, Dokument doll: Puppe, entzückende Kind, niedliche Kind, willenlose Person, süße Kind, Spielzeugpuppe, Marionette, Gelenkpuppe,

Gliederpuppe dollar: Dollar

dollars: Dollars

Gebiet

Verderben

verurteilt

domain: Domäne, Bereich, Domain,

doom: Verhängnis, Schicksal,

doomed: Verloren, verdammt,

herunter, sinkend, nach unten dozen: Dutzend drag: ziehen, zieht, ziehe, ziehst, schleppen, schleppst, schleppt, schleppe, nachschleppen, zerren, dreggen dragged: zog, zogt, gezogen, zogst, zogen, geschleppt, schleppte, schleppten, schlepptest, schlepptet drained: abgeleitet, entwässerte, entwässert, aufgelöst, abgegossen, abgeflossene, abgeflossen, drainiert dram: Aperitif drawbridge: Zugbrücke, Klappbrücke drawing: Zeichnend, Zeichnung, Ziehung, Ziehen, abzeichnend, malend, schöpfend, Verlosung, Auslosung dread: Furcht, fürchten, Scheu, angst, Ängstlichkeit, Bangigkeit, zurückschrecken, scheuen dreaded: gefürchtet dreadful: schrecklich, furchtbar, grässlich, entsetzlich, fürchterlich, schauderhaft dream: Traum, träumen, herbeisehnen, schwärmen, wähnen dreaming: Träumend dregs: Bodensatz, Abschaum, Bodensätze, Hefe, Niederschlag, Sätze, Schlacke, Schlamm, Ablagerung dress: Kleid, anziehen, ankleiden, kleiden, bekleiden, verbinden, Kleidung, sichanziehen, das Kleid, Robe, anlegen dressed: kleidete, gekleidet, piekfein, korrekt, hübsch, gepflegt, schick, angezogen, angekleidet, angetan, elegant drew: zeichnetet, zeichnetest, zeichneten, zeichnete, malte, zeichnetest ab, malten, zeichnetet ab, zeichneten ab, zeichnete ab, maltest drinking: Trinken, Trinkend drip: tropfen, triefen, abtropfen, tröpfeln, sickern, träufeln, lecken, laufen, Infusion, herauströpfeln, durchsickern dripping: tröpfelnd, Getröpfel,

sickernd, Getropf, Bratfett, Bratenfett driven: gefahren, getrieben, angetrieben, zurückgelegt, gesteuert driver: Fahrer, Treiber, Autofahrer, Chauffeur, Fuhrmann, Kraftfahrer, Kutscher, Mitnehmer, Steuermann, Lenker Zusammenbrüche, Zusammenbruch, drivers: Treiber, Fahrer driving: fahrend, treibend, antreibend, fahren drop: Tropfen, Fallen, fallen lassen, Abfall, Schnaps, sickern, sausen, senken, sinken, aus Zink, zinken drops: tropfen, tropft drove: Fuhr, fuhrst, fuhren, fuhrt, trieben an, triebt an, triebt, triebst an, triebst, trieben, trieb an drown: ertrinken, ertrinkt, ertrinke, ertrinkst, ertränken, ertränkt, ertränke, ertränkst, ersaufen, versaufen drowned: ertrunken, ertranken, ertrankt, ertrankst, ertrank, ertränkt, ertränktet, ertränktest, ertränkten, ertränkte, gedankenvoll drunk: betrunken, blau, getrunken, berauscht, trunken, stockbetrunken, sinnlos betrunken, schwer betrunken, stockbesoffen, besoffen, völlig betrunken drunkard: Säufer, Trinker duration: Dauer, Laufzeit, Lauffrist dust: Staub, abstauben, abklopfen, Abnehmen, abwischen, bestäuben, entstauben, Staub abklopfen, Staub abnehmen, abschlagen duties: Pflichten, Steuern dwellings: Behausungen dving: Sterbend, krepierend, Absterben, Sterben, Hinscheiden eager: eifrig, begierig, lüstern, habgierig, erpicht, begehrlich, verlangend, gierig, hungrig, zugespitzt ear: Ohr, Ähre, das Ohr earliest: früheste, frühest, erstes, erster, erste earned: verdientest, verdientet, verdiente, verdient, verdienten earnest: ernst, ernsthaft, gesetzt, feierlich, seriös, aufrichtig earnestly: ernsthaft, ernst earnestness: Ernst, Ernsthaftigkeit earning: verdienend, verdienen earnings: Verdienst, Einkommen, Einkünfte, der Verdienst, Ertrag ears: Ohren earthquake: Erdbeben, Beben ease: Bequemlichkeit, Leichtigkeit, lindern, mildern easter: Ostern, Osterfest

ecstasy: Ekstase, Verzückung, Entzückung educated: gebildet, erzog, erzogen, erzogst, erzogt, bildete aus, bildetet, bildetest aus, bildetest, bildetet aus, effected: bewirkt, bewirkte efficient: effizient, leistungsfähig, rationell, wirksam, wirkungsvoll, geschäftstüchtig, tüchtig efforts: Bemühungen, Kraftanstrengungen, Anstrengungen, Anstrengung egotistical: egotistisch, ichbezogen eighty: achtzig elasticity: Elastizität, Dehnbarkeit, Spannkraft, Verformbarkeit, Dehnung eldest: älteste, Senior, Altmeister, Ältere, Major, Oberfeldwebel element: Element, Fundament, Grundlage eleven: elf ell: Elle eloquence: Beredsamkeit, Sprachgewandtheit, Redegewandtheit, Außdruckskraft eloquent: beredsam, eloquent, redegewandt, beredt elsewhere: anderswo, sonstwo, woanders emaciated: abgemagert, schmächtig, ausgezehrt, spindeldürr, zehrte ab, knochig, knöchern, knochenartig, hohläugig, dürr, zehrtest ab emancipate: emanzipieren, emanzipiert, emanzipiere, befreien, emanzipierst emancipation: Emanzipation, Freilassung embarrass: verwirren, verhindern, durcheinander bringen, jemanden verlegen machen embarrassing: peinlich, hindernd, genant, unangenhem embarrassment: Verlegenheit, Geniertheit, Lästiges, Scham, Scheu, Schüchternheit, Zaghaftigkeit, Hemmnis embers: Glut embrace: umarmen, Umarmung, umfassen, umschlingen eminent: hervorragend, eminent, bedeutend, prominent, hochstehend, herausragend, ansehnlich emotion: Rührung, Gefühl, Ergriffenheit, Bewegung, Gemütserregung, Emotion, Empfindung, Bewogenheit

emotions: Gefühle, Emotionen

emphatically: nachdrücklich,

ausdrücklich

employ: anwenden, beschäftigen, sich befassen, sich beschäftigen, verwenden, anstellen, anwerben, engagierten, engagiertest, legten ein benutzen, gebrauchen, anziehen, engagement: Verlobung, brauchen, dingen, einstellen Verpflichtung, Verbindung, employed: beschäftigt, angestellt, Verabredung, Einstellung berufstätig, beschäftigte enhance: steigern, vermehren, employer: Arbeitgeber, Unternehmer erweitern, erhöhen, steigere, enabled: aktiviert, aktiviertet, steigerst, steigert, steigre, verbessern aktiviertest, aktivierte, aktivierten enjoyed: genoßt, genossest, genossen, enacted: verordnet, verordnete enclosed: beiliegend, schlossest ein, enjoying: genießend schloßt ein, schlossen ein, schloß ein, enjoyment: Genuß eingeschlossen, anbei, beigefügt, enjoys: genießt beigelegt, beigeschlossen, inliegend enlightened: erleuchtetet, erleuchtetest, erleuchteten, encountered: begegnete, begegnet encountering: begegnend, Finden, erleuchtete, erleuchtet, Aufgeklärt findend, Antreffen enlightening: erleuchtend encourage: ermutigen, ermutigt, enlightenment: Erleuchtung, ermutigst, ermutige, ermuntern, Aufgeklärtheit, Aufklärung ermuntere, ermunterst, ermuntert, ermuntre, anspornen, aufmuntern encouraged: ermutigten, ermutigte, ermutigtet, ermutigtest, ermutigt, titanisch ermuntertet, ermuntertest, ermunterten, ermuntert, ermunterte, aufgemuntert encouragement: Ermunterung, Ermutigung, Antreiben, Anspornen, Anfeuern, Zuspruch, Anregen, Anspornung, Aufmunterung endeared: schmeichelte sich ein endeavored: bemühte endeavors: Bemüht ended: beendet, endete, zu Ende sein verwirrt ending: Ende, Endend, Beendigung, Abschluß, Beendung, ablaufend ends: enden, endet endurance: Ausdauer, Dauer, Standhaftigkeit endure: ertragen, ertragt, ertrage, erträgst, aushalten, halte aus, halten aus, haltet aus, hältst aus, erdulden, endured: ertragen, ertrug, ertrugen, trugen ein ertrugst, ertrugt, hieltet aus, ausgehalten, hielt aus, hielten aus, hieltest aus, erduldetet enemies: Feinde enemy: Feind, Feindlich einlaufend energetic: energisch, tatkräftig, forsch, lebhaft, tüchtig, munter, lebendig, kraftvoll, kräftig, betriebsam, aufgeweckt energies: Energien

enforcement: Durchsetzung, Zwang,

legt ein, legst ein, legen ein,

engagiert, engagierst, engagiere,

engaged: besetzt, beschäftigt, legte

Durchführung

belegen, einstellen

enormous: enorme, enorm, riesig, gewaltig, ungeheuer, gigantisch, groß, kapital, kolossal, sehr groß, enraged: wütend, erzürnte enslave: versklaven, versklavt, versklavst, versklave, knechten enslaved: versklavtet, versklavtest, versklavten, versklavte, versklavt, enslavement: Versklavung entangled: verwickelten, verwickelt, verwickeltest, verwickeltet, verwickelte, durcheinander, enter: eintreten, tretet ein, treten ein, trete ein, tritt ein, trittst ein, hereinkommen, komme herein, kommen herein, kommst herein, kommt herein entered: tratet ein, trat ein, traten ein, eingetreten, tratest ein, kamt herein, kamst herein, kamen herein, hereingekommen, kam herein, entering: eintretend, hereinkommend, hineingehend, eintragend, Hineingehen, betretend, buchend, Eindringen, eingehend, einsteigend, enterprise: Unternehmung, Unternehmen, Betrieb, Unternehmungsgeist entertain: bewirten, unterhalten, unterhalte, unterhaltet, unterhältst, bewirtet, bewirte, bewirtest, regalieren, gastieren, zerstreuen entertainment: Unterhaltung engage: einlegen, engagieren, lege ein, entertains: unterhält, bewirtet enthusiasm: Begeisterung, Enthusiasmus, Fröhlichkeit, Entzücken ein, legtet ein, legtest ein, engagierte, enthusiastic: begeistert,

enthusiastisch, begeisterungsfähig, stürmisch, schwärmerisch, feurig, beseelt

entire: Ganz, total, vollständig, ganze, völlig, gesamt, gänzlich entitled: berechtigt, betitelt,

anspruchsberechtigt, berechtigte

entombs: begräbt

entrance: Eingang, Eintritt, Einfahrt, Entzücken, Zugang, Einsprungstelle, Einstieg, Tür, der Eingang

entreating: flehend, anflehend, flehenden, flehende, bitten inständig, anflehen, ersuchend

entreaty: das Flehen, Beschwörungs, Begehren, Beschwörung

envied: beneidet, beneidete, beneideten, beneidetest, beneidetetepoch: Epoche, Zeitabschnitt, Zeitraum, Zeitalter, Zeit

equalled: geglichen

equals: Ähneln, Gleichheitszeichen, Gleichen

equipage: Ausrüstung equivalent: Äquivalent, gleichwertig, Entsprechung, Ersatz, Gegenwert, entsprechend, gleichviel,

Umschreibung, Wiedergabe, Darstellung

erect: errichten, aufrecht, aufrichten, aufstellen, fundieren, etablieren, begründen, gründen, aufrechtstehend, kerzengerade

errand: Auftrag, Botengang, Besorgung, Kommission, Bestellung

Besorgung, Kommission, Bestellung errands: Botengänge

erroneous: fehlerhaft, irrig, falsch, irrtümlich

escape: entweichen, Flucht, entkommen, entfliehen, ausbrechen, Ausbruch, entwischen, fliehen, entgehen, durchbrennen, davoneilen

escaped: tastenkombination mit Escape, entwichen, entkam, entging, abgehauen, entgangen

**escaping**: entgehend, verlassend **esq**: sehr geehrter

esquire: Wohlgeboren essentially: essentiell, wesentlich, eigentlich, im grunde genommen, hauptsächlich, im wesentlichen

establish: etablieren, begründen, etabliert, etablierst, etabliere, begründe, begründest, begründet, aufbauen, gründen, baust auf

establishment: Einrichtung, Gründung, Etablissement, Unternehmen, Niederlassung, Errichtung

establishments: Einrichtungen estate: Gut, Grundbesitz, Landgut, Nachlaß, Besitz, Besitztum, Besitzung, Gutshof, Anwesen, Bauernhof, Hinterlassenschaft

esteemed: geachtet

estimate: schätzen, schätze, schätzt, Schätzung, abschätzen, schätzt ab, schätzen ab, einschätzen, veranschlagen, schätze ab, voranschlagen

eternal: ewig, endlos evenings: Abende

everlasting: unaufhörlich, ewig, unvergänglich, anhaltend, fortwährend, Immerwährend, konstant, kontinuierlich, unabgebrochen, unablässig, unendlich

evident: offensichtlich, augenscheinlich, einleuchtend, klar, gläsern, das ist klar wie Klosbrühe, evident, ersichtlich, erkennbar, eindeutig, derb

evidently: offensichtlich, augenscheinlich

evil: Übel, böse, schlecht, schlimm, boshaft

evil-minded: übelgesinnt evils: Sünden

evinced: gezeigt, bekundete evincing: bekundend, zeigend

exact: genau, richtig, exakt, pünktlich, zutreffend, requirieren, recht

exaggerated: übertriebst, übertrieb, übertrieben, übertriebt, bauschte auf, bauschten auf, bauschtest auf, bauschtet auf, aufgebauscht, hyperbolisch, übertreibend exaggeration: Übertreibung

exaggerations: Übertreibung exaggerations: Übertreibungen exalts: verherrlicht, erhöht, erhebt

examination: Untersuchung, Prüfung, Examen, Verhör, Vernehmung, Befragung, Durchsicht

examined: prüfte, geprüft, prüftet, prüften, prüftest, überprüftet, überprüft, überprüfte, überprüften, überprüftest, kontrollierte

exceeded: überstieg, überstiegt, überstiegst, überstiegen, übertraft, übertroffen, übertrafst, übertrafen, übertraf, überschritten, ragten über

exceeding: übersteigend, übertreffend, überschreitend, überragend, außerordentlich, herausfordernd, provozierend, höhnisch

exceedingly: außerordentlich, äußerst, überaus, ungewöhnlich, merkwürdig, ungemein, unüblich, speziell, sonderbar, selten, schlimmst

excellence: Vortrefflichkeit, Vorzüglichkeit, Ausgezeichnetheit excels: übertrifft

excepting: ausgenommen, aussondern, außer

exception: Ausnahme, Ausschluß exceptions: Ausnahmen, Ausnahme excess: Überschuss. Übermaß,

Ausschreitung, Exzeß, Ausschweifung, Überfluß, Zuviel, überflüssig, Übermäßigkeit, Auswuchs, unnütz

**excited**: aufgeregt, erregte, erregten, erregtest, erregtet, erregt, angeregt, gereizt

**excitement**: Erregung, Aufregung, Anregung

**exculpate**: entschuldigen, freisprechen, rechtfertigen **excuse**: entschuldigen,

Entschuldigung, Ausrede, Ausflucht, verzeihen, Verzeihung, Pardon

execrable: abscheulich, scheußlich execrate: verwünschen

exercises: Übungen exhibition: Ausstellung, Auslage exhorted: ermahnt, ermahnte,

ermahnten, ermahntest, ermahntet existed: existierte, existierten, existiertest, existiertet, existiert, bestanden, bestandet, bestandst,

bestand **exists**: existiert, besteht

**expectations**: Erwartungen **expecting**: erwartend

**expedient**: angebracht, zweckmäßig, ratsam, zweckdienlich,

empfehlenswert, Notbehelf **expense**: Ausgabe, Aufwand,

Geldausgabe, Aufwendung expenses: Spesen, Kosten, Unkosten, Ausgabe, Auslagen, Aufwand,

Aufwendungen, Auslage, Ausgaben experienced: erfahren, bewandert, geübt, geschult, routiniert, kundig, gewiegt, gewandt, qualifiziert

**experiment**: Versuch, Experiment, experimentieren, Versuche machen, Test

**expiration**: Ablauf, Verfall, Ausatmen, Ausatmung

expired: abgelaufen, endetest, lieft ab, Verlaufen, verfielt, verfielst, verfielen, verfiel, verfallen, ungültig, liefst ab

expiring: ablaufend, endend, verfallend

explaining: erklärend, erläuternd, darlegend, auseinandersetzend explanation: Erklärung, Aufklärung,

Erläuterung, Aufschluß, Informationen, Kommentar, Meinungsbericht, Reportage, genauere Auslegung, Aufklärungen,

Aufschlüsse expostulation: die Vorhaltung, Protest, Vorhaltung exposure: Aussetzung, Belichtung, Exposition, Aufdeckung, Standardionendosis exposures: Aussetzungen, Preisgaben express: ausdrücken, drückt aus, drückst aus, drücken aus, drücke aus, Express, bekunden, äußern, äußre, bekundet, bekundest expressed: drücktest aus, ausgedrückt, drückten aus, drückte aus, drücktet aus, äußerte, bekundetet, bekundetest, bekundeten, bekundete, bekundet extend: ausstrecken, erweitern, ausbreiten, streckt aus, erstrecken, erweitere, breitet aus, erweitert, strecke aus, breitest aus, streckst aus extensive: umfangreich, ausgedehnt, weit, ausgiebig, umfassend, extensiv, weitreichend, geräumig extinct: erloschen, ausgestorben extorted: erzwungen, erpresst, erzwangst, erpresste, erzwangen, erpreßten, erpreßtet, erzwangt, erpreßtest, erzwang extortion: Erpressung extraordinary: außerordentlich, außergewöhnlich extreme: Extrem, äußerst, außergewöhnlich, übermäßig, auffällig, extravagant, einzigartig, besonder, bemerkenswert, äußerster, Äußerste extremities: Äußerst Notfall, Extremitäten, Äußerste, Gliedmaßen, Äußerst Ende, Extremität exultingly: frohlockend, triumphieren eveball: Augapfel f: Position der Blendeneinstellung,

f: Position der Blendeneinstellung, Blendenstufen, Fluor fable: Fabel factory: Fabrik, Werk, Betrieb, die Fabrik, Gewerbe, Kraftwerk, Industrie facts: Tatsachen faculty: Fakultät, Fähigkeit fail: scheitern, versagen, durchfallen, mißraten, mißlingen, unterlassen, mißglücken

durchgefallen faint: Schwach, matt, ohnmächtig werden, in Ohnmacht fallen, Ohnmacht, flau, hinfällig, lustlos, lahm, gelinde, kränklich

failed: misslungen, scheiterte,

fairest: schönste faith: Glaube, Vertrauen, Zuversicht, Glauben faithful: Treu, gläubig, vertrauensvoll, loyal, bieder faithfully: treu, ehrlich, treulich fallen: gefallen, gefällt, abgestürzt, abgesunken

falling: fallend, fällend, absinkend, abstürzend

false: falsch, unwahr, unaufrichtig, unrichtig, fehlerhaft, hinterhältig, unrecht, schief, unzutreffend, ungenau, tückisch

fame: Ruhm, Berühmtheit, Ruf, Glorie, Berühmdheit, Renommee, Fama, Gerücht

familiar: vertraut, familiär, geläufig, gewohnt, bekannt, solide, zuverlässig, solvabel, glaubwürdig, glaubhaft, vertraulich

fan: Fächer, Ventilator, Lüfter, fächeln, Gebläse, Fan, antreiben, wedeln, anblasen, anfeuern

fanned: fächelte fanning: fächelnd

fare: Fahrpreis, Fahrgeld, Kost, Fahrkarte, kleine Fracht, Ticket, sich befinden, Fahrschein

farms: Bauernhöfe, Bauernhäuser farther: weiter, ferner

fashionable: modisch, modern, mondän, elegant

fast: schnell, fasten, geschwind, fest, rasch, widerstandsfähig, gediegen, hurtig, feststehend, schleunig, hastig fasten: befestigen, befestigst, befestigt, befestige, fixieren, verriegeln, festsetzen, anschließen, zuriegeln

faster: schneller fastest: schnellste fasting: Fastend

fatal: tödlich, fatal, unheilvoll fate: Schicksal, Verhängnis, Geschick, Los, Bestimmung, Fügung, Los des

father-in-law: Schwiegervater fathers: Väter, Männlicher Elternteil fatigue: Ermüdung, Ermüden,

Erschöpfung, Übermüdung, Überanstrengung, Ermattung fault: Fehler, Verwerfung, Störung, Vergehen, Schuld, Übel, Bruch

faults: Fehler

favor: Gunst, Gefallen, Gefälligkeit, begünstigen, Gnade, Huld

favorable: günstig, gefällig favors: gefallen

**feared**: befürchtete, gefürchtet **fearful**: ängstlich, furchtsam,

furchtbar, angstvoll, schrecklich fearless: furchtlos, unerschrocken, kaltblütig, mit größter Seelenruhe, ohne Angst, seelenruhig fears: Schreckbilder, Schrecken, befürchtet, Ängste, Schreckgespenster

gespeist, speistet

feasible: durchführbar, machbar, möglich, ausführbar, realisierbar, tunlich

feasting: Ergötzend feasts: ergötzt, Feiertage fed: ernährte, ernährtest, ernährten, fütterte, fütterten, ernährtet, füttertest, füttertet, Gefüttert,

feeble: schwach, kraftlos feed: speisen, füttern, ernähren, speist, ernährst, füttere, füttre, fressen, füttert, nähren, ernährt feeding: speisend, fütternd,

ernährend, Ernährung, fressend, Zuführung, Fütterung, weidend, Essen, Fressen, Nahrung feeds: ernährt, speist, füttert, frißt, weidet, beköstigt, versorgt

feelings: Gefühle, Gefühlen, Stimmungen

**felicitous**: glücklich, treffend, gelungen

fellow: Gefährte, Kamerad, Mann, Kerl, Herr, Subjekt fellows: Gefährten, Kameraden,

