Sample Vocabulary Words from "The Most Dangerous Game"

He heard it again; then it was cut short by another noise, crisp, staccato.

They were eating borsch, the rich, red soup with whipped cream so dear to Russian **palates**.

The general laughed with entire good nature. He regarded Rainsford quizzically. "I refuse to believe that so modern and civilized a young man as you seem to **harbor** romantic ideas about the value of human life. Surely your experiences in the war--"

If my **quarry** eludes me for three whole days, he wins the game.

...he heard, far off in the jungle, the faint **report** of a pistol.

Your strength and stamina against mine.

Then he **cowered** back.