**A TRIUMPH OF SURGERY : TEST : MARKS (6)**

**READ THE FOLLOWING EXTRACT AND ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:**

**Q1. Mrs.Pumphrey hastened to explain, “He was so listless, Mr.Herriot. He seemed to have on energy. I thought he must be suffering from malnutrition, so I have been giving him some little extras between meals to build him up, some malt and cod-liver oil and a bowl of Horlicks at night to make him sleep-nothing much really.””And did you cut down on the sweet things as I told you?” “Oh, I did for a bit, but he seemed to be so weak I had to relent. He does love cream cakes and chocolates so I can’t bear to refuse him.”**

**(a) Who is the ‘he’ referred to here by Mrs.Pumphrey?**

**(b) What did she give him to help him sleep at night?**

**(c) What word in the passage means ‘conditions that results from eating a diet in which certain nutrients are lacking, in excess, or in the wrong proportions’?**

**Q2. I walked through the house into the garden . A mass of dogs was hurtling round and round the lawn and in their midst, ears flapping, tail waving, was the little golden figure of Tricki. In two weeks he had been transformed into a lithe, hard-muscled animal; he was keeping up well with the pack, stretching out in great bounds, his chest almost brushing the ground.**

**(a) How long had Tricki taken to get well?**

**(b) Tricki had been ‘transformed into a lithe, hard-muscled animal’. How did he look like before the treatment?**

**(c) The word which means ‘To move with or as if with great speed’ is?**