Kollegen
fellowship: Kameradschaft,

Forschungsstipendium felon: Verbrecher, Schwerverbrecher, Nagelgeschwür, Fingerentzündung female: weiblich, Frau, Weibchen,

Weib, Buchse, Frauchen, Weibschen fence: Zaun, Fechten, Einzäunung, Umzäunung, Gatter, Hindernis, Gitter, Einfriedung, Drahtgitter, Bucht, Balustrade

**ferocious**: wild, grausam, grimmig **ferry**: Fähre, Prahm

festering: Eiternd, Verfaulend

fettering: fesselnd

fetters: Fesselt, Fußfesseln fever: Fieber, das Fieber

**fewer**: weniger **fiddling**: fiedelnd, Bastelei,

Handarbeit
fiendish: teuflisch

fiends: Unmenschen fierceness: Wildheit, Heftigkeit, Grellheit, Grimmigkeit, Eifer, Intensität, Bissigkeit, Schärfe, Stachlichkeit, Grimm, Stärke

fifteen: fünfzehn

fights: rauferei, handgemenge,

schlägerei

fill: füllen, ausfüllen, erfüllen, plombieren, abfüllen, Füllung, gießen, Fülle, vollschütten, vollschenken, vollpumpen filled: gefüllt, abgefüllt, füllte

126 fills: füllen, füllungsmaterial, füllungen, füllt filth: Schmutz, Dreck, Schweinerei finding: gründend, Finden, Fund finds: gründet, findet finely: fein finer: feiner finest: feinste finger: Finger, Befühlen, tasten, fühlen, abtasten fingers: Finger, die Finger fireplace: Kamin, Feuerstelle, Heizvorrichtung, Herd, Feuerungsanlage, Herdstätte firmly: fest firmness: Festigkeit first-rate: vorzüglich, erstklassig, erstrangig, herausragend, oberst, vortrefflich, oberste fishermen: Fischer fishing: Fischen, Fischerei, Fischend, Angeln fists: Fäuste fitted: zugeschnitten, tailliert fitting: passend, Fitting, konform, gehörig, gleich, anliegend, Anprobe, entsprechend fixed: fest, befestigt, festgelegt, befestigtet, befestigtest, befestigte, befestigten, fix, repariert, fixiert, fixierte flagellation: Geißelung flash: blitz, aufblitzen, aufleuchten, blinken, blitzen, Lichtzeichen, zucken, Pfeil, Lichtsignal, Strahl flashed: leuchtete auf, aufgeblitzt fled: floht, floh, geflohen, flohen, flohst, flüchtetet, geflüchtet, flüchtetest, ausgewichen, flüchteten, flüchtete flesh: Fleisch, Fruchtfleisch, Brei flew: flog, flogst, flogt, flogen flickered: flackerte flickering: flackernd, flimmern, flackern, funkeln, glänzen, glitzern, lichtsignal, lichtzeichen, schimmer flight: Flug, Flucht, Flugreise flinty: hartherzig flock: Herde, Schar, Volksmenge, Trupp, Schwarm, menge, Masse, Horde, Haufen flocked: beflockt, versammelte sich flogging: Peitschend, Tracht Prügel flow: fließen, strömen, Strömung, Fluss, Flut, rinnen fluency: Geläufigkeit, Sprachfertigkeit, Sprachgewandtheit fluent: fließend, flüssig, geläufig fly: fliegen, fliegst, fliegt, fliege, auflassen, mit das Flugzeug reisen, huschen, steigenlassen, Flug flying: fliegend, Fliegen

foe: Feind freemen: Bürger foes: Feinde frequency: Frequenz, Häufigkeit, fold: Falte, falten, zusammenlegen, Schwingungszahl, Hertz falzen, zusammenfalten, umfalten, Pferch, gefaltete, Falz footprints: Fußspuren forbade: verbotest, verboten, verbotet, verbot, untersagten, untersagtest, untersagte, untersagtet, verbat foregoing: vorhergehend, vorangehend foreman: Vorarbeiter, Meister, Werkmeister, Sägemeister, Kolonnenführer, Hüttenmeister, Häupter, Haupt, Gruppenleiter, Anführer, Obergeselle forever: für immer, ewig, auf immer, unumstößlich, definitiv, endgültig, fortwährend, immer, ständig, unwiderruflich, unwiederbringlich forgot: vergaßt, vergass, vergaßen, vergaßest, vergessen forgotten: vergessen forte: Stärke forth: heraus, hervor, weiter, vorwärts forthcoming: bevorstehend, entgegenkommend, mitteilsam forthwith: unverzüglich, sofort fortunate: glücklich, massel, hit, günstig, glücksfälle, glücksfall, fortuna, glückhaft, gelingen, erfolg, unerwartetes Glück fortune: Vermögen, Glück, Schicksal, Geschick, Fügung, Los, Verhängnis foul: schmutzig, Faul, regelwidrig, widerlich, falsch spielen foulest: schmutzigste foundation: Fundament, Gründung, Grundlage, Stiftung, Fundierung, Grund, Begründung, Boden, Basis, Grundierung, das Fundament four-footed: vierfüßig fourteen: vierzehn fowls: Hühner frame: Rahmen, einrahmen, Gestell, Einfassung, der Rahmen, Gestalt, einfassen, Bandsprosse, einsäumen, Riegel, Spant frank: Offen, freimütig, unverblümt, unumwunden, frankieren frankly: offen, freiheraus, aufrichtig fraud: Betrug, Schwindel, Bauernfängerei, Hintergehung, Betrügerei, Arglist, Fälschung, Hehlerei, Irreführung, Schwindelei, Gaukelei frauds: Betrüge, Betrug, Schwindel,

Steuerhinterzüge

freeman: Freier Mann

fred: Fred, Befreit

freely: frei

fret: Handbohrer, sich abquälen, Nagelbohrer, kleiner Bohrer, sich abmühen, Fritt fretful: verdrießlich, weinerlich, ärgerlich friday: Freitag friendliness: Freundlichkeit, Iovialität, Wohlwollen, Herzlichkeit, Freundschaftlichkeit friendly: freundlich, freundschaftlich, befreundet, freundliche fright: Schreck, Entsetzen, Schrecken, Bestürztheit, Angst, Bestürzung, Furcht, Abscheu frightful: schrecklich, entsetzlich, furchtbar, fürchterlich, grauenerregend, grausig, scheußlich, schlimm, unerhört frightfully: schrecklich frost: Frost, Eisbildung fruit: Frucht, Obst, Früchte, das Obst fruits: Früchte fugitive: Flüchtling, Flüchtig fulfil: erfüllen, vollziehen, vollbringen, vollführen, ausführen fulfilled: erfülltest, erfüllten, erfüllte, erfüllt, erfülltet, abgeleistet fulness: Fülle, die Fülle funny: komisch, lustig, drollig, spaßig, amüsant, spaßhaft, witzig, gelungen, hübsch, reizend, unterhaltend fury: Wut, Furie, Raserei, Zorn, Tobsucht, Verrücktheit, Grimmigkeit, Koller gain: gewinn, gewinnen, Verstärkung, Vorteil, erringen, bekommen, Nutzen, erreichen, Interesse, Ertrag, Neuanschaffung gained: gewonnen gaining: gewinnend gale: Sturm, Sturmwind, Wind gallant: galant, tapfer, Ritterlich, tüchtig, brav, mutig, wacker galling: ärgerlich, ärgernd, fressender Verschleiß garb: Tracht, Gewand gardener: Gärtner, Gärtnergehilfe gardens: Gärten gardner: Gärtner garrison: Garnison, Besatzung gashes: Fügt eine tiefe Wunde bei gate: Tor, Gatter, Pforte, Schranke, Sperre, Flugsteig, Bahnschranke gates: Tore gateway: Tor, Einfahrt gather: sammeln, einsammeln, zusammentragen, ernten, sich versammeln, versammeln, pflücken,

ansammeln, auflesen, bündeln, deduzieren gathering: Versammlung, Sammeln, Erfassung, Zusammenkunft, Schwarm, Einholen, Einziehen, Zusammensein, Gewühl, Masse, Menge gathers: Sammelt, Raffungen, versammelt gauge: Messgerät, lehre, Maßstab, Eichung, loten, Pegel, sondieren, Spurweite, Tiefe peilen, visieren gazing: starr, anstarrend gentle: sanft, mild, sanftmütig, leise, zahm, nicht nachtragend, duldsam, samtartig, tolerant, milde, süß gentleman: Herr, Ehrenmann gentlemen: Ehrenmänner, Herren gentleness: Freundlichkeit, Sanftheit georgia: Georgien gesture: Geste, Gebärde, Handbewegung, Zeichen, Wink, Signal ghosts: Schreckbilder, Schreckgespenster, Geister gibberish: Kauderwelsch, Firlefanz, Dummes Zeug, Geplapper, Geschwafel, Geschwätz, Larifari, Quatsch, Schäkerei, Torheit, Unsinn gift: Geschenk, Gabe, Vermächtnis, Angebinde, Begabung, Spende, Unterstützen, Schenkung, Beschenken, Zuteilen gifts: Geschenke glad: froh, erfreut, freudig gladdened: erfreutet, erfreut, erfreute, erfreuten, erfreutest gladly: gern, gerne, froh, mit Vergnügen glare: Blendung, Glanz, anblitzen, glänzen glaring: grell, kraß, scharf, spitz, schroff, schrill, schreiend, hell, grell beleuchtet, anblitzend glimmering: schimmernd, Blinken, flimmernd, Glänzen, Leuchten globe: Globus, Kugel, Erdkugel, Erdball, Weltkugel, Rollengabel, Leuchtenglocke gloom: Trübsinn, Dunkelheit glorious: glorreich, herrlich, prächtig, ruhmreich, paradiesisch, köstlich, wonnig, hervorragend, berühmt, engelhaft, glänzend glory: Ruhm, Herrlichkeit, Glorie, Pracht, Ehre, Berühmtheit glossy: glänzend, glatt gnat: Mücke, Stechmücke, Schnake goaded: trieb an goats: Ziegen godlike: gottähnlich, göttlich gold: Gold, Golden, das Gold

Trauer, Verdruß, Weh, Harm, Ärger, goodness: Güte, Tugend gore: Keil, Zwickel gorge: Schlucht gory: blutig, mörderisch gospel: Evangelium gotten: bekommen, geholt govern: regieren, regiere, regierst, hart regiert, beherrschen, herrschen, grinned: grinste beherrsche, beherrscht, beherrschst grace: Gnade, Anmut, Zieren, Grazie, Wohltätigkeit, Wohltat, Verzieren, gewinsel Liebeswerk, Schmücken graceful: graziös, anmutig, zierlich, hold, elegant, würdevoll, fürchterlich verschmitzt, reizend, lieblich, schick, entziickend grade: Grad, Stufe, Rang, einteilen, Güteklasse, Note, Klasse, Sorte, Stand, Würde, Amtswürde grain: Korn, Getreide, Gran, Maserung, Körnchen, Nerv, Gefühl, Samenkorn, Nerven grand: großartig, gewaltig, gross, grandios, ansehnlich, prachtvoll grandchildren: Enkelkinder grandeur: Herrlichkeit grandfather: Großvater, Opa, Großpapa grandmother: Großmutter, Oma granite: Granit, Granitartig, Graniten granted: gewährt grasp: greifen, Griff, ergreifen, Benutzung Verständnis, Stich, Nehmen, angreifen grateful: dankbar, erkenntlich ansprechen gratification: Genugtuung, Freude, hailed: gehagelt Befriedigung, Zufriedenstellung, gratified: befriedigtest, befriedigtet, befriedigten, befriedigte, befriedigt gratify: befriedigen, befriedige, zögernd befriedigst, befriedigt gratitude: Dankbarkeit, Dank, Erkenntlichkeit, Danken, der Hebebaum Würdigung, Achtung, Anerkenntnis, Anerkennung, Bewertung, Erkennung, Erkenntnis praktisch grave: Grab, ernst, Gruft, gemütlich, gewichtig, kritisch, schlicht, sittsam, gemäßigt, schlimm, bedeckt greatest: besten, größte greatly: großartig, höchst, aufs höchste, außerordentlich, sehr, äußerste greatness: Größe greedily: gierig, habgierig geplagt greediness: Habsucht, Gelüst, Gierde,

Gierigkeit

grew: wuchst, wuchs, wuchsen,

wuchsest an, wuchsen an

wuchsest, wuchs an, wuchst an,

grief: Gram, Kummer, Betrübnis,

Bekümmernis, Griesgram, Verdrießlichkeit grievous: schmerzlich, kränkend, bedauernswert, bedauerlich grim: grimmig, verbissen, verkniffen, groaning: stöhnend groans: ächzen, Geächze, gewimmer, gropes: tastet, tappt gross: brutto, grob, Gros, arg, grow: wachsen, wächst, wachst, wachse, werden, anwachsen, wachsen an, vorkommen, wächst an, wachst an, wachse an guarding: Bewachung guidance: Anleitung, Lenkung, Beratung, Führung guides: Hilfslinien guilty: schuldig, schuldbewusst gum-tree: Kautschukbaum gun: Gewehr, Kanone, Geschütz, Büchse, Flinte, Schießgewehr ha: prevailing opinion, ha habit: Gewohnheit, Angewohnheit, Gebrauch, Kutte, Gewand, Gepflogenheit, Usus, Anwendung, Kirchengewand, Verwendung, habitable: bewohnbar hail: Hagel, hageln, anreden, anrufen, hailing: ansprechen halted: unterbrochen halter: Halfter, Schlinge halting: anhaltend, stillstehend, ham: Schinken, Schenkel handspike: die Handspeiche, Hebel, handy: handlich, bequem, griffig, gelegen, gemächlich, geschickt, hanged: aufgehängt, gehängt happier: glücklicher happiest: glücklichste happiness: Glück, Fröhlichkeit harassed: schikaniert, schikaniertest, schikanierten, schikaniertet, schikanierte, belästigtet, belästigtest, belästigten, belästigte, belästigt, hardened: härteten, gehärtet, härtete, härtetest, härtetest ab, härtetet ab, härteten ab, härtete ab, abgehärtet, stählten harder: Härter

hard-handed: schroff, wild, unsanft,

128 rüde, roh, haarig, grob, brutal, gewalttätig, unzart, gewaltsam hardship: Not, Mühsal, Härte hardships: Mühsale hardy: kühn, abgehärtet hares: Hasen harm: Schaden, beeinträchtigen, verletzen, düpieren, schwächen, schädigen, Leid, jemandem schaden, benachteiligen harriet: Harriet harsh: herb, rau, barsch, adstringierend, grob, hart, unwirsch, brummig, brutal, zusammenziehend, schroff haste: Eile, Hast, Geschwindigkeit hastening: beeilend, beschleunigend, eilend hastily: hastig, eilig, schnell, vorschnell, rasch, geschwind hat: Hut, der Hut, Hütchen hatchet: Beil, Hackmesser, Fleischmesser hate: hassen, Hass, Feindschaft hated: gehaßt, verhaßt, unbeliebt hateful: verhasst, abscheulich hatred: Hass hay: Heu, das Heu hazard: Gefahr, Risiko, Zufall, riskieren, Wagnis, wagen, Hasard hazardous: gefährlich, riskant, gewagt, waghalsig hazards: Zufälle, Gefahren heads: Köpfe healthier: gesünder hearing: hörend, Gehör, Hören, Anhörung, Hearing, Gehörsinn, Gesetzhörung, erfahrend, vernehmend

hears: hört, erfährt, vernimmt hearth: Herd, Kamin, Feuerstelle, Fsse

hearths: Herde hearts: Herzen

heat: Hitze, Wärme, heizen, Glut, erhitzen, erwärmen, Inbrunst, Feuer, Hitzigkeit, Läufigkeit, Brunst

heathen: heidnisch heaven: Himmel, Himmelreich heavenly: himmlisch, formidabel, köstlich, hervorragend, göttlich, vorzüglich, ausgezeichnet, auserlesen, vortrefflich, herrlich heavily: schwer, schwerlich heaving: hebend, hochhebend heel: Absatz, Ferse, Hacke, Hacken,

Schlagseite height: Höhe, Größe, Gipfel, Anhöhe,

Ausmaß hell: Hölle, Inferno, Finsternis,

Dschehenna helped: half, geholfen helping: Helfend, Portion helpless: hilflos, ratlos, unvermögend, ohnmächitg, machtlos, kraftlos, wehrlos, unbemittelt

helplessness: Hilflosigkeit, Hilfebedürftigkeit, Ratlosigkeit hemmed: gesäumt, säumte

hence: deshalb, daher, ab jetzt, auf diese Weise, daraus

henceforth: künftig, fortan, ab jetzt, von nun an, in Zukunft

hereafter: Jenseits, danach, Paradies, nachher, Himmel, Firmament, Ewigkeit

heretofore: bis jetzt, vordem hesitancy: Unschlüssigkeit

hesitate: zögern, zögere, zögert, zögre, zögerst, zaudern, schwanken, zaudere, zauderst, zaudert, zaudre

hewing: hauend

hickory: Hickoryholz, Hickory, Hickorynussbaum

hid: verstecktet, verstecktest, versteckten, versteckte, verheimlichtet, verhehlten, verhehlte, verhehltest, verhehltet, verheimlichte, verheimlichten

hide: verstecken, verstecke, versteckst, versteckt, verbergen, Fell, verhehlen, verheimlichen, verhehle, bergen, verhehlst

hideous: scheußlich, abscheulich, gräßlich, häßlich, widerlich, grundhäßlich, garstig,

abscheuerregend

hides: versteckt, verheimlicht, verhehlt, birgt

hiding: versteckend, verhehlend, Verheimlichend, bergend

highest: höchste

highways: Schnellwege, Autostraße

hills: Hügel

hinder: hindern, behindern, hindere, hinderst, hindert, behinderst, behindre, behindert, behindere, verhindern, erschweren

hire: mieten, mietet, mietest, miete, heuern, dingen, heuerst, heuere, dinge, heuert, dingst

hired: mietete, gemietet, mieteten, mietetest, mietetet, dingtest, heuertet, heuerte, geheuert, heuertest, dingtet

hiring: mietend, heuernd, dingend hoe: hacke, hacken, Schaufel hoeing: umhackend, hackend

hoes: Hacken

holds: schiffsräume, schiffsbäuche holidays: Ferien, Urlaub, Festtage

holv: heilig

homage: Huldigung, Verehrung **homeless**: heimatlos, obdachlos

honest: ehrlich, aufrichtig, anständig, redlich, bieder, rechtschaffen, fidel, honett, ehrenwerte, brav

honor: Ehre, ehren, beehren, honorieren, verehren

honorable: ehrenwert, ehrenhaft hook: Haken, anhaken, Ecke, Spange, häkeln, Agraffe, Eckstoß, der Haken, Angelhaken, anhängen, Angel

hoped: hoffte, gehofft, hofften, hofftest, hofftet

hopeless: hoffnungslos, aussichtslos, unverbesserlich, ausweglos, verzweifelt, ratlos, ohne hoffnung, desperat

hopes: hofft hoping: hoffend

hopper: Trichter, Hopfenstange horn: Horn, Hupe, Signalhorn, Hörnchen

horns: Hörner, Geweih

horrible: entsetzlich, schrecklich, gräßlich, abscheulich, furchtbar, grausig, fürchterlich, garstig, widerwärtig, unheimlich, unangenehm

horribly: entsetzlich

horrid: schrecklich, fürchterlich, entsetzlich, grauenvoll

horror: Gräuel, Abscheu, Horror, Schrecken, Spinnkopf, Spuck

horrors: Schrecken, Grausamkeiten, Schrecknisse

horseback: Zu Pferd horses: Pferde

hospitably: gastfreundlich hospitality: Gastfreundschaft, Gastfreundlichkeit, Gastfreiheit

houseless: obdachlos

hover: schweben, schwebst, schwebe, schwebt, gleiteen, hängen

hug: umarmen, Umarmung, umfassen, Schmuserei, umschlingen

humane: human, menschlich, menschenfreundlich, gnädig, karitativ, barmherzig

humanity: Menschlichkeit, Menschheit, Humanität, Menschenfreundlichkeit

humanizing: humanisierung, humanisierend

humble: demütig, bescheiden, einfach, unterwürfig, niedrig, kleinlaut, gering

humblest: demütigst, demütigste humbly: demütig, bescheiden hunger: Hunger, Hungern

hungry: hungrig

hunted: gejagt, jagte, jagten, jagtest,

iagtet

hunters: Jäger

hunting: Jagend, Jagd, Schlingern

**hurried**: beeilt, hastig, eilig hurry: eilen, Eile, sich beeilen, beeilen, sputen, hast, Tempo machen, pressieren, schnell, jagen, hasten hurt: verletzen, schmerzen, schaden, verwunden, sichverwunden, jemandem Schmerzen zufügen, wehe tun, Schmerz tun, Schmähung, schädigen, Schmerz verursachen husbands: Ehemänner hush: still hushed: beruhigte hut: Hütte hymn: Hymne, Hymnus, Loblied, Lobgesang, Preislied hypocrisy: Heuchelei, Frömmelei, Hypokrisie, Scheinheiligkeit hypocrites: Heuchler, Scheinheilige hypocritical: heuchlerisch, scheinheilig, gleisnerisch icy: eisig, eiskalt, frostig, schauderhaft, kaltschnäuzig, kalt, grausig, grauenerregend, steinern, gräßlich, scheußlich kalt identity: Identität, Gleichheit idle: faul, untätig, nutzlos, Leerlauf, nicht belegt, müßig, leerlaufen, freilaufen, träge, unbeschäftigt, arbeitsscheu

idly: untätig ignorance: Unwissenheit, Unkenntnis ignorant: unwissend, ungebildet, unkundig, untauglich, ungeübt, unentwickelt, unberechtigt, ungelehrt, unterentwickelt ill: krank, übel, schlecht, schlimm illegal: illegal, ungesetzlich, ungültig, gesetzeswidrig, gesetzwidrig, kriminell, unberechtigt, unrechtmäßig, unzulässig

illness: Krankheit, Erkrankung, Übel, Unwohlsein, Leiden, Periode, Unpäßlichkeit, Regel, Menstruation ills: Krank

illustrate: illustrieren, illustrierst, illustriere, veranschaulichen, illustriert, veranschauliche, veranschaulichst, veranschaulicht, bebildern, bebildert, bebilderst illustrated: illustriert, illustriertet, illustriertest, illustrierte, illustrierten, veranschaulichten, veranschaulichtest, veranschaulichte, veranschaulicht, veranschaulichtet,

