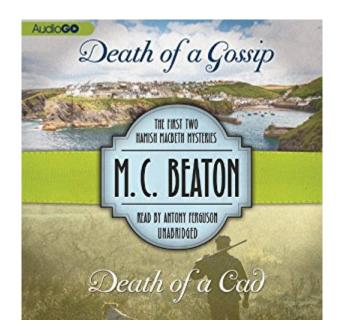


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# Death Of A Gossip & Death Of A Cad: The First Two Hamish Macbeth Mysteries





## Synopsis

Death of a GossipWhen society widow and gossip columnist Lady Jane Winters joined the fishing class, she wasted no time in ruffling the feathers - or was it the fins? - of those around her. Among the victims of her sharp tongue and unladylike manner was Lochdubh Constable Hamish Macbeth. Yet not even Hamish thought someone would permanently silence Lady Jane's shrills - until her strangled body is fished out of the river. Now with the help of the lovely Priscilla Halburton-Smythe, Hamish must angle through the choppy waters of the tattler's life to find the murderer. But with a school of suspects who aren't ready to talk and dead women telling no tales. Hamish may be in over his head, for he knows that secrets are dangerous, knowledge is power, and killers usually do strike again. Death of a CadWhen Priscilla Halburton-Smythe brings her London playwright fianc  $\tilde{A}f\hat{A}$ home to Lochdubh, everybody in town is delighted...except for love-smitten Constable Hamish Macbeth. Yet his affairs of the heart will have to wait. Vile, boorish Captain Bartlett, one of the guests at Priscilla's engagement party, has just been found murdered - shot while on a grouse hunt. Now with many titled party guests as the prime suspects, each with a reason for snuffing out the despicable captain, Hamish must smooth ruffled feathers as he investigates the case. When the hidden culprit strikes again, Hamish will find himself trying to save Priscilla from a miserable marriage - and catch a killer before he flies the coop.

### **Book Information**

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I ordered a Death of a Gossip and Death of a Cad in June of 2013, and gave this as a gift. This CDs were just recently opened and played. The narrator who was advertised for the reading of these

discs was Graeme Malcolm but he did NOT narrate. I double checked the order page and the narrator was CLEARLY advertised as Graeme Malcolm. Never, ever again will I purchase from . The company lied in the advertisement and the man who "did" narrate could neither handle the accents or the different characters. The picture of the box containing the disc (picture on ) is so small that it is impossible to read the name of the man who "did" the narrating, therefore anyone (including me) would believe the advertisement for the product. This advertisement states that Graeme Malcolm is the narrator for this product.I think that I will inform my friends who also purchase audiobooks on (via Facebook) of this dupe. I don't want them to find out, too late, that what they order may possible NOT be what they get.And,certainly, next time I need a gift, it will not be purchased from . I should have known better and gone through Barnes and Noble, who never lie about their products.JMarkunas

I am sorry not to have read the reviews because I was trusting of and so excited to learn Graeme Malcolm had recorded these early Hamish Macbeth works. I have other books narrated by Shaun Grindell who is not as good as Graeme Malcolm, but better than Antony Ferguson who cannot handle the accents. I already have Death of a Cad from Audible, but asked my husband to order this as a Christmas present for me because of GRAEME MALCOLM and the only recording of Death of a Gossip.I am trying to return my purchase as this is false advertising. What is worse, has a review from someone pointing this error of advertising out dated September 2013 and as of Jan. 1, 2014, the ad has not been corrected. We are trying to return the product. How easy that process is will likely determine my future business with . How disappointing.

It was definitely not read/narrated by Malcolm Graeme, which in the case of this as a gift was a big disappointment. If you are looking at the description you BEST CHECK THE PHOTO OF THE PRODUCT to make sure you notice the discrepancy.

The only reason I bought this was it was advertised as being read by Graeme Malcolm. I would buy everyone if he read them. The narrator was horrible! I would never buy from this seller again and I don't want you to either!

This series is terrific, but this particular audio CD was mislabeled. The 2nd book was improperly labeled. It is not possible to contact the seller and get redress for the defective product. I should have read the negative reviews prior to my purchase. Don't repeat my mistake.

Not useable for listening. The CD's skip when played. So they are worthless to us. I now regret my purchase.

Great writer, very good stories.

Love this quick Scottish mysteries. Macbeth is charming.Nice to find a new mystery series as I have caught up with Connelly's series and Maisie Dobbs series.

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