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Quarter Two Vocabulary List

1. **troublesome** – causing trouble
2. **shuffle** – to walk by dragging the feet
3. **burrow** – a hole dug in the ground, as by a rabbit, for shelter
4. **fell** – to cut down; chop
5. **yield** – to give forth; produce
6. **avalanche** – the swift, sudden fall of a mass of snow, ice, earth, or rocks down a mountain slope
7. **register** – to show or record, as on a scale; indicate
8. **relieve** – to remove or make easier to bear; lessen; reduce
9. **proclaim** – to declare publicly; announce
10. **champion** – one who fights or speaks for another person; one who defends a cause; hero
11. **traitor** – one who betrays one's country
12. **acquire** – to get or have as one's own
13. **drone** – a steady, low, humming sound
14. **instinctively** – in a way that comes naturally
15. **savor** – to take great delight in
16. **hesitantly** – in a way that shows one is undecided or fearful
17. **sulking** – silent and unfriendly; bad-tempered
18. **resigned** – accepting or giving in unhappily but without resistance or complaint
19. **inscription** – something that is written, marked, or carved on a surface
20. **sharecropper** – a farmer who farms land owned by someone else and shares the crop or the proceeds from its sale with the landowner