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**A Mysterious
Disappearance**
By Gordon Holmes
A Great Detective Story

(Continued.)
She would have passed me, but I held fast to the inside of the door. If once she got away from me I might never be able to set affairs even tolerably right. Better, I deemed, have one trying scene in the hope that she would calm down in the face of facts, than allow her to carry quarrel to her relatives and strengthen her attitude by their natural support.
"Alice," I said, "you shall not go."
"How can you dare to detain me?" she shrieked, and the light in her eyes showed how thoroughly her passions were aroused.
"You can separate from me if you will. I shall not venture to hinder you. But I swear you shall not do this rash act without knowledge. I tell you you must remain here. When you leave this house you do so in my company."
"And why am I to be kept a prisoner?"
"Mrs. Hillmer will return in less than an hour. You have sought this meeting yourself. Very well. You shall have it. When your charges have been thoroughly thrashed out in the presence of Mrs. Hillmer and myself I will then accompany you where you will, and leave you under the protection of your sister, or any one else you choose, should you still persist in leaving me."
Of course my action was unwise to the last degree. But remember, Claude, that during these last awful five minutes I had seen a side of my wife's nature hidden from me six long years. And I was a man suddenly plunged into a raging sea, drifting helplessly I knew not whither. All that consumed me was a wild desire for such scant justice as I deserved. I had erred, but my faults were not those my wife alleged against me.
If she was angry before she was now absolutely uncontrollable. "Remain to meet your wife—your mistress? Never, while I live!"
She flung herself upon me so suddenly that she tore me away from the door. She was a strong and athletic woman, and I suppose she expected some resistance, for she used such force as to drag me forward into the middle of the room, overturning a chair in the effort. I was utterly taken by surprise that I yielded to her violence more completely than she expected.
She staggered, let go her hold, and fell heavily backwards, tripping over the fallen chair. I made a desperate attempt to save her, but only caught the end of a fur necktie, and it tore like a spider's web.
Her body crashed against a Venetian fender, and her head came with awful force against a sort of support for the firestone that stood up a foot from the ground.
Then she rolled over, her eyes and face undergoing a ghastly change, and instantly became, as I thought, unconscious.
I knelt beside her, raising her head with my right hand, and brookingly besought her to speak to me, when I would do at once anything she demanded. But she gave no sign of animation. In a frenzy of despair, I forced myself to examine her injuries, and my heart nearly stopped beating when I discovered that a large piece of iron had been driven into her brain through the back of her head.
I knew in a moment that she was dead. Although I have not had much experience of that terrible epoch in the human being, I have seen far too much death in animal life not to know that she who had been my honored and respected wife lay before me a mere soulless entity—a symbol only of the splendid vital creature who, a minute earlier, was angrily protesting against the supposed faithfulness of her mate.
Looking back now upon the events of that fateful night, I marvel at the appalling coolness which came to my aid as soon as I realized the extent of the misfortune which had befallen both Alice and myself. I can fully understand what is meant by the callousness of a certain class of criminals, or the indifference to

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



AN EGYPTIAN BLOUSE IN GOLD AND RED.
The cold grays and blacks of newspaper printing could never give an adequate notion of this gorgeous new waist model, built to wear with a spring tailored suit. The fabric is finely wrought gold net laid over a lining of black chiffon and the embroideries, in Egyptian motifs, are done with rose, scarlet and dull green silks accented by outlines of black. The guimpe and collar and the ruffles at the wrists of the sleeves are of black net. This blouse might be developed also in silver net with embroideries in sage green and dull turquoise shades.