illustrations: Illustrationen, Bilder imagination: Einbildung, Vorstellung, Einbildungskraft, Vorstellungskraft, Phantasie

bebilderte

imagined: stelltet vor, maltest aus, maltet aus, nahm an, nahmen an, nahmst an, nahmt an, stellte vor,

stelltest vor, gedacht, vermutet imbibe: aufsaugen imbibed: saugtest auf, saugtet auf, trank, tranken, trankst, angenommen, saugten auf, saugte auf, getrunken, trankt, aufgesaugt imbue: dringe durch, dringen durch, dringst durch, dringt durch, durchdringen imitation: Nachahmung, Imitation, Fälschung, Nachgemacht imitator: Nachahmer, Imitator, Nachfolger, Verfälscher, Fälscher immense: unermesslich, ungeheuer, immens, gewaltig, unabsehbar, endlos, unübersehbar, riesig immutable: unveränderlich impartial: unparteiisch, objektiv, neutral, vorurteilsfrei, unvoreingenommen impassable: unbefahrbar, unpassierbar, unzugänglich impels: treibt impertinent: unverschämt, frech, impertinent, flegelhaft, unmanierlich impetus: Impuls, Antrieb, Auftrieb, Andrang, Andrift, Anreizung, Anreiz, Schwung, Stimulation, Trieb imply: bedeuten, andeuten, bedeutet, implizieren, bedeutest, bedeute, implizierst, impliziert, impliziere, bezeichnen impose: auferlegen, erlege auf, erlegen auf, erlegt auf, erlegst auf, imponieren, aufdrängen, imponiere, drängen auf, imponiert, dringen imposing: imposant, auferlegend, imponierend, aufdrängend impossibility: Unmöglichkeit imposture: der Schwindel, die Hochstapelei, der Gaunerstreich, der Betrug, Betrug, Hochstapelei impress: imponieren, beeindrucken, Eindruck machen auf, Achtung einflößen, ausdrucken, drucken, Eindruck machen, abdrucken impressed: beeindruckt impression: Eindruck, Abdruck, Effekt, Wirkung, Eindrücke, Auflage impressions: Eindrücke impressive: eindrucksvoll, imponierend, beeindruckend, überwältigend, imposant, ergreifend improper: unpassend, ungehörig, unsachgemäß, unschicklich, falsch,

unmoralisch improperly: unsachgemäß, ungeeignet, unpassend, unrichtig impropriety: Ungehörigkeit,

ungebührlich, ungeziemend, unübertroffen, unerhört, ungezogen,

Unschicklichkeit, Ungezogenheit, Ungebührlichkeit, Unanständigkeit, Sauerei, Grobheit

improved: verbesserte, verbessert, verbessertet, verbessertest, verbesserten, bessertest, gebessert, bessertet, besserten, besserte, bessertet aus

imprudent: unklug, unvorsichtig impudence: Frechheit,

Unverschämtheit, Unverschämt sein, Indiskretion, Impertinenz impudent: unverschämt, frech, dreist

impudently: unverschämt, frech impunity: Straflosigkeit,

Ungestraftheit inanimate: leblos, unbelebt

inattention: Unaufmerksamkeit, Unachtsamkeit

incapable: unfähig, inkompetent, unzuständig, unfachmännisch incest: Blutschande, Inzest

inch: Zoll, Haarbreit

inches: Zoll

incidental: zufällig, gelegentlich, ab und zu, beiläufig, dannundwann, Gehörig, incidentell, manchmall, Nebensächlichkeit

incidents: Vorfälle, Zwischenfälle, Ereignisse

inclined: geneigt, schräg, geneigt zu inclines: neigt sich, neigt, böschung incoherent: unzusammenhängend, zusammenhanglos, inkonsequent, nicht folgerichtig, inkohärent, folgewidrig

incomparably: unvergleichlich incompatible: unverträglich, inkompatibel, nicht kompatibel, unvereinbar, gegensätzlich

incompetent: Unfähig, inkompetent, unzuständig, untauglich, unbefugt, nicht zuständig, ungeeignet

inconsistencies: Unvereinbarkeiten inconsistency: Unvereinbarkeit, Widersprüchlichkeit, Folgewidrigkeit, Inkonsequenz, Inkonsistenz, Unmöglichkeit

inconsistent: unvereinbar, inkonsequent, widersprechend, inkonsistent, unbeständig, widersprüchlich, folgewidrig

incredulity: Ungläubigkeit incredulous: ungläubig incur: nehme auf, nimmst auf, sich zuziehen, nehmt auf, nehmen auf,

nimm auf, erleidet, erleidest, erleiden, erleide, aufnehmen incurring: erleidend, aufnehmend

indebted: verschuldet, schuldig, verpflichtet sein an, verpflichtet, verbindlich

streng, herrisch, stark, unbeweglich

Abnahme, Kenntnisnahme,

130 indelicate: taktlos independence: Unabhängigkeit, Selbständigkeit, Freiheit, Ungebundenheit indescribable: unbeschreiblich india: Indien, India indicate: zeigen, anzeigen, zeigst an, zeigt, zeigst, zeigen an, zeige, kennzeichnen, indizieren, hinweisen, angeben indicates: zeigt, zeigt an, weist hin, indiziert indicating: anzeigend, zeigend, indizierend, hinweisend, anzeigen indignant: entrüstet, ungehalten, empört, unwillig indignation: Empörung, Entrüstung, Ärger indispensable: unentbehrlich, unerläßlich, wesentlich, notwendig, unabdingbar, essentiell, erforderlich, entscheidend induce: induzieren, veranlassen, induziere, induzierst, induziert, bewegen, schließen, veranlasse, folgern, veranlaßt induced: induziert, induzierten, induziertest, induzierte, induziertet, veranlaßt, veranlaßte, veranlaßten, veranlaßtet, veranlaßtest indulge: verwöhnen, schonen, nachsichtig sein, nachgeben, verschonen indulged: ergingt, verschontest, schontet, verschont, verschonte, verschonten, schontest, verschontet, verwöhnt, verwöhnte, verwöhnten industrious: fleißig, emsig, arbeitsam, strebsam, aktiv, wirksam, geschäftig, geflissentlich, eifrig, beflissen, berufstätig ineffable: unaussprechlich, unbeschreiblich inevitable: Unvermeidlich, unabwendbar, notwendig, zwangsläufig, unweigerlich, umvermeidbar infancy: Kindheit, Kindesalter, Minderjährigkeit, Säuglingsalter infer: folgern, folgre, folgere, folgerst, folgert, schließen inferior: Minderwertig, untergeordnet, niedrig, ärmlich, armselig, dürftig, gebrechlich, hinfällig, karg, kärglich, Untergeordnete inferiority: Minderwertigkeit

infernal: Höllisch, gräßlich

infidel: Ungläubig

inferred: folgerten, gefolgert,

folgertest, folgerte, folgertet

inflexible: unbiegsam, unbeugsam,

inflict: zufügen, fügst zu, fügen zu, Musterung, Kontrolldienst füge zu, fügt zu, auferlegen, inspire: eingeben, inspirieren, gebe ein, begeistern, gebt ein, gib ein, zubringen inflicted: fügten zu, zugefügt, fügtest gibst ein, inspiriere, geben ein, zu, fügte zu, fügtet zu inspirierst, inspiriert informant: Informant, Informantin inspired: inspirierte, inspiriertet, gab informed: informierte, informiertet, ein, gaben ein, gabt ein, inspirierten, informierten, informiert, inspiriert, inspiriertest, eingegeben, informiertest, eingeweiht, auf dem gabst ein, begeistert laufenden, aufgeklärt inspiring: eingebend, inspirierend, informing: Informierend, begeisternd, einflößend, anregend Benachrichtigung, Information, instance: Instanz, Beispiel, Fall Beratung, Auskunft, Anfragen instances: Belegstellen, Fälle, ingratitude: Undankbarkeit, Undank Instanzen, Umstände ingredients: Bestandteile, Zutaten instant: Augenblick, Moment, inhabitants: Einwohner sofortig inhumanity: Unmenschlichkeit, instil: einschärfen Grausamkeit, Barbarei, Bestialität institute: Institut, Anstalt, Einrichten iniquity: der Frevel, die institution: Institution, Einrichtung, Ungerechtigkeit, Frevel, Missetat, Anstalt, Institut, Stiftung, Missetaten, Sündhaftigkeit Dienststelle injure: verletzen, verletze, verletzst, instruct: unterrichten, anweisen, verletzt, beschädigen, beschädige, unterrichtest, unterrichte, weist an, beschädigst, verderben, beschädigt, weisen an, weise an, unterrichtet, kränken, schaden zufügen einweisen, weise ein, instruieren injurious: schädlich, angreifend instructed: unterrichtetest, injustice: Ungerechtigkeit, Unrecht, angewiesen, unterrichtet, Unrechtfertigkeit unterrichteten, unterrichtetet, wies ink: Tinte, Druckfarbe, mit Tinte an, wiesen an, wiest an, befeuchten, Farbe, Einfärben unterrichtete, eingewiesen, wiest ein inmates: Insassen instructing: unterrichtend, innocence: Unschuld, Gutgläubigkeit, anweisend, einweisend, Arglosigkeit, Einfachheit, Einfalt, instruierend, anleitend Kindlichkeit, Schlichtheit, instruction: Instruktion, Anweisung, Unverdorbenheit, Naivität Belehrung, Unterricht, Weisung, innocent: Unschuldig, harmlos, Auftrag, Anleitung, Kurs, arglos, schuldlos, gutartig Verhaltungsbefehl, Lehre, inquired: forschtet aus, fahndeten, Anordnung instrument: Instrument, Werkzeug, fahndetest, fahndetet, forschte, forschte aus, forschten, forschten Gerät, Urkunde aus, forschtest, forschtet, gefahndet instrumental: instrumentell, inquirer: Untersuchende instrumentalisch inquiries: Erkundigungen insufficient: ungenügend, insect: Insekt, Tierchen unzureichend, unzulänglich, nicht insecurity: Unsicherheit, Gefahr ausreichend insensible: unempfindlich, insurrection: Aufstand, Rebellion, bewußtlos, gefühllos, Volksaufstand, Volkserhebung, unempfänglich Erhebung insight: Einblick, Einsicht, Gedanke intellect: Intellekt, Verstand, Geist, insist: andringen, beharren, bestehen, Genie, Geistesvermögen, dringst an, dringt an, dringen an, Denkvermögen, Intelligenz, dringe an, beharrt, beharrst, beharre, Scharfsinn intellects: Intellekt, Denkvermögen,

Verstand

die Intelligenz

intellectual: intellektuell, geistig,

Intellektuelle, gelehrt, gebildet

intelligence: Intelligenz, Verstand,

intelligent: intelligent, verständig,

einsichtsvoll, hochgelehrt, mit

klug, scharfsinnig, denkfähig, weise,

drängen

insisted: beharrtet, drangt an,

beharrten, beharrte, beharrt,

Prüfung, Besichtigung,

drangst an, drangen an, drang an,

inspection: Kontrolle, Inspektion,

Überprüfung, Untersuchung,

angedrungen, beharrtest, bestanden

Verstand begabt, schlau, gelehrt intend: beabsichtigen, beabsichtige, beabsichtigst, beabsichtigt, vorhaben, hast vor, habt vor, haben vor, habe vor, hab vor, bezwecken

intended: beabsichtigt, beabsichtigte, beabsichtigten, beabsichtigtest, beabsichtigtet, hattet vor, hatte vor, hattest vor, vorgehabt, hatten vor, geplant

intense: intensiv, heftig, stark,

gewaltig

intensely: intensiv

intent: Absicht, Vorhaben, Vorsatz intention: Absicht, Plan, Vorhaben, Vorsatz, Entschluß, Endzweck, Intention, Augenmerk, Ziel, Zweck intercepted: abgefangen, aufgefangen, fing ab, fingen ab, fingst ab, fingt ab, hörte ab, unterschlagen, hörtet ab, hörten ab, abgehört

interfered: vermittelte interpose: schaltt zwischen, sich einsetzen, trete dazwischen, treten dazwischen, schaltst zwischen, tritt dazwischen, bringt, trittst dazwischen, vorbringen, tretet dazwischen, schalten zwischen

interposed: eingeworfen

interposition: Interposition, Sichzwischenschieben, Einschaltung, Einfügung, die Zwischenschaltung, die Einschaltung, die Einfügung, Dazwischentreten, das Eingreifen, die Vermittlung

interruption: Unterbrechung, Störung, Enthaltsamkeit, Enthaltung, Verzicht

interruptions: Unterbrechungen interval: Intervall, Abstand, Zeitabstand, Tonabstand, Logarithmisches Frequenzintervall intimated: bekanntgegeben intimation: Andeutung invaluable: unschätzbar,

unbezahlbar, köstlich invariably: ausnahmslos, beständig, unveränderlich

investigation: Untersuchung, Nachforschung, Ermittlung, Erforschung, Enquete, Forschung, Überprüfung, Examen, Rundfrage, Umfrage

invincible: unbesiegbar invisible: unsichtbar

invited: lud ein, ludst ein, luden ein, eingeladen, ludet ein

involuntary: unfreiwillig, unabsichtlich, unwillkürlich, verpflichtet, gezwungen, zwangsmässig

irishman: Ire, Irländer

iron: Eisen, Bügeln, Eisern, Bügeleisen, Plätten, Aus eisen, Glätten, Plätteisen, Glattbügeln, Ausbügeln

irons: Eisen

irreligious: ungläubig

irresponsible: unverantwortlich,

verantwortungslos issued: ausgegeben italics: Kursivschrift

jack: Wagenheber, Heber, Hebebock,

Bube, Klinke, Stecker jacket: Jacke, Jackett, Sakko, Männerrock, Schutzumschlag, Umschlag, Mantel, Joppe, Hülle, Einhüllen, die Jacke

jackets: Jäckchen jacob: Jakob

jail: Gefängnis, Kerker, einsperren jargon: Jargon, Fachsprache

jaws: Rachen, Maul, Fresse, Schnauze, Schnabel, Schlund, Klappe, Mund

jesus: Jesus, Christus joined: verband, verbanden, verbandest, verbunden, verbandet, fügten, gesellte, gefügt, gesellten, geselltest, geselltet

joist: Balken

jokes: Scherze, Scherzt, Spässe

joseph: Josef

journey: Reise, Fahrt, Tour, Überfahrt, Seereise, Passage, Fußwanderung

journeymen: Gesellen journeys: Reisen

iov: Freude, Genuß, Wonne joyful: freudig, erfreulich

judgment: Urteil, Gericht, Spruch, Entscheidung, Gutachten

judicial: gerichtlich, richterlich, forensisch, justitiell

jumped: gesprungen, sprang justification: Justierung, Rechtfertigung, Einstellung,

Blocksatz, Entschuldigung, Verzeihung, Ausrichtung,

Justifikation

justifier: Rechtfertiger

justify: rechtfertigen, rechtfertigst, rechtfertigt, rechtfertige, ausrichten, begründen, verantworten, justieren keen: Scharf, eifrig, flink, gewandt, hurtig, gescheit, leidenschaftlich, munter, pfiffig, frisch, gewitzt

keeper: Wärter, Wächter, Aufseher

keepers: Wärter

kick: treten, Fußtritt, Tritt, Stoß, stoßen, ausschlagen, strampeln, stampfen, Kick, hauen, trampeln kicked: gestoßen

kicks: tritt, Tritte, stößt

kidnap: entführen, entführt, entführe, entführst, kidnappen

kidnapper: Entführer, Korsar, Kaper,

Geiselnehmer, Geisel kidnappers: Entführer

kill: töten, ermorden, umbringen, fertigmachen, erledigen

killing: Tötung, Töten, mörderisch, tötend

kinder: Gütiger kindliness: Güte

kindly: freundlich, gütig, freundlicherweise

kindness: Freundlichkeit, Liebenswürdigkeit, Güte,

Wohlwollen

kindred: verwandt, gleichartig

kinds: Arten

kneel: knien, kniest, kniet, auf die knieen gehen, knielen

knees: Kniet

knock: klopfen, schlag, anklopfen, schlagen, Anschlag

knocked: geschlagen, geklopft knocking: Klopfen, Klopfend knowing: wissend, kennend labelled: markiert, beschriftet labor: Arbeit, Arbeiten, Verrichten,

Tun laborer: Arbeiter laboring: arbeitend labors: Arbeiten

lacerated: zerfleischt, aufgerissen, riß auf, rissen auf, rissest auf, rißt auf, zerfleischte, zerfleischten, zerfleischtest, zerfleischtet, gezerrissen

lacked: fehltet, fehlten, fehltest, fehlte, gefehlt, mangelten, mangeltest, mangelte, mangeltet, gemangelt, entbehrtet

ladder: Leiter, Laufmasche, die Leiter, Laufmaschen bekommen

ladies: Damen

laid: legtet, legte, legtest, legten, gelegt

lamb: Lamm, Lammfleisch,

Lämmchen lamblike: lammfromm

lame: Lahm, hinkend, träge, verkrüppelt, verstümmelt, lähmen

landing: Landung, Absatz, Treppenabsatz, Flur, Fallen, Anlegen, Stürzen, Während der Landung aufsetzen

lands: Länder

lane: Gasse, Weg, Fahrbahn, Fahrspur

languished: schmachtete, schmachtetet, schmachteten, schmachtetest, ermattete, geschmachtet

larboard: Backbord

lash: peitsche, festbinden, binden,

Wimper, schnüren, knebeln, anbinden, zurren, fesseln, festlegen, festmachen

lashed: gepeitscht lashes: peitscht

lashings: Laschung, Ruten, Tauwerk, Eine Menge

**laugh**: lachen, lache, grinsen, schallen, lächeln, kichern, glucksen

laughed: gelacht

laughingly: lachen, lachende launched: abgeschossen

laws: Gesetze

lax: locker, träge, nachlässig, lasch lazy: faul, träge, arbeitsscheu

leaf: Blatt

lean: mager, lehnen, anlehnen, stützen, sich lehnen, hager, unterstützen, stemmen, sich stützen, knapp, anlegen

**leaning**: Lehnend, Anlehnen, schief, lehnen

leap: Sprung, springen

learned: gelernt, lernte, lerntet, lerntest, lernten, gelehrt, gebildet, lernen, gesittet, erlerntest, erlernten least: geringste, wenigste, kleinste,

am wenigsten, wenigst

leaves: verläßt, Blätter, überläßt, läßt zurück, bricht auf, baumblatt, Laub, blättchen, Blatt

**lecturing**: Vorlesend, Einen Vortrag haltend

**legalized**: legalisiert, legalisiertest, legalisiertet, legalisierte, legalisierten

legitimate: rechtmäßig, legitim, berechtigt, gesetzlich, gesetzmäßig, wohlbegründet, stichhaltig, rechtskräftig, rechtsgültig sein, legitimieren, gültig

leisure: Muße, Freizeit lends: leiht, verleiht, borgt

**lesson**: Lektion, Unterrichtsstunde, Lehrstunde, Lehraufgabe

lessons: Lektionen

**letting**: Lassend, vermietend, Vermietung

**liabilities**: Verpflichtungen, Passiva, Verbindlichkeiten, Haftung, Schulden

liability: Haftung, Verantwortlichkeit, Haftpflicht, Schuld, Verbindlichkeit, Verpflichtung, Haftpflichtigkeit

**liable**: verantwortlich, verpflichtet, haftbar, haftpflichtig

libels: verunglimpft liberator: Befreier liberty: Freiheit

lie: liegen, lügen, lüge, fabulieren, Unwahrkeit, Täuschung, Schwindelei, Schummelei, Lage, Irreführung, gelegen sein lightning: Blitz, Himmelsfeuer, Wetterleuchten

limb: Glied, Mitglied, Körperteil, Knochen, Gebeine, Bestandteil, Ast limbs: Glieder, Gliedmaßen, Teil, Glied

limits: grenzen, begrenzt

lineal: in gerade Linie, in gerader Linie, geradlinig, gerade, direkt linen: Leinen, Wäsche, Leinwand,

Leinenwäsche, Leinwände, Linnen, Bettzeug, Bettwäsche, aus Leinen, Weißwäsche

lingered: verweilt, verweiltet, verweiltest, verweilte, verweilten lingering: Verweilend, hinfällig, schwach, matt, Nachklingend

linked: verknüpft

lion: Löwe lions: Löwen lips: Lippen

lisp: lispeln, munkeln, murmeln, brummeln, brabbeln, quaken listen: zuhören, höre zu, hörst zu, hören zu, hört zu, hören an, höre an, hört an listened: hörte zu, hörten zu, hörtest zu, zugehört, hörtet zu, angehört, hörte an, hörtest an,

listener: Hörer, Zuhörer literally: buchstäblich, wörtlich lively: lebhaft, lebendig, munter, witzig, flott, geistreich, heiter, Herzhaftigkeit, sinnreich

livery: Livree

hörtet an, horchte

load: Last, laden, Ladung, Belastung, beladen, aufladen, belasten, einladen, Bürde, Fuhre, befrachten loaded: geladen, beladen, belastet

loading: Laden, Beladung, Belastung, Ladung, Verladung, Beladen, Einschiffung, Frachtgut, Ladend, Verladen

