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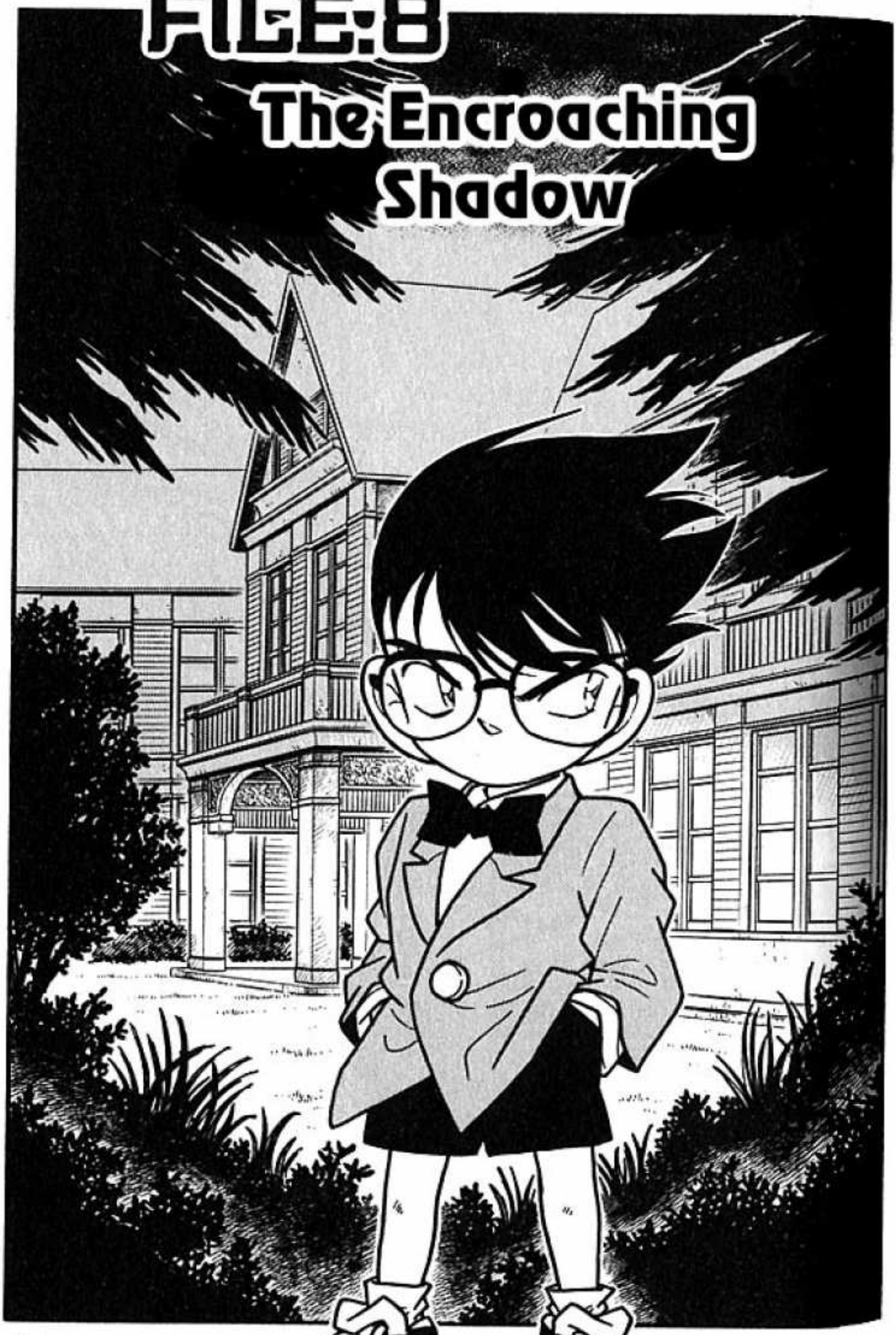

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FORGET IT... HE'S ALREADY DEAD...

NIKAIDOU!! HEY!!

WHAT HAPPENED !?

WHAT IS IT!?

WHAT!?

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BY SOMEBODY NEAR HERE!!!

EXACTLY!! HE WAS JUST KILLED!!

HE WAS ALIVE JUST A MINUTE AGO...

B-BUT WHY!?

