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## THE CANARY MURDER CASE

By S. S. VAN DINE AUTHOR OF THE DENSON MURDER CASE

### CHARACTERS

Philo Vance.  
John F. X. Markham, district attorney of New York.  
Margaret Odell (the "Canary") Charles Cleaver, a man-about-town.  
Kenneth Spotswood, a manufacturer.  
Louis Mannix, an importer.  
Dr. Ambrose Lindquist, a fashionable neurologist.  
Tony Skeel, a professional burglar.  
William Elmer Jessup, telephone operator.  
Harry Spively, telephone operator.  
Ernest Heath, Sergeant of the Homicide Bureau.

### THE STORY THUS FAR

The bolt to the side door of the building had been secured at six o'clock the evening before and was still locked the next morning. The janitor of the apartment where Margaret Odell was found strangled that morning was very positive. So the murderer, declared Heath, must have used the front entrance and passed the telephone operator. The operator relates that the "Canary" had come in with a gentleman a few minutes past eleven of the night before. "Now wait till you hear the rest of his story," says Heath.

### CHAPTER IX

"He went in with Miss Odell, and stayed about half an hour," Jessup said.

Markham's eyes brightened, and there was a suppressed eagerness in his next words.

"Then he arrived about eleven, and was alone with Miss Odell in her apartment until about half past eleven. You're sure of these facts?"

"Yes, sir, that's correct," the man affirmed.

Markham paused and leaned forward.

"Now, Jessup, think carefully before answering: did any one else call on Miss Odell at any time last night?"

"No one, sir," was the unhesitating reply.

"How can you be so sure?"

"I would have seen them, sir. They would have had to pass the switchboard in order to reach this apartment."

"And don't you ever leave the switchboard?" asked Markham.

"No, sir," the man assured him vigorously, as if protesting against the implication that he would desert a post of duty.

"When I want a drink of water, or go to the toilet, I use the little lavatory in the reception room; but I always hold the door open and keep my eye on the switchboard in case the pilot-light should show up for a telephone call. Nobody could walk down the hall, even if

I was in the lavatory, without my seeing them."

One could well believe that the conscientious Jessup kept his eye at all times on the switchboard, for a call should flash and go unanswered. The man's earnestness and reliability were obvious; and there was no doubt in any of our minds, I think, that if Miss Odell had had another visitor that night, Jessup would have known of it.

But Heath, with the thoroughness of his nature, rose quickly and stepped out into the main hall. In a moment he returned, looking troubled but satisfied.

"Right!" he nodded to Markham. "The lavatory door's on a direct, unobstructed line with the switchboard."

Jessup took no notice of this verification of his statement, and stood his eyes attentively on the district attorney, awaiting any further questions that might be asked him. There was something both admirable and confidence-inspiring in his unruffled demeanor.

"What about last night?" resumed Markham. "Did you leave the switchboard often, or for long?"

"Just once, sir; and then only to go to the lavatory for a minute or two. But I watched the board the whole time."

"And you'd be willing to state on oath that no one else called on Miss Odell from ten o'clock on, and that no one, except her escort, left her apartment after that hour?"

"Yes, sir, I would."

He was plainly telling the truth, and Markham pondered several moments before proceeding.

"What about the side door?"

"That's kept locked all night, sir. The janitor bolts it when he leaves, and unbolt it in the morning. I never touch it."

Markham leaned back and turned to Heath.

"The testimony of the janitor and Jessup here," he said "seems to limit the situation pretty narrowly to Miss Odell's escort. If, as seems reasonable to assume, the side door was bolted all night, and if no other call came, or went through the front door, it looks as if the man we wanted to find was the one who brought her home."

Heath gave a short, mirthless laugh.

That would be fine, sir, if something else hadn't happened around here last night. Then, Jessup, tell the district attorney the rest of the story about this man."

Markham looked toward the operator with expectant interest; and Vance, lifting himself on one elbow, listened attentively.

Jessup spoke in a level voice, with an alert and careful manner

of a soldier reporting to his superior officer.

"It was just this, sir. When the gentleman came out of Miss Odell's apartment at about half past eleven, he stopped at the switchboard and asked me to get him a Yellow taxi cab. I put the call through, and while he was waiting for the car, Miss Odell screamed and called for help."

"The gentleman turned and rushed to the apartment door, and I followed quickly behind him. He knocked; but at first there was no answer. Then he knocked again, and at the same time called out to Miss Odell and asked her what was the matter. This time she answered. She said everything was all right, and told him to go home and not worry. Then he walked back with me to the switchboard, remarking that he guessed Miss Odell must have fallen asleep and had a nightmare."

"We talked for a few minutes about the war, and then the taxi cab came. He said good night, went out, and I heard the car drive away."

It was plain to see that this episode of the departure of Miss Odell's anonymous escort completely upset Markham's theory of the case. He looked down at the floor with a baffled expression, and smoked vigorously for several moments. At last he asked:

"How long was it after this man came out of the apartment that you heard Miss Odell scream?"

"And just what did she say when she called for help?"

"She screamed twice, and then cried, 'Help, Help!'"

"And when the man knocked on the door the second time, what did he say?"

"As near as I can recollect, sir, he said: 'Open the door, Margaret! What's the trouble?'"

"And can you remember her exact words when she answered him?"

Jessup hesitated, and frowned reflectively.

