

BVP LKR

CLASS – 10,SUBJECT-ENGLISH

DATE-20/05/2021,Tea.- L.P.SINGH

‘His First Flight’ has been completed. From this chapter some extracts are being given. Read the given extracts carefully and answer the questions that follow----

(A)

He had, in fact, seen his older brother catch his first herring and devour it, standing on a rock, while his parents circled around raising a proud cackle. And all the morning the whole family had walked about on the big plateau midway down the opposite cliff taunting him with his cowardice.

- 1.What was the achievement of his older brother?**
- 2.Who was ‘he’ and why was he being taunted?**
- 3.Pick out the word from the passage similar in meaning to swallow.**
- 4. Why and how were the parents appreciating?**

(B)

He dropped his legs to stand on the green sea. His legs sank into it. He screamed with fright and attempted to rise again flapping his wings. But he was tired and weak with hunger and he could not rise, exhausted by the strange exercise. His feet

sank into the green sea, and then his belly touched it and he sank no farther. He was floating on it, and around him his family was screaming, praising him and their beaks were offering him scraps of dog fish.

1. Why did he scream with fright?

2. Why could he not rise?

3. Which word in the passage means the same as 'small pieces'?

4. Why and how was his family praising ?