## **ACCUSATION**

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After interviewing the suspects, you return to the police station and review their statements in more detail. Their stories are generally consistent, but obviously one of the suspects has not been completely honest.

Later that evening, the CSI team drops a report on your desk. It tells you that each of the nine rooms of Tudor Hall contained at least one piece of evidence dropped by a suspect, with the most highly-trafficked rooms containing the most evidence. In contrast, the hallways were remarkable clean, with no clues to be found.

You return to the suspects' testimonies. The forensic facts of the case imbue them with a new layer of meaning. You're reminded of a lesson you've learned in the past...

it is a mistake to confound strangeness with mystery.

Ah, of course! There's something about this case that reminds you of that classic short story, but there seems to be a new twist. Who killed Mr. Boddy, and where?

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