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A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court Chapter XXXIV The Yankee and the King Sold as Slaves

Directions: After reading draw a character web of one of the characters mentioned in this section in the space provided below. Then answer the question at the bottom of the page.

Question: In this chapter, the Yankee and the King are taken to be madmen and are chased by an angry mob. Think about an incident in the recent news that described a mob. Compare the current event and the actions of the crowd to the mob in this chapter. In what ways are the actions the same? How would the actions of a mob differ from the behavior of an individual if placed in the same situation? In your opinion, why do people act differently when in the company of others rather than in acting by themselves?