



## **The Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes**

## Adventure XXIII - The Adventure of the Resident Patient

- 1. Is this an analytic case or a dramatic one?
- 2. Why were the blinds half drawn on a rainy day?
- 3. How does everybody being out of town affect Watson?
- 4. What would Watson do in the Glades?
- 5. Who else had similar filaments?
- 6. What, today, is like Beecher's mission?
- 7. When did Holmes and Watson dine?
- 8. What instruments indicate general practice? Would they normally be kept in an open wicker basket?
- 9. Why not an older doctor who had just bought new instruments?
- 10. Does "Lucky we came back!" suggest an alternate destination?
- 11. Was the fire lit?
- 12. Why was Trevelyan so run down?
- 13. What heart treatments were then available?
- 14. Were the son's sensitivities realistic? How young could he be after eleven years imprisonment?
- 15. What is the significance of a door closed but not shut?
- 16. How and why was Blessington's room located?
- 17. In what way was Blessington's life irregular?



- 18. Who saw Blessington peering out the window?
- 19. Was Trevelyan paid for one visit or for two?
- 20. What did Blessington want of Holmes?
- 21. Was a fear of banks justified?
- 22. Why did Holmes and Watson walk home?
- 23. Was the hour chosen to avoid Blessington?
- 24. Did Trevelyan start his rounds very early?
- 25. Why no constable?
- 26. Was the key turned or just the bolt forced back?
- 27. Why was Holmes forty-five minutes late?
- 28. Why was Sutton the worst of the gang?
- 29. How did the gang locate Blessington so quickly after their release from prison?
- 30. Were the first two visits really attempts to kill?
- 31. If Blessington had confessed to Holmes, what could Holmes have done?
- 32. Why were the avengers going abroad?

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