"The Language of Bees" Acrostic Puzzle: And so it begins...

On the edge of your seat? Can't wait a moment longer? Want to get a sneak peek at the new Mary Russell novel prior to the April 28th publication date? Solve the puzzle to reveal a quote from the new book.

Guess the words from the clues below and write them over their numbered spaces.

Then transfer each letter to the correspondingly numbered space in the grid to reveal the quotation. (Hint: There is a comma after 15. There are periods after 33 and 48.)

| \mathbf{A} | S | | H 3 | 0 | M 5 | E | C | O | M 9 | I 10 | N 11 | G 12 | S 13 |
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| G 14 | O 15 | | I 16 | T | | W 18 | A 19 | S 20 | | N 21 | O 22 | T 23 | |
| A 24 | U 25 | S 26 | P 27 | I 28 | C 29 | I 30 | O 31 | U 32 | S 33 | | T 34 | H 35 | E 36 |
| T 37 | R 38 | A 39 | I 40 | N 41 | | W 42 | A 43 | S 44 | | L 45 | A 46 | T 47 | E 48 |

It can be black, green or white: $\frac{T}{47} = \frac{E}{6} = \frac{A}{1}$

Traditionally, where your belt sits: W A I S T 18 39 10 20 34

Holmes would scoff if you told him it was made of green cheese: M O O N 5 8 31 41

"No____, no glory": <u>G U T S</u>
12 25 87 26

British fries: C H I P S 29 35 16 27 38

"Real friendship is _____ in times of trouble; prosperity is full of friends" -- Euripides:

S H O W N 13 3 15 42 11

"Sailing, sailing, over the bounding _____": M A I N
9 24 40 21

'See ya' in Rome: <u>C I A O</u>
7 30 19 4

Russell's was held in place by an emerald stickpin: S A R I 28

"Just ____.": S O 44 22

Russell received this from Holmes in the art of detection beginning in 1915:

T U T E L A G E

17 32 23 36 45 43 14 48