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THE GREAT DETECTIVE OF THE  
EAST...!?





CONAN-KUN!?

G!



Y, YES SIR!

HEY, GO CALL ONE!!

SOMEONE CALL A DOCTOR!!

WOAH, HE'S BURNING UP...



JAPANESE ROOM.....?

HE ASKED WHERE THE JAPANESE ROOM WAS AND WENT OFF...

HUH? WHERE DID HATTORI-KUN'S NOT HERE?







OK!!

IT'S AT THE  
END OF THE  
HALLWAY!!



THE, USE THE  
BED IN MY  
ROOM!

EXCUSE ME, IS  
THERE SOME-  
WHERE HE CAN  
LIE DOWN?



I'VE GOT  
IT.....

HA,  
HATTORI-  
KUN!?



AND THE  
CRIMINAL!!

THE TRICK  
USED,



IT'S  
BECAUSE  
YOU'RE  
NOT  
DOING  
ANY-  
THING!!

H, HE  
ALREADY  
SOLVED IT?



WHAT DID  
YOU SAY!?

WHA!?



.....BUT,  
HOWEVER  
CLOSED OFF,  
THERE IS A  
SLIGHT GAP...

A  
GAP!?

NO MATTER  
HOW YOU  
LOOK AT IT,  
IT'S AN  
IMPOSSIBLE  
MURDER!

THE OTHER  
WAS IN THE  
PANTS POCKET  
OF THE  
VICTIM, WHO  
WAS FOUND  
DEAD LIKE  
THAT..

THE FIRST ONE  
WAS KEPT BY  
THE WIFE, WHO  
WAS OUT AT  
THE TIME...

THERE  
ARE  
TWO  
KEYS  
TO THE  
DOOR!

YOU'RE NOT GOING  
TO SAY THAT THE  
KEY WAS THROWN  
FROM THAT SPACE  
INTO THE VICTIM'S  
POCKET, ARE YOU?

HEY  
HEY...

THE SPACE  
UNDER THAT  
DOOR!!

SPACE  
BETWEEN THE  
DOOR AND  
THE VICTIM!!

THERE'S  
THIS  
MUCH

THIS CATGLUT  
AND NEEDLE I  
FOUND!!

USING  
SCOTCH TAPE  
AND

BUT YOU  
CAN DO  
IT!!

BEING HELD DOWN BY A COLD AT A TIME LIKE THIS...

THIS ISN'T FUNNY...



D, DAMN...

THE DOCTOR WILL BE HERE SOON!



IT'LL BE FINE CONAN-KUN...



G, CONAN-KUN!



GASP  
COUGH  
HACK

THEN HE FIXED THE CATGUT TO THE KEYCHAIN WITH THE TAPE,

AND THEN HE TOOK OUT THE CATGUT AND NEEDLE HE HAD PREPARED EARLIER,

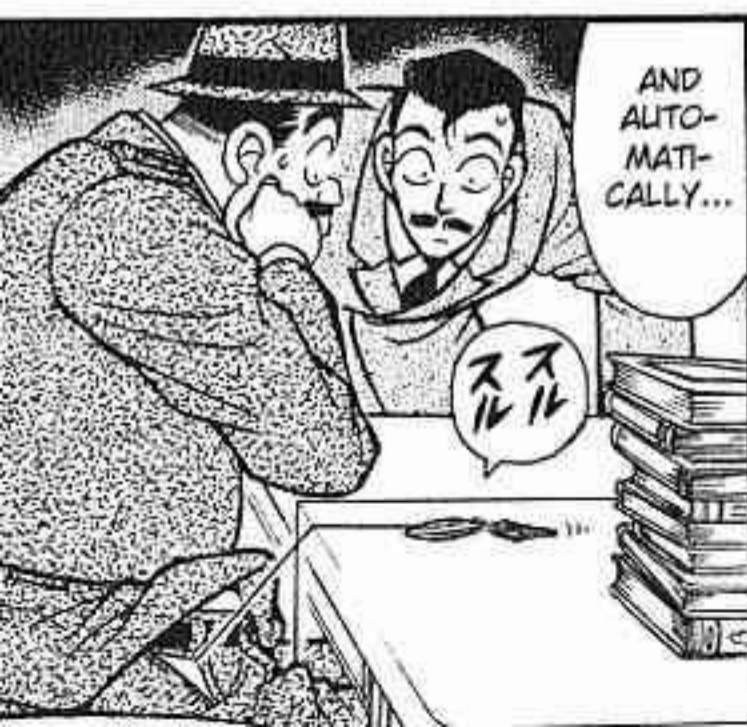


AFTER THE CRIMINAL KILLED THE VICTIM WITH THE POISONED PIN,

THAT'S RIGHT...