HE WAS DROWNED... PROBABLY HAD HIS FACE FORCED INTO THIS FOUNTAIN...

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MAYBE THE KILLER CUT THE LINES...

B-BUT WHY?

YES! NONE OF THE PHONES WORK...

THE PHONE'S DEAD!?

RIGHT, WE ALL SEARCHED ALONE...

OF COURSE NOT!! NIKAIDOU WENT OFF ALONE, PART WAY!!

D-DON'T TELL ME YOU...

WE DID...

YES...

IF I RECALL CORRECTLY, ICHIEDA-SAN AND ROKUDA-SAN WENT WITH HIM TO FIND MISS REIKA... CORRECT?

THAT WON'T WORK, WE'RE OUT OF RANGE, WAY OUT HERE...

I GUESS WE'LL HAVE TO USE MY CELL PHONE...

HUH?

THE MOST OBVIOUSLY SUSPICIOUS PERSON, OF COURSE!

THEN, WHO COULD HAVE...

JUST LIKE YOUR CARS' WERE...

I JUST CHECKED, AND ALL THE TIRES ARE FLAT...

HUH?

SORRY TO DISAPPOINT, BUT THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE...

GOOD IDEA! SOMEBODY CAN GET THE POLICE THAT WAY...

GUESS WE'LL HAVE TO USE THE DETECTIVE'S CAR...

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THE MISSING MISS REIKA!!!

HAS TRAPPED US HERE...

IN OTHER WORDS, SOMEBODY...

WE'LL FIGURE IT OUT THEN...

ANYWAY, LET'S CALL THE COPS!

WHA !?

SHE MIGHT EVEN BE DEAD ALREADY...

WE CAN'T BE SO SURE...

SH-SHE WOULD NEVER...

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THAT'S STRANGE .....

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COULD YOU LOOK IN THE TOP CABINET?

OH, SURE...

THERE'S NO SUGAR...

IS SOME-THING WRONG?

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I DON'T SEE ANY...

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G-GOOD IDEA!

LET'S HAVE SOME COFFEE AND DISCUSS WHAT WE SHOULD DO...

A CAR WILL BE COMING IN THE MORNING, ANYWAY...

THERE'S NO POINT IN GETTING EXCITED...

SHIT, NOW WHAT!?

MIFUNE, WHERE ARE YOU GOING...?

OH, I'LL HELP!

Y-YES...

YONE-SAN, COULD YOU PLEASE MAKE US SOME COFFEE?

YEAH...

YOU SURE KNOW YOUR WAY AROUND THIS HOUSE...

THANK YOU...

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IN THAT CASE, I'LL BRING SOME TOWELS FROM THE WASHROOM! SINCE YOU'RE ALL WET FROM THE RAIN...

THEN I'LL GO TOO...

BATH-ROOM!!

AND ME...

SINCE WE STAYED HERE OFTEN, WITH THE YACHT CLUB...

ALL OF US KNOW OUR WAY AROUND!

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THE ACCIDENT, TWO YEARS AGO...

YEAH... PLEASE TELL US ABOUT IT...

IT MIGHT HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH THIS MURDER!

WH,

WHAT!!?

THERE WAS A STORM THAT DAY...

IT WAS AN UNFORTU-NATE INCIDENT...

ONE OF US WENT OFF TO FIND HER, IN A RUBBER BOAT...

THAT ISLAND WAS SO SMALL THAT IT DISAP-PEARED UNDER THE HIGH TIDE...

ONCE IT STARTED, MOST OF US GOT BACK TO THE CRUISER, BUT MISS REIKA NEVER DID...

THAT DAY, WE'D DROPPED ANCHOR NEAR A SMALL ISLAND, AND WENT OFF SEPARATELY TO HAVE FUN..... NOT KNOWING THAT A STORM WAS COMING...

W-WELL...

WHO WAS SHE?

BUT THE ONE WHO HAD GONE OUT TO FIND HER ORIGINALLY NEVER CAME BACK... WE FOUND HER BODY THREE DAYS LATER...

MISS REIKA WAS FOUND A FEW HOURS LATER, BY NIKAIDOU, WHO HAD GONE FISHING IN ANOTHER BOAT,

OH, FOUND IT!

YONE-SAN?

I HOPE IT'S SAFE...

