

## Roaring Days

**Question 14: In Lawson's poem, roaring days' refer to days of**

- a) searching for gold.
- b) bushfires on the ridges.
- c) mail coach deliveries.
- d) horse races through the bush.

**Question 15: The poem captures a feeling of**

- a) loneliness after the departure of a friend.
- b) an expectation that the future will be better than the past.
- c) disappointment and remorse.
- d) both sadness and happiness when remembering the past.

**Question 16: When did the Cobb and Co. coaches pass the camp?**

- a) early morning
- b) late at night
- c) end of the day
- d) late morning

**Question 17: Which words from the poem imply that most miners have left the diggings?**

- a) fires began to pale
- b) Cobb and Co. ... Went dashing past the camps
- c) The camping-grounds are green
- d) Set all the South ablaze

**Question 18: What made the mullock mounds glisten in the morning sunlight?**

- a) gold specks
- b) diamonds
- c) quartz
- d) treasures

**Question 19: The bush is 'tethered to the world' by**

- a) railroad tracks.
- b) Cobb and Co. coaches.
- c) an azure line of ridges.
- d) telephone lines.