# Lesson 5: No wrong numbers

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What does ‘no wrong numbers’ mean?

Mr. James Scott has a garage in Silbury, and now he has just bought another garage in Pinhurst.

Pinhurst is only five miles from Silbury, but Mr. Scott cannot get a telephone for his new garage, so he has just bought twelve pigeons.

Yesterday, a pigeon carried the first message from Pinhurst to Silbury.

The bird covered the distance in three minutes.

Up to now, Mr. Scott has sent a great many requests for spare parts and other urgent messages from one garage to the other.

In this way, he has begun his own private ‘telephone’ service.

Mr. Scott has opened his second garage in Pinhurst.

His first garage is in Silbury.

Silbury is five miles away.

Mr. Scott cannot get a telephone for his new garage.

He has bought twelve pigeons.

They carry messages from one garage to the other in three minutes.

What did you buy yesterday?

Up till now, he has never lent me anything.

Have you burned those old papers yet?

He fought in Flanders in the First World War.

They have already left.

When did you lose your umbrella?

Did you listen to the concert?

We have just won the match.

On the way from Athens to London, the plane stopped at Rome.

Where is my coat?

By the way, have you seen it?

I cooked this in the way you showed me.

In a way, he has been very successful.

Children get in the way during the holidays.

There is a spare wheel in the back of the car.

I always go on excursions in my spare time.

"Do you have any old clothes to spare?" he asked.

The guest slept in the spare room.

"Spare me!" begged the prisoner.

Mr. Scott doesn't have a telephone in his new garage because he can't get one.

Mr. Scott keeps pigeons because he uses them to send messages.

Mr. Scott has a garage.

The garage is his.

Mr. Scott cannot get a telephone for his garage.

That's why he has just bought twelve pigeons.

He has just bought twelve pigeons.

When did he buy them?

What's the distance from Pinhurst to Silbury?

How far is Pinhurst from Silbury?

The pigeon flew from one garage to the other in three minutes.

Mr. Scott has a garage in Silbury.

His other garage is in Pinehurst.

Mr. Scott can't get a telephone.

Telephones are hard to obtain.

He has sent requests for spare parts.

He has asked for spare parts.

Urgent messages are important, so they must be sent quickly.

Mr. Scott's ‘telephone service’ is private.

It is his own.

Pinburst is only five miles from Silbury.

Mr. Scott cannot get a telephone for his new garage, so he has just bought twelve pigeons.