

The October 2020 Library Word Search Plus

Crime and Conflict: The Sherlock Holmes Special

First answer the questions to find the words:

1. Sherlock Holmes's first appearance was in the 1887 story "A Study in _____"
2. Sherlock was created by the British writer and medical doctor Sir Arthur _____ Conan Doyle
3. In the stories Holmes's friend and biographer is Doctor _____ H Watson
4. Dr Watson received his medical degree from the University of _____
5. Dr Watson often shares quarters with Sherlock at the address of 221B _____ Street
6. Conan Doyle repeatedly said that Sherlock was inspired by the real-life surgeon _____ Bell
7. Sherlock's older brother Mycroft first appears in the story "The Adventure of the Greek _____"
8. Mycroft is a government official and a founding member of the _____ Club
9. Appearing in three stories are the Baker Street _____, a group of street urchins
10. These urchins are reputedly led by a boy called _____
11. In the 1890 novel "The Sign of the Four", Dr Watson becomes engaged to a governess called Mary _____
12. The story "The Adventure of the Blue _____" first appeared in the Strand Magazine in January 1892
13. The 1893 short story "The Adventure of the _____ Scott" is chronologically the earliest case in the Sherlock Holmes canon being set in Sherlock's university days
14. In the 1893 short story "The Final Problem", we meet Sherlock's archenemy, the criminal mastermind, Professor James _____ and
15. it is in "The Final Problem" that it appears Sherlock has met his end by going over the _____ Falls while fighting with the Professor, and
16. it is in the 1903 short story "The Adventure of the _____ House" that we discover Sherlock is still alive
17. Possibly the best-loved Homes novel is "The Hound of the _____" which was originally serialised in The Strand Magazine from August 1901 to April 1902
18. In "A Scandal in _____" we meet the retired American opera singer and actress Irene Adler who Sherlock refers to as "The Woman"
19. From 1939 to 1946, Basil _____ played Holmes in fourteen U.S. films
20. _____ Brett played the detective from 1984 to 94 in the TV series *Sherlock Holmes*
21. In 2011, Anthony _____ published a Sherlock Holmes novel "The House of Silk"
22. Inspector _____ Jones, the Scotland Yard detective who first appears in "The Sign of the Four", takes centre stage in Anthony's 2014 follow-up novel "Moriarty"
23. "The 2005 book by author Mitch Cullin, "Slight _____ of the Mind", is a tale about the elderly Sherlock and was adapted into the 2015 Film *Mr Holmes* with Ian McKellen in the title role
24. A brief preface (by John H Watson, MD) in the 1917 collection of short stories "His Last Bow: Some Reminiscences of Sherlock Holmes" assures readers that Sherlock is long retired from his profession of detective but is still alive and well, albeit suffering from a touch of _____.

Now find the words on the grid - horizontally, vertically, diagonally and backwards!

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