## Past tenses – key

- I. 1 laid
  - 2. lay
  - 3 lied
  - 4 laid
  - 5 laid
  - 6 laid
  - 7 lay
  - 8 lied
- II. 1 fell
  - 2 cost
  - 3 felt
  - 4 founded
  - 5 fell
  - 6 wounded
  - 7 founded
  - 8 wounded
  - 9 found
  - 10 wound
  - 11 felt
  - 12 wound
  - 13 costed
  - 14 found

III. When I opened the door I saw a man on his knees. He had clearly been listening to our conversation and I wondered/was wondering how much he had heard. When I asked him what he was doing/ had been doing, he answered he had dropped a 50 p piece and was looking for it. I didn't see any sign of money, but I found a small notebook and a pencil which he probably had dropped when the door opened suddenly. So he had been taking notes of our conversation! The notes were written in a foreign language, so I turned to the stranger and asked him to translate. But he pulled my hat over my eyes and ran off down the corridor. By the time I had recovered from the shock he disappeared round the corner. Curiously enough, when I moved my feet I found that I had been standing on a 50p piece. Perhaps he had been telling the truth after all.