"As I recall, she said: 'There's nothing the matter, I'm sorry I screamed. Everything's all right, so please go home, and don't worry.' . . . Of course, that may not be exactly what she said, but it was something very close to it. You could hear her plainly through the door, then?"

"Oh, yes. These doors are not very thick."

Markham rose, and began pacing meditatively. At length halting in front of the operator, he asked another question:

"Did you hear any other suspicious sounds in this apartment after the man left?"

"Not a sound of any kind, sir," Jessup declared. "Some one from outside the building, however, telephoned Miss Odell about ten minutes later, and a man's voice answered from her apartment."

"What's this? Markham spun round, and Heath sat up at attention, his eyes wide. "Tell me every detail of that call."

Jessup complied unemotionally. "About twenty minutes to twelve a trunk light flashed on the

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heard, and when I answered it, a man asked for Miss Odell. I plugged the connection through, and after a short wait the receiver was lifted from her phone—you can tell when a receiver's taken off the hook, because the guide-light on the board goes out—and a man's voice answered 'Hello.' I pulled the listening-key over, and, of course, didn't hear any more."

There was silence in the apartment for several minutes. Then Vance, who had been watching Jessup closely during the interview, spoke.

"By the bye, Mr. Jessup," he asked carelessly, "were you yourself, by any chance, a bit fascinated—let us say—by the charming Miss Odell?"

For the first time since entering the room the man appeared ill at ease. A dull flush overspread his cheeks.

"I thought she was a very beautiful lady," he answered resolutely.

Markham gave Vance a look of disapproval, and then addressed himself to the operator.

"That will be all for the moment, Jessup."

The man bowed stiffly and limped out.

"This case is becoming positively fascinating," murmured Vance, relaxing once more upon the divan.

"It's comforting to know that some one's enjoying it," Markham's tone was irritable. "And what, may I ask, was the object of your question concerning Jessup's statements toward the dead woman?"

"Oh, just a vagrant notion struggling in my brain," returned Vance.

Heath, rousing himself from gloomy abstraction, spoke up.

"We've still got the fingerprints, Mr. Markham. And I'm thinking that they're going to locate our man for us."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

### STIVERS TO MAKE TRIP

EUGENE, Jan. 25.—On a trip which will include a tour of the Holy Land, Dr. E. V. Stivers, pastor of the First Christian church, plans to leave Eugene Sunday afternoon, February 12.

He will go first to Indianapolis to attend a conference, thence to Washington, D. C., and then to New York to sail on February 25. He will be gone 54 days from the time of sailing until the boat docks in New York again. The itinerary includes stops in London, Paris, Alexandria, Cairo, Jerusalem, Palestine, Nazareth, Constantinople, Athens, Rome, and many other cities in Europe and Asia.



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**MISS VOLSTEAD NOT SEEKING PUBLIC JOB**  
(Associated Press Special Wire)  
ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 25.—Reports published in the St. Paul Pioneer Press that she might seek election to congress brought a denial today from Miss Laura Volstead, whose father was author of the prohibition enforcement act. "I have no intention now of running for the Republican nomination to congress in the seventh district or any other district," Miss Volstead told The Associated Press today.

"It was the seventh district that her father, Andrew J. Volstead, represented in congress for many years until defeated in 1923 by Rev. O. J. Kvale, the present farmer-labor congressman. Miss Volstead was admitted to the bar a few years ago after she was graduated from the University of Minnesota.

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**TO DOUGLAS COUNTY ELECTIONS**  
Standing for courtesy to our citizens, most careful, efficient office practice possible to our taxpayers, and cherishing every educational advantage available for our Douglas county youth, I hereby ask the nomination by the Republican party for re-election to the office of County School Superintendent in the primaries, May 18, 1928. (Signed) Mrs. Edith S. Ackert.

**ELEVEN NEW NEWSPAPERS IN STATE DURING PAST YEAR SURVEY SHOWS**  
UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 25.—(Special)—There was an increase of 11 in publications of all types in Oregon during 1927, exclusive of those issued by educational institutions and their students, according to a survey conducted by George Turnbull, editor of Oregon Exchanges. The number of publications was 248 in 1926 and increased the following year to 259. The survey of 1927 includes 33 daily papers, of which seven are published in

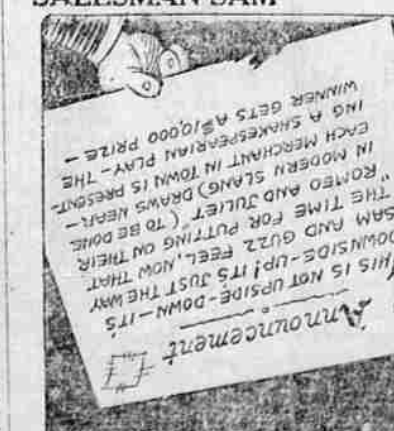
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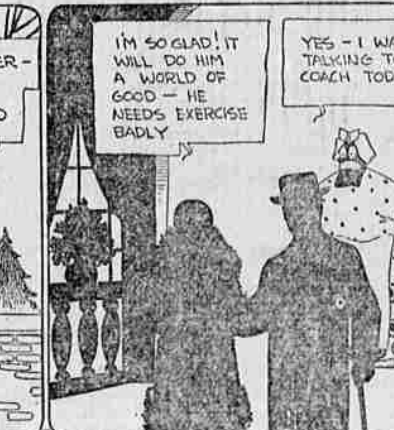
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