**loathed**: verabscheut, verabscheute, verabscheuten, verabscheutest, verabscheutet

loathing: Verabscheuend, Ekel loft: Dachboden, Speicher lofty: erhaben, hoch, hochfliegend, hochmütig, hochgestellt, pathetisch

lone: einsam, einzeln, einzig loneliness: Einsamkeit, Verlassenheit, Einsamkeitsgefühl

longest: längste

loose: lose, locker, los, beweglich, unverpackt, verlieren, nicht fest,

loosed: gelöst

**lordly**: großmütig, würdig, vornehm, stolz, stattlich, hochmütig, herrisch,

gebieterisch, erhaben, einem vornehmen Herrn gleichend, edel **losing**: verlierend, Verlust

loud: laut, lautstark, geräuschvoll, schreiend, lärmend, lärmig

louder: Lauter loudly: laut, laute loved: geliebt, liebte, beliebt

loves: liebt loving: liebend, liebevoll, liebreich lowest: unterst, unterste

lowly: niedrig, bescheiden, unten loyal: treu, loyal, getreue, treugesinnt, bieder

lump: Klumpen, Stück, Masse, Kloß, Fragment, Bruchstück, Tölpel, Holzschuh, Fleck, Klecks, Knoten

lusts: Begierden, Lüste

luxuries: Luxus

luxury: Luxus, Üppigkeit, Aufwand, Wollust, Wonne, Überfluß, Stattlichkeit, Reichtum, Prunk, Pracht, Luxusartikel

lying: Liegend, Verlogen, Lügnerisch, fraudulös, betrügerisch, trügerisch, unzuverlässig, lügenhaft lynch: lynchen, lynchst, lynche,

lyncht madness: Wahnsinn, Verrücktheit,

Idiotie, Unsinn, Unklugheit, Torheit, Tollheit, Schelmerei, Irrsinn, Dummheit, Schalkhaftigkeit maids: Mägde, Mädchen

malice: Arglist, Bosheit, gehässige Bemerkung, Zorn, Wut, Verachtung, Stichelei, Sarkasmus, Grimm, Gehässigkeit, Bösartigkeit

mallet: Holzhammer, Hammer, Schlegel, Schlaghammer mammon: Mammon, der Mammon

manage: verwalten, verwaltet, verwalte, verwaltest, führen, schaffen, hinkriegen, bewältigen, steuern, kriegt hin, leiten

managed: verwaltetet, verwaltet, verwaltetest, verwalteten, verwaltete, bewältigtet, kriegtet hin, steuerte, steuerten, steuertest, steuertet

managing: verwaltend, bewältigend, steuernd, hinkriegend

mange: Räude mangled: gewrungen mangling: wringend

manhood: Männlichkeit, Mannesalter manifestation: Kundgebung,

**nanifestation**: Kundgebung, Manifestation

manifested: demonstriert, kundgegeben

manifesting: offenbarend manifestly: offensichtlich, offenkundig, offenbar, eindeutig mankind: Menschheit manliness: Mannhaftigkeit, Männlichkeit, Unerschrockenheit manned: bemannt manners: Umgangsformen, Sitten, Manieren, Weisen, Benehmen, Kinderstube manure: Mist, Dünger, Dung, Düngen, Jauche, Düngemittel marched: marschierte mariner: Seemann marked: markiert, merklich, gekennzeichnet marks: Markiert maryland: marylandisch mason: Maurer, Freimaurer mass: masse, Messe, Menge, Gottesdienst, Haufen, Stapel, Dienst mastered: beherrscht masters: Meister matched: angepaßt materially: materiell, wesentlich matrimony: Ehe, Ehestand, Trauung, Hochzeit, Heirat, Ehegemeinschaft matrons: Matronen mats: Matten matted: mattiert, stumpf, matt, glanzlos, verfilzt maxim: Grundsatz, Spruch, Sentenz, Maxime, Denkspruch meal: Mahlzeit, Essen, Mehl, Mahl, Graupe, Speise, Fraß meals: Mahlzeiten meanest: unterste meanness: Gemeinheit, Niedrtracht, Niederträchtigkeit meanwhile: unterdessen, inzwischen, indessen, indes, währenddessen, mittlerweile, einstweilen, in der Zwischenzeit, zwischenzeitlich measured: gemessen, bemessen, maßvoll, passend, abgemessen reden, abgemessen meat: Fleisch, Braten, das Fleisch mechanical: mechanisch, maschinell, technisch, werkzeuglich meek: sanftmütig, mild, ergeben, gelassen, sanft meekness: Sanftmut, Gleichmutigkeit, Gelassenheit meetings: Besprechungen, Zusammenkünfte meets: begegnet, trifft, trifft zusammen, trifft an melted: geschmolzen memoirs: Memoiren, Erinnerungen, Denkschriften, Lebenserinnerungen memorable: denkwürdig, unvergesslich memories: Erinnerungen, Souvenirs, Andenken

mending: Ausbesserung,

Reparierend mention: Erwähnung, nennen, erwähnen, ausschreiben, bekanntgeben, benennen, mitteilen, Meldung machen von, titulieren, erklären, informieren mentioned: erwähnt merciful: barmherzig, mitleidig, gnädig merciless: erbarmungslos, unbarmherzig, gnadenlos, mitleidlos, mitleidslos, schonungslos, gewissenlos mercy: Barmherzigkeit, Gnade, Mitleid, Nachsicht mere: Bloß, Nur, Rein merit: Verdienst, verdienen, Wert, Würde, Verdienste, Geltung, Verdienstlichkeit merrily: fröhlich merriments: Belustigungen methodist: Methodist, Methodisten, der Mucker, der Methodist, die Methodistin, methodistisch mexican: Mexikanisch, Mexikaner, Mexikanerin midday: Mittag, Mittägig, Mittäglich midnight: Mitternacht, Gespensterstunde midst: Inmitten, Mitte mightiest: mächtigste mighty: mächtig, gewaltig mill: Mühle, Fabrik, fräsen, Mahlen millions: Millionen minds: Gemüter mingle: mischen, mischt, mische, mischst, mengen, menge, mengst, mengt, vermischen ministering: minister, pastor, pfarrer, sich kümmern, betreuend mint: Minze, Münzen, Prägen misapprehension: Missverständnis mischief: Unfug, Unheil, Schaden, Unartigkeit, Dummejungenstreiche, Jungenstreich, Schelmenstreich, Ungezogenheit, Schalkhaftigkeit misdemeanor: Übertretung, Vergehen miserable: elend, jämmerlich, erbärmlich, miserabel, schlecht, unglücklich, traurig, arm, gräßlich, böse, unpäßlich misery: Elend, Not, Leid, Unglück, Schlamassel, Schicksalsschläge, Schicksalsschlag, Misere, Mißgeschick mismanagement: Misswirtschaft, Mißmanagement misrepresented: verdreht, verdrehtet, verdrehtest, verdrehte, verdrehten missiles: Geschosse, Raketengeschosse

missionaries: Missionare mississippi: der Mississippi mistake: Fehler, Irrtum, Versehen, Fehlgriff, Missverständnis, Schnitzer, daneben sein, Fehlschuß, Fehlschläge, Fehlschlag, Mißerfolg mistaken: falsch, irrig, wirr, verwirrt, konfus, vertan, verstört, durcheinander, irrtümlich mistress: Herrin, Gebieterin, Geliebte, Mätresse, Freundin, Geliebter, Freund, Liebchen, Liebhaber, Liebste, Meisterin misty: neblig, dunstig, verschwommen, nebelig, diesig, trüb, vage, unklar, unbestimmt, trübe, nebelhaft misunderstanding: mißverstehend, Mißverständnis moans: stöhnt mode: Modus, Art, Mode, Weise, Betriebsart, Art und Weise, Häufigster Wert, Manier, Form molasses: Melasse, Sirup, Zuckerrübensirup moments: Momente, Augenblicke monday: Montag monster: Ungeheuer, Monstrum, Ungetüm, Unhold, Scheusal, Untier, Köter, Monster monsters: Ungeheuer monthly: Monatlich, Monatszeitschrift, monatsweise, jedenMonat moorings: Vertäuung, Anlegestellen, Anlegestelle, Anlegeplatz moral: moralisch, sittlich, Moral morals: Moral, Sittlichkeit moreover: außerdem, zudem, überdies, ferner, übrigens, weiter, mostly: meistens, meist, größtenteils, meistenteils, hauptsächlich mothers: Mütter motion: Bewegung, Antrag, Resolution motive: Motiv, Beweggrund, Grund, Veranlassung, Motivation, Begründung, Antrieb, Anlaß, Ursache motto: Devise, Motto, Wahlspruch, Losung, Slogan, Kennwort, Phrase, Spruch, Parole, Leitspruch mouldering: zerfallend mount: montieren, besteigen, anbringen, ersteigen, erklimmen, erklettern, Berg, anpassen, adaptieren, aufstellen mountain: Berg, der Berg, Gebirge

mourn: betrauern, trauern, traure,

betrauert, betraure, betrauere,

trauere, trauerst, betrauerst, trauert,

beweinen

mourner: Leidtragende mourning: Trauer, Trauernd,

betrauernd, Trauern, beweinend

mouths: Münder

mulatto: Mulatte

multitude: Menge, Vielzahl, von allem etwas, alles mögliche, Haufen,

Stapel

multitudes: Mengen

murder: mord, ermorden, umbringen, Mordtat, Execution, liquidation,

verhunzen murdered: ermordet

murderers: Mörder murderess: Mörderin murderous: mörderisch

murders: mordet, ermordet, Mord,

Morde

mush: Brei, Mus musket: Muskete mustered: gemustert

mutton: Hammelfleisch, Schaffleisch,

mutual: gegenseitig, beiderseitig, wechselseitig, gemeinsam, bilateral, zweiseitig, auf sich selbst

zurückkommend

mutually: gegenseitig, einander, gemeinsam, reziprok, wechselseitig

myriads: Myriaden

mysterious: geheimnisvoll, mysteriös, rätselhaft, sonderbar

naked: nackt, bloß, kahl, unbekleidet, hüllenlos, blank

nakedness: Nacktheit, Blöße

named: genannt

nanny: Kindermädchen, Gouvernante, Hauslehrerin,

Kinderfrau

narrate: erzählen, erzähle, erzählst, erzählt, melden, sprechen, sagen, mitteilen, deklamieren, berichten, austragen

narrating: erzählend narration: Erzählung

narrative: Erzählung, erzählend, Geschichte, Bericht, Schilderung,

erzählerisch

narrow: eng, schmal, knapp, enge, sich verengen, verengen, Landenge, Verengerung, Engpässe,

engermachen, verschmälern

narrowly: eng, schmal, eingeengt, knapp, mit wenig Platz

nation: Nation, Volk, Staat, Reich,

native: einheimisch, angeboren,

Eingeborene, Eingeborener, autochthon, Einheimische, bodenständig, Ureinwohner, Autochthone, eingeboren,

Einwohner

naturally: natürlich, normalerweise, selbstverständlich

nearer: näher

nearest: nächste, nächst

neater: netter

neatly: ordentlich, geschickt, reinlich

necessaries: Bedarfsartikel.

Notwendig

necessarily: notwendigerweise, unbedingt

necessities: Notwendigkeiten,

Lebensbedärfe,

Lebensnotwendigkeiten,

Lebensbedürfnisse

necessity: Notwendigkeit, Not, Bedürfnis, Armut, Bedürftigkeit, Unglück, Seuche, Schicksalsschläge,

Schicksalsschlag, Elend,

Rückschläge

neck: Hals, Nacken, Genick, ficken, miteinander schlafen, Liebe machen, Geschlechtsverkehr haben, sich

lieben, bumsen, Ausschnitt

necks: Hälse

needful: notwendig, nötig needy: bedürftig, notleidend, hilfsbedürftig, unvermögend, bedürftige, arm

negative: negativ, verneinend,

ablehnend

neglect: vernachlässigen,

Nachlässigkeit, unterlassen, versäumen, Vernachlässigung, Verwahrlosung, Unterlassung, Verzüge, Verzug, Versäumnis,

Verleugnung

neglected: vernachlässigt, verwahrlost, verwildert, ungepflegt, unversorgt, vernachlässigte,

negro: Neger, Farbige, Schwarze

negroes: Neger

neighborhood: Nachbarschaft,

Umgebung

neighboring: benachbart,

angrenzend

neighbors: Nachbarn

nephew: Neffe nerved: nervte

neutralized: neutralisiert

newspaper: Zeitung, Journal, die Zeitung, Tageszeitung

newspapers: Zeitungen

nigger: Nigger niggers: neger nigh: nahe

nights: Nächte noah: Vorname

noble: edel, Adlig, edelmütig, adelig, hehr, erhaben, stattlich, nobel

noblest: edelste

nod: nicken, Kopfnicken, grüßen, ja knicken, winken

noise: Lärm, Geräusch, Rauschen, Krach, Umtrieb, Braus, Betrieb, Aufsehen, Aufruhr, Tumult, Andrang

noiselessly: geräuschlos noisome: widerlich noon: Mittag, der Mittag nose: Nase, die Nase, Geruch, Geruchsnerv, Gerüche, Duft,

Geruchssinn notion: Begriff, Ahnung, Idee,

Vorstellung, Auffassung, Denkweise, Verständnis, Gedanke, Gedächtnis

notions: Ahnungen

notwithstanding: ungeachtet, trotz novel: Roman, neu, neuartig nowhere: nirgends, Nirgendwo, nirgens, nirgendwohin numbering: Nummerierung,

numerieren, Nummerierend

oak: Eiche

oath: Eid, Schwur, Fluch oaths: Eide, Schwüre

obdurate: verstockt, halsstarrig obedient: gehorsam, folgsam, fügsam,

gefügig, gefällig, willig, zahm obey: gehorchen, gehorcht, gehorche, gehorchst, befolgen, befolgst, befolge, befolgt, folgen, nachfolgen,

nachkommen

obeved: gehorchtest, gehorchten, gehorchte, gehorcht, gehorchtet, befolgtet, befolgt, befolgte, befolgtest, befolgten

object: Objekt, Gegenstand, Ding, widersprechen, protestieren, Ziel, bestreiten, Zweck

obliterate: auslöschen, lösche aus, löschst aus, tilgen, löscht aus, löschen aus

observation: Beobachtung, Anschauung, Bemerkung, Vermerk, Äußerung, Tadel, Observation, Interesse, Aufmerksamkeit, Ansicht, Beobachten

observed: beobachtet, beobachtete, beobachtetest, beobachtetet, beobachteten, bemerktet, bemerkt, bemerktest, bemerkte, bemerkten obstacles: Hindernisse

obtain: bekommen, erhalten, erhältst, erhaltet, erhalte, bekommst, bekomme, bekommt, einholen,

kriegen, holt ein

obtained: bekamt, bekam, bekamst, bekommen, erhielt, erhieltet, bekamen, erhielten, erhalten, erhieltest, holtet ein

occasion: Anlass, Gelegenheit, Veranlassung, Ereignis, Mal

occasional: gelegentlich, okkasionell occasionally: gelegentlich, zuweilen occasions: Gelegenheiten occupying: besetzend, belegend occur: geschehen, geschiehst, sich ereignen, geschieh, gescheh, geschehe, passieren, vorkommen, kommst vor, stattfinden, kommen vor occurred: geschehen, geschahst,

occurred: geschehen, geschahst, geschahen, geschaht, geschaht, vorgekommen, kam vor, kamen vor, kamst vor, kamt vor, fandet statt occurrence: Vorkommen, Auftreten,

Begebenheit, Ereignis, Vorkommnis ocean: Ozean, Meer, Weltmeer, See odds: Chancen, Ungleichheit odiousness: die Verhasstheit.

Widerlichkeit, die Abscheulichkeit odium: Verhaßtheit

offal: Abfall, Innereien offence: Beleidigung, Vergehen, Straftat, Delikt, Strafbare Handlung

offences: Beleidigungen offering: Gabe, Opfergabe, Opfer

offices: Büros, Ämter oftener: öfter

oldest: alteste, senior, älteste omitted: ausgelassen, ließ aus, ließest

omitted: ausgelassen, ließ aus, ließest aus, ließen aus, ließt aus, ließest weg, ließt weg, unterlassen, unterließ, unterließen, unterließest

oozing: sickernd

openly: offen, öffentlich, aufrichtig, aus vollem Halse, aus voller Kehle, freimütig, geradeheraus, unverhohlen, rundheraus

opponent: Gegner, Widerpart, Widersacher, Entgegengesetzt, Antagonist, Gegenspieler, Kontrahent

opposite: gegenüber, Gegenteil, entgegengesetzt, Gegensatz, an, jenseits, Gegenübergestellte, gegenüberstehend, gegenüberliegend, im Jenseits, verkehrt

oppressed: beklemmte, beklemmtet, unterdrücktet, unterdrücktest, unterdrückten, unterdrückte, unterdrückt, beklemmt, bedrückte, bedrückten, beklemmten

**oppressor**: Unterdrücker **orange**: Orange, Apfelsine,

Pomeranze

orator: Redner, Sprecher ordained: bestimmt, bestimmte, bestimmten, bestimmtest, bestimmtet, ordinierte, ordiniertet, ordinierten, ordiniert, ordiniertest ordered: angefordert, geordert, angeordnet, angeschrieben orders: Bestellungen, Ausschüsse ordinarily: gewöhnlich, normalerweise

organized: organisiert, organisiertet, organisierten, organisierte, organisiertest

originally: ursprünglich, originell ornament: Verzierung, Verzieren, Zierat. Ornament, Zierde,

Zierat, Ornament, Zierde,
Dekoration, Ausschmückung,
Schmuck, Aufputzen, Ausputzen,
Schmücken

ours: unsere, unseres, das unsere, der

unsere, unser ourselves: uns selbst, uns

outbreaks: Ausbrüche outcast: Ausgestoßene, Paria,

Verstoßene, Ausgestoßenen, Verworfene

**outlived**: überlebt, überlebtet, überlebtest, überlebten

outrage: Mißstand outrages: Freveltaten, frevel,

Gewalttätigkeiten outskirts: Peripherie, Stadtrand, Aussenbezirke, Vororten, Vorstädten

outward: äußerlich

outward: außerlich, nach außen hin overcame: überwältigtet,

überwältigtest, überwältigten, überwältigte, überwandest, überwand, überwandet, überwanden, übermanntest, übermannten, übermanntet

overcome: überwältigen, überwinden, überwältige, überwältigt, überwältigst, überwinde, überwindet, überwindest, überwunden, bewältigen, übermannen

overhauled: überholt, überholte, überholten, überholtest, überholtet overpowered: zähmtest, unterworfen,

zähmte, unterwarft, unterwarfst, unterwarfen, unterwarf, zähmtet, überwältigtet, zähmten, überwältigten

overseer: Aufseher, Vorarbeiter overseers: Aufpasserinnen, Aufseher overshadows: überschattet

overstates: übertreibt overtaken: überholt

overthrow: umstoßen, umstürzen, stoßt um, stürzt um, stürzst um, stürzen um, stürzen, stürze um, stößt um, umwerfen, stoße um

overwhelmed: überwältigtest, überwältigte, überschüttetet, überschüttetest, überschütteten, überschüttet, überwältigtet, überwältigten, überschüttete, überwältigt

overwhelming: überwältigend, überschüttend, überhäufung, Verblüffen, kolossal, imposant, überwältigung, beeindruckend, eindrucksvoll, enorm, imponierend

owe: schulden, schulde, schuldest, schuldet, schuldig sein owed: geschuldet, schuldete,

owen geschilder, schildere, schuldeten, schuldetest, schuldetet owing: schuldend, verdankend owl: Eule, die Eule, Kauz

owned: besessen

**owner**: Eigentümer, Inhaber, Besitzer, Besitzerin, Inhaberin, Lizenzinhaber, Eigentümerin

owners: Eigentümer

ownership: Eigentum, Besitz,

Eigentumsrecht owning: besitzend ox: Ochse, Ochs, Rind oxen: Ochsen oysters: Austern

**paddle**: Paddel, paddeln, Wasser treten, Schaufel, barfußim Wasser

waten

paddles: elektrodenspitze, paddelt
painful: schmerzhaft, schmerzlich,
peinlich

pains: Sorgen

palpable: fühlbar, offensichtlich,

greifbar, augenfällig palpably: fühlbar

pampered: verhätschelten, verzärteltet, verzärteltest, verzärtelten, verzärtelte, verzärtelt, verhätscheltest, verhätschelte, verhätschelt, verhätscheltet, hätscheltet

panting: Keuchend paradise: Paradies

parcel: Paket, Päckchen, Bündel, Parzelle, Postpaket, kleine Paket parentage: Abstammung, Herkunft

parental: elterlich

**parody**: Parodie, Parodieren, Persiflage

parted: auseinandergegangen,
 getrennt

partial: parteiisch, teilweise, partiell,

Teilton, Partialton **partiality**: Parteilichkeit, Befangenheit, Vorliebe

participant: Teilnehmer, Beteiligte,

Partizipant

participate: teilnehmen, nehmt teil, mitmachen, nehmen teil, nimm teil, nimmst teil, nehme teil, macht mit, machst mit, machen mit, mache mit participation: Teilnahme, Beteiligung,

