

Task 1. Choose the correct answer.

1. a Jekyll and ... — противоречивый человек
 Hyde Jack Steve Mack Jekyll
2. as mad as a ... — странный, эксцентричный человек
 doctor teacher hatter porter waiter
3. grin like a Cheshire ... — широко улыбаться, показывая зубы
 lion cat frog dove dog
4. a man ... — верный слуга
 Monday Friday Saturday Sunday Tuesday
5. ... Brother — символ политического контроля
 Huge Large Eldest Big Small

Task 2. Write one word which can be used in all three sentences.

1. Many and many a _____, in the day and in the night, with my head upon the pillow by her that my whispers might be plainer to her, I kissed her, thanked her, prayed for her, asked her for her blessing and forgiveness, entreated her to give me the least sign that she knew or heard me.

He listened to himself with obvious satisfaction and sometimes gently beat _____ to his own music with his head or rounded a sentence with his hand.

But I never did; and so, as _____ went on, he passed out of my mind.

2. He lies there, dressed in shirt and trousers, with _____ feet.

The floor is _____, except that one old mat, trodden to shreds of rope-yarn, lies perishing upon the hearth.

Through the same cold sunlight, colder as the day declines, and through the same sharp wind, sharper as the separate shadows of _____ trees gloom together in the woods, and as the Ghost's Walk, touched at the western corner by a pile of fire in the sky, resigns itself to coming night, they drive into the park.

3. "True," said my guardian. And he added, turning _____ me, "It would be doing him a very bad service, my dear, to shut our eyes to the truth in any of these respects."

He is said to have expressed himself violently towards him, and he certainly did about him, _____ my knowledge.

It was a large prison with many courts and passages so like one another and so uniformly paved that I seemed to gain a new comprehension, as I passed along, of the fondness that solitary prisoners, shut up among the same staring walls from year _____ year, have had — as I have read — for a weed or a stray blade of grass.

4. He laid his hand for a moment on his broad chest and bent his _____ to us.

But I don't see how an innocent man is to make up his mind to this kind of thing without knocking his _____ against the walls unless he takes it in that point of view.

Glancing at the angry eyes which now avoid him and at the angry figure trembling from _____ to foot, yet striving to be still, Mr Bucket feels his way with his forefinger and in a low voice proceeds.

5. Sir Leicester Dedlock, the deceased Mr Tulkinghorn was deep and close, and what he fully had in his _____ in the very beginning I can't quite take upon myself to say.

Would you _____ sitting quiet — on the family account — while I reckon 'em up?

Never you _____ what I say till it's given in evidence.

6. "What is the _____ with you now?" she asks him.

Not a moment to lose. _____ of life or death.

Let me come up with her alone — a hard _____ — and I'll do my best, but I don't answer for what the best may be.

7. And then he would have another try, and, at the second blow, the nail would go clean through the plaster, and half the hammer after it, and Uncle Podger be precipitated against the wall with force nearly sufficient to flatten his _____.

We kept it in the _____ of the boat, and, from there, it oozed down to the rudder, impregnating the whole boat and everything in it on its way, and it oozed over the river, and saturated the scenery and spoilt the atmosphere.

It took two porters as well as the driver to hold him in at the station; and I do not think they would have done it, even then, had not one of the men had the presence of mind to put a handkerchief over his _____, and to light a bit of brown paper.

8. There he lay — the man who had wanted to know what time he should wake us — on his back, with his _____ wide open, and his knees stuck up.

It made my _____ water to hear him talk about the things, and we handed him out the stove and the frying pan and all the eggs that had not smashed and gone over everything in the hamper, and begged him to begin.

Mursk is at the _____ of the St Bleenk River.

9. "What on _____ are we to do?" cried Harris.

And out of the middle of the _____, as it seemed to us, rose the pie — very much mixed up and damaged; and, after it, scrambled Harris — tumbled, grubby, and wet.

One's palate gets so tired of the old hackneyed things: here was a dish with a new flavour, with a taste like nothing else on _____.

10. He could not find his handkerchief, because it was in the pocket of the coat he had taken off, and he did not know where he had put the coat, and all the house had to leave _____ looking for his tools, and start looking for his coat; while he would dance round and hinder them.

“There you are,” he would say, stepping heavily _____ the chair on to the charwoman’s corns, and surveying the mess he had made with evident pride.

It woke him up, and, with a snort of terror, he dashed _____ at three miles an hour.