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Lesson 3

THE STORY OF MY EXPERIMENTS WITH TRUTH

I must have been about seven when my father left Porbandandar for Rajkot to become a member of Rajastahnik Court. There I was put into a primary school, and I can well recollect those days, including the names and other particular of the teachers who taught me.

As at Porbandar, so here, there is hardly anything to note about my studies. I could only have been a medicore student. From this school I went to suburban school and thence to the high school, having already reached my twelfth year. I do not remember having ever told a lie, during this short period, either to my teachers or my classmates; i used to be very shy and avoided all company. My books and lessons were my sole companions. to be at school at the stroke of the hour and to run back home as soon as the school closed-- that was my daily habit. I literally ran back, because I could not bear anyone should poke fun at home.

There is an incident which occurred at the examination during my first year at the high school which is worth recording. Mr Giles. the Educational Inspector. had come on a visit of inspection.

1. Hard words

Sole:- only, single

companions:- friends

at the stroke of the hours:- exactly at an hour

promote:- persuade

H.W write summary and remember hard words

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