Иностранный (английский) язык

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Тема занятия

Тема: «Изучающее чтение». Аудиторный перевод текста (2000 печ. зн.)

JACK LONDON

Изучающее чтение

Jack London

• Прочитайте текст и выполните задания к нему.

Словарь

- abandon оставить, бросить
- condition положение, состояние
- attempt пытаться
- gold rush золотая лихорадка
- struggle борьба
- ketch кеч (парусное судно)
- slums трущобы
- contradiction противоречие
- gutter сточная канава; низы общества

Jack London

Jack London was an American novelist, short-story writer, essayist, journalist, and dramatist.

He was born in San Francisco in 1876. His father abandoned him shortly after birth and London took the name of his stepfather. Because of his family's poor condition, London was forced to leave school at the age of fourteen and find work. In his spare time he attempted to further his education by reading the works of Herbert Spencer, Karl Marx, Rudyard Kipling, and others. He joined the Klondike gold rush of 1898 returning to San Francisco penniless, but with a wealth of memories which provided the raw material for his first stories. "The Call of the Wild" and "White Fang" explore the struggle between the conflicting calls of barbarity and civilization.

Jack London

As a correspondent for various magazines, London travelled to the Far East during the Russo-Japanese war, through the South Pacific in a leaking ketch, and to the slums of England. These experiences provided the material for many of his books. London became the highest-paid writer of his day, earning more than a million dollars. He was an extremely disciplined craftsman and each day he wrote at least one thousand words. The paradoxes of London's fiction mirrored the contradictions of his personal and political life.

He died in 1916. London is an important figure in American literature for establishing "a middle ground", in Labor's words, "between the gutter and the drawing room".

Задание №1

Отметьте предложения, соответствующие содержанию текста словом True, и предложения, не соответствующие содержанию текста словом False.

- 1) Jack London is an English writer.
- 2) His family wasn't rich.
- 3) Jack London didn't finish school.
- 4) After joining the Klondike gold rush Jack London became a very rich man.
- 5) Jack London travelled much.
- 6) In his novels he described the world of rich people.

^{*} Можно выписать цифру и поставить напротив нее True|False.

Задание №2

Ответьте на вопросы к тексту.

- 1) Who is Jack London?
- 2) When and where was he born?
- 3) Why did he leave school at the age of fourteen?
- 4) What did he do in his spare time?
- 5) When did he begin to write books?
- 6) Where did he get the material for his books?
- 7) Was Jack London an important figure in American literature?
- * Вопросы можно не переписывать.

Отчет о работе

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- Выполненные вами упражнения необходимо прикрепить в папку в программе moodle.
- Успешное выполнение данного задания будет засчитано за посещение пары.
- Отсутствие заданий, соответственно, будет засчитано как пропуск.

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