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1. When did Keith and his parents return to Room 215?
 - a) early afternoon
 - b) after supper
 - c) late morning
 - d) late afternoon

2. According to his father, why did Keith not want his supper?
 - a) Keith had just eaten lunch.
 - b) Keith had eaten too much lunch.
 - c) Keith had eaten a late breakfast.
 - d) Keith had eaten a bag of peanuts.

3. What did Keith do after his parents left to go to their room? (Choose 7)
 - a) wipe his fingers over his face
 - b) return the towel to the rack
 - c) turn on the hot water
 - d) swipe his face with the towel
 - e) return the towel to the rack nicely
 - f) wiped his face with the rag
 - g) moisten his fingers
 - h) turn off the hot water
 - i) turn off the water
 - j) walk to the washbasin
 - k) turn on the cold water

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4. What unusual thing did Keith do after he returned to the bed? (Choose 3)
- a) He played with his cars.
 - b) He sat on the floor of his room.
 - c) He did not play with his cars.
 - d) He did not finish his peanuts.
 - e) He finished his peanuts.
 - f) He sat down and stared at the wall.
5. **T** **F** **True or False:** Keith was feeling awful in his insides.
6. What did Keith save for Ralph to store? _____
7. What did Ralph's shocking dinner consist of?
- a) broken club crackers
 - b) broken soda crackers
 - c) broken cookies
 - d) broken chips
8. **T** **F** **True or False:** Ralph was not feeling well so his parents sent him to bed early.
9. Who was concerned about their dinner? _____
10. Uncle Lester said Keith was _____ with his room service.

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11. How did Mrs. Gridley test Keith for a temperature?

- a) She felt his forehead with her hand.
- b) She took him to the doctor.
- c) She took him to the nurse.
- d) She used a thermometer.

12. What did Mr. Gridley think was wrong with Keith?

- a) too much hiking
- b) Keith needed to drink more water
- c) Keith had eaten too much
- d) too much sun

13. What did Ralph see from his perch on the windowsill that was different?

- a) The parking lot had more cars than usual.
- b) The parking lot was empty.
- c) The parking lot was full.
- d) The parking lot had less cars than usual.

14. What kind of things did Ralph hear going on in the halls? (Choose 3)

- a) people walking up and down the halls
- b) luggage being pushed down the hall
- c) keys being dropped on the floor
- d) people talking in the halls
- e) keys rattling in the locks
- f) luggage being set down with a thump on the floor

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15. What is wrong with Keith?

- a) He has a fever.
- b) He has a headache.
- c) He has a stomachache.
- d) He is having chills.

16. What did Keith's mom want to give Keith?

- a) a cool bath
- b) an antibiotic
- c) a warm bath
- d) an aspirin

17. Why couldn't Keith's mother call the desk clerk?

- a) The phone line was dead.
- b) They did not have a room phone.
- c) Keith's mom did not know how to use the phone.
- d) The clerk wasn't answering.

18. Why is Mrs. Gridley disappointed?

- a) Mr. Gridley wasn't coming back.
- b) Mr. Gridley couldn't find an aspirin.
- c) Mr. Gridley wouldn't help Keith.
- d) Mr. Gridley couldn't find a doctor.

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19. Why didn't Mrs. Gridley's suggestion work?

- a) The bellhop was too busy to look for aspirin.
- b) The gift shop was locked and the clerk had taken the key home with him.
- c) The desk clerk was asleep and could not be woken up.
- d) The gift shop didn't have any aspirin on his shelf.

20. Where is the nearest drugstore?

- a) Thirty miles back on the main highway.
- b) Twenty-five miles back on the main highway.
- c) Twenty miles back on the main highway.
- d) Thirty-five miles back on the main highway.

21. What other options did they consider? (Choose 3)

- a) The doctor was busy with a bad accident on the highway.
- b) The neighborhood grocer was closed at 10:00 and would not open again until the next day at 7:00.
- c) The drugstore closed at 10:00 and would not open until 9:00 the next morning.
- d) The neighborhood clinic was too busy with a bus accident.
- e) The milkman could bring some at 7:00 in the morning.
- f) Ralph was going to go get some aspirin from the nurse's office.

16. **T** **F** **True or False:** Ralph knew he just had to find an aspirin somewhere in this hotel.

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