HE TOOK THE KEY THE VICTIM HAD...











AND THE TIME THE CRIME OCCURRED WAS IN THE HALF HOUR BETWEEN 3:30 AND 4:00...

KILLING THE VICTIM, AND PULLING OFF THIS TRICK WOULD TAKE AT LEAST 5-6 MINUTES...

OH WELL...

DO YOU RESIGN?

WE'LL WAIT A BIT!!

WHO IS IT!?

AND? THE CRIMINAL?

WHAT'S WRONG KUDO?

AND WHO RIGHT AFTER GREETED US IS INNOCENT...

SIMILARLY, THE BUTLER WHO WAS TALKING WITH NEIGHBORS AT THE ENTRANCE...

THE WIFE, WHO CAME HOME AT 4 AND WAS WITH US THE WHOLE TIME IS OUT OF THE QUESTION...

THEY DIDN'T DO IT...

BUT THEY WERE ONLY THERE FOR 1-2 MINUTES...

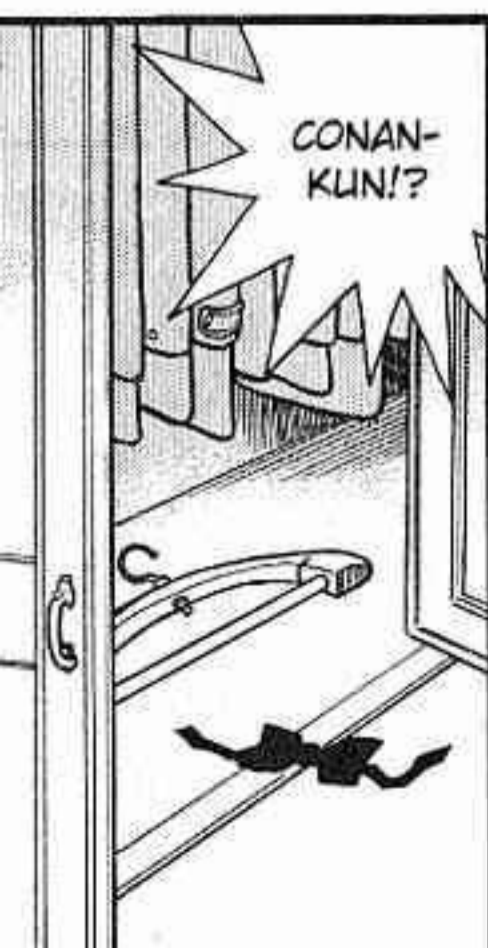
THE SON AND HIS GIRLFRIEND WHO GOT HERE RIGHT BEFORE US AND WENT UPSIDE WHILE THE BUTLER WAS GREETING US ARE SUSPICIOUS...

WHA!?

YOU!!

AND WAS WATCHING TV NEXT TO THIS STUDY...

WHICH MEANS, THE ONLY ONE LEFT IS THE ONE WHO CAME AFTER 2:00,





I WON'T LET YOU, WHO FISHES, TO SAY YOU KNOW NOTHING OF IT!!

THIS CATGLUT IS A KIND MADE WITH NEW MATERIAL, AND IS AN ESPECIALLY THIN AND STRONG FISHLINE...



THE PROOF IS, THIS NEEDLE AND CATGLUT I FOUND EARLIER IN THE JAPANESE ROOM!!



SO BASICALLY, YOU WENT TO THE JAPANESE ROOM AFTER THE CRIME, CONFIDENT YOU WOULDN'T BE CAUGHT...

PLEASE WAIT IN THE JAPANESE ROOM...

AND ALSO, WHEN WE WERE PARTWAY TO THE STUDY, DIDN'T THE WIFE SAY THIS TO YOU ON THE STAIRS?



G. CONAN-KUN?

HOWEVER, THE CATGLUT YOU THREW AWAY IN THE JAPANESE ROOM DIDN'T DISAPPEAR!!



OLD MAN!!



WELL, AM I WRONG!?



NO...

EXCUSE ME, DID CONAN-KUN COME HERE?



IT WAS  
ME...

THAT'S  
RIGHT...



I GUESS YOU  
REALLY CAN'T  
DO BAD  
THINGS...

HEH...



I WIN!!!



WAS  
ME...

THE ONE  
WHO KILLED  
MY SON  
ISAO...



NO...



THAT'S  
WRONG

...

