

## **9C Unit 3 Exam**

### **A Man in England Digs Up Buried Treasure Worth Millions**

Terry Herbert is a lucky guy. He recently became rich! He discovered a huge hoard of buried treasure. A hoard is a hidden collection of something valuable. Herbert uncovered lots of gold and silver objects—1,350 items. He found the treasure on a farm in England. Experts say the hoard could be worth millions of dollars.

Herbert discovered the treasure using a metal detector- a machine that beeps when it is near metal. After finding the hoard, Herbert says, “I was going to bed, and in my sleep I saw gold.”

The treasure that Henry found includes gold plates and weapon parts covered in jewels. Experts say the treasure most likely belonged to the Anglo-Saxons. That is a group of people who ruled what is now England. They ruled more than a thousand years ago. The Anglo-Saxons originally came from what are now Denmark, Germany, and the Netherlands. Those are countries in Europe.

Researchers are working to finish what Herbert started. They are searching the farm where the hoard was found. They want to make sure all the treasure was collected. Then they will put the items in a museum.

Experts such as Kevin Leahy are excited about some of the more unusual items in the hoard. “The things that we can’t identify are the ones that are going to teach us something new,” he says.

#### **Answer the questions:**

1- What is a hoard?

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2- How many gold and silver objects did Terry Herbert uncover?

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3- Where did Henry find the treasure?

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4- What did Henry use to discover the treasure?

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5- Who were the Anglo-Saxons?

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6- Where did the Anglo-Saxons originally come from?

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7- What do experts want to make sure of?

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