**THE BRITISH FLAG FLIES ON THE
NEAREST POINT TO SOUTH POLE**

**British Expedition Led By Lieut. Ernest H. Shackleton Succeeds
in Getting Within 111 Miles of the Pole—Graphic Story
of Most Remarkable Antarctic Trip Yet Taken**

London, March 23.—Lieut. Ernest H. Shackleton, of the British navy, who left his permanent quarters in autumn last for a dash to the South Pole, has succeeded in reaching within 111 miles of his goal, or 354 miles nearer than the "Discovery" expedition of which he was a member. The British flag was left flying on the most southern point reached.
Lieut. Shackleton thus describes the dash to the pole:
"The southern party consisted of Adams, Marshall, Wild and myself, with four ponies and a supporting party consisting of Brockhurst, Joyce, Marston, Armitage and Priestly, left Cape Roydon Oct. 29, 1908. On Nov. 3 we left Hut Point, with thirty-four days' provisions, but were held up on White Island, which we reached on Nov. 5, for four days by a blizzard. The supporting party returned to the permanent quarters on Nov. 7. Owing to the bad light among the ice crevices, Adams and his pony were nearly lost.
A few days later we reached the depot at latitude 79° 28', longitude 168° east, where we appropriated the maize and other provisions previously left there. We commenced to reduce our daily rations, and traveled south along meridian 168 over a varying surface of ridges and mountains of snow, alternating with soft snow in which the ponies often sank to their bellies.
"In latitude 81.04 we shot a pony and made a depot of oil, biscuit and pony meat, taking the remainder of the party to the depot at latitude 82.45, longitude 176. We reached the "Discovery's" southernmost latitude on Nov. 26. The surface now became soft, with large undulations. The ponies were attacked by snow blindness and the second of them was shot, a depot being made in latitude 82.45, longitude 176. On Nov. 30 we killed our third pony.
"Steering south and southeast, we were now approaching a high range of mountains, trending to the southeast. On Dec. 2 we discovered a glacier 120 miles long and approximately forty miles wide, running in a south and southwesterly direction, and on Dec. 5 we started to ascend it at latitude 83.33, longitude 172. The glacier was full of bad crevices, as the result of tremendous pressure. It took the whole of the next day for us to fight our way 800 yards. There were many dangers to be faced, for at any moment one might be thrown into some unknown crevice. As it was, on Dec. 7 the last remaining pony broke through a snow lid and disappeared in a crevice. Fortunately the swingle tree snapped and we saved Wild and the sledge, which was damaged. The party was now hauling a weight of 250 pounds per man.
"The clouds disappearing on Dec. 8, we discovered new mountain ranges, trending south and southwest. Moving up the glacier over the treacherous snow covering the crevices, we frequently fell through, but were saved by our harness and pulled out with an Alpine rope. A second sledge was badly damaged by the knife-like edge of the crevices, but we managed to regain our supplies.
"Similar conditions obtained on our way

**WANT A DUTY
ON TIN PLATE**

**Morrisburg Ontario Concern
Claim to Be Losing Money
and Ask Government for
Protection**

Ottawa, March 23.—The Canadian government today was asked to place a duty on tinplate for the protection of a company which some time ago began operations at Morrisburg (Ont.). The company claims to have lost through its operations to date.
The duty asked is fifteen per cent. against the United States and twelve and a half cents against other countries. The country is at present getting its tinplate from the United States and Great Britain only.
The delegation stated its case to Hon. George P. Graham. It was introduced by Andrew Broder, M. P., and was headed by Wm. McComb, of Toronto, president of the Canadian Sheet Steel Corporation, Ltd., which has taken over the original Morrisburg concern.
It is not likely that the application will be granted. The question of placing a duty on tin plate has been raised several times and was thoroughly considered by the commission of ministers who had charge of the last revision of the tariff.

"Bronchitis"

Is generally the result of a cold caused by exposure to wet and inclement weather, and is a very dangerous inflammatory affection of the bronchial tubes.
The symptoms are tightness across the chest, sharp pains and a difficulty in breathing, and a secretion of thick phlegm, at first white, but later of a greenish or yellowish color.
Neglected Bronchitis is one of the most general causes of Consumption.
Cure it at once by the use of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Mrs. D. D. Miller, Allandale, Ont., writes: "My husband got a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for my little girl who had Bronchitis. She wheezed so badly she could hardly get into a room to sleep, but she was cured in a few days. I could see the effect your medicine had on her. That was last winter when we lived in Toronto."
"She had a bad cold this winter, but instead of getting another bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, I tried a home-made receipt which I got from a neighbor but found that her cold lasted about twice as long. My husband highly praises 'Dr. Wood's,' and says he will see that a bottle of it is always kept in the house."
It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, the price 25 cts. Be sure and accept none of the many substitutes.

