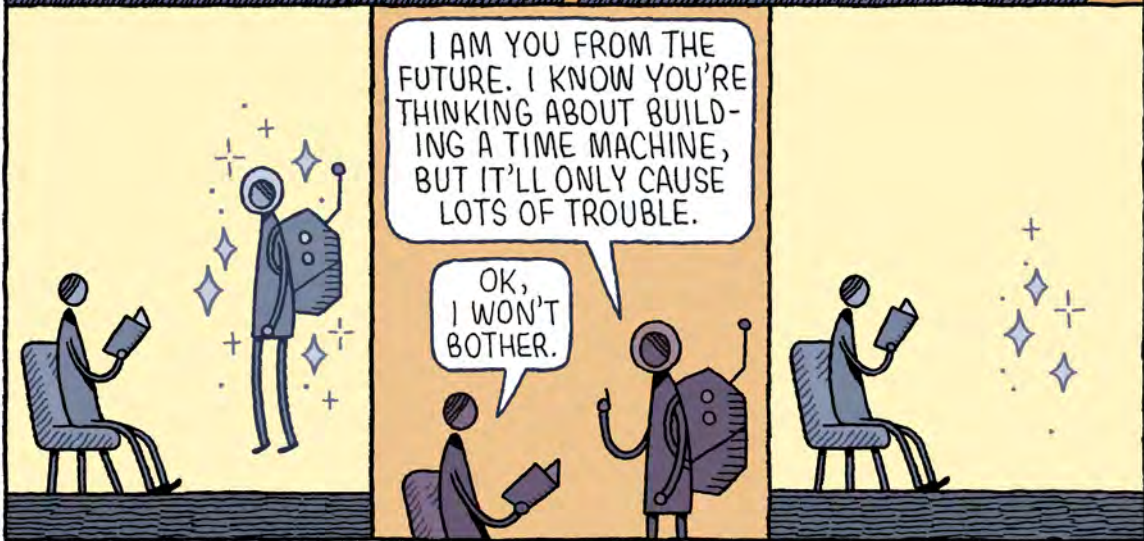


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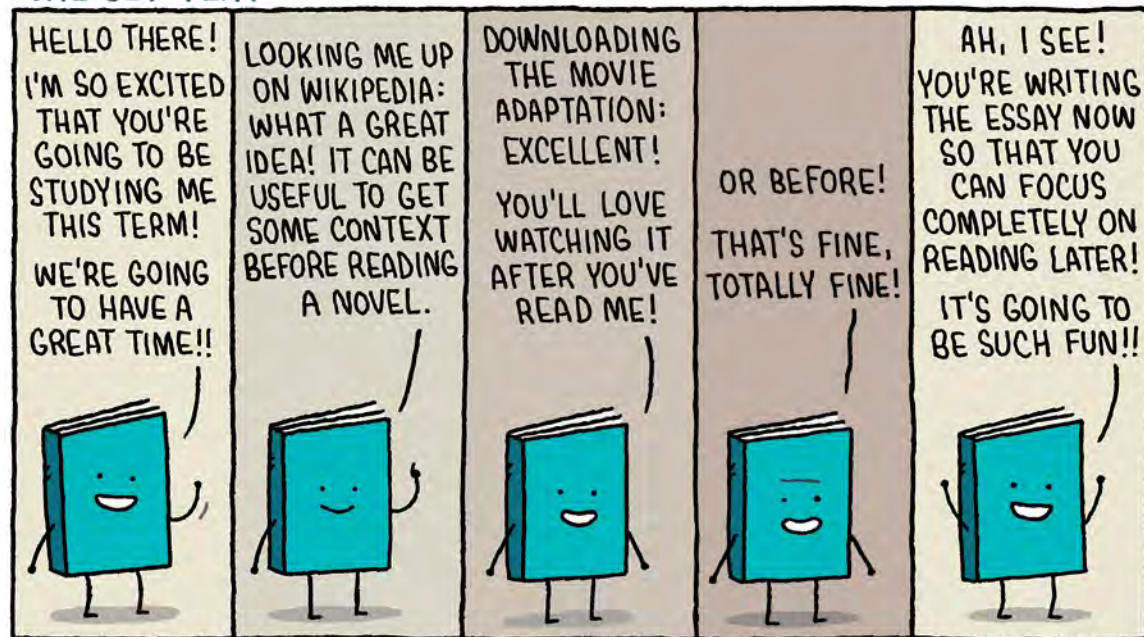


FOR DAPHNE AND IRIS

OUR DEAR, DEPARTED BOOKS...



THE SET TEXT



ARABELLA!! A
LETTER FOR YOU
FROM MISTER
HASTINGS!

