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Class - VI Subject - English Topic - Dinner by Moonlight

A. RTC-

- 1. The boys' host was Black Hat, a one-eyed man.
- The boys felt that their host was loyal to his hat because he never took it off.
 He didn't take it off even if it rained or snowed, or whether he was outdoors or
 indoors.
- 3. Black Hat got the scar from a tiger, who clawed out his eye, on the trail down to Hanol. He was trying to save the magistrate from the tiger when he was attacked by it. He climbed the tree and waited till the tiger was gone and it was safe to come down.

B. Answer the following questions briefly-

- 1. Black Hat was a young forest guard before he became the caretaker of the rest house.
- 2. Black Hat was wearing the angrezi magistrate's hat.
- 3. The magistrate was killed by a tiger on the trail down to Hanol. The tiger came out of the bushes, very fast, very silent, and pounced upon the magistrate, carrying him off with it.
- 4. The forest guards could not save the sahib because they did not have any guns, and one can't chase an angry tiger with a walking stick. They waited until they thought it was safe and then went for help. They found the magistrate the next day —not much was left of him.
- 5. The hyena was the most patient of all the animals that had gathered. It appeared to have a special relationship with Black Hat and waited patiently, laughing now and then, confident that some titbit would come its way.
- 6. The boys were trekking on their way to Witch Mountain, a peak in the Kumaon Hills close to Chakrata.