

In a nutshell

2 Notes, notices and labels

Look at the following notes, notices and labels. What do they say? Choose the correct answer — A, B or C.

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- A Church services are finished for the day.
- B Reverend Hooper is too ill to work today, but he will feel better next week.
- C Another minister will do Reverend Hooper's job today because he is ill.

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For snake bites:

Apply cream within 10 minutes
of bite and see a doctor immediately.



- A If a snake bites you, wait 10 minutes and then put on the cream.
- B Put the cream on a few minutes before a snake bites you.
- C If a snake bites you, put the cream on as soon as you can.

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Turn left at the crossroads by
the Three Duck Inn. Barwyke
Hall is three miles down the road.

- A To reach Barwyke Hall, turn left at the crossroads and travel 3 miles.
- B To reach the Three Duck Inn, turn left at the crossroads by the Hall.
- C Don't stop at the Three Duck Inn if you want to reach Barwyke Hall.

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- A A tiger is attacking people on the main roads.
- B You should try to lock the tiger in a cage if you see it at night.
- C Animals and people in the area may be in danger from a wild animal.

5 Dear Reverend Hooper,

A group from your congregation
will be coming to your house this
evening. Please speak with us.

We need answers.

- A Some people will come to Reverend Hooper's house to ask him some questions.
- B A group of people need to use Reverend Hooper's house for a meeting.
- C Someone needs to speak with Reverend Hooper about a group of people from the congregation.

Which story do each of the questions above go with? Write D for 'Dickon the Devil', R for *The Return of Imray* and M for *The Minister's Black Veil*.

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3 Who am I?

Read the sentences and decide which character each one is about. Write the letter of the right character next to the correct sentence. You may use some characters more than once. There is an example at the beginning (0).

- A Reverend Hooper
- B the narrator of *The Return of Imray*
- C the narrator of 'Dickon the Devil'
- D Elizabeth
- E Strickland
- F Tietjens
- G Tom Wyndsour
- H Bahadur Khan
- I Dickon
- J Squire Bowes

0 E I treat my dog as well as a person.

1 I hid my face from the world.

2 I wouldn't sleep in the house where a dead body was hidden.

3 I killed a man because of a strange belief.

4 I became a powerful speaker.

5 I was driven mad by a ghost.

6 I loved a man but couldn't live with him.

7 I had to stay in a haunted house to do some business.

8 I never sit down to dinner.

9 I am afraid of snakes and ghosts.

10 I am the gardener of Barwyke Hall.

11 I caused a lot of rumors in my village.

12 I was a kind person when I was alive, but after I died I hurt people.