

Red-Handed Medium

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

CASE 01

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

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the library.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The hammer was never at the bakery.

WHAT THEY SAID

Cira: I had the kettle.
Gus: Ask Finn – we were together.
Ada: I could not tell you where the kettle was.
Lior: I had the hammer.
Finn: I was with Cira.

BAKERY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 02

They carried the man nobody in town knew out of the tailor shop at first light.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the tailor shop.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The rope was found at the clock tower.

WHAT THEY SAID

Sol: I never touched the kettle.
Ora: I never left Kit's side.
Bo: I was with Ora.
Lior: I had the rope.
Kit: The kettle was in the room I was in.

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

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CASE 03

They carried the mine agent out of the surgery at first light.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the surgery.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- Nothing puts the crowbar at the cobblers.

WHAT THEY SAID

Cira: The bolt cutter was in the room I was in.
Jax: I could not tell you where the key blank was.
Iris: Cira and I were together the whole time.
Kit: I never left Iris's side.
Dev: If you find the crowbar, you find where I was.

COBBLERS 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
TAILOR SHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
SURGERY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 04

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

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the apiary.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The lantern was found at the cobblers.

WHAT THEY SAID

Bo: Ask Dev – we were together.
Lior: The lantern was in the room I was in.
Dev: I never left Lior's side.
Hana: I never touched the lantern.
Ora: The ledger was never in my hands.

COBBLERS 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
MARKET 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
APIARY (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 05

The mine agent was found dead at the lighthouse.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the lighthouse.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- The hammer was never at the workshop.

WHAT THEY SAID

Iris: Ask Finn – we were together.
Lior: Iris and I were together the whole time.
Sol: I was the one carrying the knife.
Esme: I was at the post office.
Finn: I spent the whole evening at the workshop.

WORKSHOP 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
POST OFFICE 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

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CASE 06

The insurance man was found face down at the lighthouse.

Exactly one account is false, and whoever gave it was alone at the lighthouse.

FOUND AT THE SCENE (always true)

- They recovered the basket from the library.

WHAT THEY SAID

Ada: If you find the key blank, you find where I was.
Iris: I never went near the lighthouse.
Ora: Nils and I were together the whole time.
Nils: I never left Ada's side.
Dev: I never went near the lighthouse.

CLOCK TOWER 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIBRARY 2 chairs	EVIDENCE
LIGHTHOUSE (SCENE) 1 chair	EVIDENCE

NOTES

Answer Key – Red-Handed Medium

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

Case 01	Gus	alone at the library
Gus said: "Ask Finn – we were together." Finn was at the bakery, and Gus was at the library. They were not together.		

Case 02	Bo	alone at the tailor shop
Bo said: "I was with Ora." Ora was at the ferry dock, and Bo was at the tailor shop. They were not together.		

Case 03	Kit	alone at the surgery
Kit said: "I never left Iris's side." Iris was at the cobblers, and Kit was at the surgery. They were not together.		

Case 04	Bo	alone at the apiary
Bo said: "Ask Dev – we were together." Dev was at the cobblers, and Bo was at the apiary. They were not together.		

Case 05	Lior	alone at the lighthouse
Lior said: "Iris and I were together the whole time." Iris was at the workshop, and Lior was at the lighthouse. They were not together.		

Case 06	Ora	alone at the lighthouse
Ora said: "Nils and I were together the whole time." Nils was at the clock tower, and Ora was at the lighthouse. They were not together.		