Mitbestimmung

parting: Abschied, Trennung

136 partly: teils, teilweise, zum Teil passage: Durchgang, Passage, Korridor, Gang, Durchfahrt, Überfahrt, Flur, Passus, Kreuzungsstelle, Kreuzung, Mischung passages: Passagen, Überfahrten, Durchzüge passing: Übergang, Verfallen, Verstreichen, vorübergehend, überholen passionate: leidenschaftlich, heißblütig, hitzig, passioniert, hemmungslos, eifrig, hingebungsvoll, enthusiastisch, begeistert, hitzköpfig, aufgeregt pathetic: rührend, pathetisch, melodramatisch, mitleiderregend pathos: das Pathos, Pathos pathway: Bahn, Pfad patient: Patient, geduldig, Kranke patrol: Patrouille, patrouillieren, Streife, Absuchen, auf Streifegehen, bewachen, Patroulieren, beaufsichtigen patrols: patrouillen pavement: Bürgersteig, Pflaster, Gehweg, Trottoir paws: Pfoten, Klauen, Tatzen paying: bezahlend, zahlend, entrichtend, auszahlend, lohnend, einträglich peaceable: friedlich, friedfertig, gewaltlos, friedliebend, einlenkend peaceably: friedlich pecked: pickte peculiar: eigentümlich, eigenartig, seltsam, eigen, sonderbar, wunderlich, kurios, merkwürdig, besondere, besonders, befremdend peculiarly: eigenartig, eigen pen: Feder, Kugelschreiber, Verschlag, Stifte, Stift, Stall, Schreibstifte, Hütte penalty: Strafe, Konventionalstrafe, Strafstoß, Strafschuß pennsylvania: Pennsylvanien perceive: wahrnehmen, nehme wahr, nehmen wahr, nimmst wahr, nimm wahr, nehmt wahr, erblicken, gewahr werden, auffassen, erkennen, perzipieren perceived: nahmst wahr, nahmt wahr, nahm wahr, wahrgenommen, nahmen wahr, bemerkt perception: Wahrnehmung, Empfindung, Eindruck, Perzeption, Sinnlichkeit, Emotion, Auffassung, Augenaufschlag, Blick perdition: Verderben perfect: Perfekt, vollkommen,

vollendet, ideal, einwandfrei,

vervollkommnen, herausragend, vortrefflich, trefflich, top, sublim perfectly: perfekt, vollkommen, perform: ausführen, führst aus, führe aus, führen aus, führt aus, aufführen, leisten, spielen, führt auf, leiste, performed: führte aus, führten aus, ausgeführt, führtest aus, führtet aus, aufgeführt, geleistet, durchgeführt, führten auf, führtest auf, leistetet peril: Gefahr, Risiko perils: Gefahren perished: kamt um, kamst um, kamen um, kam um, umgekommen, gingt unter, gingst unter, ging unter, untergegangen, gingen unter perishing: umkommend, zeitlich, vergänglich, untergehend permission: Erlaubnis, Genehmigung, Einigkeit, Zulassung, Bewilligung, Eintracht permitted: zulässig, erlaubt pernicious: schädlich, verderblich, perniziös perpetrated: verübten, übte aus, trieb, trieben, triebst, triebt, pflegtet, übten aus, übtest aus, übtet aus, verübte perpetrating: pflegend, treibend, verübend, begehend, betreibend, begehen, ausübend perpetrator: Täter perpetual: ewig, fortwährend, endlos, zeitlebens, lebenslänglich, lebenslang, grenzenlos, entlos dauernd, auf Lebenszeit perpetually: endlos, unaufhörlich, ständig, fortwährende, dauernd, perplexed: perplex, bestürzt, verwirrt, verblüfft perplexing: verwirrend, kopfzerbrechend persecution: Verfolgung, Verfahren, Rechtsverfahren, gerichtliche Verfolgung perseverance: Beharrlichkeit, Ausdauer, Beharren, Beharrung, Standhaftigkeit, Zähigkeit, Aushalten persevering: beharrlich, beharrend, andauernd, ausdauernd, durchhaltend persist: beharren, beharrt, beharrst,

beharre, bestehen, aushalten,

andauern, sich eigensinnig in den

persuaded: überredete, überredetet,

überredeten, überredet, überredetest,

überzeugt, überzeugten,

Kopf setzen, verharren, trotzen

persons: Personen, Leute

pertaining: betreffend, gehörend peruse: durchgehen, gehe durch, geht durch, gehst durch, gehen durch petitions: Bittschriften, Bitten phillips: Kreuzschlitz philosophy: Philosophie, Weltanschauung picked: gepflückt, pflückten, pflückte, pflücktet, pflücktest, abgepflückt, genommen pictures: Bilder pieces: Stücke piety: Frömmigkeit, Pietät pigs: Schweine pilgrim: Pilger, Wallfahrer pilgrims: Pilger, Wallfahrer pine: Kiefer, Föhre, Pinie, Fichte, Kiefernholz, Föhrenholz pious: fromm, gottesfürchtig pirate: Pirat, Seeräuber, Geiselnehmer, Glücksritter, Kaper, Korsar pirates: Seeräuber, Piraten pistol: Pistole, Spritze, Wehr, Waffe, Knarre, Flinte pistols: Pistolen pit: Grube, Pit, Obststein, Graben, Sprunggrube, Bergwerk, Steinbruch, Kern pitiless: unbarmherzig, erbarmungslos, schonungslos pity: Mitleid, Bemitleiden, Erbarmen, Schade, Mitleid haben, Sich erbarmen, Mitgefühl placed: platziert placing: Platzierung, platzierend plain: Ebene, einfarbig, einfach, klar, deutlich, schlicht, gängig, gewöhnlich, glatt, ordinär, nichthäßlich planned: geplant, geordnet plantation: Pflanzung, Plantage, Anpflanzen, Anbauen plantations: Pflanzungen planter: Pflanzer, Plantagenbesitzer planters: Pflanzer platform: Bahnsteig, Plattform, Podium, Podest, Tribüne, Schwelle, Programm, Estrade, Kai, Bretterboden, Erhöhung platter: Servierplatte, Schale, Platte, Schüssel plea: Einspruch, Plädieren, Beweisgrund, Argument, Bitte pleading: plädierend, flehend, Plädover pleased: zufrieden, erfreut pleasurable: vergnüglich, angenehm pleasure: Vergnügen, Genuss, Freude, Lust, Gefallen, Wohlgefallen pledge: Bürgschaft, Pfand,

überzeugtest, überzeugtet

Verpfändung, verpfänden pledged: lombardiert, verpfändet pledging: Verpfändung, lombardierung, verpfändend plenty: Überfluß, Fülle, Menge ploughing: Pflügen plundered: geplündert plunged: getaucht plunging: tauchend ply: Schicht pocket: Tasche, Ablagefach, die Tasche, Hosentasche, Fach pocketknife: Klappmesser poet: Dichter, Poet pointed: spitz, zugespitzt poison: gift, vergiften, infizieren, anstecken, verseuchen, Toxin pollution: Verschmutzung, Verunreinigung, Umweltverschmutzung, Lasten, Beschmutzung, Umweltverunreinigung, Schmutzigkeit, Dreck, Schmutz pomp: Pomp, Gepränge pork: Schweinefleisch, Schwein portion: Teil, Portion, Anteil, Stück, Zuteilen, Abschnitt, Ration portrait: Porträt, Bild, Bildnis, Portrait, Hochformat possess: besitzen, besitze, besitzt possessed: besaßest, besaßt, besaßen, besaß, besessen possessing: besitzend possession: Besitz, Eigentum, Besitztum, Gut, Besitzung, Besessenheit pour: gießen, schütten, stürzen, guß, einschenken, eingießen, ausschütten, ausgießen pouring: der Abguss, der Abstich, der Roheisenabstich, gießen, giessend, strömend, das Abstechen poverty: Armut, Elend, Not poverty-stricken: bettelarm, total veramrt powerfully: kraftvoll practise: üben, exerzieren, einüben, ausüben, treiben, trainieren, studieren, Sport treiben, sichwiederholen, repetieren, proben praise: loben, Lob, preisen, rühmen, anpreisen, verherrlichen, lobpreisen, ehren, inden Himmel heben, Preis pray: beten, betet, betest, bete, betteln, bitten, flehen prayed: betetet, gebetet, betetest, beteten, betete prayer: Gebet, Bitten prayers: Gebete praying: betend preach: predigen, predigst, predigt,

preacher: Prediger, Verkündiger preachers: Prediger preaching: Predigend precaution: Vorsorge, Vorkehrung, Sicherheitsmassnahme, Vorsicht, preceded: gingst voraus, vorangegangen, vorausgegangen, gingt voraus, gingt voran, ging voran, gingen voraus, gingen voran, ging voraus, gingst voran, fortgeschritten precepts: Regeln precious: kostbar, selten, wertvoll, predicted: sagtest vorher, vorhergesagt, sagtet vorher, sagten vorher, sagte vorher, vorausgesagt, sagtet voraus, sagtest voraus, sagten voraus, sagte voraus preface: Vorwort, Einleitung, Vorrede prefer: bevorzugen, vorziehen, ziehe vor, zieht vor, ziehst vor, ziehen vor, bevorzugt, bevorzuge, den Vorzug geben, wählen preferable: vorzuziehen preferred: bevorzugte, zogst vor, zogen vor, zog vor, vorgezogen, bevorzugtet, bevorzugten, zogt vor, bevorzugt, bevorzugtest prejudice: Vorurteil prejudices: Vorurteile premises: Räumlichkeiten, Lokal, Grundstück prepare: vorbereiten, bereitest vor, bereiten vor, bereitet vor, bereite vor, bereiten, bereite, bereitest, anfertigen, zubereiten preparing: vorbereitend, bereitend, zubereitend, Vorbereiten, Zubereiten, Anrichten, Herrichten, zurichtend presented: ausgegeben, presentiert presenting: darbietend, eingabe, einreichung, überreichend preservation: Erhaltung, Konservierung, Bewahrung preserve: einmachen, konservieren, einlegen, bewahren, erhalten, Konserve, aufbewahren, einkochen, wahren, bergen, behalten preserved: beibehalten, aufbewahrt, bewahrt, konserviert pressed: gepresst, gedrückt pressing: Pressung, dringend presume: voraussetzen, annehmen, vermuten, setzt voraus, setzen voraus, setze voraus, vermutet, vermutest, vermute, schätzen, presumptuous: anmaßend,

vermessen, überheblich, respektlos, unbescheiden, dreist, arrogant pretence: Vortäuschung, Preziosität, Illusion, Geziertheit, Geschraubtheit, Fassade, Verlogenheit, Vorschützung, Ziererei, Anspruch, Anschein pretended: gab vor, vorgegeben, gabt vor, gaben vor, gabst vor, täuschtet vor, täuschtest vor, täuschten vor, täuschte vor, vorgetäuscht, angeblich pretensions: Anspruch, Ansprüche pretty: hübsch, ziemlich, nett, schön prevailed: geherrscht, herrschtet, herrschte, herrschten, herrschtest prevented: verhindert, verhindertest, verhinderten, verhinderte, verhindertet, hindertest, hinderten, gehindert, hinderte, hindertet, beugtet vor prey: Beute, Raub, Opfer, Fang pride: Stolz, Hochmut, Hoffahrt priests: Priester principal: Auftraggeber, Rektor, Mandant, Hauptsächlich, Hauptperson, hauptsächliche, Hauptverpflichteter, Leiter, Vorzüglich, Schulvorsteher, Schuldirektor principles: Gelehrsamkeit, Grundsätze, Prinzipien prior: Früher, Älter, Vorig, Vorherig privation: Entbehrung privations: Entbehrungen privilege: Privileg, Vorrecht, Vergünstigung, Privilegium, Privilegieren, bevorzugen, begünstigen, Vorzug, Vorzugsrecht privileged: bevorrechtigt, privilegiert, privilegierte, Bevorzugte privileges: Privilegien, Vorzüge prized: schätzte, geschätzt probability: Wahrscheinlichkeit, Wahrscheinlich probable: Wahrscheinlich, vermutlich, mutmaßlich, voraussichtlich, glaubhaft proceed: weitergehen, vorgehen, fortfahren, gehe vor, gehe weiter, geht weiter, geht vor, gehst weiter, gehst vor, gehen weiter, fahre fort proceeded: gingen weiter, vorgegangen, gingt weiter, gingt vor, gingst weiter, fuhrst fort, gingst vor, weitergegangen, ging weiter, fuhrt fort, fuhren fort proclaim: proklamieren, proklamiere, proklamiert, proklamierst, verkünden, bestimmen, verkündigen, verordnen, diktieren, bekanntmachen, befehlen

138 proclaims: proklamiert producing: produzierend, erzeugend, hervorbringend profane: weltlich, profan, profanieren, entweihen, entheiligen, gottlos profanity: Gotteslästerung, Weltlichkeit, Profanität, Fluch, die Weltlichkeit, die Respektlosigkeit, die Obszönität, die Gotteslästerung, Profanitäts professed: erklärt professedly: erklärtermaßen, angeblich, eingestandenermaßen professing: Erklärend profession: Beruf, Profession, Gewerbe, Erwerb, Branche, Handwerk, Job, Kaufhandel, Wirtschaft, Handel professions: Berufen, Berufe professor: Professor, Akademiker profitable: gewinnbringend, vorteilhaft, einträglich, rentabel, lohnend, profitabel, nutzbringend, fruchtbringend, lukrativ, ergiebig, einbringlich profligate: verworfen profoundly: tief, tiefsinnig prolonged: anhaltend, verlängert, verlängerte, verlängerten, dehntet aus, ausgedehnt, dehnte aus, dehnten aus, dehntest aus, verlängertet, verlängertest promise: Versprechen, versprichst, versprich, versprecht, verspreche, zusagen, Zusage, sagst zu, sagt zu, sagen zu, sage zu promised: versprach, versprachen, versprachst, verspracht, versprochen, sagte zu, zugesagt,

sagten zu, sagtet zu, sagtest zu, verhießen

promotion: Promotion, Beförderung, Förderung

prompted: abgefragt pronouncing: aussprechend proof: Beweis, Nachweis, Sicher, Ausweis, Probe, Erweis, Probedruck, Probeabzug, Fest, Beleg, Andruck proofs: Beweis, Fest, Alkoholgehalt, Beweise, Korrektur, Probe, Prüfung,

properly: richtig, ordnungsgemäss, gehörig, zurecht, ziemlich, ordentlich, geeignet, erheblich, beträchtlich

prophecy: Prophezeiung, Weissagung

proportions: Verhältnisse proposal: Vorschlag, Antrag, Angebot, Anerbieten, Gebot proposition: Vorschlag, Satz, Vorschlag machen, Lehrsatz propriety: Anstand, Anständigkeit, der Anstand, die Anständigkeit, die Korrektheit, die Schicklichkeit, Gute Erziehung, Schicklichkeit

proselvte: Proselvt proselytes: Bekehrt

prospect: Aussicht, Schürfen prosperity: Wohlstand, Prosperität, Glück, Erfolg, Gedeihen,

Wohlbefinden, Wohl, Segen, Heil prostitution: Prostitution

prostrate: niederwerfen, erschöpft, hingestreckt

protect: schützen, schütze, schützst, schützt, sichern, sichre, sichert, sicherst, sichere, beschützen, heschiitze

protecting: schützend, sichernd, beschützend, wahrend, schirmend, abschirmend

protections: Protektionen, Schutz, Förderungen

protector: Beschützer, wer beschützt proud: stolz, hochmütig, gönnerhaft, trotzig, stattlich, selbstgefällig, selbstbewußt, ruhmreich, aufgebläht, anmaßend, grandios

prouder: stolzer

prove: beweisen, beweise, beweist, nachweisen, belegen, erweisen, vorweisen, prüfen, erweist, erweise, erhärten

proved: bewiest, bewiesen, bewies, erwies, belegten, geprüft, belegtest, belegtet, bewährt, erwiesen, erwiest

proverb: Sprichwort, Sentenz, Denkspruch, Spruch

**proves**: beweist, belegt, erweist providence: Vorsehung

prudence: Umsicht, Besonnenheit, Klugheit

psalm: Psalm

publish: veröffentlichen, veröffentlichst, veröffentliche, herausgeben, veröffentlicht, gib heraus, gibst heraus, gebt heraus, gebe heraus, geben heraus, herausbringen

puffing: die Aufbauschung, die Aufblähung, paffend, Aufblähung pull: ziehen, ziehe, zieht, ziehst, zerren, zerre, zerrst, zerrt, reißen,

Anziehen, reißt pulled: gezogen, zogst, zogen, zog, zogt, gezerrt, zerrtet, zerrtest, zerrte, zerrten, riß

pulpit: Kanzel, Katheder pulses: Stromstoß, Stromstösse punished: bestraft, bestraftet, bestraftest, bestraften, bestrafte, straftet, strafte, straften, gestraft, straftest, züchtigte

punishing: bestrafend, strafend, ahndend, züchtigend punishment: Strafe, Bestrafung, Züchtigung, Strafmittel, Strafinstrument

purchase: Kauf, Einkauf, kaufen, einkaufen, Erwerb, Ankauf, Anschaffung, erwerben, erstehen, Erwerbung, Besorgung pure: rein, pur, sauber, blank, lauter,

nicht verschnitten, reinlich, glockenrein, unverfälscht, unvermischt, ausschließlich

purest: reinste

purity: Reinheit, Sauberkeit, Zucht, Sprachreinheit, Sprach ohne Fehler, Klarheit, Reinlichkeit

purse: Geldbeutel, Handtasche, Beutel, Börse, Brieftasche, Geldbörse, Portemonnaie, Portemonaie

pursue: verfolgen, verfolgt, verfolgst, verfolge, nachzusetzen, fahnden pursued: verfolgtet, verfolgtest,

verfolgten, verfolgte, Verfolgt pursuing: verfolgend, Vervolgen

pursuit: Verfolgung

qualified: qualifiziert, geeignet, qualifiziertet, qualifiziertest, qualifizierten, qualifizierte, befähigt, geschult, routiniert, erfahren

qualities: Qualitäten

quantity: Menge, Quantität, Quantum, Größe, Partie

quarrel: Streit, Zank, Zwietracht, zanken, Wortwechsel, streiten, Disput, Auseinandersetzung, Fehde,

schimpfen, schelten

quarrels: Steitigkeiten, Zankt, Kräche, Streitereien

quarters: Viertel

quest: Suche, Suchen, Nachsuchung questioned: hinterfragt, gefragt quick: schnell, rasch, hurtig, geschwind, flüchtig, prompt, flott, kurz, wach

quicken: beschleunigen, beschleunigst, beschleunigt, beschleunige

quickened: beschleunigte, beschleunigtet, beschleunigtest, beschleunigt, beschleunigten

quote: zitieren, Zitat, anführen, nennen, Quote, Anführungszeichen, anbieten, Urteilsspruch, Urteil, Entscheidung, Gänsefüßchen

rabbi: Rabbiner, Rabbi

racked: gestreckt

rage: Wut, rasen, wüten, toben, tosen, Raserei, schimpfen, donnern, ausfahren, schelten, Zorn

railroad: Eisenbahn, Bahn raising: sich erhebend, Erhöhung, aufbringend, steigernd

rakes: harkt

rank: Rang, Reihe, Grad, Stand, Kette, Würde, Amtswürde, ausrichten, in Reih und Glied aufstellen, Leine,

Linie

ranked: gereiht ranks: Ränge, Reiht

ranting: Geschwollen redend rapture: Entzücken, Begeisterung rapturous: entzückt, hingerissen

rare: selten, rar, blutig, außergewöhnlich, knapp, seltsam

rarer: rarere, seltener rattling: rasselnd, Gerassel, Geklapper, Geklirr, Gepolter, scheppernd

ravages: Verwüstet

raved: gerast

raving: rasend, wahnsinnig, verrückt, Rabiat

raw: roh, rau, arg

ray: Strahl, Rochen, Schimmer, bescheinen, bestrahlen, Chemotherapie geben, Streifen, Roggen, erleuchten

reaching: Reichend, Erreichen, Erreichend

reader: Leser, Lesegerät, Leserin, Vorleser

readily: leicht, fertig, bereit, bereitwillig, mühelos, schlechthin, rasch

readiness: Bereitschaft reads: liest, lautet, liest ein

realize: begreifen, verwirklichen, verwirklichst, verwirklicht, verwirkliche, begreifst, begreife, begreift, verstehen, erkennen, realisieren

reasoned: verstand, denken logisch, begründet, ausreden, durchdacht, grund, argumentierte, reden vernünftig, schlußfolgern, überreden, vernunft

reasoning: Argumentation, Argumentierend, Beweisführung, Denken, Gedankengang

rebellious: aufrührerisch, rebellisch, aufständisch, aufsässig, widerspenstig, revolutionär

rebuke: tadeln, zurechtweisen, Tadel, Vorwürfe machen, vorwerfen, schelten

recalled: wiedergerufen receding: zurücktretend

receiving: empfangend, erhaltend, empfang, Hehlerei, Annahme, in Empfangnahme

recital: Vortrag, Konzert, Erzählung, Darlegung, Bericht, Aufführung, Gesangaufführung reckless: rücksichtslos, leichtsinnig, waghalsig, verwegen, ungezeugen, unbekümmert, tollkühn

recognize: anerkennen, erkennt an, erkenne an, erkennen an, erkennen, erkennst an, erkennt, erkennst, erkenne, wiedererkennen, erkennen wieder

recognized: erkannte an, erkanntest an, anerkannt, erkanntet an, erkannten an, erkannte, erkannt, erkanntest, erkannten, erkanntet, erkannte wieder

recollect: sich entsinnen, sich erinnern, sich besinnen, behalten, sich erinnern an, gedenken

recollection: Erinnerung, Andenken, Gedächtnis

recollections: Erinnerungen

recommend: empfehlen, empfiehlst, empfiehl, empfehle, empfehlt, anpreisen, preise an, preisen an, preist an, anempfelen, advisieren

reconciling: versöhnend recorded: aufgezeichnet recounted: erzählt

recurrence: Wiederholung redress: Entschädigungsansprüche,

Entschädigungsanspruch reduces: reduziert, vermindert, mäßigt, verkleinert

refinement: Verfeinerung, Veredelung, Feinheit, Raffinesse, Raffinement, Finesse

reflected: reflektierten, reflektiertest, reflektierte, reflektiert, reflektiertet, abgespiegelt

**reflecting**: reflektierend, abspiegelnd **reflection**: Reflexion, Spiegelbild,

Abglanz, Widerspiegelung, Reflektion, Spiegelung, Widerschein, Wiederspiegeln, Gegenbild, Widerhall, Besinnung

reflections: Reflexionen reflective: reflektierend reform: Reform, reformieren, neugestalten, Verbesserung, erneuern

reformed: reformiert, reformierte

reformers: Reformer refrain: Refrain, Kehrreim refuge: Zuflucht, Schutz, Hort, Luftschutzraum, Ruhepunkt, Schlupfloch, Schlupfwinkel, Unterkunft, Unterschlupf, Unterstand, Zufluchtstätte

refusal: Weigerung, Ablehnung, Verweigerung, Absage

refuse: verweigern, Abfall, ablehnen, abschlagen, Ausschuss, versagen, abweisen, ausschlagen, weigern refused: abgewiesen, verweigerte refusing: ablehnend, Abweisen, Zurückweisen, Abschlagen, Ablehnen

regard: Achtung, betrachten, berücksichtigen, berücksichtigt, betrachtet, betrachtest, betrachte, berücksichtige, berücksichtigst, ansehen, siehst an

regarding: bezüglich, berücksichtigend, betrachtend, betreffend, hinsichtlich, ansehend, betreffs

regardless: ohne Bezug, ungeachtet, unbekümmert, trotzdem, ohne Rücksicht, achtlos, ohne Rücksicht auf

regret: Bedauern, bereuen, etwas bedauern, leid tun, beweinen, beklagen, betrauern

regretting: bedauernd

regularly: regelmäßig, oft, gleichmäßig, den Regeln gemäß, häufig, in einem festen Rythmus

reject: ablehnen, ausschlagen, zurückweisen, verweigern, abschlagen, Ausschuss, verwerfen, abweisen, abstoßen, ausmerzen, Absonderung

rejected: reflektiert

rekindled: erweckte wieder, erweckten wieder, erwecktest wieder, erwecktet wieder, lebte wieder auf, wiedererweckt

relates: erzählt, berichtet relation: Beziehung, Verhältnis, Zusammenhang, Verbindung,

