



**SEVERN VALLEY RAILWAY** & *Murder by Appointment*  
jointly present

*"Murder on the Kidderminster Express!"*  
**SATURDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2017**

It is 16 September 1933. A mild autumn evening when, apart from the deepest recession the country has ever known, there is little to disturb the tranquility of the glorious English countryside in the picturesque Severn Valley. Thus, as Edward Porter and his wife Mabel board the 7.30pm Kidderminster to Bridgnorth express, they look forward to celebrating their 33rd wedding anniversary on the same train which carried them on their honeymoon all those years ago. Then it was 1900 - a new century and a new life beckoning them. How were they to know that they were about to witness - 'murder on the Kidderminster express'? But why? And who would be the tragic victim? And who would be the guilty party in this terrifying mystery?

It is fortunate then that a Detective Inspector Alfred Crowther should be boarding the train at Brignorth after a long and tedious day at Brignorth Police Station, on his way home to Arley. Unfortunately for him is the fact that a policeman is never truly off duty and, confronted with a murder, he has no alternative to taking charge and commencing an investigation. You may rest assured that the Inspector will leave no stone unturned as he questions the suspects which will eventually lead him to the apprehension of the perpetrator of this heinous crime.

So join us and dine in fine style as we travel along the picturesque Severn valley aboard an authentic steam train of the period. Enjoy the camaraderie and banter with your fellow passengers as a foul and brutal murder takes place before your very eyes and you are invited to assist Inspector Crowther bring the guilty to justice. Please feel free to dress in period costume should you wish, to make your personal experience even more authentic. We look forward to welcoming you.



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