

SUPPLEMENTARY-LESSON -3

THE SHEPHERD'S TREASURE

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS(write it in your literature copy)

Q1. The shepherd hadn't been to school because—(four options are there i am just writing the correct answer)

Ans-1. There were very few schools in those days.

Q2. Who visited the shepherd one day, and why?

Ans-2. The king of that country visited the shepherd one day because he was famous for wisdom and friendly nature. The king heard about him and thought of meeting him to know the truth.

Q3. Why did the other governor grow jealous of the shepherd?

Ans-3 The common shepherd was appointed as the governor of a small district. He was very honest and hard working. So he was loved and honoured by the people. His fame spread all around the country. That is why the other governor grew jealous of the shepherd.

Q4. Why was the new governor called to the palace?

Ans-4 The jealous governors poisoned the king's ears against the new shepherd- governor. They reported that the new governor was dishonest and he always carried his ill gotten treasure in an iron chest. So the king called him to the palace to see that treasure.

Q5. Why was everyone delighted to see the iron chest on the camel's back?

Ans-5 Those who were present in the palace, thought that the iron box contained valuables. If their report proved true, the King would dismiss the shepherd. So they were delighted. They waited anxiously to see the contents of the box.

Q6(i) What did the iron chest contain?

Ans-(i) The iron chest contain an old blanket.

Q6(ii) Why did the shepherd always carry it?

Ans-(ii) The shepherd always carried his blanket in the box because it was his oldest friend. It would protect him in case the king took away his post and powers.

Q6(iii) Is it an example of the shepherd's humanity or wisdom or both?

Ans-(iii) Yes, it is an example of the shepherd's humanity as well as wisdom.

Q7. How did the king reward the new governor?

Ans-7 The king rewarded him with a promotion . He made him the governor of much bigger province the same day.

SUPPLEMENTARY LESSON -4

THE OLD CLOCK SHOP

Q1. What made Ray think the visitor was not really a shopper?

Ans-1. Ray was deaf and dumb but he was having a sense of good judgement of person. There was no friendliness in the man's eyes . His experience with the customers made him realised that the new visitor was not shopper or customer.

Q2. Why did you think he had come to the shop?

Ans-2. The visitor had not come to the shop to buy anything. Their intention was to get money as they were in serious need of money.

Q3. How did Ray communicated with him?

Ans-3. Ray could neither speak nor hear. So he communicated with his customer by writing his message on a notepad. The visitor also wrote his reply on paper.

Q4. What do you think the man said to his friend who waited at the door?

Ans-4. The older man pointed to his ears and shook his head from side to side. Thus he conveyed to his younger companion that the shop owner could neither hear nor speak.

Q5. Ray was not a pawnbroker. Why then did he lend money to people in exchange for their old watches and clocks?

Ans-5. Ray was not a pawnbroker but he used to lend money to people in exchange for their old watches and clocks because he was a person with kind and helpful nature. He could not refuse to help a needy.

Q6. “ The watch was nothing and yet had great powers.” In what sense did it have great powers?

Ans-6. The watch was just ordinary but it had powers to put a person out of a bad situation. The older man got the money he needed without hurting Ray. The generous shopkeeper also escaped physical injury. In this sense the watch has great powers .

Q7. Do you think the man would ever come back to pick up the watch?

Ans-7. No, it is very unlikely that the older man would ever come back to pick up his watch. He had, after all, got a price higher than the watch was worth for.

Q8. When did “the unfriendly face” of the visitor turn truly friendly?

Ans-8. The unfriendly face of the visitor turned friendly when he got a fifty dollar note for his ordinary watch. He felt obliged and happy.