

CBSE Class –VIII English
NCERT Solutions
Chapter - 7
Poem - When I Set Out For Lyonnesse

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1: In the first stanza, find words that show

- (i) that it was very cold.**
- (ii) that it was late evening.**
- (iii) that the traveller was alone.**

Ans: (i) Rime

(ii) Starlight

(iii) Lonesomeness

2: (i) Something happened at Lyonnesse. It was

- (a) improbable**
- (b) impossible**
- (c) unforeseeable**

(ii) Pick out two lines from stanza 2 to justify your Answer.

Ans: (i) (c) unforeseeable.

(ii) 'No prophet durst declare;

Nor did the wisest wizard guess'

3: (i) Read the line (stanza 3) that implies the following.

'Everyone noticed something, and they made guesses, but didn't speak a word'.

(ii) Now read the line that refers to what they noticed,

Ans: (i) 'All marked with mute surmise'

(ii) 'My radiance rare and fathomless'