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A Complete these sentences -

- 1. Amarnath Bhonsle earned profits by selling mangoes.
- 2. Amarnath was not a <u>kind</u> person because he didn't treat the village boys <u>well.</u>
- 3. Amarnath invited the village headman to taste his mangoes first so that <u>he could tell the fruit buyers that Amarnath's mangoes were the sweetest and thus he could earn huge profits.</u>
- 4. Madho's eyes widened when he saw the mangoes because they *were ripe and red*.
- 5. Amarnath asked Madho to <u>wash and cut the mangoes into</u> <u>thin slices</u> and <u>serve them on a silver plate</u> before the headman arrived.
- 6. Madho ate the mangoes because he <u>couldn't stop himself</u> <u>from tasting the juicy mangoes.</u>
- 7. What Madho did is not <u>right</u> although Amarnath Bhonsle was not a <u>kind</u> person.

B. Answer this question in a paragraph.

Q. We don't know what Amarnath might have done to Madho when he came to know the truth. What do you think might have happened? Give a different ending to the story.

Ans. Amarnath was very angry. He just wanted to punish Madho but Madho was missing. Madho feared being caught by Amarnath. Finally Madho's parents took him to Amarnath and make him apologise. Amarnath took Madho to the headman to confess the truth .Amarnath also decided to become a better human being.

C. Use the following phrases in sentences of your own-

1. at a good profit-

The fruit seller sold his fruits at a good profit.

2. hoping to be the first-

India is <u>hoping to be the first</u> country in the world to make corona virus vaccine.

3. took to his heels-

The thief took to his heels on seeing a policeman.