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## Flannan Isle (Part 2) Answers

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A table set for dinner but the food had not been eaten and a chair had been knocked over.

2. Why did they think things had been left like this?

Something had alarmed the men and they had left in a hurry.

3. What does “ransacked” mean?

To search something thoroughly, often tipping things out.

4. How do we know then men searched the island very carefully?

It says they looked “to and fro” and from “shore to shore” “In every cranny, cleft or nook.”

5. What does the poem say they found out about the three men’s fate?.

Nothing – “not a trace”.

6. How do we know this wasn’t the first mystery at Flannan Isle?

The people searching stopped to think about others who had had “ill-chance” on the island.