

SO, HOLMES, I NOTICE THAT  
OUR SCHOOL HAS DECREED THE  
HOUND OUR OFFICIAL MASCOT.

MY KEEN OBSERVATION OF THE  
SCHOOL 'RAG' HAS LED ME TO  
THE SAME CONCLUSION. WHY,  
PRAY TELL, SHOULD I CARE?

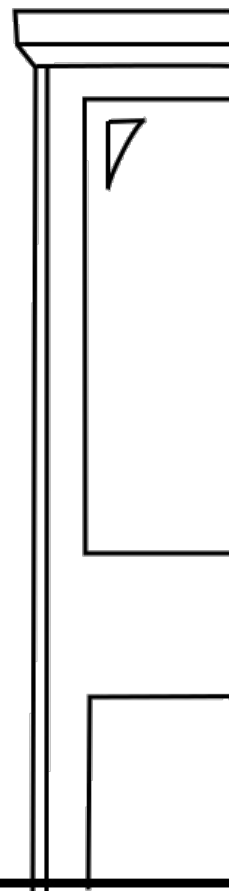


*WELL, THE HOUND IS TRADITIONALLY  
A STRONG ANIMAL, PROFICIENT ON  
ONE OF TWO LEVELS, EITHER BY  
SIGHT OR BY SOUND. OR, IN CERTAIN  
BREEDS, THEY HUNT BY A  
COMBINATION OF BOTH METHODS.*

*SO WHY SHOULD I BE  
IMPRESSED BY AN ANIMAL  
MADE FAMOUS FOR USING  
ONLY 2 OF ITS 5 SENSES?*



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*YEAH, WELL, I  
JUST THOUGHT...*

*NO HOUND WILL EVER MATCH  
THE DEDUCTIVE ABILITIES OF  
ANY HUMAN... AND I'LL HEAR  
NOTHING MOOR ABOUT IT.*



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