Relation, Verwandtschaft, Verwandte, Verbundenheit, Verband, Schicksalsverbundenheit, Hinsicht

relative: Verwandter, Verwandte, relativ, verhältnismäßig

release: Freigabe, auslösen, freilassen, freigeben, Freilassung, entlassen, befreien, Auslöser, loslassen, lösen, Losmachen

relied: sich verlassen

relieved: erleichterten, erleichterte, erleichtertest, erleichtertet, erleichtert

religion: Religion, Glaube, die Religion, Gottesdienst

relinquish: aufgeben, abtreten, tritt ab, absehen, trete ab, geben auf, verzichten, weichen, gebe auf, gebt auf, gib auf

relish: schlecken, naschen, Geschmack, genießen

reluctant: widerwillig, widerstrebend, unwillig, zögernd

reluctantly: widerstrebend, ungern, widerwillig, unwillig, widerspenstig,

140 zögernd rely: vertrauen, sich verlassen, baut, vertraut, gebaut, bauen, baust, baue, bau, vertraue, vertraust relving: sich verlassend remainder: Rest, Restbestand, Übrige, Bestand, Übriges, Überbleibsel, Rückstand, Nachbleibsel remaining: übrig, restlich, bleibend, verbleibend, zurückbleibend, sonstig remark: Bemerkung, Anmerkung, Kommentar, bemerken, Äußerung, remarkable: bemerkenswert, beachtenswert, beachtlich, außergewöhnlich, auffallend remarked: merkte remarks: Bemerkungen, markiert remedy: Abhilfe, Heilmittel, Mittel, abhelfen, beheben, heben, aufwickeln, aufrollen, Arznei, anmachen, eindrehen remembered: gedachtet, erinnertest, erinnerten, erinnert, gedachtest, gedachten, gedachte, gedacht, erinnertet, erinnerte, bedachten remembrance: Erinnerung, Andenken, Gedächtnis, Memorandum, Mahnung, Abberufung, Erinnerungsvermögen, Denkwürdigkeit, Denkschrift remind: erinnern, erinnerst, erinnert, erinnre, erinnere, mahnen reminded: erinnert, erinnerte, erinnerten, erinnertest, erinnertet reminding: erinnernd remove: entfernen, entferne, entfernst, entfernt, beseitigen, beseitigt, beseitigst, beseitige, abschaffen, fortschaffen, Absetzen removed: entferntest, entfernten, entfernte, entfernt, entferntet, beseitigtet, beseitigtest, beseitigten, beseitigte, beseitigt, schaffte fort removing: entfernend, beseitigend, fortschaffend, Ausnehmen, Amputieren, abtragend, Abnehmen, Entfernen render: wiedergeben, leisten, gebt wieder, gebe wieder, geben wieder, gib wieder, gibst wieder rendered: gab wieder, gaben wieder, gabst wieder, gabt wieder, wiedergegeben renders: leistet, gibt wieder rented: gemietet repeal: aufheben, Aufhebung, Außerkraftsetzung repeated: wiederholtest,

wiederholten, wiederholte,

wiederholt, wiederholtet, abermalig

repelled: stieß ab, abgestoßen, stießt ab, stießest ab, stießen ab replied: antwortete reply: Antwort, antworten, erwidern, entgegnen, Erwiderung, beantworten, Beantwortung, Entgegnung reposed: ruhte represent: vertreten, vertretet, vertritt, vertrete, vertrittst, repräsentieren, darstellen, stellt dar, stellst dar, stellen dar, stelle dar representative: Vertreter, Repräsentant, repräsentativ, abgeordneter, abgeordnete, Stellvertreter, darstellend, bezeichnend, Beauftragter, typisch, stellvertretend represented: vertrat, vertreten, vertratet, vertraten, vertratest, repräsentiert, repräsentierte, stellte dar, stellten dar, stelltest dar, stelltet reproving: tadelnd reptile: Reptil, Kriechtier republic: Republik, Freistaat reputable: ehrbar, achtbar, angesehen, anständig reputation: Ruf, Ansehen, Reputation, Name, Bekanntheit, Schrei, Ehre request: Ersuchen, Gesuch, Bitte, Ansuchen, bitten, Anfrage, Anforderung, anfordern, Aufforderung, Gebet, einen Antrag requiring: benötigend, erfordernd, verlangend, fordernd, brauchend, verlangt rescued: gerettet resided: angesiedelt, gewohnt, residierten, residierte, residiertet, wohnte, wohnten, wohntest, wohntet, residiert, residiertest residence: Wohnsitz, Wohnung, Wohnort, Wohnhaus, Aufenthalt, Residenz, Haus, Aufenthaltsort resident: resident, wohnhaft, ansässig, Einwohner, wohnende, Bewohner, Mitbewohner, Zimmerbewohner residents: Bleibt residing: wohnend, angesiedelt, residierend resist: widerstehen, widerstehst, widerstehe, widersteht, sich versetzen, Widerstand leisten resistance: Widerstand, Resistenz,

Gegenwehr, Widerstandsbewegung,

resisted: widerstandet, widerstanden,

Lösung, Beschluss, Entschlossenheit,

resolution: Auflösung, Resolution,

Widerstandsfähigkeit

widerstandst, widerstand

Entschluss, Tapferkeit, Sicherheit resolved: aufgelöst, entschlossen resort: Greif, Urlaubsziel, Urlaubsort, umsortieren, sich wenden, Griff, greifen, die Rettung, der Urlaubsort, der Ferienort, der Ausweg resorted: begab sich, geflüchtet respect: Achtung, Respekt, respektieren, Ansehen, Ehrfurcht, Hinsicht, Ehrerbietung, Rücksicht, achten, Achtung erweisen respected: geachtet, angesehen, respektiert respecting: respektierend, achtend respects: Respektiert responsibilities: Verantwortlichkeiten restless: ruhelos, rastlos, unruhig restored: stellten wiederher, stellte wiederher, wiederhergestellt, stelltet wiederher, stelltest wiederher restrain: zurückhalten, hältst zurück, haltet zurück, halten zurück, halte zurück, beherrschen, beherrsche, beherrscht, beherrschst, enthalten, sich beruhigen resulted: ergab resulting: resultierend, folgend, Fortfließen resurrection: Auferstehung, Wiederbelebung retaken: wiedergenommen retaliation: Vergeltung, Vergeltungsmaßnahme returning: die Rückkehr, Rückkehr, zurückkehrend returns: zurückkehren rev: die Umdrehung, Durchstarten, Hochdrehen, die Drehzahl, Laufen, Umdrehung revealed: offenbart, offenbarte, offenbarten, offenbartest, offenbartet, aufgedeckt revealing: offenbarend, aufschlußreich, aufdeckend revelation: Offenbarung, Enthüllung reverberate: hallen reverence: Ehrfurcht reverend: ehrwürdig, Hochwürden reverse: Rückseite, umgekehrt, Gegenteil, umkehren, invers, entgegengesetzt, herumdrehen, Gegensatz, umdrehen, verkehren, umwandeln revivals: Wiederbelebungen revived: belebt, belebten, belebtet, belebtest, belebte, wiedergeauflebt, auflebtest wieder, auflebten wieder, auflebte wieder, wiederbelebt, auflebtet wieder revolutionary: revolutionär

Ergebnis, Bestimmtheit, Antwort,

reward: Belohnung, belohnen, Lohn, lohnen, vergelten, honorieren, Gage, Einkommen, vergüten, Gehalt, Finderlohn ribs: Rippen rice: Reis, der Reis riches: Reichtümer, Reichtum richest: reichhaltigste, reichste richly: reich rid: befreien ridges: Grate, Kämme, Kanten ridicule: Spott, spotten, verspotten, lächerlich machen, verhöhnen, Spöttelei, auslachen ridiculed: verspottet riding: Reiten, herumreitend, reitend righteous: rechtschaffen, gerecht, billig rightfully: rechtmäßig, gerechterweise rightly: richtig, mit recht rigid: starr, steif, unbeugsam, streng, stelzbeinig, standhaft, straff, stier, unerschütterlich, starrköpfig, unverwandt rising: aufgehend, Steigen, steigend, Anschwellen, Anwachsen, Sich erheben, Hinaufkommen, Erhebung, Emporkommen rivers: Flüsse, Ströme roar: brausen, sausen, Gebrüll, brüllen, zischen roaring: Spektakel, Gegröle, Gepolter, Gekreisch, Gejohle, Gebrüll, brüllend, Geschimpfe, Zetergeschrei, schwunghaft, Schreien rob: rauben, raubst, raubt, raube, plündern, berauben, plündert, plündre, plünderst, plündere, beraubt robber: Räuber, Freibeuter, Wegelagerer robbers: Räuber robbery: Raub, Plünderung, Beraubung robed: geschmückt, geraubt robes: Roben robs: raubt, plündert, beraubt, raubt rocked: geschaukelt rod: Stange, Rute, Stab, Gerte, Barre,

Zuchtrute

rods: Ruten

rooms: Zimmer

roll: Rolle, Brötchen, rollen, Semmel,

roller: Walze, Rolle, Zylinder,

rolling: Rollen, rollend, Wanken

root: Wurzel, die Wurzel, Stamm

Blauracke, Lockenwickler

schlingern, Walze, wickeln, wälzen, Schrippe, Tonneau, Kaiserbrötchen

rode: ritt

rope: Seil, Tau, Strick, Leine, Strang, Seilen, Schnur rough: rau, roh, holperig, arg, borstig, brummig, uneben, ungefähr, unwirsch, grob roused: geweckt, weckten, wecktest, weckte, wecktet route: Strecke, Weg, Route, Bahn, Chaussee, Fahrstraße rub: reiben, frottieren, abreiben, einreiben, rubbeln rubbed: gerieben rude: unverschämt, unhöflich, unanständig, ungezogen, grob, barsch, unverfroren ruined: vernichtet, zu nichte gemacht, zerstört, verwüstet, abgewirtschaftet, in Triimmern rulers: Herrscher rum: Rum runaways: Ausreißer, Deserteure runs: läuft, rennt, eilt, startet rush: hetzen, Eile, eilen, Andrang, Gedränge, hasten, Anstürmen, jagen, Gedrängtheit, Getreibe, Hast rushed: gehetzt ruthless: mitleidlos, grob, bestialisch, anzüglich, eckig, erbarmungslos, feurig, gefühllos, geharnischt, barbarisch, grell rye: Roggen sabbath: Sabbat, Samstag, Sonnabend sable: Zobel, Zobelpelz, schwarz sacred: heilig, geweiht sacredness: Heiligkeit sacrifice: opfern, Opfer, Aufopferung, aufopfern, aufgeben, erbieten, Geschädigte, Hingabe, Opfertier, sich erbieten sad: traurig, schlimm, betrüblich, vergrämt, trist, düster saddened: betrübt, betrübte, betrübten, betrübtest, betrübtet sadly: traurig sadness: Traurigkeit, Betrübnis safeguard: Schutz, sichern, sicher wegräumen, Sicherung, sicher stellen safely: sicher, wohlbehalten sagacity: Scharfsinn, Schlauheit, Schlauigkeit, Schlagfertigkeit, Scharfsichtigkeit, Listigkeit, List, Klugheit sail: Segel, segeln, steuern, lavieren, befahren, besegeln, navigieren sailed: gesegelt sailing: Segelsport, Segeln, segelnd sailor: Matrose, Seemann, Seefahrer, Segler, der Matrose, Mitglied der Schiffsbesatzung, Leichtmatrose sails: segelt, Segel

saints: Heilige

sake: Seinetwegen, Wille, Willen, der Sake, der Willen, Sake sally: aufbrechen salts: Salze, Salzt salutary: gesund, heilsam, nützlich, lehrreich salvation: Heil, Seelenheil, Rettung, Erlösung sample: Muster, Probe, Stichprobe, abtasten, Probestück, Spezimen, abfragen sanction: Sanktion, sanktionieren, Strafmaßnahme sandy: sandig, sandartig sang: sangt, sangst, Sangen, Sang, Gesungen sanguine: heiter, optimistisch sank: sanken satisfaction: Befriedigung, Genugtuung, Zufriedenstellung, Erfüllung, Sympathie, Vergnügen, Wiedergutmachungsleistung, Wohlwollen, Zufriedenheit satisfactory: befriedigend, zufriedenstellend, ausreichend satisfied: befriedigtet, befriedigtest, befriedigten, befriedigte, befriedigt, zufrieden, satt, gesättigt, gefüllt, voll satisfy: befriedigen, befriedigt, befriedigst, befriedige, zufrieden stellen, genügen, stillen savage: wild, grausam, Wilde savagely: wild saved: rettetet, rettetest, retteten, rettete, gerettet, speichertest, speicherten, gespeichert, speicherte, speichertet, spartet scanty: knapp, spärlich, dürftig, nicht im überfluss, gering scarce: selten, knapp, kaum scarcely: kaum, fast kein, schwerlich, knapp, gering, fast keine scathing: vernichtend, beißend scatters: streut, zerstreut, verstreut scenes: Bilder, Schilderungen scholars: Gelehrte schooner: Schoner scold: schelten, Rüffel geben, Standpauke halten, vermahnen, Verweis geben, vorwerfen, Vorwürfe machen, zurechtweisen, zureden, anhalten scope: Bereich, Umfang, Anwendungsbereich, Reichweite scourging: peitschend scow: das Flachboot, der Prahm scream: schreien, Schrei, Geheul, Schnitzer, Ruf, plärren, Irrtum, herausschreien, Ausruf, Aufschrei, Fehler screamed: geschrieen, schrie screams: Schreien

scribes: Schreiber, Schriftgelehrten scripturally: schriftgemäß, biblisch, Schriften

scuffle: Handgemenge, Raufen, Kämpfen, Schlägerei, Schlacht, Scharmützeln, Keilerei, Balgerei, Fechten, Kampf

scurf: Schuppen

seal: versiegeln, Seehund, Abdichten, siegeln, Abdichtung, Siegel, Dichtung, Verschluss, Stempel, besiegeln, abschliessen

search: Suche, suchen, durchsuchen,

Durchsuchung, Fahndung, absuchen, Erkundung, forschen, Expedition, Erkundungszüge, Erkundungszug

searched: gesucht, abgesucht, gesuchte

seas: Meere

seasons: Jahreszeiten

seated: gesetzt, sitzend, seßhaft seats: Sitze, Sitzplätze, Sitzbänke seconded: geholfen, half, helfen

secondly: zweitens

secret: Geheimnis, geheim, heimlich, verborgen, Hehl, verstohlen, Mysterium, Geheimnisvolle, Rätselhafte

secretly: heimlich, geheim, im geheimen, unter der Hand, doppelzüngig, heimtückisch, verstohlen, hinterlistig, illegal, nicht erlaubt, tückisch

secure: sicher, befestigen, befestige, befestigst, befestigt, sichern, festmachen, geborgen, fixieren, anlegen, dokumentieren

secured: befestigten, befestigte, befestigt, befestigtest, befestigtet, gesichert, machten fest, festgemacht, machtest fest, machtet fest, machte

seek: suchen, suche, suchst, sucht, ausschauen nach, aufsuchen

seeking: Suchend

seemingly: scheinbar, anscheinend, dem Anschein nach

sees: Sieht, sägt

seize: ergreifen, ergreife, greifen, ergreifst, ergreift, greife, greifst, greift, beschlagnahmen, einziehen, hervorholen

seized: ergriff, ergriffen, ergrifft, ergriffst, griff, gegriffen, griffen, griffst, grifft, zog ein, zogen ein

seizes: ergreift, greift, zieht ein

seldom: selten

selected: ausgewählt, wähltest aus, wählten aus, wählte aus, wähltet aus, gewählt, ausgelesen, auserwählt, auserkoren, auserlesen, ausgesucht

self: Selbst, Selber

selfishness: Selbstsucht, Egoismus, Selbstsüchte, Eigensucht

sells: Verkauft, veräußert

semblance: Anschein

sending: Schickend, Sendend, Sendung, abschickend, einsendend, Übermittlung, Übersendung, Postsendung, zusendend, übersendend, Versendend

sensation: Sensation, Empfindung, Sinn, Aufsehen

sensible: vernünftig, gescheit, verständig, bewusst, klug, spürbar, sinnvoll, sachverständig, geschickt, geistig, einsichtsvoll

sensitive: empfindlich, empfindsam, sensibel, feinfühlig, einfühlsam, empfänglich, sensitiv

sentence: Satz, Verurteilen, Urteil, Verurteilung, Phrase, Verdammen, Vakuum, Urteilsspruch, Strafe, Siehe unten, Redensart

sentiment: Gefühl

sentiments: Empfindungen, Gefühle separated: getrennt, gesondert, abgesondert, geschieden, entbunden, geteilt, aufgeteilt, aufgelöst, auseinander gegangen

separately: getrennt, separat, besonders, einzeln, für sich, gesondert, eigens

separating: absondernd, trennend, Auseinandergehen, scheidend, trennende

separation: Trennung, Abtrennung, Abscheidung, Scheidung, Absonderung, Isolierung, Abteilung sept: September

servant: Diener, Dienstbote, Knecht, Bursche, Bedienstete, Dienerin, Bediente, Dienstmädchen, Gehilfe, Magd, Stallknecht

servants: Diener, Dienstmädchen, Haushaltshilfe, Dienstbotinnen, Dienerinnen, Untertanen

serve: bedienen, dienen, bedient, bedienst, bediene, auftragen, dient, Dienst, diene, tragen auf, trägst auf

served: bedientet, bedientest, bedient, bediente, bedienten, gedient, dientest, dienten, diente, dientet, trugst auf

serviceable: dienlich, betriebsfähig, gebrauchsfähig, einsatzfähig, brauchbar

servile: servil, unterwürfig, sklavisch servility: Unterwürfigkeit, Kriecherei setting: Einstellung, Fassung, setzend, Justierung, Fassung eines Juwels,

settled: legten bei, besiedelten,

besiedelt, besiedeltest, beigelegt, legtet bei, legtest bei, besiedelte, legte bei, besiedeltet, sich niedergelassen habende seventeen: siebzehn

seventy: siebzig

severe: streng, ernst, hart, schwer, straff, scharf, heftig, fest, eisern, schlimm, handfest

severely: streng severest: strengste severity: Strenge, Härte,

Unerbittlichkeit, Schwierigkeit,

sexes: Geschlechter

shades: Schattiert, Häuche, Schimmern, Schatten

shadow: Schatten, Schemen, schattieren, Hirngespinst

shame: Scham, Schande, schade, Pfui

shapes: gestalten

sharp: scharf, herb, grell, schlau, schrill, schneidend, scharfsinnig, Kreuz, bündig, aufgeweckt, gerieben

shattered: zerschmettertest, zerschmettertet, zerschmetterten, zerschmettert, zerschmetterte, zerrüttet, zerschmetterd, zertrümmerd

sheep: Schaf, Schafe, Hammel shelter: Schutz, Asyl, Zuflucht, bergen, beschützen, Obdach, sich verstecken, Freistätte, Schirmdach, schirmen, Heim

sheriff: der Scheriff, Sheriff, der Sheriff, Friedensrichter shield: Schild, Abschirmung, abschirmen, Schirm

shine: leuchten, scheinen, glänzen, schein, schimmern, Glanz, strahlen, Schimmer, blinken, glühen

shingle: Schindel, Dachschindel,

shining: glänzend, strahlend, leuchtend, glimmend

ship: schiff, verladen, schiffen, versenden, spedieren, verlade, expedieren, verlädst, fortsenden, das Schiff, befördern

shipping: Verschiffung, Versand, Versendung, Schiffahrt, verladend ships: Schiffe, verlädt

shirt: Hemd, Bluse, Trikot, Oberhemd

shirts: Hemden

shock: Schock, schlag, erschüttern, Stoß, rütteln, Erschütterung, schütteln, Anstoß, schüttern, Anstoß erregen

shocked: schockiert, erschüttert shocking: schockierend, entsetzlich

smiles: Lächelt

shoes: Schuhe, Schuhwerk, Fußbekleidung shone: schien, geschienen shook: schütteltest, schütteltet, schüttelten, Schüttelte, erschüttertest, erschüttertet, erschütterten, Erschütterte, rütteltest, bebtet, shoot: schießen, schießt, schieße, Schößling, erschießen, Trieb, Sproß, Schuss, erschieße, feuern, erschießt shooting: schiessend, Schießen, Abschießen, erschießend, Abfeuern, Beschießung, Emporschießend shore: Ufer, Gestade, Küste, Strand, Bord, Träger, Stütze, Flußbett, Gestell shortened: verkürzte, verkürzt, verkürzten, kürztet, verkürztest, kürzte, gekürzt, verkürztet, kürztest, kürzten, abgekürzt shortest: kürzeste shouldered: geschultert shoulders: Schultern shouted: geschrieen shouts: schreit shovel: Schaufel, schaufeln, Schippe, Schüppe shrieks: kreischt shrill: schrill, grell, höllisch, schroff, gellend, anzüglich, eindringlich, durchdringend, scharf klingend shrouded: verschleiert, eingehüllt shunned: gemieden, mieden, miedest, mied, miedet shut: schließen, geschlossen, zumachen, verschließen, zu, verriegeln, abdichten, abschliessen, zusperren, isolieren, sperren shutting: Schließend sick: krank, übel, geschmacklos, makaber sickened: erkrankten, erkranktest, erkranktet, erkrankte, erkrankt sickly: kränklich, krank, blass, übel, ungesund, widerlich, schlecht, eklig, ekelhaft sickness: Krankheit, Übelkeit signal: Signal, Zeichen, signalisieren, Wink, Fingerzeig, anzeigen, Kennzeichen signed: unterzeichnet, gezeichnet silver: Silber, silbern, versilbern, silbrig, das Silber simplicity: Einfachheit, Bescheidenheit, Genügsamkeit sin: Sünde, Sündigen, Sich versündigen, gegen etwas verstoßen sincere: aufrichtig, ehrlich, ernst, wahrhaft, wahrhaftig, rechtschaffen, offen, feierlich, ernsthaft, gemeint

sincerely: aufrichtig, ergebenst

sincerity: Aufrichtigkeit, Herzlichkeit, Wohlgemeintheit sing: singen, singe, singst, singt singer: Sänger, Kantor, Liedermacher, Berufssänger singing: singend, Gesang, Singen, Pfeifen singular: Einzahl, Einzigartig, singulär, in der Einzahl, einmalig, Singular singularly: einzigartig sink: sinken, Spülbecken, Ausguss, senken, versenken, untergehen, versinken, einsinken, Waschtisch, Waschbecken, untertauchen sinners: Sünder sip: Schlürfen, Nippen, Schlückchen, langsam zu sich nehmen, einsaugen, schluckweise trinken, einschlürfen, aufsaugen sires: Vorfahren sisters: Schwestern, Schwesterchen situated: gelegen, befindlich, situiert, stellte hin, stellten hin, gestellt, hingestellt, stelltet hin, stelltest hin sixteen: sechzehn sixty: sechzig skeptics: Skeptiker skilful: geschickt, gewandt, geübt, gekonnt skull: Schädel, Totenkopf, Kopf sky: Himmel slash: Schrägstrich, Hieb, aufschlitzen, Schnitt, Abschlag slashing: schlitzend, das Aufschlitzen, das Schlichten, der Abbau, die Kürzung, schlichten, hauen slat: Latte, Lamelle slaughterhouse: Schlachthof, Schlachthaus, Schlächterei slave: Sklave, Sklavin, Knecht, Dienstsklave, Leibeigene slaveholder: Sklavenhalter slavery: Sklaverei, Sklavenarbeit, Knechtschaft, Sklavenleben slaves: Sklaven, Dienstknechte, Leibeigene slave-trade: Menschenhandel, Sklavenhandel sleek: geschmeidig, glatt sleeping: schlafend sleepless: schlaflos sleeves: Ärmel sloop: Schaluppe, Slup slow: langsam, träge, verlangsamen slumbering: schlummernd smallest: kleinste, geringst, geringste, allergeringst, kleinst smart: schlau, klug, pfiffig, gewitzt, gerieben, clever, flott, verschmitzt, gewiegt, glatt, listig smartest: am elegantesten

