

Red-Handed Sherlock

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

CASE 01

A traveller off the mainland boat was found dead at the workshop.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The garage was clean – no sign of the brass key.
- The crowbar was found at the surgery.
- The lantern turned up at the saloon.

WHAT THEY SAID

Cira: You will find me at the surgery, and nowhere else.
Iris: Jax and I were together the whole time.
Bo: The lantern was in my hands.
Jax: I was with Cira.
Gus: I had the brass key.
Hana: The bolt cutter was nowhere near me.

SURGERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SALOON 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
GARAGE 1 chair	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE
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CASE 02

A traveller off the mainland boat was found dead at the surgery.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the poison bottle at the lighthouse.
- They recovered the key blank from the studio.
- The oil can was never at the lighthouse.

WHAT THEY SAID

Kit: The oil can was in the room I was in.
Ada: Ask Kit – we were together.
Cira: I was at the studio.
Esme: I spent the whole evening at the studio.
Hana: If you find the key blank, you find where I was.
Gus: Ask Cira – we were together.

LIGHTHOUSE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SURGERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE
GARAGE 1 chair	EVIDENCE
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CASE 03

The night clerk was found dead at the studio.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The library was clean – no sign of the bolt cutter.
- The tankard was found at the apiary.
- The basket turned up at the workshop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Cira: I never left Nils's side.
Hana: I had the tankard.
Nils: Ask Ora – we were together.
Ora: You will find me at the workshop, and nowhere else.
Sol: I had the bolt cutter.
Finn: The kettle was never in my hands.

APIARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY 1 chair	EVIDENCE
STUDIO (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

NOTES

CASE 04

A shot was heard at the tailor shop. A traveller off the mainland boat did not get up.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The rolling pin turned up at the surgery.
- The post office was clean – no sign of the knife.
- The flower pail was never at the post office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Iris: I spent the whole evening at the surgery.
Esme: Ask Ada – we were together.
Jax: I had the rolling pin.
Ada: The flower pail was in the room I was in.
Finn: I was with Iris.
Bo: I was at the surgery.

POST OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SURGERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SALOON 1 chair	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

The night clerk was found dead at the surgery.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the wrench from the ferry dock.
- The glass plate was never at the library.
- Nothing puts the tankard at the library.

WHAT THEY SAID

Dev: I never left Finn's side.
 Sol: I had the tankard.
 Finn: I spent the whole evening at the ferry dock.
 Gus: If you find the tankard, you find where I was.
 Esme: I never left Sol's side.
 Ada: The tankard was in my hands.

LIBRARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
COBBLERS 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
FERRY DOCK 1 chair	EVIDENCE
SURGERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

A traveller off the mainland boat 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)

- The cobblers was clean – no sign of the crowbar.
- The crowbar was never at the garage.
- Nothing puts the brass key at the cobblers.
- They recovered the knife from the ferry dock.

WHAT THEY SAID

Lior: If you find the knife, you find where I was.
 Bo: Lior and I were together the whole time.
 Dev: The crowbar was in the room I was in.
 Jax: Wherever the bee smoker was, I was not.
 Finn: Ask Bo – we were together.
 Kit: The crowbar was nowhere near me.

FERRY DOCK 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
COBBLERS 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
GARAGE 1 chair	EVIDENCE
CLOCK TOWER (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

NOTES

Answer Key — Red-Handed Sherlock

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

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- Case 01** **Iris** alone at the workshop
Iris said: "Jax and I were together the whole time." Jax was at the surgery, and Iris was at the workshop. They were not together.
Gus also lied, but did not do it. Gus said: "I had the brass key." The brass key was at the workshop, but Gus was at the garage.
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- Case 02** **Ada** alone at the surgery
Ada said: "Ask Kit — we were together." Kit was at the garage, and Ada was at the surgery. They were not together.
Cira also lied, but did not do it. Cira said: "I was at the studio." Cira was not at the studio. Cira was at the lighthouse.
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- Case 03** **Cira** alone at the studio
Cira said: "I never left Nils's side." Nils was at the workshop, and Cira was at the studio. They were not together.
Sol also lied, but did not do it. Sol said: "I had the bolt cutter." The bolt cutter was at the studio, but Sol was at the library.
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- Case 04** **Esme** alone at the tailor shop
Esme said: "Ask Ada — we were together." Ada was at the saloon, and Esme was at the tailor shop. They were not together.
Iris also lied, but did not do it. Iris said: "I spent the whole evening at the surgery." Iris was not at the surgery. Iris was at the post office.
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- Case 05** **Dev** alone at the surgery
Dev said: "I never left Finn's side." Finn was at the ferry dock, and Dev was at the surgery. They were not together.
Sol also lied, but did not do it. Sol said: "I had the tankard." The tankard was at the cobblers, but Sol was at the library.
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- Case 06** **Finn** alone at the clock tower
Finn said: "Ask Bo — we were together." Bo was at the ferry dock, and Finn was at the clock tower. They were not together.
Dev also lied, but did not do it. Dev said: "The crowbar was in the room I was in." The crowbar was at the clock tower, but Dev was at the cobblers.