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this as a  
trivial  
example of  
observation  
and  
inference.*

## The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes

### Adventure XIII -- The Adventure of the Beryl Coronet

1. "I have no doubt that she loved you, but there are women in whom the love of a lover extinguishes all other loves, and I think that she must have been one."
2. "I may be on the trail in this matter, or I may be following a will-o'-the-wisp, but I shall soon know which it is."
3. "It is an old maxim of mine that when you have excluded the impossible, whatever remains, however improbable, must be the truth."
4. "We have certainly been favoured with extraordinary luck during this inquiry, and it will be entirely our own fault if we do not succeed in clearing the matter up."
5. "You owe a very humble apology to that noble lad, your son, who carried himself in this matter as I should be proud to see my own son do, should I ever chance to have one."

