



## The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes

### Adventure XIII -- The Adventure of the Beryl Coronet

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

1.	While at 221B, Holmes looks through what type of window down on the street?	
2.	What covered the ground at the opening of the story?	
3.	What was the name of the firm for which Alexander Holder worked?	
4.	What was the amount against which the Beryl Coronet was pledged?	
5.	How many beryls in the Beryl Coronet?	
6.	What is the name (first and last) of the second waiting-maid?	
7.	What was the name of the person who took the Beryl Coronet from the bureau?	
8.	What was the name of the person falsely accused?	
9.	How old is Alexander's adopted daughter?	
10.	What is the monetary amount of Holmes reward for this case?	
11.	Where else can we find a one-legged man in Watson's casebook?	
12.	From whom did Alexander Holder initially receive the Beryl Coronet?	
13.	What is a "gold-chasing?"	
14.	While it is taboo for first cousins to marry in America, what royal first cousins were married in Victorian England?	
15.	Who does Mr. Holder tell about keeping the coronet in his dressing bureau?	
16.	Besides catching Arthur with the coronet in his possession, what other reason does Mr. Holder have for suspecting his son of stealing three beryls from the coronet?	
17.	What request does Arthur make of his father before his father turns him over to the police?	

18.	Why does Mary turn down Arthur's marriage proposal?	
19.	What does Mary do when the truth is revealed?	
20.	Why does Arthur run after the thief?	
21.	How does Holmes know that Sir George was at the Holder household the night of the robbery?	
22.	Why does Mr. Holder suspect his maid, Lucy Parr, of stealing the beryls?	
23.	On the day of the theft the weather was:	
24.	Mr. Holder accepted the beryl coronet as:	
25.	Mr. Holder believes Holmes can do all of the following except: a) prove his son innocent; b) protect his client's reputation; c) recover the missing beryls; or d) d) protect Holder's business reputation	
26.	I have no doubt that she loved you, but there are women in whom the love of a lover _____ all other loves...	
27.	What article of George Burnwell's cast-off clothing did Holmes purchase?	
28.	What does Arthur ask his father permission to do before he is turned over to the police?	
29.	How much money did Arthur ask from his father the night of the theft?	
30.	What was Francis Prosper's occupation and his disability?	
31.	Holder uses the term "long-purses" to describe the men his son is hanging around with... what does that term mean?	
32.	What other story in the Sherlock Holmes Canon is there is a woman named 'Beryl'?	

**Answers**

1.	While at 221B, Holmes looks through what type of window down on the street?	<b>A bow window</b>
2.	What covered the ground at the opening of the story?	<b>Snow</b>
3.	What was the name of the firm for which Alexander Holder worked?	<b>Holder &amp; Stevenson of Threadneedle Street</b>
4.	What was the amount against which the Beryl Coronet was pledged?	<b>Fifty thousand pounds</b>
5.	How many beryls in the Beryl Coronet?	<b>Thirty-nine</b>
6.	What is the name (first and last) of the second waiting-maid?	<b>Lucy Parr</b>
7.	What was the name of the person who took the Beryl Coronet from the bureau?	<b>Mary</b>
8.	What was the name of the person falsely accused?	<b>Arthur</b>
9.	How old is Alexander's adopted daughter?	<b>Twenty-four</b>
10.	What is the monetary amount of Holmes reward for this case?	<b>One thousand pounds</b>
11.	Where else can we find a one-legged man in Watson's casebook?	<b>The Sign of Four</b>
12.	From whom did Alexander Holder initially receive the Beryl Coronet?	<b>Unknown – conjecture is that it was the Prince of Wales, Albert Edward</b>
13.	What is a "gold-chasing?"	<b>A design engraved on the surface</b>
14.	While it is taboo for first cousins to marry in America, what royal first cousins were married in Victorian England?	<b>Queen Victoria and Prince Albert</b>
15.	Who does Mr. Holder tell about keeping the coronet in his dressing bureau?	<b>His son, Arthur, and his niece, Mary</b>
16.	Besides catching Arthur with the coronet in his possession, what other reason does Mr. Holder have for suspecting his son of stealing three beryls from the coronet?	<b>Arthur has considerable gambling debts.</b>
17.	What request does Arthur make of his father before his father turns him over to the police?	<b>Arthur requests that his father allow him to leave the house for five minutes</b>
18.	Why does Mary turn down Arthur's marriage proposal?	<b>Mary is under the spell of Sir George Burnwell</b>
19.	What does Mary do when the truth is revealed?	<b>Mary leaves her uncle a note saying that she is leaving forever</b>
20.	Why does Arthur run after the thief?	<b>Arthur is trying to protect the woman he loves</b>

21.	How does Holmes know that Sir George was at the Holder household the night of the robbery?	<b>Holmes purchases a pair of Sir George's shoes from Sir George's valet and matches them to the tracks that were left in the snow</b>
22.	Why does Mr. Holder suspect his maid, Lucy Parr, of stealing the beryls?	<b>Lucy has been in his service for only a short time, and she still has many admirers; she may have overheard Mr. Holder mention that he had brought the coronet home</b>
23.	On the day of the theft the weather was:	<b>Snowy</b>
24.	Mr. Holder accepted the beryl coronet as:	<b>Collateral or security on a money advance</b>
25.	Mr. Holder believes Holmes can do all of the following except: e) prove his son innocent; f) protect his client's reputation; g) recover the missing beryls; or h) d) protect Holder's business reputation	<b>Prove his son's innocence</b>
26.	I have no doubt that she loved you, but there are women in whom the love of a lover _____ all other loves...	<b>extinguishes</b>
27.	What article of George Burnwell's cast-off clothing did Holmes purchase?	<b>His shoes</b>
28.	What does Arthur ask his father permission to do before he is turned over to the police?	<b>To go outside for five minutes</b>
29.	How much money did Arthur ask from his father the night of the theft?	<b>200 pounds</b>
30.	What was Francis Prosper's occupation and his disability?	<b>He is a green-grocer, and has a wooden leg</b>
31.	Holder uses the term "long-purses" to describe the men his son is hanging around with... what does that term mean?	<b>Wealthy / with money</b>
32.	What other story in the Sherlock Holmes Canon is there is a woman named 'Beryl'?	<b>Beryl Stapleton, Hound of the Baskervilles</b>

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