

The Adventure of the Dancing Men.

(Continued.)

ing of what has passed there.

"It's a terrible business," said the station master. "They are shot, both Mr. Hilton Cubitt and his wife. She shot him and then herself, so the servants say. He's dead and her life is spared of. Dear, dear, one of the oldest families in the county of Norfolk and one of the most honored!"

Without a word Holmes hurried to a carriage, and during the long seven mile drive he never opened his mouth. I had seen him so utterly despondent. He had been uneasy during all our journey from town, and I had observed that he had turned over the morning papers with anxious attention, but now this sudden realization of his worst fears left him in a blank melancholy. He leaned back in his seat, lost in gloomy speculation. Yet there was much around to interest us, for we were passing through as singular a countryside as any in England, where a few scattered cottages represented the population of today, while on every hand enormous squares towered churches bristled up from the flat, green landscape and told of the glory and prosperity of old East Anglia. At last the violet rim of the German ocean appeared over the green edge of the Norfolk coast, and the driver pointed with his whip to two old brick and timber gables which projected from a grove of trees. "That's Riding Thorpe Manor," said he.

As we drove up to the porticoed front door I observed in front of it, beside the tennis lawn, the black tool house and the pedestal sundial with which we had such strange associations. A dapper little man, with a quick, alert manner and a waxed moustache, had just descended from a high descent. He introduced himself as Inspector Martin of the Norfolk constabulary, and he was considerably astonished when he heard the name of my companion.

"Why, Mr. Holmes, the crime was only committed at 3 this morning. How could you hear of it in London and get to the spot as soon as 17?"

"I anticipated it. I came in the hope of preventing it."

"Then you must have important evidence of which we are ignorant, for they were said to be a most united couple."

"I have only the evidence of the dancing men," said Holmes. "I will explain the matter to you later. Meanwhile, since it is too late to prevent this tragedy, I am very anxious that I should use the knowledge which I possess in order to insure that justice be done. Will you associate me in your investigation or will you prefer that I should act independently?"

"I should be proud to feel that we were acting together, Mr. Holmes," said the inspector earnestly.

"In that case I should be glad to hear the evidence and to examine the premises without an instant of unnecessary delay."

Inspector Martin had the good sense to allow my friend to do things in his own fashion and contented himself with carefully noting the results. The man, had just come down from Mr. Hilton Cubitt's room, and he reported that her injuries were serious, but not necessarily fatal. The bullet had passed through the front of her brain, and it would probably be some time before she could regain consciousness. On the question of whether she had been shot or had shot herself he would not venture to express any definite opinion. Certainly the bullet had been discharged at very close quarters. There was only the one pistol found in the room, two barrels of which had been emptied. Mr. Hilton Cubitt had been shot through the heart. It was equally conceivable that he had shot her and then himself or that she had been the criminal, for the revolver lay upon the floor midway between them.

(Continued next week.)

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For further information apply to, A. H. Rising, Acting P. P. A., So. Pac. Co., Reno, Nev.

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TIMBER LAND NOTICE

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, July 17th 1905. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, the following persons have this day filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:

Fay H. Damon, of Spencer, county of Marathon, state of Wis. Sworn statement No. 2989, for the purchase of the N½ NE¼ SW¼ NE¼ and SE¼ NW¼ Sec. 19, T. 37 S., R. 19 E. W. M.

Gilbert W. Allen, of Loyal, county of Clark, state of Wis. Sworn statement No. 2990, for the purchase of the N½ NW¼ SE¼ NW¼ and SW¼ NE¼ Sec. 32, T. 36 S., R. 19 E. W. M.

Freeman G. Allen, of Oakland, county of Douglas, state of Oregon. Sworn statement No. 2991, for the purchase of the SE¼ NE¼ NE¼ SE¼ and SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 32, T. 36 S., R. 19 E. W. M.

That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish their claim to said land before Geo. Chastain Clerk of Klamath Co. Ore., at his office at Klamath Falls, Ore., on Saturday the 10th day of September, 1905.

They name as witnesses: Herbert P. Cramer of Bly, Oregon, Gilbert W. Allen of Loyal, Wis., Freeman G. Allen of Oakland, Oregon, Charley H. McCumber of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and Fay H. Damon of Spencer, Wis.

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28 35 J. N. Watson, Register.

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TIMBER LAND NOTICE

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Aug. 11, 1905. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, the following persons have this day filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit: Elmer E. Ringhart, of Lakeview, county of Lake, state of Oregon. Sworn statement No. 2979, for the purchase of the SW¼ Sec. 21, T. 37 S., R. 19 E. W. M.

Addie Ringhart, of Lakeview, county of Lake, state of Oregon. Sworn statement No. 2979, for the purchase of the NE¼ Sec. 20, T. 37 S., R. 19 E. W. M.

That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish their claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Lakeview, Oregon, on Friday the 29th day of October, 1905.

They name as witnesses: H. R. Dunbar, W. A. Messingill, W. R. Bernard and Geo. H. Lynch all of Lakeview, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of October, 1905.

33-43 J. N. Watson, Register.

