

Sherlock Holmes Crossword Puzzles

"The number of Napoleons plus the number of Randall gang"

"The kind of Pedro whence came the tiger"

"What was done of the opposite wall in bullet-pocks by the patriotic Holmes"

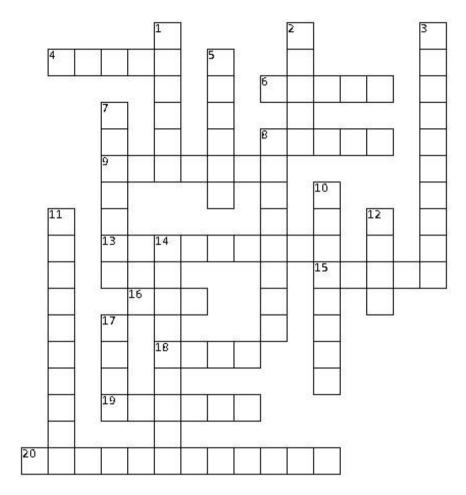
"Holmes found this because he was looking for it in the mud."

The above clues were just a few featured on the original Sherlock Holmes crossword puzzle created by Frank V. Morley, one of the founders of the original Baker Street Irregulars in 1934. In order to gain admission into the club and be able to attend the first dinner of the society, applicants had to complete the puzzle, which appeared in the *Saturday Review of Literature*. The famous dinner was held at the Christ Cella Restaurant in New York with members Rex Stout, John Bennett Shaw, and Frederic Dorr Steele.

The five crossword puzzles here feature characters, creatures, aliases, *modus operandi*, and story titles. Answering the trivia questions in the first nine chapters or taking a preliminary peek at the answer section will give hints to some of the clues.

These can be printed our for some fun, just be sure to hide the answer pages before you start!

PUZZLE 1 Chemicals, Clues, and Deadly Things



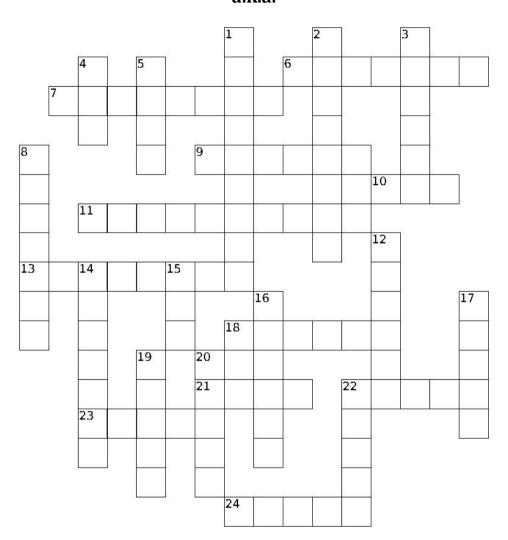
- 4 Silver Blaze" spice*
- 6 Silver Blaze" weapon*
- 8 The Hound of the Baskervilles footwear*
- 9 The Hound of the Baskervilles scented clue
- 13 The Adventure of the Bruce-Partington Plans" machine
- 15 The Man with the Twisted Lip" drug*
- 16 The Adventure of the Devil's Foot" poison*
- 18 The Five Orange Pips" organization
- 19 The Adventure of the Priory School" monograph*
- 20 The Red-Headed League" reference book

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- 1 The Sign of Four slimy dinner dish
- 2 The Sign of Four Andaman native
- 3 The Disappearance of Lady Frances Carfax" anesthetic*
- 5 The Adventure of the Empty House" weapon*
- 7 The Adventure of the Blanched Soldier" disease*
- 8 The Adventure of the Abbey Grange" wine residue*
- 10 The Sign of Four tar*
- 11 The Adventure of the Second Stain" smear*
- 12 The Adventure of the Veiled Lodger
- 14 The Adventure of Charles Augustus Milverton" crime
- 17 The Adventure of the Sussex Vampire" weapon*

*Indicates puzzle theme.

PUZZLE 2 a.k.a.



