

2. The Ransom of Red Chief Part2

Worksheet

Name:

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A. Use these words and phrases in sentences of your own.

- a. treachery
- b. surreptitiously
- c. like a leech
- d. ferocious
- e. stood by you
- f. patched up
- g. proposition
- h. get on my nerves
- i. take it off your hands

B. Look at these sentences from the passage and change them into correct English:

- a. Bill and me had about six hundred dollars.
- b. I was rode like a horse.

c. Ain't it awful, Sam?

d. Sand ain't edible!

C. Write the subjects and predicates from the following sentences.

Example: The cat drank the milk. Subject: Cat Predicate: Milk

a. Bill rose slowly. Subject: _____ Predicate: _____

b. Be good, Johnny. Subject: _____ Predicate: _____

c. Now I want you to go home. Subject: _____ Predicate: _____

d. Nobody got any sleep because of the noise. Subject: _____ Predicate: _____

e. Just do it. Subject: _____ Predicate: _____

D. Add suitable subjects to the following so that they become complete sentences.

a. _____ ambled down the road.

b. At the end of the day, _____ stretches out in his chair.

c. In the large mansion lies _____.

d. When they arrived, _____ looked astonished.

e. _____ chased the cats.

f. _____ cleaned up the mess.

E. Imagine that you are Johnny Dorset. Write about what happened to you. Use details and phrases from the passage if you wish.