

Murder On The Orient Express Multiple Choice Part Two: 13-15

Part Two, Chapters 13-15
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* Indicates required question

1. Your Name: Last, First *

2. Which of the following is NOT one of the three possibilities Poirot presents regarding the time of the murder? (13) * 1 point

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- a. The crime was committed at quarter past one.
- b. The crime was committed after quarter past one and the evidence of the watch was deliberately faked.
- c. The crime was committed earlier than quarter past one and the evidence of the watch was deliberately faked.
- d. The crime was committed at midnight, based on the time Miss Ohlsson entered Mr. Ratchett's room.

5. What prompts the decision to search the passengers' luggage? (13) *

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- a. M. Bouc becomes eager to search the passengers' luggage for the missing Wagon Lit uniform and scarlet kimono, hoping to reveal the stranger's identity.
- b. Dr. Constantine becomes eager to search the passengers' luggage for the missing Wagon Lit uniform and scarlet kimono, hoping to reveal the stranger's identity.
- c. Poirot becomes eager to search the passengers' luggage for the missing Wagon Lit uniform and scarlet kimono, hoping to reveal the stranger's identity.
- d. The Wagon Lit conductor becomes eager to search the passengers' luggage for the missing Wagon Lit uniform and scarlet kimono, hoping to reveal the stranger's identity.

6. After Mrs. Hubbard bursts into the dining car, exclaiming about a great bloodied knife in her sponge bag and passing out, Poirot is convinced the knife they find is the murder weapon. How does Constantine address the issue of two murderers and one knife? (14)

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- a. He has no explanation for there only being one knife and two murderers.
- b. He states that thousands of these imitation Eastern daggers are made and shipped to the bazaars of Constantinople.
- c. He states that these knives are sold at Vincovci, so several of the passengers could have purchased one.
- d. He believes that the two murderers were in the room at the same time and used the same knife.

7. What discrepancy does Poirot observe regarding the lock's position in Mrs. Hubbard's compartments? (14) * 1 point

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- a. He noticed that in Mrs. Hubbard's new compartment, the lock is to the left of the door handle, in the previous compartment it is to the right of the handle.
- b. He noticed that in Mrs. Hubbard's new compartment, the lock is to the right of the door handle, in the previous compartment it is to the left of the handle.
- c. He noticed that in Mrs. Hubbard's new compartment, the lock is below the door handle, in the previous compartment it is above the handle.
- d. He noticed that in Mrs. Hubbard's new compartment, the lock is above the door handle, in the previous compartment it is below the handle.

8. How does Poirot justify his interrogation approach to M. Bouc, despite M. Bouc's concerns that Mary Debenham may become defensive and share their conversation with Colonel Arbuthnot? (15) * 1 point

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- a. "Mon ami, if you wish to catch a rabbit you put a ferret into the hole, and if the rabbit is there he runs. That is all I have done."
- b. "Mon ami, if you wish to grab a tiger by the tail, you must first provoke him. That is all I have done."
- b. "Mon ami, if you wish to catch a killer, you must first shake the tree and see what falls out. That is all I have done."
- d. "Mon ami, if you wish to catch a killer, you must use a killer. That is all I have done."

9. After finding the Wagon Lit uniform in Hildegarde's luggage, what unusual question does Poirot ask? What is her reaction? (15) * 1 point

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- a. He asks if she is a good cook. She says, "Yes, indeed, all my ladies have said so." She continues to smile and appears very happy.
- b. He asks if she is a good cook. She smiles and says, "Yes, my husband always bragged about my cooking." Then she stops talking and looks frightened.
- c. He asks if she is a good cook. She laughs and says, "No sir, I am a terrible cook, all my ladies have said so. I—" Then she stops talking and looks frightened.
- d. He asks if she is a good cook. She smiles and says, "Yes, indeed, all my ladies have said so. I—" Then she stops talking and looks frightened.

10. What is found in the pocket of the Wagon Lit uniform? (15) * 1 point

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- a. A dagger is found in the pocket of the uniform.
- b. A Wagon Lit pass key is found in the pocket of the uniform.
- c. A pipe is found in the pocket of the uniform.
- d. A button is found in the pocket of the uniform.

11. Where does Poirot find the scarlet silk kimono? (15) * 1 point

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- a. He finds the kimono in M Bouc's luggage.
- b. He finds the kimono in Dr. Constantine's luggage.
- c. He finds the kimono in his luggage.
- d. He finds the kimono in the dining car's kitchen.