



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Madly in Love? Sadly Alone? Bored with browsing your stamp collection by yourself? Want to let somebody know how much you like them? Want to tell somebody that they snore? Then simply write a letter with a small advertisement to "The London Times", and dump it in the post-box. Do it now!

### LOST AND FOUND:

Could the gentleman whom I acquainted with briefly yesterday please give me back my green, spiky garter belt?

*Annette le Plaisir*

Has anyone seen my brother?

*Mycroft Holmes*

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We're out of Keiler. Solly.

*Oxford street*

Balding doctor, growing old, still alone, looking for female who shares his interest in medical checkups, chemistry and the effects of various substances on the body.

*Contact Dr. Frontez*

### FOR SALE

A wheelchair wanted in exchange for cup of cinnamon tea. Please call +354 8498033.

*The disabled girl*

We are for sale. Prize upon request.

*the ladies of the street*

# Miss Marple's guide to Decency and Propriety in relations of the Gentleman to his Lady



Always remember that every female is a lady, even if her behavior gives evidence to the contrary!

If you absolutely cannot resist your heart's desire to approach a young lady, why not sweeten her up in advance by sending her a love letter anonymously through the post?

An invitation to a lady for a walk-about along the Thames (without supervision of other people) is allowed only after receiving authorization from the parents of the previously mentioned lady, as well as grandpar-

ents in the case of them being alive.

A lady must be treated with respect – you shall not have dirty thoughts of her; if you happen to break this rule – approach the nearest cold shower available!

A marriage has nothing to do with love. Your choice shall be informed by a sincere dedication to establishing a respectable household. Thus you shall be engaged with a female of the appropriate kin.

You shall not dare initiate physical contact before the conclusion of the nuptial day.

The only and obvious purpose of physical contact is the improvement of the demography of the glorious nation of Britannia. Our army is waiting for young stout men! You shall not take delight in the process; instead approach it as a heavy and responsible duty!

If you do not wish to abide by the rules above, the only solution is to visit the Docks where one actually might find contact with local harlots.

However, beware of the diseases that such an act may bring along!

# London NOT amused

text: Inga, photos: Flo/Vali

**A brave group of canny cops discovered yesterday evening that Queen Victoria has had a baby out of wedlock. The father of the child is none other than the mayor of our very own city: Henry Higglebottom!**



A picture of the young prince, provided by the Queens maid.



Scientist William Higglebottom, the son of the Queen and Mayor Henry Higglebottom

The nation has been paralyzed. Such a scandal hasn't burst out since old William IV was discovered wearing his mother's garter-belts. Londoners are split in two in their act of despair. One half moans over the fact that the nation has missed the upbringing and youth of one of the most eligible young princes in history, the other half, the more conservative one, despises this birth of a bastard and Victoria.

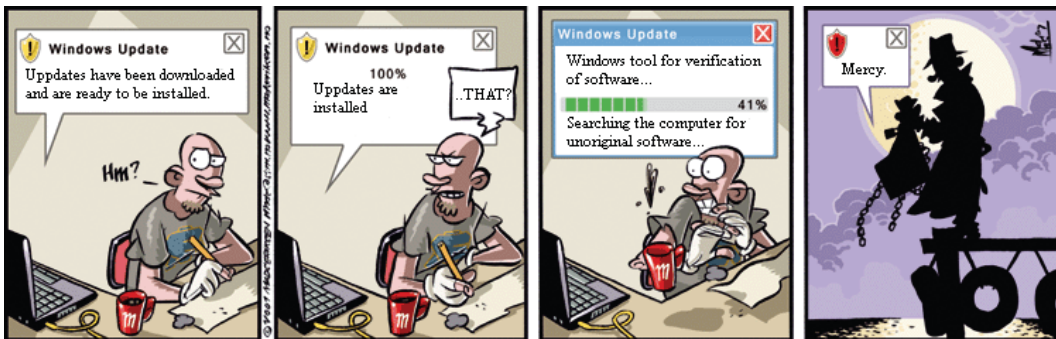
Under the strict command of soon to be under-constable Lestrade, the

Civil Defense Corps were sent out investigating the disappearance of Mr. Holmes. The constables and sergeants of CDC did not succeed in finding any important clues about the whereabouts of Mr. Holmes, but did in fact unravel this secret of the Queen.

Apparently, young William Higglebottom was rushed to St. Francis Monastery on the moment of birth where he received education in the field of engineering. His father, the Mayor of our dear capital, paid the monks of Oxford to feed

and educate young prince William. Sir William has been working on experiments in London, investigating the effect of this new discovery, electricity, on the dirty street rats of London. The reporters of LT haven't got any further information of the nature of his experiments but we will inform the readers as we gain additional news.

professional reasearch subjects  
**wanted!**  
 Contact Sir William for more information.  
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# Quiz

**Yesterday the story turned a bit weird. Did you get it?**

**The Queen was accused to have an affair after the dead of her husband. Do you know who was said to be the aim of her passion?**

- X Professor Moriarty
- X Chief Constable Lestrade
- X The Mayor Higglebottom

**Who was said to be the result of this affair?**

- X Sherlock Holmes
- X Sir William
- X Arsène Lupin

**What is the first name of Dr. Watson?**

- X Doctor
- X John
- X William Arthur

**What is the so-called „Big Ben“?**

- X a tower
- X a bell
- X a hi-fi unit served by Christoph

**For what purpose the machines we saw yesterday as a clue may be constructed?**

- X mind-switching
- X gender-switching
- X shirt-switching

**By the way, why the Queen wears black all day?**

- X she is in mourning
- X she is a disguised goth
- X it makes her looking thinner

**A technical problem: What is the plural of the computer writing devices?**

- X mouses
- X mice
- X keyboards

Write down your answers and your name on a piece of paper, and put it in the post-box in Baker street, and you will have your portait printed in the London Times!!!

