

LISTENING ACTIVITY
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MILLION DOLLAR THEFT IN SAN FRANCISCO

PART 1

1. Listen to the audio and complete the text. Choose the word/s from the basket below.

- remain • theft • solve • ridiculous • returned • noticed • heard
- responsible • custody • investigate

When he **1** he said, "I'm sorry Mr Hardy, but I have to take you into **2** I'm not arresting you, but you are a suspect, and you'll have to **3** at the police station for a few days while we **4**"

"What? A suspect!" cried John, angrily. "Do you think I stole the diary? This is **5** ! I've worked for Pinkerton for fifteen years..."

"You have the right to remain silent. anything you say can and will be used against you," said Sgt. Chan. "Now please follow me."

When Susan and her mother **6** the news they were very upset and started crying.

They knew that John had nothing to do with the **7** But who stole the diary and how? It was a mystery.

Susan looked at her mom and said, "Please don't cry. We know dad is an honest and **8** man. He's one of Pinkerton's best men. I want to talk to Brian, who was at the hotel when dad was there. Perhaps he **9** something. I'm going to try and **10** this mystery."

QUICK QUIZ!

2. Complete the table with the correct adjective and adverb. The noun is already given.

NOUN	ADJECTIVE	ADVERB
1. anger
2. laziness
3. sadness
4. hunger
5. excitement



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PART 2

3.  Listen to the audio and then do the activity below. Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?

1. Sgt. Lopez looked at the list of the people who worked at the hotel ten years ago. T F
2. Joe Cobb worked at the hotel as a waiter. T F
3. Debbie Cobb didn't work there anymore. T F
4. Mr Cunningham's office had expensive furniture. T F
5. Joe and Debbie Cobb stole a beautiful painting from a shopping center a few years ago. T F
6. Mr Cunningham already knew about the theft of Joe and Debbie Cobb. T F

QUICK QUIZ!

4. Complete the sentences with either: **WHAT, WHEN, WHO, WHY** or **HOW**.

1. old is Mr Cunningham?
2. time does the gym open?
3. stole Mark Twain's secret diary?
4. is John Hardy very upset?
5. do you have breakfast?

