

I want to be a police officer when I grow up some day,
because they help the people in so very many ways.

The police keep order in the cities and states.
They try to keep our neighborhoods so nice and safe.





A police man or woman works to keep us out of harm's way.
They prevent crime by patrolling with police dogs some days.
They sniff out bad guys' scents on the ground.
They find them hiding all around.

Police and their dogs look for kids and adults that are lost.
They try to find them whatever the cost.
The police dog unit is called K9.
One reason they are important is because
their sense of smell is very fine.





Police dogs search for many things.
They never know what each day will bring.
They search for bombs that bad guys hide.
They work with their handler side by side.

Police dogs sniff out drugs that should not be in our towns.
They can also subdue a criminal and take them down.
Catching a thief or solving a crime,
a police dog helps their police officer every time.



In European countries many years ago,
bloodhounds were used to guard from many a foe.

Police dogs can be Labrador retrievers,
German shepherds and several other breeds.
Certain breeds are better for different deeds.

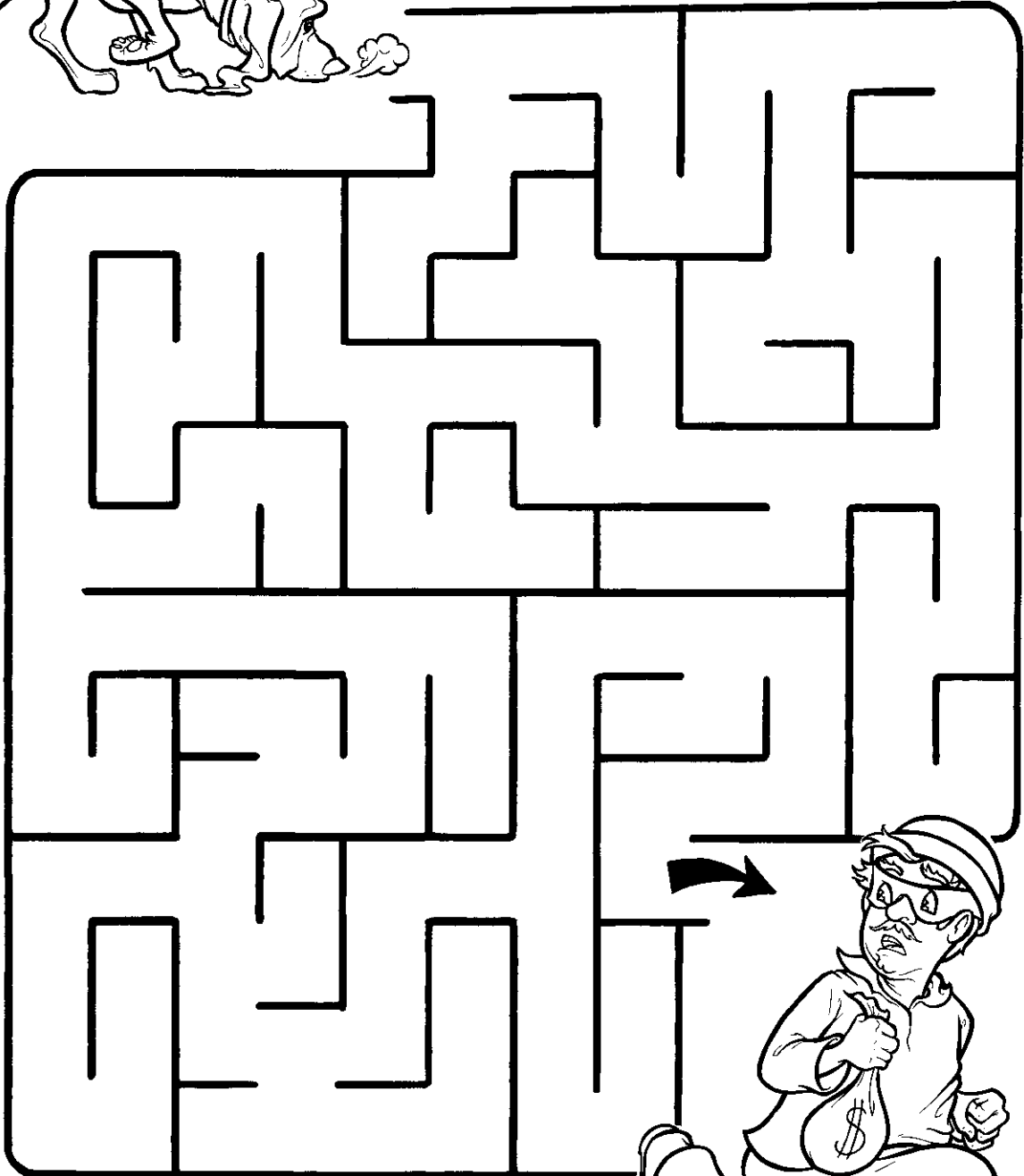
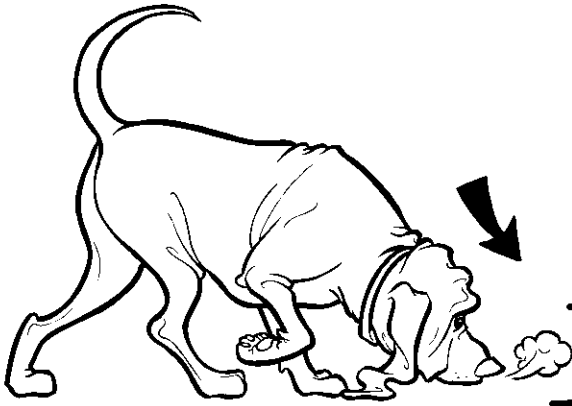




Police use police dogs to help with a case.
The dogs are very well trained to help them retrace.
They can be aggressive, and give quite a bite.
When a bad guy sees a police dog,
he just may not put up a fight.

