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ENGLISH LITERATURE

CLASS-12

PROSE-ECHOES (A COLLECTION OF ISC SHORT STORIES)

Chapter 7(A Gorilla In The Guest Room).

1. Read the lesson and find the meanings of the following words:

- 1) rhesus monkey
- 2) extinction
- 3) massive
- 4) emergent
- 5) exterminated
- 6) basilisk
- 7) nonchalantly
- 8) stark
- 9) austerely
- 10) infested
- 11) waltzing
- 12) pessimistic
- 13) chortling
- 14) dotty
- 15) captivity

- 16) gloomily
- 17) chuckled
- 18) avarice
- 19) on a platter
- 20) crate
- 21) potentate
- 22) Hiatus
- 23) inebriated
- 24) to worm its way
- 25) nook and cranny
- 26) drooped
- 27) reincarcerated
- 28) loquacious
- 29) exuberant
- 30) authropoid
- 31) acrimonious
- 32) intrepid
- 33) machete
- 34) sidled
- 35) belligerent
- 36) suffragette
- 37) jousts
- 38) snuggled
- 39) erudite
- 40) sepulcharal
- 41) ornithologist
- 42) cherubim
- 43) subterfuge
- 44) avocado
- 45) colitis
- 46) in a quandary
- 47) inveigle

2. Answer the following questions.

Q1. What difficulties did the author encounter in procuring the baby gorilla for his zoo? How could he resolve them? What did he go for the gorilla as he grew up?

Do the workbook of chapter 7.



Heading 2

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