







## The Secret Passage

by Fergus Hume (1859-1932)

This excellent murder mystery (1905) was described in the NY Times Saturday Review of Books as follows: "That painstakingly ingenious person, Fergus Hume, has devised another of his hide-and-seek, jack-o'lantern murder mysteries. It begins with a queer and rich old woman found stabbed to death in her chair and not a clue to the murderer. Then so many clues turn up that even the story-book detective is bewildered. Then nearly everybody turns out to be somebody else under an alias, and all the clues lead nowhere..."

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