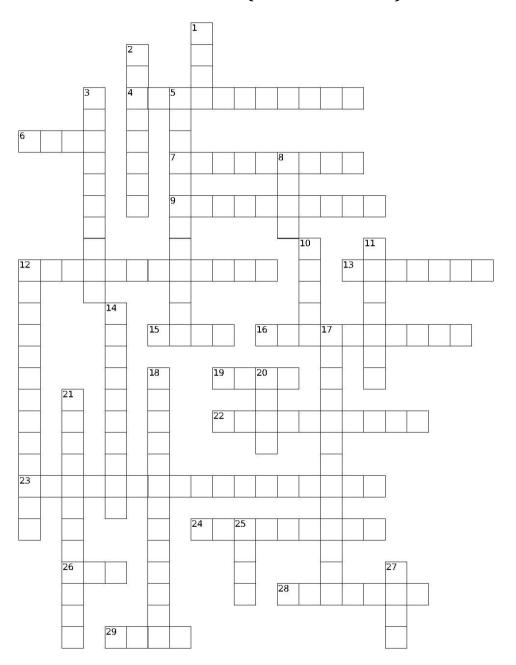
- 6 Nickname for Perry Phelps in "The Naval Treaty"*
- 7 Device used to create carbonated water for mixing drinks
- 9 Dr. Shlessinger in "The Disappearance of Lady Frances Carfax"*
- 10 Initials for Holmes' fan club
- 11 Steve Dixie in "The Adventure of the Three Gables"*
- 13 James Ryder in "The Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle"*
- 18 Dr. Watson in "The Adventure of the Illustrious Client"*
- 21 Collection of stolen jewels in The Sign of Four
- 22 Dr. Watson in "The Stock- broker's Clerk"*
- 23 Morecroft in "The Adventure of the Three Garridebs"*
- 24 Black Peter in "The Adventure of Black Peter"*

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- 1 Don Murillo in "The Adventure of Wisteria Lodge"*
- 2 Ted Baldwin in The Valley of Fear*
- 3 Duncan Ross in "The Red-Headed League"*
- 4 Initials of notorious blackmailer
- 5 Number of Holmes novels written by Conan Doyle
- 8 John McMurdo in The Valley of Fear"*
- 12 One of the Beddington brothers in "The Stock-broker's Clerk"*
- 14 Evans in "The Gloria Scott"*
- 15 Number of Napoleons
- 16 Holmes in "The Stock-broker's Clerk"*
- 17 Number of Garridebs
- 19 The King of Bohemia in "A Scandal in Bohemia"*
- 20 Holmes in "The Adventure of Black Peter"*
- 22 Nickname for Shinwell Johnson in "The Adventure of the Illustrious Client"*

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PUZZLE 3 In Other Words (Reworded Titles)



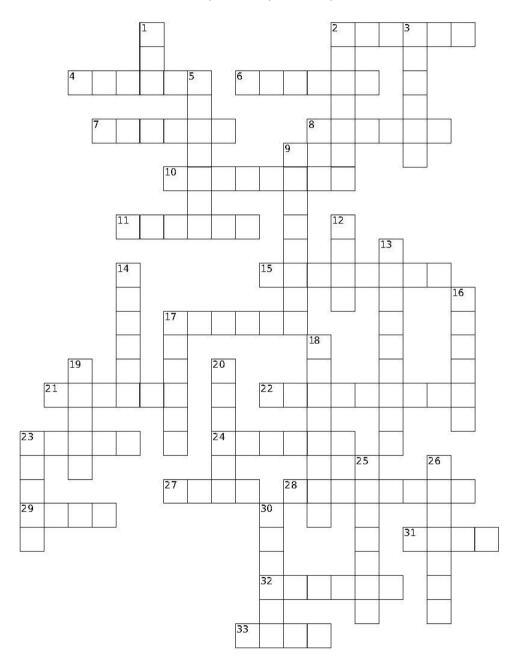
- 4 Maritime Act*
- 6 Official abbreviation for The Valley of Fear
- 7 Jellyfish*
- 9 Satan's Appendage*
- 12 Splotched Stripe*
- 13 Builder
- 15 **Official abbreviation for "The Adventure of the Priory School**
- 16 Prancing Fellows*
- 19 Official abbreviation for The Adventure of the Missing Three-Quarter
- 22 Twisted Guy*
- 23 Bright Customer*
- 24 Diamond
- 26 Initials for submarine schematics.
- 28 Final Bend*
- 29 Official abbreviation for The Adventure of the Creeping Man

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- 1 Official abbreviation for "The Adventure of the Mazarin Stone
- 2 Eye Glasses*
- 3 Pale Front*
- 5 Masked Resident*
- 8 Official abbreviation for "The Musgrave Ritual
- 10 Sacred writings
- 11 Crown
- 12 Bloodthirsty*
- 14 Unoccupied Dwelling*
- 17 Brassy Wood*
- 18 Vined Cottage*
- 20 Official abbreviation for The Stockbroker's Clerk
- 21 Last Conflict*
- 25 Official abbreviation for The Adventure of the Retired Colourman
- 27 **Official abbreviation for "The Adventure of the Golden Pince-Nez**

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PUZZLE 4 Butlers, Maids, Valets, etc.

