

Red-Handed Sherlock

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

CASE 01

The debt collector was found dead at the bakery.

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 flower pail from the workshop.
- The glass plate was never at the cobblers.
- The crowbar turned up at the ferry dock.

WHAT THEY SAID

Dev: If you find the crowbar, you find where I was.
 Kit: Ask Iris – we were together.
 Bo: The glass plate was never in my hands.
 Mira: If you find the glass plate, you find where I was.
 Iris: I was with Dev.
 Jax: The rope was never in my hands.

FERRY DOCK 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
COBBLERS 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
WORKSHOP 1 chair	EVIDENCE
BAKERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE
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CASE 02

A shot was heard at the post office. A traveller off the mainland boat did not get up.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The hammer was found at the studio.
- Nothing puts the lantern at the apiary.
- The apiary was clean – no sign of the bolt cutter.

WHAT THEY SAID

Jax: I was at the studio.
 Lior: Ask Gus – we were together.
 Ada: You will find me at the studio, and nowhere else.
 Gus: I had the bolt cutter.
 Ora: The hammer was in my hands.
 Cira: Ask Jax – we were together.

APIARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
POST OFFICE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE
GARAGE 1 chair	EVIDENCE
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CASE 03

The new foreman was found face down at the apiary.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the revolver at the lighthouse.
- The lighthouse was clean – no sign of the bee smoker.
- The glass plate was found at the tailor shop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Kit: The glass plate was in the room I was in.
 Bo: If you find the bee smoker, you find where I was.
 Finn: I had the glass plate.
 Esme: Bo and I were together the whole time.
 Sol: I never left Ada's side.
 Ada: I had the glass plate.

TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
APIARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE
SALOON 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 04

They carried the debt collector out of the market at first light.

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

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the wrench from the surgery.
- The rolling pin was never at the back office.
- Nothing puts the lantern at the back office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Lior: I was the one carrying the wrench.
 Ora: Mira and I were together the whole time.
 Ada: I never left Esme's side.
 Mira: I was the one carrying the lantern.
 Esme: I was at the surgery.
 Sol: I spent the whole evening at the surgery.

BACK OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SURGERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
GARAGE 1 chair	EVIDENCE
MARKET (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

The new foreman was found dead at the bakery.

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 revolver from the ferry dock.
- The crowbar was never at the garage.
- The lantern turned up at the post office.

WHAT THEY SAID

Iris: I was the one carrying the lantern.
Mira: I was with Gus.
Gus: Ask Ora – we were together.
Kit: Wherever the kettle was, I was not.
Ora: Whoever had the revolver was with me.
Jax: The crowbar was in the room I was in.

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

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CASE 06

The company man was found face down 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 hammer turned up at the back office.
- The tailor shop was clean – no sign of the flower pail.
- The kettle was never at the tailor shop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Hana: The hammer was in my hands.
Cira: I was the one carrying the hammer.
Finn: Whoever had the hammer was with me.
Iris: Ada and I were together the whole time.
Ada: If you find the kettle, you find where I was.
Bo: I was with Finn.

BACK OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
STUDIO (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE
BAKERY 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	Kit	alone at the bakery	Kit said: "Ask Iris — we were together." Iris was at the ferry dock, and Kit was at the bakery. They were not together. Mira also lied, but did not do it. Mira said: "If you find the glass plate, you find where I was." The glass plate was at the bakery, but Mira was at the cobblers.
Case 02	Lior	alone at the post office	Lior said: "Ask Gus — we were together." Gus was at the garage, and Lior was at the post office. They were not together. Jax also lied, but did not do it. Jax said: "I was at the studio." Jax was not at the studio. Jax was at the apiary.
Case 03	Esme	alone at the apiary	Esme said: "Bo and I were together the whole time." Bo was at the saloon, and Esme was at the apiary. They were not together. Ada also lied, but did not do it. Ada said: "I had the glass plate." The glass plate was at the tailor shop, but Ada was at the lighthouse.
Case 04	Ora	alone at the market	Ora said: "Mira and I were together the whole time." Mira was at the garage, and Ora was at the market. They were not together. Esme also lied, but did not do it. Esme said: "I was at the surgery." Esme was not at the surgery. Esme was at the back office.
Case 05	Mira	alone at the bakery	Mira said: "I was with Gus." Gus was at the ferry dock, and Mira was at the bakery. They were not together. Jax also lied, but did not do it. Jax said: "The crowbar was in the room I was in." The crowbar was at the bakery, but Jax was at the garage.
Case 06	Iris	alone at the studio	Iris said: "Ada and I were together the whole time." Ada was at the bakery, and Iris was at the studio. They were not together. Finn also lied, but did not do it. Finn said: "Whoever had the hammer was with me." The hammer was at the back office, but Finn was at the tailor shop.