

## Vocabulary Building: From the Text

### Chapters 8-11

*Directions: In the sentences below, the vocabulary words from the text have been underlined.*

*Under each sentence are four choices of definitions. Write the letter of the correct choice in the space to the left.*

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. "But she counted and counted till she got that addled she'd start to count in the basket for a spoon sometimes; and so three times they come out right, and three times they come out wrong."

- a. fake, not real
- b. denied
- c. glum
- d. confused

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. "Poor William, afflicted as he is, his heart's aluz right."

- a. colorful
- b. inventive
- c. troubled
- d. humble

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. "But I reckoned that with her disposition she was having a better time in the graveyard."

- a. temperament
- b. fortune
- c. search
- d. handicap

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. "Yes, it was mortification-that was it. He turned blue all over, and died in the hope of a glorious resurrection."

- a. sense of grandeur
- b. humiliation
- c. pride
- d. fear

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. "I ransacked it, but couldn't find anything else."

- a. to hide
- b. to tear in pieces
- c. quickly searched through
- d. to read calmly

\_\_\_\_\_ 6. "We got to have a rock for the coat of arms and mournful inscriptions, and we can kill two birds with that same rock."

- a. somber
- b. proud
- c. tiresome
- d. great

\_\_\_\_\_ 7. "She kept a-raging right along, running her insurrection all by herself, and everybody else mighty meek and quiet; and at last Uncle Silas, looking kind of foolish, fishes up that spoon out of his pocket."

- a. boldness
- b. thoughts
- c. revolt
- d. company

\_\_\_\_\_ 8. "My land!" she says, breaking in and jumping for him, "You impudent young rascal, to fool a body so..."

- a. foolish
- b. holy
- c. bold
- d. shy