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**CLASS IX**  
**ADDITIONAL ENGLISH**  
**CHAPTER 4 - ON THE RULE OF THE ROAD**  
**(A.G. GARDINER)**

**NOTES**

The lesson, 'On the Rule of the Road' written by the well known essayist A.G. Gardiner, is taken from the essay 'Leaves in the Wind.'

In this lesson, A.G. Gardiner is talking about "liberty drunk". He said that people are getting more concern about their personal liberty than the social liberty and that is a danger to the world. He defines that "in order that the liberties of all maybe preserved, the liberties of everybody must be curtailed." Liberty is not a personal affair only, but a social contract. It is an accommodation of interest. Personal liberty should be compromised for the interest of the society and the social order.



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