I FORGOT THAT I BOUGHT SOME 5 YEARS AGO...

YONE-SAN?

HUH?

DUNNO...

I WONDER WHY NIKAIDOU WAS KILLED...

WHAT DOES THAT HAVE TO DO WITH ANY-THING ...

YOU GUYS WERE SAYING THERE WAS AN ACCIDENT...

HUH?

HEY... WHAT HAPPENED TWO YEARS AGO?

HE WAS SO SET ON MAKING MISS REIKA HIS OWN...

HER HUSBAND WAS ALREADY CHOSEN, TWO YEARS AGO...

BECAUSE I HEARD NIKAIDOU-SAN SAY...

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YOU MUST BE TIRED FROM EVERY-THING THAT'S HAPPENED...

I'M SORRY, I SUDDENLY GOT SLEEPY...

YOU'RE ALREADY TIRED!?

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WE'LL SEARCH THE FIRST FLOOR...

'KAY...

LIE DOWN ON THIS SOFA FOR A BIT! I'LL WATCH YOU.

WE'LL TAKE THE SECOND...

HOW ABOUT YOU!?

NO...

NO, NOT HERE!!

DID YOU FIND HER!?

HOPE WE DON'T FIND A CORPSE...

MISS REIKA...

...

WHERE DID SHE GO?

YEAH...

I CAN'T BELIEVE WE STILL CAN'T FIND HER...

I HOPE YAEKO IS SATISFIED...

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SHE DIED, TRYING TO SAVE MISS REIKA...

YO-YONE-SAN...

MY GRAND-DAUGHTER, YAEKO...

HE WAS PROBABLY GOING TO USE THE FACT THAT HE SAVED HER TO REEL HER IN... ALTHOUGH I DON'T KNOW HOW WELL THAT WOULD HAVE WORKED...

BUT WHY WOULD NIKAIDOU SAY THAT HER HUSBAND WAS ALREADY CHOSEN...?

GOOD IDEA, THAT WAY THERE WILL BE SEVERAL PEOPLE PRO-TECTING EACH OTHER...

IN THAT CASE, LET'S SPLIT UP INTO TWO GROUPS!

THE KILLER MIGHT EVEN BE ONE OF US...

BUT WHAT IF THE KILLER ATTACKS AGAIN?...

LET'S SEARCH THE HOUSE AGAIN, JUST TO BE SURE...

ANYWAY, WE HAVE TO FIND HER FIRST!

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RIGHT...

THEN, RIGHT AFTER WE FINISH THE COFFEE...

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YAEKO...

B-BREAKING GLASS!?

HUH? WHAT WAS THAT NOISE...?

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IT'S CLOSE!!

HEHE HE...

WE JUST GOT HERE...

WHO TURNED OFF THE LIGHTS !?

OH!

THAT SOMEBODY BESIDES US HAS SNUCK IN HERE...

NOW WE KNOW FOR SURE...

SO SHE MUST BE IN THE FOREST...

WE'VE SEARCHED THE ENTIRE FIRST FLOOR NOW...

OR HERE...

HMM, NOT HERE...

IN THE WEST HALL-WAY!!

WHERE'S THE BREAKER !?

MAYBE SOMETHING HAPPENED UPSTAIRS!!

A BLACK OUT?

HUH?

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WHAT'S HE DOING...?

WHO IS THIS?...

ALONE !!!

RAN IS...

WATER?

MOVE...

I CAN'T...

B-BAS-TARD...

WHETHER THAT WAS MISS REIKA OR SOMEBODY WE DON'T KNOW, I CAN'T TELL...

MI-MIFU-NE...

YOU WON'T GET AWAY!!

RIGHT THROUGH THIS WINDOW!!

SEEING AS WE WERE SEARCHING THE WHOLE HOUSE, HE PROBABLY RAN OUT OF HIDING PLACES, SO HE KILLED THE LIGHTS AND ESCAPED...

R-RIGHT!!

STOP THEM!!

W-WAIT!!

H-HEY, THAT MEANS...

YO-YONE-SAN, WHY ARE YOU HERE?

YOU ALL RAN OUT WITH PALE FACES, SO I CHASED YOU!

A LOT OF PEOPLE GET LOST IN THESE WOODS...

DAMN, LOST THEM!!

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