

English Notes

Class VII

Based On Literature

Chapter - 3

Topic – A Mad Tea Party

3. What was the first question the Hatter asked Alice? What riddle did he then ask her?

Ans- The first question the Hatter asked Alice was that her hair wanted cutting. Then he asked her a riddle why was a raven like a writing-desk.

4. What manners did Alice try to teach the Hatter?

Ans- The manners that Alice tried to teach the Hatter were that it was not good to make personal remarks on someone else like he had made for her and to be unnecessarily rude was unfair as well.

5. What song did the Hatter sing, and why did it seem familiar to Alice? Which famous song does it resemble?

Ans- The song sung by Hatter was as follows:

“Twinkle, twinkle, little bat! how I wonder what you’re at!”

“Up above the world you fly, Like a tea tray In the sky, Twinkle, twinkle....”

It seemed familiar to Alice because she had heard something like that before.

It resembles to the famous kids’ rhyme, like as follows:

“Twinkle, twinkle little star how I wonder what you are, up above the world so high like a diamond, in the sky

Twinkle, twinkle.....”

6. What happened at the great concert given by the Queen of Hearts?

Ans- At the great concert given by the Queen of Hearts Hatter had hardly finished the first verse of his song when the queen jumped up and bowled out that he was murdering the time and commanded to his subjects to off with his head.

7. Why and how was the Hatter punished by time?

Ans- Hatter was accused of murdering the time by the Queen of Hearts as she was not pleased with his song and she commanded to off with his head.

He was punished by time because his watch always struck 6 o'clock that was tea time and they had never have the time to wash the things between whiles. Everyday they keep moving around for the tea party only, according to the time of the watch.

HW- Make some questions yourself and write their answers too about the author at page number 32.