**ROBERT ROBERTS' SONS
SECURE THE CONTRACT**

**Board of Works Accepts their
Tender for Repairs on Wiggins'
Wharf.**

At the monthly meeting of the board of works last evening the tender of Robert Roberts' Sons for repairs to Wiggins' wharf extension was accepted, subject to confirmation by the council. The city engineer was instructed to report on a proposition to build a coal shed opposite the McLeod warehouse. It was decided to build the warehouse for the Eastern Steamship Company by day's work. The city engineer suggested moving the stone crusher to Silver Falls and operating it by means of the turbine. He estimated a saving of \$2,500 could be effected. Further consideration was deferred.
Another watering cart was ordered. The cost of twenty-five additional seats for the squares will be added to the estimates.
A communication from the New Brunswick Cold Storage Company with reference to a rate being charged for port wharfage, was referred to the committee.
A communication from the Crosby Molasses Company, asking whether the city would rebuild a storage shed in Water street or lease the land, was referred to a committee.
The city engineer was instructed to grade the sidewalk adjoining the new houses erected by Rev. M. E. Traflet in Wright street.
A bill from B. Money & Sons, for \$100, for building a retaining wall adjoining the new warehouses of Andrew Malcolm, corner Duke and Water streets, was ordered paid, provided Mr. Malcolm signed a release.

**DONALDSON LINE STEAM-
SHIP CASSANDRA ARRIVES**

One of the finest steamships that comes to this port is the Donaldson liner Cassandra, which arrived yesterday afternoon from Glasgow, in command of Captain John Mitchell, on her first trip here this year.
The steamer is at No. 6 berth, where she landed 150 cabin and 180 steerage passengers yesterday. She left Glasgow on March 13 and reached this port in ten days, which is considered a quick trip. The weather was fine, except on one or two days when it blew hard. Among her passengers are several English and Irish families going westward to settle. There were also a few passengers for the United States.
The Cassandra has on board a large cargo for this port, Montreal and other points. She brought twenty-six stock horses, two cows, one bull and five calves for Ontario and Alberta stock breeders. She has 8,399 bags of Scotch hard coal to land here.
Of the immigrants brought yesterday by the steamers Cassandra and Montreal, some 550 in all, the immigrant inspectors held 41 of the Cassandra's party, the United States inspectors detained two and the Canadian officials fourteen, and of the Montreal's passengers twenty-five were held by the United States officials and three by the Canadian inspectors.
A message from the home of Judge Hanington in Dorchester last evening stated that the judge continues to improve. Though still kept to bed, he is now able to eat solid food and everything points to steady progress towards good health again.

For Baby's Sake

Exercise care. Those who buy unknown brands of Condensed Milk for the baby, because of the saving of a few cents, may find the experiment a costly one. The only brand especially prepared for infant feeding is
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**REV. GEORGE JACKSON
WINS IN CONTROVERSY**

**Board of Regents of Victoria
University Decide That He
Should Teach Modern Views on
the Bible**

Toronto, March 23.—The Carman-Jackson controversy may now be fairly regarded to be at an end. Some time last summer Rev. George Jackson, who came here from Edinburgh to take the pastorate of Sherbourne street Methodist church, was appointed professor of English Bible in Victoria University. His recent lecture, though on one of the first chapters of Genesis, which called forth severe criticism of Rev. Dr. Carman, raised some doubt in the minds of men of the old school as to whether he was a fit man to be allowed to lecture to prospective ministers of the church.
To decide this question the regents of Victoria University met tonight and unanimously adopted a resolution permitting the teaching of modern critical views of the Bible, as promulgated by Mr. Jackson. This virtually confirmed Mr. Jackson's appointment. Dr. Carman, who is chairman of the board of regents, himself signed the resolution.

