



The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes

Adventure VIII -- The Man with the Twisted Lip

Compilation of quizzes from the Diogenes Club and the Crew of the Barque Lone Star

1.	In what year does the story take place?	
2.	Who was addicted to opium?	
3.	What was the name of the opium den?	
4.	What is the name of the house in which Mr. St. Clair lives?	
5.	Holmes indicated that he “deserved to be kicked from here to _____”?	
6.	On what street was Mrs. St. Clair surprised to see Mr. St. Clair?	
7.	What is the name of the professional beggar?	
8.	What was received to indicate that Mr. St. Clair was not murdered?	
9.	How much did Neville St. Clair have on deposit in the Capital and Counties Bank?	
10.	Exactly what was the contents of the coat found upon the mud bank?	
11.	What was the name of the Scotland Yard inspector investigating the case?	
12.	What was St. Clair’s occupation before he became a professional beggar?	
13.	What was the term Watson used to describe the rascal who ran the opium den, and kept St. Clair’s secret?	
14.	What did Boone use to weigh down St. Clair’s overcoat?	
15.	What color was Holmes’s dressing gown in this story?	
16.	What was Mrs. Watson doing when Mrs. Whitney rang the doorbell?	
17.	“...it is better to learn _____ late than never to learn it at all.”	
18.	What was the toy St. Clair was to bring home to his child?	
19.	What does Hugh Boone sell to make money?	

20.	Mrs. Whitney finds the opium den between a "gin-shop" and a "slop-shop". What are these shops?	
21.	How does Dr. Watson cross paths with Sherlock Holmes in "The Man with the Twisted Lip"?	
22.	Neville St. Clair told Sherlock, in the beginning, he thought it would be a good idea to dress up as a beggar to do what?	

Answers

1.	In what year does the story take place?	1889
2.	Who was addicted to opium?	Isa Whitney
3.	What was the name of the opium den?	Bars of Gold
4.	What is the name of the house in which Mr. St. Clair lives?	The Cedars
5.	Holmes indicated that he “deserved to be kicked from here to _____”?	Charing Cross
6.	On what street was Mrs. St. Clair surprised to see Mr. St. Clair?	Swandam Lane
7.	What is the name of the professional beggar?	Hugh Boone
8.	What was received to indicate that Mr. St. Clair was not murdered?	A letter
9.	How much did Neville St. Clair have on deposit in the Capital and Counties Bank?	220 pounds
10.	Exactly what was the contents of the coat found upon the mud bank?	421 pennies, 270 half-pennies
11.	What was the name of the Scotland Yard inspector investigating the case?	Inspector Barton investigating the case
12.	What was St. Clair’s occupation before he became a professional beggar?	Newspaper reporter
13.	What was the term Watson used to describe the rascal who ran the opium den, and kept St. Clair’s secret?	Lascar
14.	What did Boone use to weigh down St. Clair’s overcoat?	Pennies and half-pennies
15.	What color was Holmes’s dressing gown in this story?	Blue dressing gown
16.	What was Mrs. Watson doing when Mrs. Whitney rang the doorbell?	Needlework
17.	“...it is better to learn _____ late than never to learn it at all.”	Wisdom
18.	What was the toy St. Clair was to bring home to his child?	A box of toy bricks
19.	What does Hugh Boone sell to make money?	Wax vestas

20.	Mrs. Whitney finds the opium den between a “gin-shop” and a “slop-shop”. What are these shops?	Gin-shop was a drinking establishment that sold gin as its primary liquor. A slop-shop sold ready-made clothes, so not a tailor’s shop
21.	How does Dr. Watson cross paths with Sherlock Holmes in "The Man with the Twisted Lip"?	Watson finds Holmes in an opium den
22.	Neville St. Clair told Sherlock, in the beginning, he thought it would be a good idea to dress up as a beggar to do what?	He was writing a story about beggars

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