Hop Frog by Poe questions name

1. What connection does the narrator make between people's ability to enjoy a joke and their fatness?

- 2. What was the job of a jester, a fool?
- 3. Why was Hop-Frog a "triplicate treasure" to the king? How did the jester get his name?
- 4. What can we infer about the king from the information that "overniceties wearied him" and "practical jokes suited his taste far better than verbal ones?
- 5. Hop-Frog bears many of the kings's taunts without apparent malice. What one act of the kings's causes Hop-Frog's act of revenge?
- 6. In what ways is Hop-Frog crippled in spirit? In what respect are the king and his seven ministers more crippled than Hop-Frog?
- 7. If irony is the 'single effect' created in some revenge stories, what is the single effect created in "Hop-Frog" Explain.
- 8. Does Hop-Frog's act of revenge seem consistent with his personality? Why or why not?
- 9. Is Hop-Frog motivated to seek revenge because of love or of hate? Explain
- 10. What do you think motivates Trippetta to be Hop-Frog's accomplice?