What do you think Rip Van Winkle would see if he woke up 60 years from today? What do you think the future will be 200 years from now? What do you think the future will be 2000 years from now? What do you think the future will be 800,000 years from now? What do you think humans will look and be like then? You can also draw a picture showing how they would look

The first novel we will read is the *Time Machine* by H.G. Wells.

What occurs in Chapter One?

Some characters in Chapter One:

Narrator Filby Psychologist Time Traveler Provincial Mayor Medical Man Very Young Man

Below are some of the vocabulary words found in Chapter One:

recondite patents embraced caressed trammels precision earnestness paradox fecundity controvert misconception universally geometry pensive proceeded extension direction infirmity dimensions consciousness intermittently spasmodic extensively accession philosophical expounding introspective

mystic transitory portrait unalterable assimilation diagram barometer mercury inequalities vertical immaterial germ absent-minded savage gravitation accelerate argument investigations vague inkling indifferently determines experimental verification remarkably convenient society communistic extravagant brain-weary humbug trousers shuffling laboratory sleight-of-hand trick conjurer preface anecdote collapsed glittering metallic framework delicately transparent crystalline explicit unaccountable octagonal scattered hearthrug mechanism mantel sconces

illuminated apparatus model askew appearance lever saddle vanish quack interminable voyage absolutely indistinct reminiscence unhinged indicated interval visible objections paradox spoke of a wheel plausible vacant draughty corridor silhouette incredulous quartz

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