The Invisible Man
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1 1 It was winter, and very few visitors came to Iping at that time of year, so she had empty rooms. She also needed the money.

2 He did not want anybody to see his face.

3 He said that he was a scientist and that he needed to do some experiments. He did not want to be disturbed.

4 He wanted to talk to the stranger and find out more about him because he was such a strange person.

2 1 The dog had made a hole in his trousers. He did not want anybody to see what was under his clothes.

2 He saw that the stranger’s hand was invisible. He was very surprised by this and found it hard to understand what he had seen.

3 He worked in his room doing experiments and writing in his diaries.

4 Dr Cuss was interested in his research and wanted to find out more about it. He visited him because he was collecting money for a new village nurse. While he was there, the stranger told him his story, and showed him that his hand was invisible.

3 1 Mr and Mrs Bunting heard someone walking and then they heard a sneeze. Then they saw that a lamp was burning and the desk doors were open. And their money was gone.

2 He had not paid his bill, and she was unhappy about his behaviour.

3 Jaffers thought that the Invisible Man was probably the burglar at the Bunting's house.

4 1 His old boots were very old and he needed new ones. But the new ones were too big.

2 They found all his bottles and books. They also found his diaries.

3 He had taken his own clothes off because he wanted to be invisible and he could not get new ones from his room so he took Dr Cuss’s clothes.

5 1 Mr Marvel did not want to help the Invisible Man. He was old and frightened and wanted to get away.

2 The old man believed everything he read in the newspaper.

3 The Invisible Man was stealing money and Mr Marvel was carrying it for him because he could not.

6 1 Dr Kemp was a scientist and he did not believe that it was possible for a man to become invisible.

2 He came in through the back door and into the kitchen.

3 He fired his gun at him several times, inside the pub and then later outside.

7 1 Dr Kemp saw blood on the stairs and it was still wet. Then he saw blood on the door.

2 Dr Kemp gave him clothes, food and drink.

3 The Invisible Man could not sleep because he was afraid somebody would catch him.
4 The Invisible Man thought he was safe because Kemp was a scientist and should understand him and help him.

5 Dr Kemp wanted to tell the police that the Invisible Man was in his house.

8 1 The hair and the blood were the most difficult parts of the body to make invisible.
2 It was a cat, and it became invisible, but the back of its eyes did not become invisible.
3 Griffin's landlord wanted him to leave his room immediately, but he did not have enough money to find another room so he had to become invisible quickly.
4 His feet were visible because they were dirty and there was some blood on them.

9 1 The Invisible Man wanted to find clothes, food and somewhere to sleep and he knew he could find them there.
2 The old man thought that someone was in his house.
3 The Invisible Man was angry with the old man, and he wanted to take things from his house and shop so he hit him on the head.
4 He took clothes, a wig, a mask, a beard, boots, a bag and some money – about thirteen pounds.
5 He would have to take off his mask to eat, and people would see that he was invisible.

10 1 The Invisible Man wanted to get out of the country and go south to somewhere with better weather so he could be invisible without getting so cold.
2 The Invisible Man wanted everyone to be afraid of him and to do as he said.
3 Dr Kemp thought that the Invisible Man was mad because he was talking about killing people.
4 He suggested that he watched the trains, roads and ships. That he lock up food, houses, knives and guns. That he use dogs to smell him and people to search everywhere. And that he put broken glass on the roads.

11 1 Mr Wicksteed followed the Invisible Man because he could see the poker flying through the air.
2 The Invisible Man could not escape by train because, although the trains were running, their doors were locked.
3 He closed all the shutters so that the Invisible Man could not climb in and if he smashed the windows, the glass would fall outside and cut his feet.

12 1 The Invisible Man broke down a window and shutters with an axe.
2 Mr Heelas was afraid that the Invisible Man would come into his house if he let Dr Kemp into his house.
3 He slowly became visible.

13 1 He tries to understand the Invisible Man's diaries.