

Red-Handed Sherlock

Seat everyone, place every object, and name whoever could not have told the truth.

CASE 01

A man nobody in town knew was found dead at the clock tower.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the clock tower – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the knife from the tailor shop.
- The crowbar was never at the saloon.
- Nothing puts the poison bottle at the saloon.

WHAT THEY SAID

Lior: You will find me at the tailor shop, and nowhere else.
Esme: I was with Iris.
Nils: I spent the whole evening at the tailor shop.
Mira: I was the one carrying the knife.
Gus: I never left Mira's side.
Iris: The poison bottle was in my hands.

TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SALOON 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
FERRY DOCK 1 chair	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

NOTES

CASE 02

The mine agent was found face down at the library.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the library – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The revolver was never at the back office.
- Nothing puts the revolver at the clock tower.
- They recovered the hammer from the studio.
- The bloodied cloth was never at the back office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Mira: I never touched the bloodied cloth.
Cira: The revolver was in my hands.
Finn: I was with Kit.
Kit: I had the hammer.
Gus: Finn and I were together the whole time.
Iris: I could not tell you where the kettle was.

BACK OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER 1 chair	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 03

The debt collector was found face down at the back office.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the back office – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the oil can from the ferry dock.
- The lantern was never at the clock tower.
- The revolver turned up at the studio.

WHAT THEY SAID

Bo: I never left Esme's side.
Ada: Whoever had the lantern was with me.
Ora: The basket was never in my hands.
Cira: If you find the oil can, you find where I was.
Esme: I never left Dev's side.
Dev: I spent the whole evening at the studio.

FERRY DOCK 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER 1 chair	EVIDENCE
BACK OFFICE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 04

A shot was heard at the bakery. The mine agent did not get up.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the bakery – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the ledger from the ferry dock.
- The key blank was never at the market.
- Nothing puts the crowbar at the market.

WHAT THEY SAID

Nils: If you find the crowbar, you find where I was.
Iris: I was at the post office.
Lior: The crowbar was in the room I was in.
Ora: You will find me at the ferry dock, and nowhere else.
Hana: Ask Ora – we were together.
Ada: Nils and I were together the whole time.

MARKET 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
POST OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
FERRY DOCK 1 chair	EVIDENCE
BAKERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

The debt collector was found at the garage, and not breathing.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the garage – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the crowbar at the market.
- The cobblers was clean – no sign of the crowbar.
- The hammer was found at the library.
- Nothing puts the flower pail at the market.

WHAT THEY SAID

Jax: The rope was in my hands.
 Kit: Ask Gus – we were together.
 Bo: Whoever had the hammer was with me.
 Esme: The rope was never in my hands.
 Gus: I was with Bo.
 Finn: Whoever had the crowbar was with me.

LIBRARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
MARKET 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
COBBLERS 1 chair	EVIDENCE
GARAGE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

The strongbox was emptied at the library, and the keeper never woke.

Exactly two accounts are false. One of the two liars was alone at the library – that one did it.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The ledger was found at the tailor shop.
- Nothing puts the rolling pin at the studio.
- They recovered the hammer from the surgery.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ora: Whoever had the hammer was with me.
 Kit: Lior and I were together the whole time.
 Nils: I could not tell you where the knife was.
 Lior: I was with Ora.
 Sol: I spent the whole evening at the tailor shop.
 Bo: If you find the rolling pin, you find where I was.

SURGERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 1 chair	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

NOTES

Answer Key – Red-Handed Sherlock

Solve before peeking. The liar is the one who was alone at the scene.

Case 01	Esme alone at the clock tower Esme said: "I was with Iris." Iris was at the ferry dock, and Esme was at the clock tower. They were not together. Mira also lied, but did not do it. Mira said: "I was the one carrying the knife." The knife was at the tailor shop, but Mira was at the saloon.
Case 02	Gus alone at the library Gus said: "Finn and I were together the whole time." Finn was at the studio, and Gus was at the library. They were not together. Cira also lied, but did not do it. Cira said: "The revolver was in my hands." The revolver was at the library, but Cira was at the back office.
Case 03	Bo alone at the back office Bo said: "I never left Esme's side." Esme was at the studio, and Bo was at the back office. They were not together. Ada also lied, but did not do it. Ada said: "Whoever had the lantern was with me." The lantern was at the back office, but Ada was at the clock tower.
Case 04	Hana alone at the bakery Hana said: "Ask Ora – we were together." Ora was at the ferry dock, and Hana was at the bakery. They were not together. Nils also lied, but did not do it. Nils said: "If you find the crowbar, you find where I was." The crowbar was at the post office, but Nils was at the market.
Case 05	Kit alone at the garage Kit said: "Ask Gus – we were together." Gus was at the library, and Kit was at the garage. They were not together. Finn also lied, but did not do it. Finn said: "Whoever had the crowbar was with me." The crowbar was at the garage, but Finn was at the market.
Case 06	Kit alone at the library Kit said: "Lior and I were together the whole time." Lior was at the surgery, and Kit was at the library. They were not together. Bo also lied, but did not do it. Bo said: "If you find the rolling pin, you find where I was." The rolling pin was at the library, but Bo was at the studio.