TIMBER LAND NOTICE

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, July 18, 1905. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Tilden Quinn, of Hood River, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2987, for the purchase of the S¼ NW¼ and W¼ SW¼ of Section 28 in Township 35 S., R. 15 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Lakeview, Oregon, on Monday, the 2d day of October, 1905. He names as witnesses: Q. N. Anderson, Oscar Anderson and Irving Anderson of Bly, Oregon, and C. W. Embody of Portland, Ore. Any and all persons claiming adversely to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 2d day of Oct. 1905.

26-38 J. N. Watson, Register.

TIMBER LAND NOTICE

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, July 8th, 1905. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Richard Brown, of Portland, county of Multnomah State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2981, for the purchase of the W¼ NW¼ SE¼ NW¼ and NW¼ SW¼ of Section 22 T. 35 S., R. 17 E. W. M.

and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Geo. T. Baldwin Judge of Klamath Co. at his office at Klamath Falls, Ore., on Friday, the 15th day of Sept., 1905. He names as witnesses: James Boyd of Bly, Oregon, Martin Ryan, Margaret Ryan and C. W. Embody of Portland, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of September 1905.

28-37 J. N. Watson, Register.

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Albert Peterson, of Stevenson, state of Wash. Sworn statement No. 2959, for the purchase of the N½ NE¼, SE¼ NE¼, Sec. 25, T. 34 S., R. 17 and Lots 2 and 3, Sec. 30 T. 34 S., R. 17 E.

Carl E. Peterson, of Stevenson, state of wash. Sworn statement No. 2960, for the purchase of the N½ of the N½, Sec. 34, T. 34 S., R. 17 E.

That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish their claim to said land before Geo. T. Baldwin, Co. Judge at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Monday the 11th day of Sept. 1905.

They name as witnesses: Carl E. Peterson and Albert Peterson of Stevenson, Wash., Martin Ryan, of Bly, Oregon, Oliver Shifer, of Woodland, Wash., and C. W. Embody, of Portland, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of Sept. 1905.

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9:47 a. m. Lv. Summit	4:30 p. m. Ar. Summit
10:35 a. m. Lv. Co. Ar.	4:28 p. m. Ar. Co. Ar.
11:25 a. m. Lv. Francis	4:10 p. m. Ar. Francis
11:55 a. m. Lv. Purdy	3:50 p. m. Ar. Purdy
12:08 p. m. Lv. Plumas	3:35 p. m. Ar. Plumas
12:18 p. m. Lv. Chat.	3:18 p. m. Ar. Chat.
12:28 p. m. Lv. Cameron	3:10 p. m. Ar. Cameron
12:35 p. m. Lv. Red Rock	3:00 p. m. Ar. Red Rock
12:50 p. m. Lv. Constantin.	2:50 p. m. Ar. Constantin.
1:15 p. m. Lv. Doyle	2:45 p. m. Ar. Doyle
1:40 p. m. Lv. Logan	2:35 p. m. Ar. Logan
2:30 p. m. Lv. Amadee	2:20 p. m. Ar. Amadee
3:00 p. m. Lv. Amadee	2:10 p. m. Ar. Amadee
3:25 p. m. Lv. Hot Springs	2:00 p. m. Ar. Hot Springs
3:37 p. m. Lv. Murphy	1:55 p. m. Ar. Murphy
4:28 p. m. Lv. Karlo	1:47 p. m. Ar. Karlo
5:25 p. m. Lv. Horse Lake	1:40 p. m. Ar. Horse Lake
5:30 p. m. Lv. Waverly	1:35 p. m. Ar. Waverly
6:30 p. m. Lv. Termo	1:30 p. m. Ar. Termo
7:15 a. m. Lv. Brockmans Ar.	7:50 p. m. Ar. Brockmans Ar.
7:40 p. m. Lv. Madeline	7:30 p. m. Ar. Madeline

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5:00 pm	10:35 am	Lv. Plumas	Ar. 4:00 pm
5:45 pm	11:20 am	Lv. Vinton	Ar. 5:15 pm
6:30 pm	12:05 pm	Lv. Beckwith	Ar. 6:30 pm
7:20 pm	12:55 pm	Lv. Clairville	Ar. 7:00 pm

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Ar. Bogus	6:55 " "	Ar. Dish	10:55 " "
" Steel Br's	8:45 " "	" R. 1/2 Br's	11:40 " "
" Fall Crk.	7:05 " "	" Fall Crk	11:45 " "
" R. 1/2 Br's	7:30 " "	" Steel Br's	12:00 " "
" Dixie	8:30 " "	" Bogus	12:20 P. M.
" Pokedema	8:30 " "	" Thrall	12:45 " "

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Lv. Thrall	1:30 P. M.	Lv. K. 1/2 Br's	4:45 P. M.
Ar. Bogus	1:55 " "	Ar. Fall Crk	6:30 " "
" Steel Br's	2:15 " "	" Steel Br's	8:30 " "
" Fall Crk	2:35 " "	" Bogus	8:30 " "
" R. 1/2 Br's	2:40 " "	" Thrall	9:45 " "

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