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NOTES

Class - VIII

Subject - English

Topic - The Strategist

Q1.RTS-

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a) The elder Wrotsley spoke these words.

b) We refer to the boys in the team.

c) They would have to go back to the library to deliberate and choose another word for the girls to guess.

2.

a)The other girls said this.

b) This was said when Agnes suggested that it was the girls' turn to go out and decide.

c) Agnes offered the solution to the problem.

di Agnies suggested that four girls, including her, would go out.

Q2. Answer the following questions briefly-

1.The children did not enjoy the game because it was unexciting. The boys did not know how to play the game properly. They tried to cheat, which annoyed the girls. They felt relieved and eagerly stopped the game when Mrs Jallatt announced refreshments.

2. Dolores needed very little encouragement to start reciting Locksley Hall, a very long poem. She may have recited the poem in a poor manner. On one occasion, her audience left the room when she recited the first line However, since they would be expected to behave with courtesy

and good manners, they would have to listen to her boring recitation, which is why they panicked at the thought that she would be asked to recite.

3. Rollo had seen the Wrotsley brothers take more than their share of peaches, so he offered to take out fruit from some of them.

4. Rollic winked at the Wrotsley boys because he had found a way to get the girls engrossed in searching for chocolates that were not there.

5. Rollic probably did not enjoy the party because he found the games boring and was looking for an excuse to leave the party. He did not get along with the Wrotsley brothers, and particularly disliked their cousin who was also present at the party. Jack, who he considered to be his supporter, also did not attend the party.