The above synopsis only hints at the excitement of Anderson's extraordinary life. In one side of his life he was Head of Scotland Yard, with inside knowledge of the really nasty side of life but access to all the social gaieties of the Gentry and Nobility of London. The other side was as Lay Preacher and serious Bible student, when he wrote a number of most unusual books answering questions often asked asked but seldom properly answered (see "The Silence of God") and protesting against the methods of Biblical "Higher Criticism". He especially takes to task those establishment ministers who take all this rubbish on board, taking the Bible for the work of human hands and Jesus Christ for nothing but a good man.

For a list of his works, see page on Literature, and this includes another biography.

For some pictures of London in his time, see page of Photo's.