***Script “How Climate Can Influence Meals”.***

In southern countries, where there is a lot of sunlight and it is usually

hot, many people like eating their meals in the fresh air. In these areas

people often eat under trees or big umbrellas during the day because the

heat is generally very strong. While in the evening they eat under the

moon and stars which produces a romantic effect on people. This, for

example, is often done in Italy. The restaurants put tables in a garden

or in the street and most people eat there and not inside the restaurants.

Renato was born in Italy and lived in a small town on the sea coast.

When he was thirty-two, he moved to London and bought a restaurant

there. At first London seemed huge, grey and unfriendly to him. But by

and by he began to like this city. Though he couldn’t forget Italy and

his home town.

So, it’s not surprising that one day he put some of his tables out in

the street. As you know it rains much more in England than it does in

Italy. That’s why Renato’s idea was not really good and did not work.

What happened to Mr Jenkins, a Londoner, one rainy afternoon, proves

it. Mr Jenkins went to Renato’s restaurant and in the evening he said to

his wife, “I had lunch at that new Italian restaurant today, and it rained

all the time. It took me twenty-five minutes to drink my soup.

***Keys:***

**5.1. 1. False; 5.2 2, 5, 1, 6, 4, 3. 5.3 1. had lunch;**

**2. True; 2. rained;**

**3. False; 3. took me 25;**

**4. True; 4. drink.**

**5. False;**

**6. Not Stated*.***