

A Answer these questions with reference to the context .

1 “yes , October is the best time “.

a Who said this and to whom ?

ans The writer said to the girl .

b Why did the speaker say this?

ans He had memories of fine climate during October month at hills .

c What is October the best time for ?

ans October is the best time for visiting Hills of doon .

2 ‘ But her next question removed my doubts'

a Who does her refer to ?

ans Her refers to the girl .

b What doubts does the narrator have ?

ans The narrator was doubtful if the girl know he was blind .

c What was the question and how did it remove his doubts ?

ans The question was that why don't the narrator look out of window and find by himself . The question also made it clear that the girl was not thinking him to be blind .

B mark the statements as T for true and F for false .

1 F , 2 F , 3 F , 4 T , 5T .

C Answer these questions .

1 How did the girl's parents show their concern for her ?

Ans The girl's parents had come to see her off till the compartment . They gave the girl detailed instructions about safe journey , as not to be close to window , not to be friendly with strangers etc etc .

2 Why was she is startled when the narrator spoke ?

Ans She was startled because she hadn't expected the narrator to be there and also it was a sudden talk .

3 What voices did the narrator hear when the train entered the Saharanpur Station ?

Ans The narrator heard the voices of porters and vendors at the Saharanpur railway station . He also heard a female voice calling in high pitch near the carriage .

4 Why did the narrator remain silent when the next fellow Traveller came into the compartment ?

Ans The narrator was engrossed in the beautiful company which he had till few minutes ago, so he remain silent thinking about the girl .

5 What did the new passenger assume from the narrator's silence ?

Ans The new passenger assume that the narrator may not like his company as he was not as attractive as that girl , so the narrator was silent .

6 What did the second man noticed about the girl ?

Ans The second man notice that do the girl had beautiful eyes but they were of no use as she was blind .

7 Why was the second man puzzled when he was asked if the girls hair was long or short ?

Ans Second man was puzzled because the narrator had noticed the girls hairstyle instead of for beautiful but useless Eyes .

Discuss and write

1 what do you think the narrator means by saying once again I had a game to play the narrator mean to say that once again he will have to pretend to be able to see why do you think the narrator wanted to keep his blindness a secret then erected did not want that other should know about his blindness do you think the title of the story is appropriate why yes the title is suitable as the story revolves around Eyes of the narrator and of the girl in the end the narrator came to know that the girl was also blind .

Grammar

A

1 Iron is not a useless metal .

2 I am not telling you a lie .

3 The library is not open today .

4 I am not feeling very hot today .

5 The food at the restaurant was not bad .

6 She was not pleased with his behaviour today .

B

1 Can you drink your milk ?

2 We are on time for the match .

3 You like my suggestions .

4 Shut the window .

5 What a fun it is to do it together !

6 We don't walk along the short lane to school .

7 Isn't he a dull guy .

8 It is nice of you to have come to the party .

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