

Impressions of Silver

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Read through the following comments which all tell us something about Silver. What sort of impression do you get of him from what each of the characters says?

He's to be our ship's cook. Capital fellow! A real sea-dog. Lost his leg fighting for King and country.

Trelawney

I'm a fair judge of character and I say our cook's no more a villain than I am.

Trelawney

The Captain warned me to look out for a man with one leg

Jim

Kind to me, he was and patient, with always a cheery word or tale of his times at sea.

Jim

Give me your hand Jim. This is my missus Jim. He's a fine looking lad Rebecca. I wish I was young again Jim.

Silver

Light in our eyes and laughter in our hearts. That's the treasure we're after.

Silver

Create a spider diagram or list of your ideas, under the heading 'Characteristics of Silver'. Do your work on a large piece of paper and see if you can find other comments or examples from the book of Silver's attributes.