Photo of the Day:

## “Tobi and the Ladies”

by Florian Friedrich



### Editors comment:

The picture proves in an obvious way the nowadays horrifying tendency of ladies „taking the lead“. Is this the beginning of a new revolutionary era? Men, be strong!

**Do YOU have a good photo? Please visit us in Camden market, and maybe YOU will be the next one to have your artwork printed!**

# Apocalypse NOW!

## Time collapse struggles London

**To all the sensible guys who are already despairing over a missed appointment, a forgotten phone call or an overslept meeting, do not read on!**

The following will tear your conception of time into pieces. Yesterday which was at first supposed to be the 2nd of April 1889 turned out to be a black hole in the calendar and it is probable that our dearest friend Sherlock Holmes trapped in there, was kept and finally released in 1891.

In those two years, no one ever heard of him or saw him, he appeared to have been swallowed by the ground. When two letters emerged on March 26th



*If you observe a device like this, don't be surprised if the lost Mr. Sherlock Holmes is sitting in it!*

1891, the policemen at Scotland Yard were racked. Many officials believe in a Time Machine and rumours of a collapsing Empire go round.

Is this the end of our glorious commonwealth?

# Sport News



### The weekend`s RUGBY result:

Birmingham Buttercups vs. Primrose Pitbulls ( 50:25 )

*After a hard and bloody game which costed many teeth and resulted in a couple of legs broken, the aggressive Buttercups defeated the tamed Pitbulls with a lead of 25 points. The best player was John F. Lower ( Birmingham ) who managed to catch the egg with a stout-hearted jump right into the scrum ( 39th minute, 2nd half ) and scored his 22th goal which also marked the ending of the game.*

### News from the Binge-Drinking Frontline



The Southern English Drinking Competition took place at Bath last Saturday. It resulted in a hard head to head run between the old champion Walker and his challenger Beam who ended up with 40 bottles of stout , 3 pints of Vodka and 5 glasses of milk each .In the very end it was a sip of peppermint liquor which was decisive and the proud winner ( Walker ) is now allowed to bear the title `Iron Liver` for another year.

# Horoscopes



### GEMINI

Love will fill up your day! Today you will find your soulmate, you will be inseparable like siamese twins. But don't get too attached; the happiness can be short if you don't watch out!



### ARIES

Watch your step and try not to put your foot in your mouth! Due to heavy partying the night before, people around you are especially edgy today and are just waiting for an opportunity to get down on you like a ton of gold bricks!



### TAURUS

You are in full charge! Use your momentum to break down any walls you might come across. Nothing can stop you, so just go ahead and grab the day by its horns! But be careful: some walls are steel-enforced concrete and crack your head open like an over-ripe melon.



### SCORPIO

The stars are quite plain on this one: we know that there is something amazing awaiting you in the near future. It may be the romantic partner you have been waiting for such a long time, or at least his/her dandruff-infested hair in your soup.



### LEO

Before you start your day growling, try to see the positive aspects of being awakened by guitarplay. You might wonder when you will get a proper night's sleep or when you will finally be able to understand the incredibly complex Sherlock Holmes Case. We share your concerns, but please try to focus on the small joys of everyday life.



### CANCER

As Yoda says in Episode 3: "Train yourself to let go of everything you fear to lose." Like your cup, for example. Or sleep. Or the contents of your stomach. Let go and draw in the sour scent of the brand new day!



### Aquarius

The sun will shine on you today, but watch out that you don't dry out like a jellyfish in a gas oven. You need to go to the kiosk and buy yourself some goodies to reward yourself for the great work you've done so far. Keep up the good spirits!



### VIRGO

A frog fell into a big jar of milk. But instead of giving up, he kept on struggling to stay afloat. And just as the milk began to transform into butter, a man came along, threw in some bananas and turned on the mixer. Don't let this small story irritate you. Keep on trying, even if it all ends in a bloody milkshake.



### CAPRICORN

Avoid a long stay in the Dungeons, for that's not your natural habitat. Prefer high places like the Big Ben or the top of the Tower Of London. From this elevated vantage point, you can spit on all the pigheaded people who have been annoying you for such a long time.



### LIBRA

Being very sensitive to any change, you have to find the balance between your bacchanal nightlife and your hard daily work. And here's some extra special advice: find your partner of choice for Dream Time and pull out all your stops. Trust the stars!



### PISCES

If you had a wed night, take it slow today and drink plenty of water. If you stayed dry, you should replenish your bodily water depots. As you might already know, Pisces need loads of moisture. Maybe you can find some other ways to accomplish this?



### SAGGITARIUS

Your love arrows have cruelly sharp edges, but they haven't hit their target yet. Try a more gentle approach and write your secret love a letter! If you are creative enough, you might not just win his/her heart, but also get some hot action!