



The Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes

Adventure XXV – The Adventure of the Naval Treaty

At 12,701 words, this tale is the longest of all 56 Canonical short stories — some 50 per cent longer than the average, in fact.

What does it have, by way of plot, character, atmosphere or skill in story-telling, to justify such verbosity?



Chris Redmond

May 10, 1996