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A movie poster for 'Murder on the Orient Express' set in a train carriage. The scene is lit with a cool blue light. On the left, a man with a prominent mustache (Jean Reno) stands in a dark suit. In the center, several women in period-appropriate attire are standing. On the right, a man (Johnny Depp) sits in a patterned armchair, holding a glass of whisky. The overall atmosphere is mysterious and classic.

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THE FACTS