

## Lesson 3

### Who Did It ?

#### Word meaning :

- Burgled - robbed  
In a mess - in total disorder  
Suspicious - doubtful  
Bald - Hairless  
Rounded up - here, caught

A – choose the correct answer and fill in the blanks.

1. ----- house had been burgled.  
a. Mr Hussain's      b. Mr Sharma's      c. Mr Mani 's
2. The police found some ----- in the garden.  
a. clothes      b. bags      c. footprints
3. Mr Hussain saw a ----- man.  
a. tall and thin      b. bald      c. short and thin
4. Mr Jagan saw a man carrying a ----- .  
a. suitcase      b. bag      c. sack
5. The police rounded up ----- suspects.  
a. five      b. four      c. six
6. Inspector Bela Minj asked each suspect to try out the shoe found in the ----- .  
a. kitchen      b. garden      c. bedroom.

B - Who spoke these lines and to whom? What did the speaker mean?

1. "I heard some noise at night.

Ans- Mr Hussain said this lines to the police. He wanted to assure the police that he had seen the real thief.

2. " Did you see him properly?"

Ans – Inspector Bela Minj asked this to Mr Hussain . She wanted to ensure that she caught the right suspect.

3. "I shouted at him to stop but he ran away."

Ans – Jagan said these words to the police . He wanted the police to know that he did try to stop the thief but was unsuccessful.

4. "What did he look like?"

Ans – Inspector Bela Minj asked this to Jagan . Bela Minj wanted to be sure about the suspect.

5. " He was a bald man with a moustache."

Ans – The ice- cream vendor said these words to the police. He wanted to give the police a description of the man he suspected.

6. " I just got a glimpse."

Ans – Mrs Mani said these words to Inspector Bela Minj . She said these words because she could not describe the faces of the people she suspected in detail.

C- Write the antonyms of these words .

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|---------------|---|-----------|
| 1. midnight   | - | midday    |
| 2. found      | - | lost      |
| 3. fast       | - | slow      |
| 4. late       | - | early     |
| 5. curly      | - | straight  |
| 6. recklessly | - | carefully |
| 7. end        | - | begin     |
| 8. guilty     | - | innocent  |

D – Choose the correct words from the brackets and fill in the blanks.

- (a) heard a strange noise coming from the street. (herd/heard)  
(b) I looked out of the window and saw a herd of goats. (herd/heard)
- (a) Nisha spent the whole morning cleaning out her room. ( hole/whole)  
(b) She was sad that her favourite cap had a hole in it . ( hole/ whole)
- (a) Miraj visited the doctor as he was feeling very weak . (weak/week)  
(b) The doctor gave him medicines and asked him to visit again after a week.  
( weak/week)

E – Match the columns.

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|----------------|---|---------|
| 1. a pack of   | - | wolves  |
| 2. a crowd of  | - | people  |
| 3. a bundle of | - | sticks  |
| 4. a flight of | - | stairs  |
| 5. a grove of  | - | trees   |
| 6. a litter of | - | puppies |
| 7. a stack of  | - | books   |

F – Answer these questions.

1. What clues did the police find in and around the burgled house?

Ans – The police found footprints in the garden and a shoe near the garden wall.

2. Why did Mr Jagan think that the man he saw was the culprit?

Ans – Mr Jagan think that the man he saw was the culprit because he was walking very fast from the direction of the house holding a bag tightly to his chest . so he shouted at him to stop ,but the man ,instead of stopping ran away.

3. How did the ice-cream vendor describe the man he saw?

Ans – The ice – cream vendor described the man he saw as bald and having a moustache. He was walking very fast and kept looking back.

4. Whom did Mr Mani see late at night?

Ans – late at night, Mr Mani saw two young men drive past recklessly on a motorbike . Both had long hair but one had a beard.

5. Who was the culprit? How did Inspector Bela Minj identify the culprit?

Ans – The man that Jagan had seen walking away from the house was identified as the culprit in the end. Inspector Bela Minj had asked each suspect to try on the shoe found in the garden . It fitted Gattu. The short , thin man with curly hair, perfectly.