

# Entrepreneurial Quiz: How Observant Are You?

## Dee Adams' Online Class

Can you answer the following three questions?

- When a bored, restless barrel maker used his innate ability to observe, that talent helped start a company that would come to be known internationally. Who was the barrel maker? What was the industry he pioneered?
- Which sporting industry evolved from illegal activity?
- Agatha Christie submitted her first mystery novel to a publisher in the early 1920's, and the company loved the manuscript. How much would you guess she was paid for the book in British currency?.

2,500.00

**250.00**

**25.00**

**25,000.00**



## Answers

Allan Pinkerton changed his career from barrel maker to founder of the National Detective Agency.

Source: BookTV.org

The Hour of Peril...

<http://tinyurl.com/lj38bka>

NASCAR evolved gradually as the result of moonshiners transporting alcohol and trying to outrun federal agents in their autos.

Source: Travel Channel.

Aoltv.com

<http://tinyurl.com/kh4gfvl>

25 pounds

Source: *Extraordinary Women* PBS

Agathachristie.com

<http://www.agathachristie.com/christies-work/stories/the-mysterious-affair-at-styles/41>

**How observant are you?** If answering the first question was a challenge, did you note all the questions in this quiz had an underlying theme which provided a clue?