

# Nashville Scholars of the Three Pipe Problem

**Investiture**  
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Lady Hilda Trelawney Hope yet another memorable person from the Canon.

Her impression on the Doctor was as follows:

“She swept across the room and seated herself with her back to the window. It was a queenly presence -- tall, graceful, and intensely womanly.”

She then describes the relationship she holds with her husband...one of complete confidence.

“I will speak frankly to you in the hopes that it may induce you to speak frankly in return. There is complete confidence between my husband and me on all matters save one. That one is politics. On this his lips are sealed. He tells me nothing. ...” she tells Mr. Holmes.

But we know a document is missing. A document of such magnitude and critical secrets that the entire Continent could be plunged into war unless it is recovered.

We also learn that she has a letter...a letter from her past which was written and is now a tool of black-mail. She is in a place where she cannot find a way out.

Though her passion and her love for her husband drove her to unthinkable depths, Holmes was able to bring what was a very delicate situation to a resolution protecting her and meeting her desire to protect her husband.

Getta McMillan also knows of political intrigue and has adventure in her life. She knows secrets, some she will never tell...*not even to Holmes himself*. She too has a passion for her husband, but I believe their relationship holds no secrets between them

With this, the Nashville Scholars of the Three Pipe welcomes Getta McMillan to our community as our own Lady Hilda Trelawney Hope.