ou stuff the piece of paper in your pocket.

“I certainly hope you can find who did this, Detective,” says Diane, her face puffy and red from weeping. You both walk back to the Dining Room.

By the time you re-enter the room, most of the guests have fallen into quiet conversation. Eleanor’s voice resonates above the others, and soon she has the entire table’s attention.

“I intended to arrive early at the party, Detective. Mr. Bodwell said he had something that he wanted to show me. My driver had taken ill - third time this month, I had to let him go - and my stablehand had to step in. To cut a long and tedious story short, I arrived late. He indicated to me that he would show me after the party, but we all know what happened next.”

“Do you have any idea what he might have wanted to show you?”

The others lean in, listening. You study their faces carefully, looking for nervousness, but all you see is jealousy in the curl of Kasandra’s mouth.

“He said it was in a bookcase. Come, let me show you.”

Everyone starts to get up, but with a stern look you convey your desire to go alone with Eleanor. You leave the Dining Room and walk towards the Ballroom, but are led immediately left again. In a small nook on the northern wall of the Dining Room you find a bookcase, stuffed with yellowing parchment. A blue folio catches your eye, and you pull it out.

“Yes, this is it! I’m sure of it!”

You open it to find an architect’s plan of the house, done in exquisite detail. You leaf through them, and right at the end there is a rather strange note...
X marks the spot where your quest shall begin;  
From there, travel two paces West.  
Mark this position with some sort of Pin -  
You might need it later, you've guessed.  

Look to the North-West and take your First Clue;  
The Second Clue lies to the East.  
Now look to the West and take five steps by two -  
Long paths are rewarding, at least.  

Now look where you stand! For the Third Clue is here -  
But how far away is the Fourth?  
Take no more steps further, for it is quite near:  
Just look 'tween the West and the North.  

Return to the Mark - or the Pin if you will -  
And from there left-turn ninety degrees.  
Then taking three steps to the top of the hill,  
Find the Fifth Clue behind you with ease.  

Next head to the South, back towards the placed Mark,  
But continue past it one more pace.  
It's unstable here, and the place might look stark,  
But the Sixth Clue should stay in this place.  

So return to the area you had just been,  
But this time look beneath your own feet -  
Clue Number Seven's no longer unseen,  
And your quest is now almost complete!  

The Eighth Clue's here too, at this area's peak -  
Just look ninety degrees to your right.  
With this you should now know the treasure you seek:  
What belongs, but does not, to this site.