

GREGG LONDON'S PUZZLE MASTER – FIRST EDITION - ANSWERS

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1. Read this sentence:

FINISHED FILES ARE THE RE-
SULT OF YEARS OF SCIENTIF-
IC STUDY COMBINED WITH
THE EXPERIENCE OF YEARS.

Count the F's in that sentence. How many did you find? **6 (DON'T FORGET THE F'S IN THE WORD OF)**

2. What is the next letter in the following string?

O T T F F S S E (ONE, TWO, THREE, ETC.)

3. How far into the woods can a dog run? **1 / 2 WAY, THEN HE IS RUNNING OUT.**

4. How many of each species, of animals, did Moses take with him on the Ark?
MOSES WAS NOT ON THE ARK – NOAH WAS.

5. A painter was painting a 30-story building, when he fell off his ladder. Miraculously, he was not hurt from the fall - how can this be? **HE WAS ON THE 1ST FLOOR.**

6. A man was born in Boston, Mass. Both his parents were born in Boston, Mass. He lived all his life in Boston but he was not a United States citizen. How come? **HE LIVED IN BOSTON PRIOR TO THEIR BEING A UNITED STATES.**

7. Before Mt. Everest was discovered, what was the highest mountain on Earth?
MT. EVEREST.

8. A man approaches a suspension bridge.

He weighs 195 pounds.

The bridge has a weight limit of 200 pounds. He is carrying three (3) two pound objects. He is able to, somehow, walk across the bridge carrying these objects. How does he do it? **HE JUGGLES THE OBJECTS.**

9. Another man lives in a tall Manhattan apartment. He lives on the 45th floor. Every day he rides the elevator down to the first floor and goes to work. When he returns, he rides the elevator up to the 25th floor, gets off, and walks the rest of the way up. Why?

BECAUSE HE CANNOT REACH THE 45TH FLOOR – HE IS A MIDGET.

10. Read this poem:

As I was going to St. Ives

I met a man with seven wives.

Each wife had seven sacks.

Each sack had seven cats.

Each cat had seven kittens.

Kittens, cats, sacks, and wives, how many were going to St. Ives? **ONLY ONE.**

11. Nancy with the white petticoat and the red nose, the longer she stands, the shorter she grows. Who is she? **A CANDLE.**