How did Mr. Taylor try to stop the thieves?

The expensive shops in a famous arcade near Piccadilly were just opening.

At this time of the morning, the arcade was almost empty.

Mr. Taylor, the owner of a jewelry shop, was admiring a new window display.

Two of his assistants had been working busily since eight o'clock and had only just finished.

Diamond necklaces and rings had been beautifully arranged on a background of black velvet.

After gazing at the display for several minutes, Mr. Taylor went back into his shop.

The silence was suddenly broken when a large car, with its headlights on and its horn blaring, roared down the arcade.

It came to a stop outside the jeweler’s.

One man stayed at the wheel while two others with black stockings over their faces jumped out and smashed the window of the shop with iron bars.

While this was going on, Mr. Taylor was upstairs.

He and his staff began throwing furniture out of the window.

Chairs and tables went flying into the arcade.

One of the thieves was struck by a heavy statue, but he was too busy helping himself to diamonds to notice any pain.

The raid was all over in three minutes, for the men scrambled back into the car and it moved off at a fantastic speed.

Just as it was leaving, Mr. Taylor rushed out and ran after it, throwing ashtrays and vases, but it was impossible to stop the thieves.

They had gotten away with thousands of pounds worth of diamonds.

A large car entered an arcade near Piccadilly and stopped outside a jeweler’s.

Two thieves got out and smashed the shop window.

The owner of the shop was upstairs at the time, so he threw furniture at the thieves, hitting one of them with a heavy statue.

The raid lasted only three minutes and the thieves drove away.

Running after them, the owner threw ashtrays and vases, but the thieves got away, stealing thousands of pounds worth of diamonds.

Seeing the thieves' car join the traffic on Piccadilly, Mr. Taylor took a taxi and followed them.

The taxi driver drove at full speed when Mr. Taylor told him what had happened.

There wasn't too much traffic at this time of the morning, so there was a mad chase through the streets of London.

For a short time, the thieves' car was on the wrong side of the road and hit another car, but it did not stop.

Two policemen in a police car watched in amazement as the two vehicles went past, both breaking the speed limit.

Lights on and horn blaring, the police car chased both the speeding cars.

Mr. Taylor's taxi stopped when the traffic lights turned red.

The thieves ignored the traffic lights and got away.

Meanwhile, the police caught up with the taxi at the traffic lights and the taxi driver was charged with speeding.

They refused to let the driver off, even though Mr. Taylor carefully explained the situation.

However, the police informed another police car of the chase and ten minutes later, the thieves' car was found abandoned in a side street.

The thieves had escaped on foot and disappeared among the crowd.

He was extremely impolite.

I disagree with you.

His handwriting is quite illegible.

This report is inaccurate.

Have you unlocked the door?

Have you learnt these irregular verbs?

While Mr. Taylor was admiring the new window display, some thieves were on their way to raid his shop.

The car headlights were on and its horn was blaring as the thieves wanted to warn people out of their way.

The thieves chose to raid Mr. Taylor's shop because it usually had a great deal of valuable jewelry on display.

The expensive shops in a famous Piccadilly arcade were just opening.

He gazed at the display for several minutes before re-entering his shop.

Using bars made of iron, the thieves smashed the shop window.

He and his staff began to throw furniture out of the window.

Had he not been so busy taking the diamonds, he would have felt the blow.

To make the car roar down the arcade, the driver must have accelerated.

Two others, their faces covered with black stockings, jumped out.

Meanwhile, Mr. Taylor was upstairs.

Chairs and tables were hurled into the arcade.