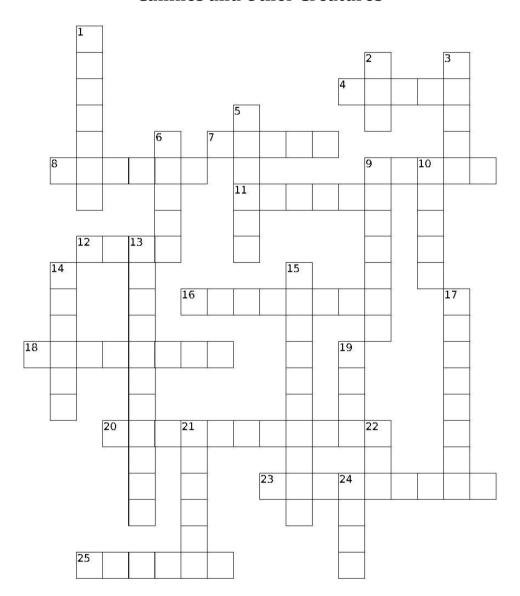


- 2 Von Bork's housekeeper in "His Last Bow
- 4 Butler at Whitehall Terrace in "The Adventure of the Second Stain
- 6 Countess Morcar's maid in "The Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle
- 7 Cook and housekeeper for the Tregennis family in "The Adventure of the Devil's Foot
- 8 Former gardener at High Gable in "The Adventure of Wisteria Lodge
- 10 Coachman for Professor Presbury in "The Adventure of the Creeping Man
- 11 John Straker's maid in "Silver Blaze
- 15 Housemaid for the Hilton Cubitts in "The Adventure of the Dancing Men
- 17 Lady Frances Carfax's maid in "The Disappearance of Lady Frances Carfax
- 21 Eduardo Lucas' valet in "The Adventure of the Second Stain
- 22 Bartholomew Sholto's housekeeper in The Sign of Four
- 23 Housekeeper at Birlstone Manor in The Valley of Fear
- 24 Cunningham's coachman in "The Reigate Squires
- 27 **Second waiting maid in "The Adventure of the Beryl** Coronet
- 28 Eugenia Ronder's landlady in "The Adventure of the Veiled Lodger
- 29 Charles McCarthy's groom in "The Boscombe Valley Mystery
- 31 **Don Murillo's valet in "The Adventure of** Wisteria Lodge
- 32 Holmes' first housekeeper
- 33 Openshaw's servant in "The Five Orange Pips

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- 1 Indian butler of Bartholomew Sholto in The Sign of Four
- 2 Robert Ferguson's stableboy in "The Adventure of the Sussex Vampire
- 3 Jephro Rucastle's groom in "The Adventure of the Copper Beeches
- 5 Housemaid to the Barclays in "The Crooked Man
- 9 Dr. Watson's clumsy housekeeper in "A Scandal in Bohemia
- 12 Cook at Riding Thorpe Manor in "The Adventure of the Dancing Men
- 13 Jonas Oldacre's housekeeper in "The Norwood Builder
- 14 Housemaid and nurse of Lady Brackenstall in "The Adventure of the Abbey Grange
- 16 Stableboy in "The Adventure of Shoscombe Old Place
- 17 Childhood governess of Lady Frances Carfax in "The Disappearance of Lady Frances Carfax
- 18 Gardener at Yoxley Old Place in "The Adventure of the Golden Pince-Nez
- 19 Sherlock Holmes' page
- 20 Housekeeper of Professor Coram in "The Adventure of the Golden Pince-Nez
- 23 Maid of Hatty Doran in "The Adventure of the Noble Bachelor
- 25 **John Turner's gamekeeper in "The Boscombe** Valley Mystery
- 26 Maid of Mrs. Ferguson in "The Adventure of the Sussex Vampire
- 30 **Housemaid of Charles Augustus Milverton in "The** Adventure of Charles Augustus Milverton

