

Treasure Island

Chapter 1

1. What was the name of the inn?
2. Describe the new visitor to the inn?
3. What were some clues this visitor was afraid of something or someone?
4. Who is the protagonist?
5. What haunted the protagonist's dreams?
6. Who was the only person able to stand up to the captain?
7. The novel is told in _____ person.

Chapter 2

1. What is odd about the way the stranger greets his friend?
2. What was the stranger's name?
3. What saved the stranger's life?
4. What happened to Billy, the captain?

Chapter 3

1. What is Yellow Jack?
2. What is the significance of the “black spot”?
3. What information does Billy have that is wanted by the rest of Flint’s crew?
4. How does the blind man threaten Jim?
5. What does he want?
6. What does he give the captain?
7. What happens to the captain?
8. What is Jim’s reaction?

Chapter 6

1. What happened when Jim and his mother sought help from the people in the hamlet?
2. What item in the captain’s chest interested Jim the most?
3. What did Jim take from the chest?

Chapter 5

1. What happened to Pew, the blind pirate?

Chapter 6

1. Who was Flint?
2. What was in the packet?
3. What are “soundings”?
4. What is the doctor afraid Squire Trelawney will do?
5. At the end of this chapter, what do Livesey and Trelawney decide to do?

Chapter 7

1. What is the name of the ship on which Jim will sail?
2. What mistake did Trelawney make regarding the hiring of the crew?
3. Who was to be the cook?

Chapter 8

1. Whom did Jim see in Long John Silver's inn?
2. Describe Long John Silver?

Chapter 9

1. What does Captain Smollett tell Trelawney?
2. Why does he feel this way?
3. What are Captain Smollett's suggestions?
4. Why do you think Trelawney took such a dislike to Captain Smollett?
- 5.. What is Jim's attitude towards Smollett?

Chapter 10

1. What happened to Mr. Arrow?
2. What did the crew call Silver?
3. What was the name of Silver's parrot?
4. Where have we heard that name before?
5. What was the parrot's favorite expression?
6. How did the apple barrel help provide a warning of what was to come?

Chapter 11

1. What does Jim learn about Silver?
2. In what way was Silver different than Pew when it came to handling their shares of the booty?
3. What was Silver's plan?

Chapter 12

1. What was Captain Smollett's plan after the mutiny plot was discovered?

Chapter 13

1. Who really has control of the men?
2. Jim decides to do what?

Chapter 14

1. What happened to Allan and why?
2. Why did Silver kill Tom?

Chapter 15

1. What or whom does Jim discover on the island?
2. What does Jim remember that gives him courage?
3. What was the man's name?
4. How long had it been since this man had seen another human?
5. What had happened to Ben Gunn?
6. What did Gunn ask for?
7. What was Gunn's story?

Chapter 16

1. Who takes over as narrator in this chapter?
2. What was the one thing the doctor said they were lacking for a stand off in the ship?
3. What did the doctor and his group do with the arms they did not take?
4. Who joined the doctor's group?

Chapter 17

1. What does “ship a little water” mean?
2. Why did Captain Smollett want Trelawney to shoot Israel Hands?
3. Why was Trelawney not successful?
4. What calamity befell the doctor and his crew?

Chapter 18

1. What concerns the captain regarding the supplies?
2. What did the captain refuse to do despite the threat it posed?
3. Why?

Chapter 19

1. What code words did Ben Gunn want Jim to use?
2. What did Jim witness the pirates doing?

3. What did Dr. Livesay fortuitously carry in his snuff box?
4. What two things did Dr. Livesey's men consider to be their allies?

Chapter 20

1. Of what does Silver accuse Smollett?
2. What does Silver want from the doctor's group and what does Silver promise in return?
3. With what terms does Smollett counter Silver?
4. How had Ben Gunn helped the doctor's group?
5. What does Silver do as a last gesture of his contempt?
6. What does Silver promise to do to the doctor and his men?

Chapter 21

1. The battle at the stockade is won by whom?

Chapter 22

1. Where did Hawkins think the doctor had gone?
2. What was Jim's plan?
3. After Jim completes his first errand, he comes up with another idea. What was it?
4. Why did Jim think there was little risk involved in this plan?

Chapter 23

1. Why did Hands and the red-hatted pirate not notice that the ship was moving?

Chapter 24

1. Why was Jim reluctant to row the coracle to shore?
2. What happened to the coracle?

Chapter 25

1. What deal does Hands present to Jim?
2. At the end of this chapter, what makes Jim uneasy?

Chapter 26

1. What did Hands do after he sent Jim for wine?
2. Why does Jim feel he will not be attacked right away?
3. What stopped Hands as he tried to attack Jim?
4. What did Hands do to Jim?
5. What happened to Hands?

Chapter 27

1. What did Jim discover when he returned to the stockade?

Chapter 28

1. What does Jim think happened to the doctor and the rest of the men?
2. What does Silver tell Jim?
3. What is Jim's reaction to this news?
4. How did the pirates get control of the stockades?

5. What does Jim boldly tell the pirates?
6. Why do you think Silver spared Jim's life?
7. What very surprising thing did Jim learn?

Chapter 29

1. From where did the pirates get the paper to use for the black spot?
2. How many black spots had Silver received?
3. Why did the pirates change their minds and retain Silver as their captain?

Chapter 30

1. Why does Silver protect Jim?
2. What did the doctor warn Silver not to do?
3. What does the doctor promise Silver?

Chapter 31

1. How did Jim save Silver's life?

2. Why do the pirates become suspicious when they encounter the body that is acting as a compass?

Chapter 32

1. What scared the pirates?