smite: befallen, schlagt, schlägst, schlagen, schlage, befällst, befalle, smooth: glatt, glätten, eben, flach, ebnen, geschmeidig, ausbügeln, ausgleichen, ausstreichen, bügeln, smoothly: reibungslos, glatt, weich snake: Schlange, die Schlange snakes: schlangen, Reptilienkunde, Schlangentierkunde snatch: greifen, einstecken, wegrücken, wegreißen, Verreißen des Lenkrades, abhandenmachen snatched: gegriffen snow: Schnee, Schneien, der Schnee sober: nüchtern, dienstlich, sachlich, objektiv, mäßig, geschäftlich, ernüchtern, abstinent soberly: nüchtern sod: Sode, Plagge, Rasen, Rasenplagge, Rasenstück, Grassode soil: Boden, Beschmutzen, Erde, Beflecken, Flecken, Sudeln, Erdboden, Grund, Besudeln, kleksen, verunreinigen sole: sohle, Seezunge, einzig, alleinig, Fußsohle, besohlen, Schuhsohle, allein, bloß solely: nur, allein, einzig, einzig und allein, bloß, nur weil solemn: feierlich, festlich, ernst, erhaben, herrschaftlich, würdig, würdevoll, stattlich, vornehm, königlich, hocherhaben solemnity: Feierlichkeit solemnly: festlich, ernst, feierlich soliloquizing: Selbstgespräch führend somehow: irgendwie, einigermaßen somewhat: etwas, ein wenig, ein bisschen, einigermaßen, ziemlich, halbwegs song: Lied, Gesang, Melodie, Liedchen, Gesänge, Ballade songs: Lieder sons: Söhne soothing: beruhigend, mildernd, besänftigend, lindernd, beschwichtigend sore: weh, wund, Wunde, Geschwür, wutentbrannt, Übel, schlimm, enziindet sores: Wunden

sorrow: Kummer, Sorge, Betrübnis,

sorrows: Kummer, Schmerzen,

sought: suchtet, suchtest, suchten,

Sorgen

gesucht, suchte

soul: Seele, Gemüt

144 souls: Seelen sounds: Geräuschen, Klangen, southern: südlich, süd, südländisch southward: südwärts, nach Süden, spaces: Zwischenräume, Räume, Leerfelder spare: verschonen, sparen, Ersatzteil, übrig, schonen, Ersatz, ersparen, nachsichtig sein, sparsam, achten, erübrigen sparingly: sparsam spark: Funke, Funken, Fünkchen speaking: Sprechend, Redend specimen: Probe, Muster, Exemplar, Probestück, Exempel, Entwurf, Spezimen, Modell, Beispiel specimens: Exemplare specious: blendend, fadenscheinig spectacle: Schauspiel, Spektakel, Bühne, Podium, Schaubühne speeches: Reden speedy: schnell, baldig, geschwind, flott, hurtig, rasch, zügig spell: buchstabieren, Zauber, Bann, richtig schreiben, Zauberspruch spelling: Rechtschreibung, Schreibweise, Orthographie, Buchstabieren spending: ausgebend, Verbringend, Ausgeben, Aufwendend, zubringend spies: Schnüffler, Spione spirited: temperamentvoll, mutig, lebendig spirits: Spirituosen, Gebräu, Schnaps, Schnapps, Branntwein, Geister, Getränk, Spirituose, Sprit, Alkohol spite: Boshaftigkeit splendid: großartig, prächtig, herrlich, glänzend, hervorragend, eindrucksvoll, gigantisch, gewaltig, erprobt, glorreich, enorm spoil: verderben, beschädigen, verpfuschen, verwöhnen, verseuchen, verschlimmern, verschlechtern, Schaden zufügen, verpesten, etwas beschädigen, pfuschen spoiled: verdorben, verwöhnt spoiler: Vergeuder spoken: gesprochen, gesagt spoons: Löffel sports: Sport, Sportarten spot: Fleck, Punkt, Stelle, Flecken, Platz, Klecks, Stätte, beflecken, Ort, Werbespot, Tupf sprang: gesprungen, sprang,

herstammen von, springen

riesig, sich der Länge nach

sprawling: ausbreitend, ausstreckend,

Frederick Douglass hinstreckend, Ausgebreitet spreading: Ausbreitung, Verbreitung, Güterverteilung, Distribution, Verteilung, Zwangsbewirtschaftung sprightly: lebhaft, munter spring: Feder, Frühling, Quelle, springen, Frühjahr, Sprung, Lenz, Born, Triebfeder, federn springing: Federung stable: Stall, stabil, dauerhaft, fest, Pferdestall, feststehend, Rennstall, beständig, firm, widerstandsfähig, stagger: schwanken, wanken, verblüffen, erstaunen, wankelen, verdutzen staggered: gestaffelt, gewankt, erstaunt staid: gesetzt, ruhig, seriös, nüchtern, mäßig, ernsthaft, ernst, abstinent stained: befleckt, fleckig, unsauber, beschmutzt, gefleckt stake: Pfahl, Pfosten, Scheiterhaufen, Anteil, Pflock, Zaunpfahl, Staken, Staket, Stange, Pfeiler, Einsatz stamped: frankiert, gestempelt, abgestempelt, freigemacht stands: Gestelle, Standplätze star: Stern, Könner, der Stern starboard: Steuerbord stare: starren, anstarren, stieren, anglotzen startling: überraschend, aufschreckend, erstaunlich starvation: Verhungern, Hungern, Aushungerung starve: hungern, hungerst, hungere, verhungern, hungert, verhungre, verhungert, verhungerst, verhungere, verrenken, Hunger starved: hungerte, gehungert, hungertet, hungerten, hungertest, verhungertest, verhungerten, verhungerte, verhungert, verhungertet starves: hungert, verhungert statements: Sprüche, Aussprüche statesman: Staatsmann, Politiker stature: Statur, Gestalt, Wuchs, Erscheinen, Erscheinung, Figur statute: Satzung, Gesetz, Statut statutes: Satzungen staying: bleibend steadily: ständig, zuverlässig, ununterbrochen, stet steal: stehlen, entwenden, klauen, zurückbehalten, wegschnappen, wegnehmen, veruntreuen, verheimlichen, zurückhalten,

unterschlagen, sich aneignen

stealing: Stehlend

steals: stiehlt steamboat: Dampfschiff, Dampfer steered: gesteuert stepped: gestuft stereotype: Stereotyp, Schablone stereotyped: stereotyp, klichee stern: Heck, ernst, das Heck, streng stick: stock, kleben, Stab, stecken, stechen, hapern, leimen, festfahren, Stange, stocken, aussetzen sticks: stecken, zweig, taktstock, stück, stöcke, steuerknüppel, stechen, stange, rute, Reisig, stock stiff: Steif, starr, hart, schwierig, spröde, fest stiffen: steif werden, versteifen, erstarren, verstocken, versteinern, versteift, versteifst, versteife, verhärten, stillstehen, erfrieren stillness: Stille stimulate: anregen, rege an, regt an, regst an, regen an, stimulieren, stimuliere, stimulierst, stimuliert, anreizen, anspornen sting: stechen, Stachel, Stich, sticheln, stecken, strecken, stacheln, spritzen, verletzen, Pik, einstechen stings: sticht stinting: absparend stirred: gemischt, durchgerührt stirring: mitreißend stockings: Strümpfe, Seidenstrümpfen, nylon Strümpfe stolen: gestohlen, entfremdet stones: Steine stool: Hocker, Schemel, Stuhl, Taburett, Krücke, kleiner Hocker stooping: bückend store: Geschäft, Laden, aufbewahren, Speicher, lagern, speichern, Lager, ablegen, zurücklegen, bergen, Magazin stories: Geschichten storks: Störche storm: Sturm, stürmen, bestürmen, anstürmen, Unwetter, der Sturm stowed: verstaut, verstautet, verstautest, verstauten, verstaute stowing: verstauend, Stauung straightway: schnurstracks strain: Belastung, Anspannung, Spannung, anstrengen, anspannen, Dehnung, Bemühung, dehnen, Mühe, Mühewaltung, Verformung strangely: merkwürdig, seltsam stranger: Fremder, Fremdling, Fremde strangers: Fremde, Fremder, Unbekannter stratagem: List stratagems: Listen

stream: Bach, Strom, Strömung,

sunk: gesunken

sunrise: Sonnenaufgang

Strömen, Fluß, Fließendes Gewässer, Stream, Guß streets: Straßen stretched: gedehnt, ausgestreckt, aufgespannt strews: streut strict: streng, strikt, genau strictly: streng, genau strictness: Strenge, Genauigkeit strike: Streik, streiken, Streichen, schlagen, treffen, klopfen, indenAusstandtreten, imponieren, hauen, greifen, schlag striking: auffallend, eindrucksvoll, ungewöhnlich, schlagend, unverkennbar, prononciert, beachtenswert, hervorragend, plakativ, bemerkenswert, anschlagend strip: Streifen, Binde, Blende, Tafelschen, häuten, abdecken, Banderole, befreien, Streifchen stripes: Streifen, Striche stripped: entblößt stroke: Schlag, Strich, streicheln, Hub, Takt, Streich, Schlaganfall, Hieb, Infarkt, Liebkosen, Stoß strolled: gebummelt stronger: stärker strongest: kampfstärkste, stärkste strongly: stark strove: erstrebte, erstrebtet, kämpftet, kämpftest, kämpften, kämpfte, eiferte, erstrebten, erstrebtest, eifertet, eifertest struck: angeschlagen struggle: Kampf, ringen, kämpfen, sich sträuben, Schlacht, sich wehren, Auseinandersetzung, abwehren, Ringkampf, zappeln, Wettkampf struggled: gekämpft stubbornly: halsstarrig, bockig, eigensinnig, hartknäckig, hartnäckige, stur, hartnäckig stuffed: ausgestopft, gefüllt, vollgestopft, stopfst, voll stump: Stumpf, Stummel stumps: Stümpfe stung: gestochen stunned: betäubt, benommen, fassungslos, betäubtet, betäubten, betäubte, berauscht, betäubtest, apathisch, duselig, benebelt stunning: betäuben, atemberaubend, betäubend stupid: dumm, albern, blöde, blödsinnig, stumpfsinnig, blöd, lächerlich stupidity: Dummheit,

Stumpfsinnigkeit, Geistlosigkeit,

stupor: Benommenheit, Stupor

Einfältigkeit

subjected: unterwarf, ausgesetzt subjecting: unterwerfend sublime: erhaben, sublim sublimity: die Erhabenheit submitted: vorgeschlagen, eingereicht, abgegeben subscribe: unterzeichnen, unterzeichnet, unterzeichnest, unterzeichne, abonnieren, abonnierst, abonniert, abonniere, beisteuern subscriber: Abonnent, Teilnehmer, Bezieher, Abonnentin, Zeichner subsequent: folgend, nachfolgend, später, nachvolgend, nachstehend, kommend, anschließend subsided: sankst, sackten ein, klangt ab, sackte ab, sackte ein, sackten ab, sacktest ab, sacktest ein, sacktet ab, sacktet ein, klangst ab subsist: existierst, existiert, leben, lebst, lebt, existiere, existieren, lebe subversion: Untergrabung, der Umsturz, die Staatsgefährdung, die Subversion, Subversion, Subversions succeed: gelingen, gelingt, gelinge, gelingst, erfolg haben, folgen succeeded: gelangt, gelungen, gelangst, gelangen, gelang succor: Beistand, beistehen, die Hilfe, sudden: plötzlich, jäh, abrupt, unerwartet suffer: leiden, leide, leidet, leidest, ertragen, erleiden, dulden, erdulden, aushalten, schmachten, austragen suffered: litt, littst, littet, litten, gelitten suffering: leidend, Leiden sufferings: Leidet sufficiency: Zulänglichkeit sufficiently: genügend, genug, ausreichend, hinlänglich, ziemlich suit: Anzug, Kostüm, anpassen, Prozess, Gewand, fügen, Farbe, geziemen, klage, Sakkoanzug, Smoking suiting: Kleidsam, der Anzugsstoff sum: Summe, Betrag, Addition, Aneinanderreihung, Rechenaufgabe, Ergebnis summoned: aufgefordert summons: Vorladung, Aufforderung, Aufruf, Mahnung, Knöllchen, SchriftlicheAufforderung, Schriftliche Aufforderung, Schreiben, Ausrufen, Bußgeld sundays: Sonntag sunder: brechen

sundered: trennte

sung: Gesungen

sunset: Sonnenuntergang, Abendrot, Sonnenstand superintendent: Leiter, Inspektor superior: überlegen, höher, ausgezeichnet, hervorragend, Vorgesetzte, vorzüglich, oberer, sublim, Chef, übergeordnet, vortrefflich superiors: Überlegene, Vorgesetzte superstitious: abergläubisch supper: Abendessen, Souper, Abendmahl supporting: unterstützend, abstützend, stützend supposition: Annahme, Voraussetzung, Vermutung, Mutmaßung suppress: unterdrücken, unterdrückst, unterdrückt, unterdrücke, ersticken, nicht erlauben, kleinkriegen, erpressen, erdrosseln, erwürgen suppressed: unterdrückt, unterdrücktet, unterdrücktest, unterdrückten, unterdrückte, niedergehalten surge: Stromstoß, wogen surpassed: übertrafst, übertrafen, übertraft, übertroffen, übertraf, übergeragt, ragte über, ragten über, ragtest über, ragtet über, überflügelte surprise: Überraschung, überraschen, überfallen, ertappen, Wunder, befremden, erwischen, etwas unerwartetes tun, Verwunderung, Aufsehen, Überrumpelung surprising: überraschend surround: umgeben, umgebe, umgebt, umgib, umgibst, umringen, umringe, umzingeln, umringt, umringst, umzingle surrounded: umgaben, umgabst, umgab, umgabt, umgeben, umrungen, umrangt, umrangst, umrangen, umrang, umzingeltest suspect: verdächtigen, argwöhnen, vermuten, Verdächtige, fehlerverdächtig, ahnen, bezweifeln suspected: vermutet suspects: vermutet suspended: aufgeschoben, suspendiertet, suspendiert, suspendierte, suspendierten, suspendiertest suspicion: Verdacht, Argwohn, Vermutung, Vorgefühl, Ahnung, Mißtrauen sustain: stützen, unterhalten,

aushalten, unterstützen, halten aus,

unterhaltet, stützt, stütze, unterhalte, stemmen, lehnen

sustained: anhaltend, nachhaltig, ausgehalten, unablässig, hieltet aus, hieltest aus, konstant, stütztet, stütztest, stützten, hielten aus sustains: hält aus, unterstützt,

unterhält, stützt

swallow: Schwalbe, schlucken, Rauchschwalbe, Schluck, wegschlucken, Bauernschwalbe, herunterschlucken, hinunterschlingen, hinunterschlucken, runterschlucken, schlingen

swamp: Sumpf

swamps: Sümpfe, Moraste swarm: Schwarm, schwärmen, wimmeln. Gewimmel, schwirren

swarms: Schwärme

sway: schwingen, schwanken, wiegen, schwenken, schlingern, wanken, taumeln, schlingen, schleudern, schlenkern, pendeln

swear: schwören, schwöre, schwörst, schwört, fluchen, beeidigen, beschwören, flucht, beeidigt, beeidige, fluche

swearer: Fluchende, Fluchenden swearing: schwörend, fluchend, Beeidigung, beeidigend, Krönung, feierliche Einsetzung, Vereidigung

sweat: Schweiß, schwitzen sweep: fegen, kehren, Schwung, wischen, Zeitablenkung, abkehren, abseifen, abwischen, wegfegen

sweeps: flügel

sweet: süß, Bonbon, herzig, süßschmeckend, Nachtisch, Dessert,

sweetened: süßten, gesüßt, süßte, süßtest, süßtet, zuckerte, zuckerten, zuckertest, zuckertet, gezuckert, versüßt

sweetest: Schatz, Liebling, Liebe, Liebchen, Lieb, Geliebte, Schätzchen, Herzchen, Liebste

swim: schwimmen, schwimmt, schwimmst, schwimme

swimming: schwimmend, schwimmen, Schwimmsport

swine: Schwein

swing: schwingen, Schaukel, schaukeln, schlingen, schlingern, schwenken, Schwung, die Schaukel, balanzieren, Ausschlag

swings: schaukeln

switch: Schalter, weiche, schalten, umschalten, Gerte, Umschalter, wechseln, Rute, Wechsel, Ersatzspieler, Reservespieler switches: Schalter, Schlaaterr

swollen: geschwollen, angeschwollen, aufgedunsen, verschwollen

swore: schwurst, schwur, schwurt, schwuren, schwor, fluchtet, fluchtest, fluchten, fluchte, beeidigtet, beeidigten

sympathies: Sympathien

sympathize: mitfühlen, fühlt mit, einfühlen, einleben, fühle mit, fühlen, fühlen mit, fühlst mit, sympathisieren, mitleben, mitempfinden

sympathized: mitgefühlt, fühltest mit, fühlten mit, gemeinschaftlich, fühltet mit, fühlte mit, gemeinsam

sympathy: Sympathie, Mitleid, Anteilnahme, Mitgefühl

synagogues: Synagogen tale: Erzählung, Geschichte

talents: Begabungen tales: Geschichten

talked: redetet, redetest, geredet, redeten, redete, sprach

tame: zähmen, zahm, bändigen, dressieren, abrichten, einreiten, bezähmen

tamed: gezähmt

tar: Teer, teeren

tarring: teerend, mit Teer einschmieren, Teeren

taste: Geschmack, kosten, schmecken, probieren, abschmecken, Geschmackempfindung, testen,

taught: lehrtet, gelehrt, lehrten, lehrte, lehrtest, unterrichtet, unterrichtete, unterrichteten, unterrichtetest, unterrichtetet, belehrt

taunting: stichelnd, verspottend, verspotten, Spott, Hohn, spottend

teach: lehren, lehrt, lehrst, Lehre, unterrichten, unterrichtet, unterrichte, unterrichtest, belehren, belehre, belehrst

teaching: Lehrend, unterrichtend, belehrend, instruierend,

unterweisend, Beibringend, Lehren teams: Mannschaften

tear: zerreißen, Träne, einreißen, zerren, reißen, Riss, aufreißen, zupfen, zerlegen, zerfetzen, tränen

tearful: tränenreich, weinerlich, tränenvoll

tearing: Zeilenreißen, Zerreißen, durchreißend

tears: Tränen

tedious: langweilig, ermüdend, nicht abgelenkt, öde, nerven, geisttötend, fade, geistlos

telling: erzählend, befehlend, Erzählen, berichtend, sagend temper: Stimmung, härten, Laune, hart machen, abhärten, Humor, Temperament, stählen

tempers: Gemüter, Launen temptation: Versuchung, Prüfung,

Verlockung, Anziehung, Verführung, Experiment, Erprobung, Eroberung, Verleitung

tempted: versuchte, versuchten, versuchtest, versuchtet, versucht

tendency: Tendenz, Neigung, Absicht, Sinn, Lust, Inklination, Stimmung, Einstellung, Geneigtheit,

tender: zart, Angebot, weich, Verdingung, anbieten, Anerbieten, empfindlich, mürbe, präsentieren, Submission, sorgfältig

tenderhearted: weichherzig

tenderness: Zärtlichkeit, Weichheit, Zuneigung, Innigkeit, Zartheit, Sanftheit, Sanftmut

tenfold: zehnfach

tenthe zehnte

terrible: schrecklich, furchtbar, entsetzlich, gräßlich

terrified: erschrocken, zu Tode erschrocken, erschreckte, erschrakt, erschrakst, erschraken, erschrak, todesbang

terrify: erschrecken, erschrecke, erschreckt, erschrick, erschrickst, in Schrecken setzen, entsetzen verbreiten, entsetzen

terror: Schrecken, Schreck, Grauen, Entzetzen, Entsetzen

testament: Testament, Vermächtnis tested: geprüft, getestet

testify: bezeugen, bezeugt, bezeuge, bezeugst, beglaubigen, bescheinigen testimonial: Zeugnis

testimony: Zeugnis, Zeugenaussage, Testimonium, Attest, Zertifikat

tests: Prüfungen, Testet, Leistungsnachweis

thanks: Dank, Danke, dankt, Bedankt, Dankbrief, dankeschön

thanksgiving: Danksagung, Erntedankfest

theft: Diebstahl, Veruntreuung, Unterschlagung, Entwendung,

Entfremdung theirs: ihre, ihr, ihres, ihrer

thereby: dadurch, dabei thereof: davon

thick: Dick, dicht, geschlossen, stark, gedrängt

thicket: Dickicht, Gebüsch, Holz, Unterholz, Gestrüpp, Gesträuch,

Gehölz, Busch, Büsche thief: Dieb, Einbrecher

thieve: stehlen, stiehlst, stiehl, stehlt,

stehle

thine: dein thirsty: durstig

thither: dorthin, dahin, nach dort,

thoughtless: gedankenlos, rücksichtslos, unüberlegt, unbesonnen, leichtfertig, geistesabwesend, gedankenlosig, leichtsinnig, unbedachtsam, abwesend, waghalsig

thoughtlessness: Gedankenlosigkeit, Unüberlegtheit, Rücksichtslosigkeit

thoughts: Gedanken, Dachte

thousands: Tausende

threaten: bedrohen, bedroht, drohen, bedrohe, bedrohst, drohe, drohst, droht, bevorstehen, dräuhen

threatening: drohend, bedrohend, bedrohlich, schaudererregend, feindlich, furchterregend, brenzlig, gefährlich, geisterhaft,

schreckenerregend, gespensterhaft threats: Drohungen, Bedrohungen

threw: warf, geworfen

thrill: durchzucken, Nervenkitzel thrilling: spannend, aufregend,

durchdringend

throat: Kehle, Gurgel, Hals, Rachen throats: Kehlen, Abkehlen, Abstechen, Gurgeln

throbbing: klopfend throng: Gedränge

throw: werfen, Wurf, schleudern

throwing: Schmeißen thrown: geworfen thunders: donnert

thv: Dein

tidings: Neuigkeiten, Nachricht, Meldung, Neuigkeit, Bericht tie: Krawatte, Band, binden, Schlips,

verbinden, Binde, Verband, knüpfen, Knöpfe, Klotz am Bein, anschließen

tied: gebunden, verschnürte

ties: Bänder

tiger: Tiger, der Tiger, Tigerin till: Bis, Kasse, Geldkasten, Geldschublade, bis zu

tilled: bestellte

tilt: neigen, Neigung, Kippen, hinneigen

timber: Holz, Bauholz, Holzware, Nutzholz, holzig, hölzern, Holzwerk, holzartig, Gehölz

timid: zaghaft, befangen, schüchtern, Furchtsam, scheu, verlegen, bang, verschämt

tithe: der Zehnt, Zehnte

tobacco: Tabak, Kraut, Rauchtabak

toes: Zehen

toil: schleppen, sich fort schleppen tomb: Grab, Gruft, Grabmal, Grabgewölbe, Grabstätte, Gräber, Grabdenkmal, Grabstelle, Krypta, Friedhöfe, Sarkophag

tone: Ton, Tonus, Klang, Timbre, Klangfarbe

tones: Töne

tongue: Zunge, Sprache, die Zunge tools: Werkzeuge, Gerät, Werkzeug, Handwerkzeug

tore: Riss

torment: Qual, quälen, martern, peinigen, Marter, Quälung, Pein, Belästigung

torn: zerrissen, gerissen, riss, eingerissen

torture: Folter, martern, peinigen, Qual, Folterung, foltern, Tortur, Kasteiung, kasteien, verletzen, Peinigung

tortures: foltert, foltern touched: verletzt, berührt, angeschlagen

touching: ergreifend, rührend, herzzerreißend, herzergreifend, ergriffen, Anrühren, Treffen

tow: schleppen, Abschleppen, nachschleppen, nachziehen toward: zu, nach, gegen, in, an,

trace: Spur, Linie, Grundriss, durchzeichnen, erkunden, prüfen, nachspüren, nachprüfen, nachgehen, nachforschen, forschen

traced: nachgespürt traces: spuren

betreffs, bezüglich

trader: Händler, Unternehmer, Kaufmann

traders: Kaufmänner trafficker: Dealer, der Rauschgifthändler, Händler trait: Zug, Gesichtszug, Merkmal,