PUZZLE 5 Canines and Other Creatures



- 4 Mastiff in "The Adventure of the Copper Beeches"*
- 7 Animal with phosphorus eyes*
- 8 County where Holmes retired
- 9 Number of gables
- 11 Sir Robert Norberton's racehorse in "The Adventure of Shoscombe Old Place"*
- 12 Part spaniel and part lurcher in The Sign of Four*
- 16 Holmes' first London address
- 18 Fitzroy McPherson's dog in "The Adventure of the Lion's Mane"*
- 20 Victor Trevor's dog in "The Gloria Scott"*
- 23 Deadly sea creature in "The Adventure of the Lion's Mane"*
- 25 Horse owned by Colonel Ross in "Silver Blaze"*

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- 1 Dr. Watson's dog in A Study in Scarlet*
- 2 Rodent featured in the unchronicled Holmes case of Matilda Briggs*
- 3 Christmas dinner in "The Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle"*
- 5 Part foxhound and part beagle in "The Adventure of the Missing Three-Quarter"*
- 6 Pet mongoose of Henry Wood in "The Crooked Man"*
- 9 Mrs. Hudson's dog in A Study in Scarlet*
- 10 Watson's sport
- 13 Chester Wilcox's dogs in The Valley of Fear*
- 14 Holmes' sport
- 15 One type of animal featured in "The Adventure of Shoscombe Old Place"*
- 17 Another type of animal featured in "The Adventure of Shoscombe Old Place"*
- 19 Number of pips
- 21 **Primate responsible for Professor Presbury's odd behavior in "The** Adventure of the Creeping Man
- 22 Wolfhound in "The Adventure of the Creeping Man"*
- 24 Sahara King of "The Adventure of the Veiled Lodger"*

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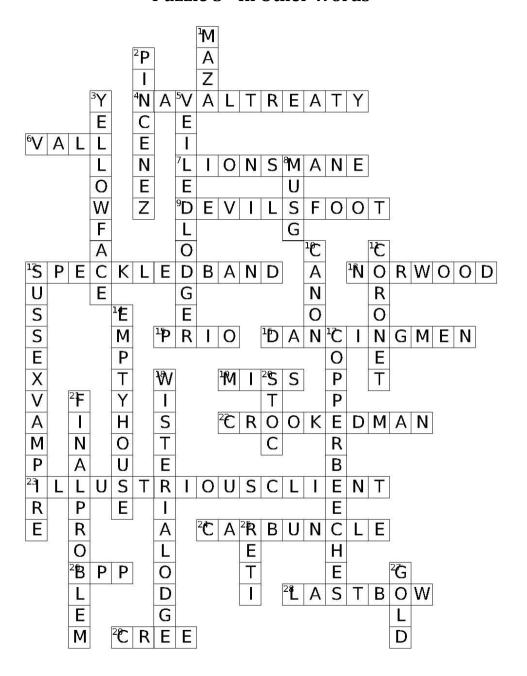
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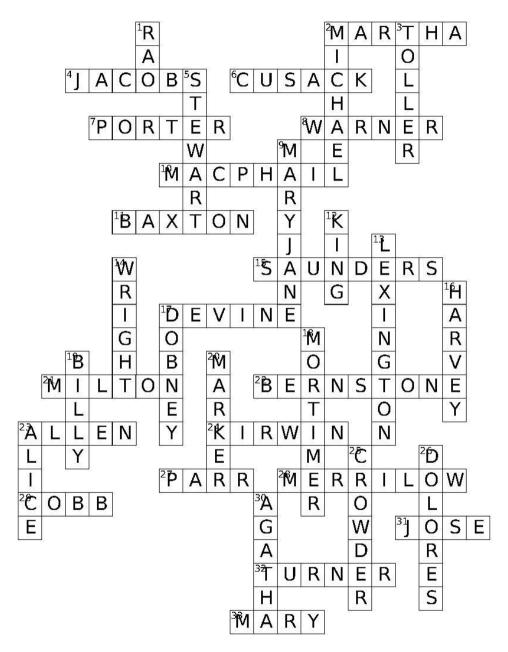
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