

Little House in the Big Woods Test

Name:

Date:

- 1) How did the family celebrate Laura's Birthday
 - a) They went to Gattitown.
 - b) They had a picnic in the country with her favorite pie.
 - c) They gave her homemade gifts and food.**
 - d) They went to town for special cookies.

- 2) Why can't Pa take his gun when he goes to town to trade the furs?
 - a) Guns are not allowed in town on Sunday.
 - b) He was carrying the furs and did not have a free hand.
 - c) Ma may have needed the gun for safety.**
 - d) He loaned it to Grandpa for the day.

- 3) What is sugar snow?
 - a) A late snow that means men can make more sugar.
 - b) An early snow that looks like sugar on the ground.
 - c) A thick, sweet snow that is very deep.
 - d) A snow that is used to make ice cream.**

- 4) Ma is sad when she hears there will be a dance at Grandpa's
 - a) True
 - b) False**

- 5) Pa calls Charley a "little liar"
 - a) True**
 - b) False

Match the appropriate character to the description.

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| 6) | <u>a</u> | Who is the main character of the story? | a) Laura |
| 7) | <u>c</u> | Who is an excellent marksman? | b) Grandpa |
| 8) | <u>b</u> | Who has an experience with a panther? | c) Pa |
| 9) | <u>d</u> | Who gets to go out of town with Laura? | d) Mary |

Short Answer

10) What preparations does the family make for the coming winter?

They collect food.

11) What special Christmas gift does Laura receive? How does she react?

She receives a doll and is very happy.