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NOTES

Class - VII

Subject - English

Topic – What Katy did

A. 1.

- a) Cousin Helen said these words to Katy.
- b) The class being referred to here is that of the lesson of Hopefulness.
- c) The sun is the teacher of the class.
- d) Cousin Helen mentions the Sun as a teacher of hopefulness because she wanted Katy to roll up the blinds in her room that she kept shut tight.

2.

- a) Katy said this to Cousin Helen.
- b) Katy referred to her sickly surroundings as horrid.
- c) It was horrid because the room looked dismal with the chairs set up against the wall and a row of medicine-bottles on the chimney-piece. Moreover, Katy wore a dressing gown which was particularly ugly in pattern, and she looked quite forlorn.

B.

- 1. Clover and Cecy did not mind much at being kept away from Katy's room because her room was very gloomy, and she remained ill-tempered most of the time.
- 2. Cousin Helen noticed that Katy's face had grown thin and her eyes had red circles around them from continual crying. Her hair was looking like a frowzy bush because she had run her fingers impatiently through it. She was in a calico dressing gown which, though clean, was particularly ugly in pattern. The room had a dismal look even though it was tidy, with chairs set up against the wall and a row of medicine-bottles on the chimney-piece.

3. Katy wanted to study, help people, and become famous. She wanted to teach the children of the house, Clover and Cecy, and take care of them.