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| **Across**  **4.** A false clue that throws the investigator off track  **5.** A person who is believed to have possibly committed the crime  **6.** An excuse that a suspect uses to show that he or she was somewhere other than at the scene of the crime when the crime was committed  **8.** Someone who is harmed or suffers some loss because of the crime  **10.** A fact or object that helps to solve mysteries  **11.** A guess or feeling that is not based on facts | **Down**  **1.** Something that helps to prove who committed a crime  **2.** A discovery that helps solve a mystery  **3.** Something that is secret or unknown  **7.** Someone who saw the crime being committed  **9.** Another name for detectives |

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