“The Interlopers” by Saki

VOCABULARY
Give the part of speech and definition. Locate the word in the short story and underline or highlight it.

1. Keen (________)
2. Precipitous (________)
3. Petty (________)
4. Dispossessed (________)
5. Ambush (________)
6. Marauders (________)
7. Medley (________)
8. Condolences (________)
9. Languor (________)
10. Succor (________)

Reading Questions
1. How did the Gradwitzes receive all the land they have? _____________________________________________

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2. Why do Ulrich von Gradwitz and Georg Znaeym not get along? _____________________________________________

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3. What is Ulrich von Gradwitz hunting in the story? _____________________________________________

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4. What was Ulrich von Gradwitz’s wish when he wandered away from his crew? _________________________

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5. What happened once Ulrich von Gradwitz and George Znaeym meet in the forest? _________________________

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6. How do the two men behave once they are stuck? _____________________________________________

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7. What makes Gradwitz start to behave differently? _____________________________________________

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8. What happens to them at the end? _____________________________________________

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