**WEDDINGS
McDonald-Bowman.**

The wedding of Miss Florence Bowman, daughter of Mrs. J. C. Bowman, 115 Leinster street, to Kenneth McDonald, son of the late Mont. McDonald, of this city, took place in Centenary church yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.
The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion. Rev. Dr. G. H. Flanders, assisted by Rev. Dr. M. Campbell, officiated at the wedding. Miss Vera Rankine, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, and William McDonald, brother of the groom, was best man. The usher was Roland Skinner, Edmond S. Ritchie, Charles Logan and Frederick Barbour. The choir of Centenary church sang The Voice That Breathed O'er Eden as the wedding party entered the church, and as the party left Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played.
The bride wore a costume of cream serge, with cream hat to match and carried a prayer book and a single rose. The bridesmaid's costume was of pale blue serge with hat to match.
The young couple are very popular and received many beautiful presents from their friends. Mr. McDonald is engaged with his brother, C. H. McDonald, as a tea merchant. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, left for Boston and on return will reside in this city.

A PRESENTATION

John C. Thomas Honored at Anniversary Celebration of Granite Rock Division.

Last evening at a meeting of Granite Rock Division, Sons of Temperance, in their hall, West End, to celebrate the fifty-ninth anniversary, a very interesting feature was the presence of John C. Thomas, who has been a member of that division for fifty-five years.
Mr. Thomas, who is now seventy-three years of age, was called to the platform by the presiding officer, E. S. Hennigar, grand worthy patriarch, and an address, accompanied by a small testimonial, was presented to him as a mark of appreciation of his work in the division.
Mr. Thomas responded, giving a short historical sketch of the division. Addresses were also given by J. C. Campbell, J. Lister, Rev. Jacob Heaney and J. Stark.
After a short programme, in which K. Spear, H. McCavour and Miss Patterson took part, refreshments were served by the ladies. The meeting broke up with the singing of the national anthem.
The entertainment given in the Seaman's Institute last evening by members of the crew of the S. S. Empress of Britain was a great success. Every number was heartily enjoyed, some of them two and three times.

THE MIGHTY POWER OF MI-ONA

Mi-ona, that extraordinary and perfect stomach tonic, will relieve dyspepsia in twenty-four hours.
It will cure and is guaranteed by Chas. R. Wasson to the readers of the Evening Times to cure the most pitiful cases of dyspepsia, if taken according to directions.
Mi-ona tablets not only cure dyspepsia, but all stomach disturbances, such as vomiting of pregnancy, sea or car sickness and the stomach sickness after excessive indulgence.
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Mrs. S. Keast, of Clarksburg, Ont., says: "A bad stomach trouble that had bothered me for years, baffled and puzzled skilled physicians, was nicely relieved by my using Mi-ona. My trouble was on account of food not digesting but fermenting in my stomach, forming a gas that gave me untold suffering and pain and also made me weak, nervous, irritable, and unable to rest. Since using Mi-ona I can go to bed at night and sleep and wake up in the morning refreshed. I cannot speak too highly of Mi-ona."
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Mrs. M. E. Brewster, Clifford, Ont., says: "My little girl who was born in 1902 had been subject to Diarrhoea from the time she was twelve months old until two years ago when she took PSYCHINE. The little darling suffered awfully. Her breathing was so hoarse that you could hear it all the time and she scarcely got any rest at all. We did not dare to take her out much as the least wind or cold affected her and brought on a severe attack.
"We tried all sorts of medicines, but nothing did the child any good or proved the slightest safeguard against this dreaded complaint. One day a friend told us about PSYCHINE and the wonderful cure it had brought about, so we decided to try it. The sample bottle sufficed to show us that its merits had not been exaggerated, and that we had struck an A1 remedy. One would scarcely believe such a small quantity of medicine could effect so great a change. There was no difficulty in getting her to take it, as it would be folly for us to add to the child's misery by forcing her to take it.
"After giving her four bottles the child was completely cured and she has not had a touch of the old complaint since. This is two years ago. The cold weather has but little effect on her now, the tendency to Diarrhoea seems to have been entirely eradicated, and she enjoys her best of health.
"I always keep a bottle of PSYCHINE in the house, and find an occasional dose is a sure safeguard against colic. It also thoroughly builds up the system and it is certainly a grand tonic. I would advise all mothers to keep it by them. We are deeply grateful for what it has done for our little one."
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(To be Continued.)
Mrs. Rebecca Wentzel, 81 years old of Pottstown, Pa., has attended 4,007 funerals.