



What does “infer” mean? _____

(If you don’t remember, check chapter 2 in this notebook!)

In the card game poker, players use chips to represent how much money they are betting. The blue chips are worth the most. Arnold talks about “blue chip stocks.” Given what you know about poker, infer what blue chip stocks are. Blue chip stock are _____.

What is an idiom? An idiom is _____.

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Several idioms are used in this chapter. Use context clues to infer what they mean.

Idiom	Meaning
“I’m still with you.”	
“word got out”	
“gone past my knowledge envelope”	
“let me get this straight”	
“the company went belly up”	

Arnold remarks,

“I don’t like these things because they give the wrong impression of the stock market.”

He also observes,

“...this kind of growth is unprecedented.”

What is he trying to tell L.B.? _____

Analyze the title of the chapter. “Dramatic” means _____.

Economic means about _____. Expansion means _____.

Rewrite the title using easier words: “The Causes and Effects of _____
_____. Paulsen chose this title because in this chapter what happens? _____

PREDICT

How many of your predictions for this chapter were correct? ____

What do you think will happen in the next chapter?

- 1) I predict _____ because _____.
- 2) I predict _____ because _____.
- 3) I predict _____ because _____.