



## The Casebook of Sherlock Holmes

### Adventure LIII – The Adventure of the Three Garridebs

1. Would a knighthood have hampered Holmes in his work?
2. Did Watson suggest that the offer of a knighthood was attempted royal bribery?
3. Did the chairs at 221B make a bed preferable, or was it a new mattress?
4. Does Garrideb as a name suggest any nationality?
5. Were directories, other than telephone, available?
6. Why are initials rather than first names common in British (and Canadian) phone books?
7. Did Holmes deduce any personality from the responsive eyes?
8. Would a recently arrived person normally encounter pictures of Holmes?
9. What other business could have kept John Garrideb from finding Nathan promptly?
10. Was being clean-shaven reflective of circumstances or only of national style?
11. Should Watson have thought a 44-year-old to be quite a young man?
12. When does twilight occur in London in the latter part of June?
13. Why did Nathan tell John of the 6 p.m. visit when asked not to?
14. Why would cataloging take so long with items so well labeled and classified?
15. Why didn't Holmes expect Nathan to tell John of his plans?
16. Were house agents apt to have evening hours?



17. Did Evans find building political influence impossible in England?
18. Should Watson have fired his revolver?
19. Why weren't the owner, house agents or Mrs. Saunders curious about a sealed-off basement room?
20. Did Evans find entering through the basement impractical during his six or more months of freedom?
21. If he was so well supplied with funds, why did Prescott take a card game so seriously?
22. If they were so perfect, how did the Yard learn about the counterfeit notes?
23. What is a bolt-hole?
24. Why did Holmes have Watson make his telephone calls?

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