Eigenschaft traits: Eigenschaften, Züge,

Charakterzüge

trampling: Zertrampeln, Trampeln, Herumtrampeln, Getrampel tranquil: ruhig, gelassen, still, ruhige,

gemütlich

transaction: Geschäft, Transaktion, Verhandlung, Abwicklung, Vorgang, Geschäfte, Handel, Durchführung

transferable: übertragbar, abtretbar transformed: wandelte um,

umgewandelt, wandeltet um, wandeltest um, wandelten um, gestaltetet um, gestaltetest um, umgestaltet, gestalteten um, gestaltete um

travel: reisen, reist, Reise, fahren travelled: gereist

travelling: Umherreisend, Herumreisend, Reisend travels: reist, reisen

tray: Tablett, Ablage, Ablagekasten, Präsentierteller, Präsentierbrett, das Tablett

treacherous: heimtückisch. verräterisch, treulos, hinterlistig, trügerisch, wortbrüchig treasures: Schätze, Sammelt

treat: behandeln, Bewirtung, heilen, Rezeption, Speisung, traktieren, unterhandeln, Empfang, einladen auf, Leckerbissen, einen ausgeben

treated: behandelt, behandeld

treating: behandelnd

tremble: zittern, beben, zucken trembled: bangte, gezittert trembling: zitternd, Zittern, Erschütterung, Beben

trespass: Hausfriedensbruch trickery: Gaunerei, Trick, Kniff, Betrügerei, Ausflucht trifle: Kleinigkeit, Bagatelle,

Nebensache, Leckerei, Leckerbissen, Imbiß, Detail, Einzelheit

trigger: Auslöser, Abzug, auslösen, Drücker, Hahn, Abzug von eine Feuerwaffe, Trigger

trimming: Besatz, Beschneidung, Borte, Pflegend, Trimmen, Garnierung, Posament, Auflage, Tresse, Beschneiden

triumph: Triumph, Triumphieren, Sieg, siegen

troubled: gestört, beunruhigt, aufgewühlt, trüb, unruhig, trübe trough: Trog, Mulde, Wanne, Fortwährend, Ständig, Kontinuierlich

trousers: Hose, Pantalon, Hosen, Lange Hose, Beinkleider, Beinkleid truly: wirklich, wahrlich, wahrhaftig, wahrheitsgemäß, fürwahr, tatsächlich, aufrichtig

trump: Trumpf, Atout, übertrumpfen, abtrumpfen

trusty: treu, zuverlässig truthful: wahr, wahrhaft, wahrheitsgemäß, wahrheitsgetreu,

echt, wahrheitsliebend truths: Wahrheiten, Wirklichkeiten tub: Wanne, Zuber, Bottich, Bütte,

Kübel, Waschwanne, Gerichtsbehörde, Faß, Anwaltschaft,

tune: Melodie, Lied, stimmen, abstimmen, Weise, anpassen, Liedchen, adaptieren

turbid: trübe, trüb

turning: Drehend, kehrend, wendend, drechselnd, Drehen, umwendend, umdrehend, Schwenke, Schwenkungen, Gangbar, Drehung

turning-point: Wendepunkt,

Drehung twelfth: zwölfte twilight: Dämmor

twilight: Dämmerung, Zwielicht, Abenddämmerung, Dämmerlicht, Finsternis, Halbdunkel, Glühen, Flimmern

twins: Zwillinge, Zwilling, Zwillingspaar

twofold: zweifach, zweigliedrig, zweiteilig, doppelt, zweierlei tying: Zuknüpfend, Knüpfend tyrant: Tyrann, Wüterich, Despot tyrants: Despoten

unabated: unvermindert unaccountable: unerklärlich, unverantwortlich

unaccustomed: ungewohnt

unacquainted: nicht vertraut, unbekannt

unanimous: einmütig, einstimmig, einhellig, einig, gleichgestimmt, gemeinsam, gleichförmig, geschlossen, solidarisch, gemeinschaftlich

unarmed: unbewaffnet, waffenlos
unasked: ungebeten, ungefragt,
unaufgefordert

**unbending**: entspannend, unbeugsam, unbiegsam **unbounded**: unbegrenzt

unbroken: ungebrochen, ganz, ununterbrochen

uncle: Onkel, der Onkel uncleanness: Unreinheit

**uncommon**: ungewöhnlich, selten, verschieden

unconscious: unbewusst, Bewußtlos, besinnungslos, ohnmächtig uncover: abdecken, enthüllen, decke ab, decken ab, deckst ab, deckt ab, enthülle, enthüllst, enthüllt, entdecken, freilegen

uncultivated: unkultiviert, unbebaut undergo: erdulden, erleben, erduldet, erduldest, erdulde, erlebt, erlebst, erlebe

underground: unterirdisch, Untergrund, Untergrundbahn undersigned: unterzeichnet understood: verstandet, verstand, verstanden, verstandest, begriff, begrifft, begriffen, begriffst, erfaßtet, erfaßtest, erfaßten

undertake: unternehmen, unternimmst, unternehme, unternimm, unternehmt, sich bemühen, veranstalten, anfangen, sich anstrengen, beginnen, trachten

undertaking: unternehmend, Leichenbestattung, Unternehmen, Unternehmung, Betrieb, Übernahme, Verpflichtung

undertook: unternahm, unternahmen, unternahmst, unternahmt

underwent: erduldeten, erduldetest, erduldetet, erduldete, erlebte, erlebten, erlebtest, erlebtet

undone: offen, abgebunden, ungetan, unerledigt

undoubtedly: zweifellos, zweifelsohne, gewiß, sicher uneasy: unruhig, unbehaglich

unending: endlos

unexpected: unerwartet, unverhofft, unvorhergesehen, unvermutet, nichtverdächtig, plötzlich, unverdächtig, unversehens

unexpectedly: unerwartet, plötzlich, auf einmal, unvorhergesehen, unversehens, unvermutet, unverhofft, jählings

unexplained: unerklärt, ungeklärt unfairly: unfair

unfavorable: unvorteilhaft, ungünstig

unfeigned: echt, ungeheuchelt
unfit: ungeeignet, untauglich,
unfähig

unfold: entfalten, aufklappen, entfaltest, entfalte, entfaltet, auseinanderfalten, faltet auseinander, ausrollen, klappt auf, klappst auf, klappen auf

klappst auf, klappen auf unfortunate: Unglücklich, unglückliche, unglückselig, Schlucker, mißlich, Ärmste,

bedauerlich unfriendly: unfreundlich unfurl: entfalten

unhappiness: Elend, Unglück unhappy: unglücklich, unzufrieden, traurig

unhesitatingly: bereitwillig, unverzügliche, unverzüglich, ohne Zögern, ohne zu zögern, prompt

**unimpeachable**: unanfechtbar, unantastbar

unintentionally: unabsichtlich, ohne Absicht, unbeabsichtigt universal: universal, universell,

allgemeingültig, durchgängig universally: allgemein, allbekannt universe: Universum, Weltall, All, Gesamtheit, Weltraum

unjust: ungerecht

unknown: Unbekannt, fremd unlawful: ungesetzlich,

unrechtmäßig, illegal, gesetzwidrig, widerrechtlich, rechtswidrig, verboten, unzulässig

unlike: ungleich, verschieden, anders als, im Gegensatz zu unloading: Entladung, ausladend, Entladen, Ausladung, abladend, Löschung

unmanagaable: unhandlich, widerspenstig, widersetzlich, widerborstig, unregierbar, unlenkbar, störrisch, steuerlos, starrsinnig, schwer handhabbar unmannerly: ungezogen

unmeaning: nichts sagend, nichtssagend

unmoved: unbewegt, ungerührt
unnecessary: unnötig, überflüssig,
entbehrlich

**unpardonable**: unverzeihlich **unprepared**: unvorbereitet, improvisiert

**unpunished**: ungestraft, unbestraft, straflos

unrelenting: unerbittlich, eigenwillig, unnachgiebig, unbeugsam, trotzig, störrisch, starrköpfig, gnadenlos, eigensinnig, dickköpfig, unversöhnlich

unsafe: unsicher, gefährlich unscriptural: unbiblisch unshaken: unerschüttert unsuitable: unpassend, ungeeignet untimely: vorzeitig, verfrüht, ungelegen, frühzeitig

untiring: unermüdlich unto: zu

untried: unversucht, unerprobt
untrodden: unbetreten, nicht
zugänglich, unberührt

**untrue**: falsch, unwahr, grob, untreu, unfreundlich, unhöfflich

unused: unbenutzt, ungebraucht, ungewohnt, nicht genutzt, ungenutzt

**unutterable**: unaussprechlich, unsagbar

unwhipped: nicht geschlagen uppermost: höchste, höchst, hervorragendste, bedeutendste, oberste, äußerst, vornehmste upset: bestürzt, umstürzen,

umwerfen, durcheinanderbringen, umstoßen, Umsturz, unangenehm überrascht, kappen, fassungslos, erschüttert, erschreckt

**upward**: aufwärts, ansteigend, empor, steigend

urchins: Bengel

urge: drängen, Trieb, antreiben, pressieren, ermutigen, zusprechen, verbessern, stimulieren, reizen, Leidenschaftlichkeit, Leidenschaft urged: drängte, gedrängt

usefulness: Nützlichkeit, Brauchbarkeit, Nutzen, Profit, Gewinn, Sinn, Utilität, Verwendbarkeit, Anwendbarkeit,

Vorteil ushered: führte hinein utmost: äußerst, alleräußerste utter: äußerst, äußern, ausschließen, leibhaftig, aussondern utterance: Äußerung, Erklärung, Information, Bekanntgabe, Mitteilung uttering: äußerst utterly: absolut, völlig, verkehrt, schief, äußerst vacant: leer, unbesetzt, frei, leerstehend vague: undeutlich, vage, unbestimmt, verschwommen, unklar, halblaut, schattenhaft, grob, dunkel, dumpfig, dumpf vain: eitel, vergeblich, eingebildet, vergebens, hinfällig, nutzlos, leer valley: Tal, Niederung, Senke, Bergtal, Mulde, das Tal valuable: Wertvoll, teuer, wert, verdienstvoll, verdienstlich, lieb, kostbar, hold, gültig, edel, kostspielig valuation: Bewertung, Schätzung valued: bewertet, geschätzt vanished: verschwunden. verschwandet, verschwandest, verschwanden, verschwand veal: Kalbfleisch, Kalb, Kalbsfleisch vegetables: Gemüse, Blattgemüse vengeance: Rache venture: wagen, riskieren, Wagnis, sich trauen, sich wagen ventures: Risiken, Wagnisse veracity: Wahrhaftigkeit verily: wahrlich, wahrhaft, allerdings, das stimmt, in der Tat, wahrhaftig vessel: Gefäß, Schiff, Behälter, Besteck, Fahrzeug, Krug, Vase vessels: Schiffchen, Schiffe, Gefäße, Kähne, Geschirr, Dampfer vestige: Spur vice: Schraubstock, Untugend, Laster, Tugend, Klemmblock vices: Untugenden vicious: boshaft, bösartig, lasterhaft, hämisch, tückisch, heimtückisch, fehlerhaft, arglistig, arg victim: Opfer, Geschädigte, Dumme, Düpierte, Düpierter victims: Opfert viewed: angesehen, betrachten, gesehen, sah an vigilance: Wachsamkeit, Vigilanz vigilant: wachsam villages: Dörfer vindicate: rechtfertigen vindication: Rechtfertigung violent: heftig, gewalttätig, gewaltsam, stark, brutal, schwer,

stoppelig, wild, schlimm, störrisch, Gewähr, Ermächtigung, Warrant, verbürgen, sicherstellen, bürgen, schroff virtually: praktisch, fast, geradezu, Optionsschein, Lagerschein, haften nahezu washed: wuschest, gewaschen, wusch, wuscht, wuschen virtue: Tugend, Solidität, Biederkeit, washing: Waschend, Waschen, Bravheit Wäsche, Kleider, Kleidung virtuous: tugendhaft visible: sichtbar, erkennbar, spürbar, wasted: verschwendeten. merklich, zu sehen, ersichtlich, verschwendet, verschwendetest, augenscheinlich, bemerkbar, fühlbar verschwendete, verschwendetet, vision: Vision, Gesicht, Vorstellung, vergeudetet, vergeudetest, Sicht, Erscheinung, Erkennen, vergeudeten, vergeudete, vergeudet Erkenntnis, Einfälle, Einfall, watched: gewacht Erkennung, Gedanke watchful: wachsam visited: besuchtet, besuchtest, watchfulness: Wachsamkeit waters: Gewässer besuchten, besuchte, besucht, besichtigte, besichtigtet, besichtigten, waved: gewellt, winkte zu besichtigt, besichtigtest, suchte auf waves: Schwalle, Wellen vivid: lebhaft weakening: abschwächend, vividly: lebhaft erschlaffend, schwächend, vocation: Berufung, Beruf Schwächung, erlahmend, voices: Stimmen Abschwächen wealth: Reichtum, Vermögen, volumes: Jahrgänge voluntary: Freiwillig, Freiwilligkeit, Wohlstand, Pracht, Luxus Selbstlosigkeit wear: tragen, Abnutzung, Verschleiss, volunteer: Freiwilliger, Freiwillige, Kleidung, aufhaben Volontär, Anwärter, Praktikant weathers: Witterungen, Wetter weave: weben, Webart, wirken, votaries: Verehrer vow: Schwur, Gelübde, geloben Gewebe, Bindung wages: Lohn, Löhne, Gehalt, Gage, weaver: Weber, Spinnerin Arbeitslöhne, Salär weaving: Weben, Weberei waist: Taille, die Taille weekly: wöchentlich, Wochenzeitung, waiting: wartend, Bedienung, jede Woche, allwöchentlich abwartend, Warten, Dienst, weighed: wogen, wogt, gewogen, abwarten wog, wogst, wog ab, abgewogen, wake: wecken, aufwecken, wogst ab, wogt ab, wogen ab aufwachen, Kielwasser, erwachen, weightier: gewichtiger Totenwache, erwecken, Totenmesse, welcome: Willkommen, begrüßen, Wachtposten, Wache, Sog begrüßst, begrüße, begrüßt, willkommen heißen, Empfang, waked: wachen, gewacht wakefulness: Schlaflosigkeit erwünscht, Begrüßung, waken: wachst auf, weckt, weckst, bewillkommen, bewirten wecken, wecke, wacht, wachst, welfare: Sozialhilfe, Wohlfahrt, wachen auf, wache auf, wache, Fürsorge, Beistand, Wohlergehen, geweckt Unterstützung walking: Spazierend, Gehend, Gehen wet: nass, naß machen, feucht, walled: zugemauert, von Mauern anfeuchten, befeuchten umgeben, vermauerte wharf: Kai, Bahnsteig wallowing: schwelgen wharves: Kais, Anlegeplätze wanders: Wandert, irrt wheat: Weizen wanting: wollend, fehlend, wheel: Rad, Lenkrad, Scheibe, das wünschend Rad warehouses: Lagerhäuser, Depots, whence: woher Magazine whenever: wann auch immer, wann warmly: warm, herzlich immer, sooft, wann whereabouts: Aufenthaltsort, warn: warnen, warnt, warnst, warne, ermahnen zeitweiliger Aufenthaltsort warned: warntest, warnten, gewarnt, whereby: wodurch, womit, wobei warntet, warnte whichever: was immer, wasimmer, warning: Warnung, warnend, welch, welche, welches auch immer, Verwarnung irgendein warrant: Garantie, gewährleisten, whining: wimmernd, Quengelei,

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heulend whip: Peitsche, peitschen, quirlen, geißeln, Geißel, schlagen, kasteien, auspeitschen, Karbatsche, Reitpeitsche, stäupen whipped: gepeitscht whipping: peitschend whips: peitschen, peitscht whirl: wirbeln, sich drehen, kreiseln, quirlen, schwingen, Wirbel whisky: Whisky, Zweirädriger Wagen whisper: Flüstern, tuscheln, zischeln, säuseln, munkeln, Geflüster, lispeln whispered: geflüstert whites: das Weizenauszugsmehl, weiß, weiß Fluß wholesale: Großhandel, engros wholly: gänzlich, ganz, gar wicked: böse, boshaft, gemein, schlimm, verderbt, verlottert, vergammelt, verdorben, liederlich, niederträchtig widely: allgemein, weitgehend, weit, breit widest: weiteste widows: Witwen wielded: gehandhabt wields: handhabt wild: wild, verrückt, ausgelassen wildest: ungebärdigste willing: bereitwillig, Bereit, willig, gewillt, wollend, geneigt, einsatzbereit, gutwillig, klar, parat, wohlwollend willingly: bereitwillig, gern, gutwillig, zuvorkommend, wohlwollend, bereit winder: Spuler, Spule, Rolle wing: Flügel, Fittich, Tragfläche wings: Flügel winked: gezwinkert winning: gewinnend, siegreich, erringend, siegend, Gewinnung wipe: wischen, wische, wischt, wischst, abstreifen, streife ab, streifen ab, streifst ab, abwischen, streift ab wiped: wischtet, wischtest, gewischt, wischte, wischten, streiftet ab, abgestreift, streiften ab, streifte ab, streiftest ab wise: weise, klug, gescheit wished: gewünscht wishes: wünsche wishing: Wünschend wit: Geist, Verstand, Witz withheld: enthielt vor, vorenthalten, enthieltet vor, enthielten vor, enthieltest vor withholds: enthält vor witness: Zeuge, bezeugen,

mitmachen, vorzeigen, zeigen, zeugen von, Zeugnis witnessed: bezeugte witnesses: zeugen, bezeugt witnessing: bezeugend witty: witzig, geistreich, sinnreich wives: Frauen, Ehefrauen woe: Wehe, Weh wonder: Wunder, Verwunderung, staunen, sich wundern, sich fragen, erstaunen, verwundern, Aufsehen wonderful: wunderbar, wundervoll, fabelhaft, herrlich, großartig, einmalig, entzückend, ergreifend, famos, genial, phantastisch wonderfully: wundervoll, wunderbar wooden: hölzern woods: Wald, Forst wool: Wolle, die Wolle wore: trug workmen: Arbeiter worn: abgetragen, getragen, abgegriffen, vertreten, abgenutzt, abgewetzt worshipper: Verehrer, Kirchgänger, Anbeter worst: schlechteste, schlimmste, am schlimmsten worthy: Würdig, bieder, ehrenwert, wound: wunde, verwunden, verletzen, Verletzung, Verwundung, kränken, düpieren wounded: Verwundet, angeschossen, wund, getroffen, verletzt, verwundete wrath: Zorn, Wut, Erbitterung, Grimm, Gram wrestling: Ringen, Ringkampf wretch: Schmierfink, Ferkel, Schmutzfink wretched: elend, erbärmlich, jämmerlich, miserabel, unglücklich, jämmerliche, erbärmliche, elende wretchedness: Elend, Dürftigkeit, Armseligkeit, das Elend wrinkled: gerunzelt, faltig, runzlig, runzelig, geriffelt, genarbt, gefurcht, gefaltet, gekreuzelt writer: Schriftsteller, Schreiber, Verfasser, Autor, Schriftstellerin, Texter, Autorin, Dichterin writhed: gekrümmt, gezappelt, krümmte sich, zappelte, zappelten, zappeltest, zappeltet wrongfully: unrechtmäßig, zu Unrecht wrongs: Falsch yard: Hof, Yard, Hofraum, Lagerplatz, Werft, Bahnhofsgelände

vards: Höfe

ve: ihr, sie, du, euch vea: ja yearly: jährlich, alljährlich vellow: gelb, vergilben, Eigelb voke: Joch, Passe, Paare, Schulterstück, Eidotter, Dotter, Gespänne yoked: paarte yonder: jener, dort drüben, dahin, nach dort, dort, die, derjenige, hierhin, das, dorthin, da younger: jünger youngest: jüngst, geringst yours: euer, ihr, die deine, der Ihre, der euere, der deine, das deine, ihre, vourselves: sich youth: Jugend, Jüngling, Jugendliche, JungenLeute youthful: jugendlich, jung