

QUIZ: THE PROBLEM WITH THOR BRIDGE
Nashville Scholars of the Three Pipe Problem
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1. In what month does this story take place?

2. A visitor to 221B is announced by a household page. What is the page's name?

3. What is the name of the thin, nervous man whose arrival the page announces?

4. Watson mentions a James Phillimore who disappeared after stepping back into his own house to retrieve what object?

5. In what country was Mrs. Gibson born?

6. How is Grace Dunbar's hair described?

A: Blonde B: Brunette C: Chestnut D: Auburn

7. Mrs. Gibson left a note for Grace Dunbar and requested a secret reply. Where was Dunbar instructed to leave this reply?

8. To what object did Holmes tie Watson's revolver in order to conduct his experiment?

9. How many trees are in the yard behind the house in Baker Street?

10. A revolver with one empty chamber was found, suggesting Grace Dunbar's guilt. Where was it discovered?

11. What political office did Neil Gibson at one time hold?

12. From what hotel did Neil Gibson write to Holmes?

- a. Claridges b. Hotel Dulong c. Bentleys d. St. Pancras Hotel

13. In the vaults of which bank did Watson keep his dispatch box?

- a. City & Suburban Bank b. Capital & Counties Bank, Oxford Street Branch
c. Worthingtons, Regents Park d. Cox & Co., Charing Cross

14. How many children did the Gibsons have?

15. Neil Gibson is described by Watson as being physically similar to which famous American?

Answers:

01. October

02. Billy

03. Marlowe Bates

04. Umbrella

05. Brazil

06. B (Brunette)

07. On the sundial in the garden

08. A stone

09. One (a solitary plane tree)

10. On the floor of her wardrobe

11. Senator (for some western state)

12. A (Claridges)

13. D (Cox & Co.)

14. Two

15. Abraham Lincoln