Chapter 4 – English

Comprehension Analysis

1. When was Jack’s last time digging

up someone’s background – which

he was considered a failure?

2. Who is Cass Mastern?

3. Read the summary and be able to

orally retell the Cass Mastern story.

4. Who is Duncan Trice?

5. What is Cass and Gilbert’s

association with Jefferson Davis?

6. Why is chapter 4 a pivotal point in the

novel?

7. What is a frame story?

8. What two purposes does Cass

Mastern story serve?

9. At the end of the chapter, what

time/point-of-view is Jack writing in?

Why does he do this?