A-MAZE-ING

HELP THE POLICE DOG
TRACK DOWN THE CRIMINAL!



Police officers that handle the dogs are the best of the best.
They are assigned to K9, and are above the rest.
They are very professional and always stay calm.
They may have to find and disarm a bomb!





Finding clues to a crime is what police dogs do,
and saving people's lives is part of it too.
It is a very important job to the people of our town.
It is important to many, many people from all around.

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

ONE OF THESE DOGS IS DIFFERENT THAN THE REST.
CAN YOU FIND OUT WHICH ONE?





FIND THE WORDS

Can you find these hidden words in the puzzle and circle them?

Police
Patrol

Crime
Hero

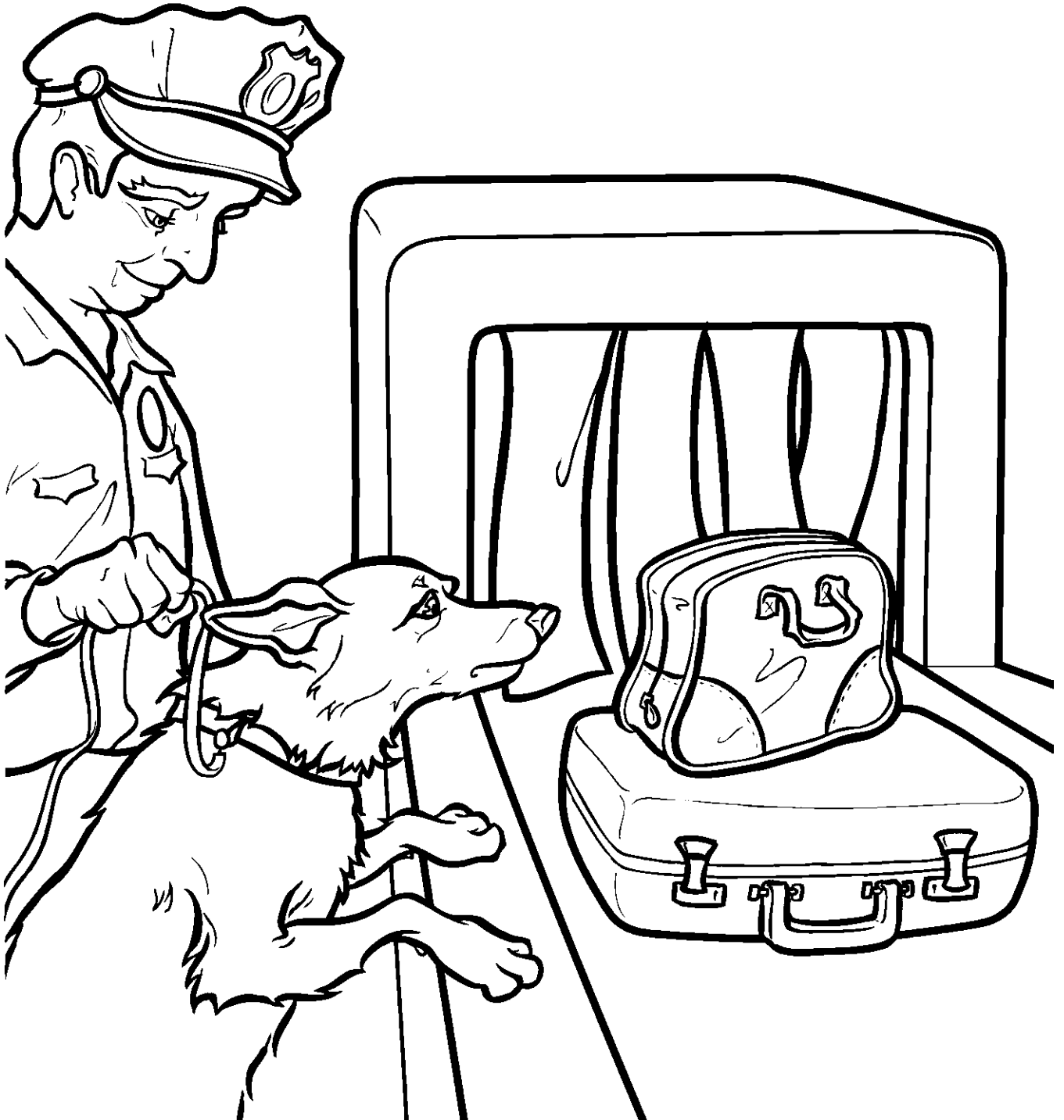
Dog
Protect

Clues
Safe

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L H E R O H N C A A R
P T E R P T Y A N K O
P A T R O L P N C X T
C Q Z G D V H D E P E
R R C L U E S Y T P C
I N H C S M G M R K T
M P R P O L I C E K C
E G H V S N A S A F E

Police and their dogs take walks to look around,
and make sure that everything is safe and sound.

They patrol airports to be most secure,
and go on many, many a walking tour.



A police dog is very quick on his feet.
He can cover lots of ground, and speed down a street.
He can run much faster than a man,
and fit in small places, he can.



The dogs are highly trained by the book
to protect and serve and catch each crook.

I like to think I can do this some day.
To be a police officer with a police dog,
who will never betray.





Police dogs live with their trainers,
and wake up early to go on patrol.
They protect and serve the people,
with all their heart and soul.