**Проверочная работа по теме «Tale Time» 7 класс УМК “SPOTLIGHT – 7”авт. Ю. Ваулина, О. Подоляко, В. Эванс, Д. Дули.**

**(Работа с текстом)**

1. **Прочитайте текст. Образуйте вопросы, поставив данные в скобках глаголы в Past Simple. Ответьте на вопросы кратко.**

**Walter Scott**(15.08.1771 - 21.09.1832) - British writer.

Walter Scott was a famous British writer, poet and historian. He was born in Scotland, on August 15th, 1771. His family was rich and **noble**. His father was a successful **lawyer** and his mother was the daughter of a professor of medicine at the University of Edinburgh. Walter’s family had twelve kids. He was the ninth child in the family.

As a child, he spent lots of time at his grandfather’s farm. He was an active boy with phenomenal memory. Starting from 1779 he studied at the Royal High School. At the age of 14, he entered the Edinburgh College. As a student, he got interested in **mountaineering**.

At his free time he liked reading books.

He **was fond of** novels, poetry, ballads and legends of Scotland. He started his literature career in 1796. Soon he published **a three-volume set** of ballads. His **narrative poem** **“The Lay of the Last Minstrel”** became very popular not only in Scotland, but in England.

*noble -  благородный*

*lawyer - судья*

*mountaineering – горная инженерия*

*to be fond of - увлекаться*

*three-volume set – трехтомник (состоящий из 3х томов)*

*narrative poem – эпическая поэма*

*«The Lay of the Last Minstrel» – «Песнь последнего менестреля»*

1. …....... **(Walter Scott/write)** poems?
2. ……… (**Walter Scott/be born)** in Wales?
3. When ………(**he/be born)**?
4. How many children ………. (**Walter’s family/have**)?
5. What ………… **(he/like)** doing at his free time?
6. Where ……….. **(little Walter/spend**) lots of time?
7. Where ………. **(Walter Scott/study)?**
8. ……. **(he/start)** his literature career in 1769?
9. ……. **(he/ be fond)** of legends of Scotland?
10. ……..**(his poems/be)** famous not only in Scotland, but in England?
11. **Перепишите предложения, поставив глагол в скобках в Past Simple**
12. George Gordon Byron ……….. England in 1809 (leave).
13. He …………………. from the trip in 1811 (return)
14. In 1815 Byron ………………. to Anabella Milbenk (marry)
15. Mark Twain’s father ………… a judge. (to be)
16. In 1848 Samuel ………………… an assistant of a printer. (become)
17. Mark Twain …………. a wife Olivia Langdon. (have)
18. Mark Twain ………….. a lot of time in Hartford. (spend)
19. There he …………. his famous writings including The Adventures of Tom Sawyer. (write)
20. Charlotte’s father ………….. his girls to study at Cowan Bridge. (send)
21. Defoe’s father …………… his son to become a pastor. (want)
22. There he …………. his famous writings including The Adventures of Tom Sawyer. (write)
23. Charlotte’s father ………….. his girls to study at Cowan Bridge. (send)
24. Defoe’s father …………… his son to become a pastor. (want)
25. **Переведите слова на русский язык.**
26. obsession –
27. appearance –
28. investigation –
29. at first glance –
30. to inspire –
31. a cape –
32. to solve –
33. imagination –
34. several –
35. underwater –