OH MY!!
READ IT TO
ME AT ONCE!



"MADAM, IT WAS MY SINCEREST PLEASURE TO
MEET YOU AT THE HEATHRIDGE BALL. I TRUST
YOU WILL NOT THINK ME FORWARD IN
EXPRESSING MY HOPE THAT WE MAY RENEW
OUR ACQUAINTANCE AT THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY.
SMILEY FACE. HEART. SMILEY FACE WITH
HEARTS FOR EYES. THUMBS UP. FLOWER.
SMILEY FACE BLOWING A KISS. HEART."



SOME MURDER METHODS FOR MODERN MYSTERY WRITERS



POISONED
ARTISANAL
BRIOCHE



RUN OVER BY
SELF-DRIVING
CAR



ORGANIC,
LOCALLY-SOURCED
CYANIDE



EXPLODING
E-CIGARETTE



STRANGLED WITH
SMARTPHONE
CHARGER CABLE



BLUDGEONED
WITH SUSTAINABLE
FIREWOOD



SCORPION
HIDDEN IN
UGGS



PUSHED OFF
CLIFF WHILE
INSTAGRAMMING

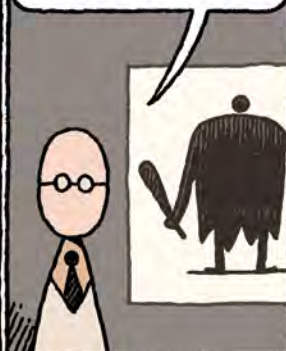
2014

RE-INTRODUCING
THE FAIRY TO OUR
COUNTRYSIDE
WILL IMPROVE
THE FAILING
ECOSYSTEM.



2017

THE ONLY WAY TO
DEAL WITH OUR
FAIRY INFESTATION
IS TO BRING BACK
THEIR NATURAL
PREDATOR: TROLLS.



2020

TROLL NUMBERS
ARE OUT OF
CONTROL. WE
NEED DRAGONS TO
PREY ON THEM.



2023

SOMETHING MUST
BE DONE ABOUT
OUR DRAGON
PROBLEM. I'M
THINKING GIANT
ROBOTIC SPIDERS,
AN ARMY OF
SKELETONS OR
GODZILLA.



THE FOUR UNDRAMATIC PLOT STRUCTURES

I. IGNORING THE MONSTER	II. ERRONEOUS ACCUSATION	III. THE ENIGMA UNSOLVED	IV. DIMINISHING DESIRE
			
THE HERO IS CONFRONTED BY AN ANTAGONISTIC FORCE AND IGNORES IT UNTIL IT GOES AWAY.	THE PROTAGONIST IS ACCUSED OF WRONGDOING, BUT IT'S NOT A BIG THING AND SOON GETS SORTED OUT.	THE HEROINE IS FACED WITH A PROBLEM BUT IT'S REALLY, REALLY DIFFICULT SO SHE GIVES UP.	A MAN WANTS SOMETHING. LATER HE'S NOT SO SURE. BY SUPPERTIME HE'S FORGOTTEN ALL ABOUT IT.

REVOLUTION!

FRIENDS! WE MUST SMASH THE WHOLE SYSTEM AND BEGIN SOCIETY ANEW!



MADNESS!

COUNT ME OUT

BOO

OK...WE NEED TO BRING DOWN THE GOVERNMENT!



NO THANKS

CHAOS!

OH DEAR

WE COULD MARCH ON PARLIAMENT AND DEMAND CHANGE?



HMM...

MAYBE

NOT SURE

-SIGH- WOULD ANYONE LIKE TO SIGN A PETITION?



PASS THE PEN!

THAT'S MORE LIKE IT!

POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

Scenes from 'Mrs Tittlemouse joins the Suffragettes' by Beatrix Potter



"We must fight for our freedoms and those of our daughters." Mrs Tittlemouse explained to the ladybird.












"The inferiority of women is a hideous lie which has been enforced by law." she told the fat old toad.



"Deeds not words." said Mrs Tittlemouse and went off to town to smash windows with her toffee hammer.

MY LIBRARY



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|  READ. |  SAVING FOR WHEN I HAVE MORE TIME. |  READ, BUT CAN'T REMEMBER A SINGLE THING ABOUT IT. |
|  INTENDING TO READ. |  WILL NEVER READ. | |
|  HALF-READ. |  PRETEND I'VE READ. |  WISH I HADN'T READ. |
| |  PURELY FOR SHOW. | |

BEWARE!



TH' POEMS HEREWITH ART
MOST TERRIBLY BAWDY.

CLICK HITHER TO CONFIRME THY AGE:

☐ I AM AG'D SIXTEENE OR OVER

