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Comprehension Check

1. Why did the king want to know answers to three questions?

Answer: The king wanted to know answers to three questions because of the thought came to his mind that he would never fail if he knew answers to these three questions.

2. Messengers were sent throughout the kingdom

(i) to fetch wise men.

(ii) to find answers to the questions.

(iii) to look for the wise hermit.

(iv) to announce a reward for those who could Ans:the questions.

Mark your choice:

Answer: (iv) to announce a reward for those who could Ans:the questions.

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Complete the following sentences by adding the appropriate parts of the sentences given in the box.

1. Many wise men answered the king's questions

2. Someone suggested that there should be a council of wise men

3. Someone else suggested that the king should have a timetable

4. The king requested the hermit

5. The king washed and dressed the bearded man's wound,

- but the bleeding would not stop.
- to Ans:three questions.
- but their answers were so varied that the king was not satisfied.
- and follow it strictly.
- to help the king act at the right time.

Answer: 1. Many wise men answered the king's questions, but their answers were so varied that the king was not satisfied.

2. Someone suggested that there should be a council of wise men to help the king act at the right time.

3. Someone else suggested that the king should have a timetable and follow it strictly.

4. The king requested the hermit to Ans:three questions.

5. The king washed and dressed the bearded man's wound, but the bleeding would not stop.

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