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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.