

# LESSON I



## REMEMBERING

### Ingrid The Informant

Ingrid arrives late for her appointment with Inspector Gordon. How does he get from her the information that he needs?

Inspector: Ingrid. You're late. Did you forget our appointment?

Ingrid: I'm sorry. It must have slipped my mind.

Inspector: OK, Ingrid. We want you to tell us where Biggs is hiding.

Ingrid: I'm sorry. I seem to be drawing a blank.

Inspector: I see. Maybe this will help refresh your memory.

*The inspector gives Ingrid fifty dollars.*

Ingrid: Come to think of it, I do seem to remember something about a bridge.

Inspector: Which bridge?

Ingrid: The name escapes me.

*The inspector hands Ingrid another fifty dollars.*

Hmm . . . it's on the tip of my tongue.

*He gives her a hundred dollars.*

Oh, yes! The Bay Bridge.

Inspector: One last thing, Ingrid. Is there a shipment coming in tonight?

Ingrid: Now that you mention it, I think there is, but for the life of me I can't remember at what time.

Inspector: Maybe you need a little inspiration.

*He hands her fifty dollars.*

Ingrid: Wait. It's coming to me now . . .

*He gives her a hundred dollars.*

That's right! There's a shipment coming in at 11:30 tonight.

Inspector: Thanks, Ingrid. You've been a big help. Remind me to take you out to dinner sometime.

Ingrid: Your treat?