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General Sir H A MacDonald KCB DSO ADC LLD

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Macdonald's Sudanese brigade were part of the column and help achieve the objective, and to occupy Berber. A crofter's son who had risen from the ranks in the Victorian army, he covered himself with glory during a long and successful military career and in 1898 was widely acknowledged as the true hero of the Battle of Omdurman, which cemented British Imperial rule in Anglo-Egyptian Sudan. MacDonald left London for Ceylon.

Hector MacDonald

Fiddlers love to play the first part one octave lower.

Hector MacDonald

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While homosexuality was not a crime in Ceylon, nevertheless Sir Hector was probably facing time in the stockade if convicted. It was not long before he became a nervous wreck. On 11th June 1870 he joined the 92nd Gordon Highlanders, adding a year to his real age to gain entrance, and failing to tell his employer or his parents.

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Just goes to show that common lowest denominator is maybe fine for imperial measurements but not when it comes to music....

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