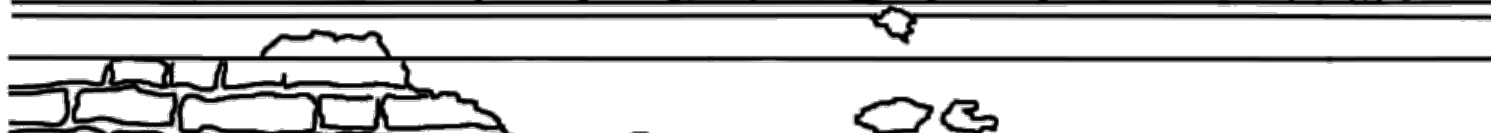


**HOLMES, THE SCHOOL PAPER HAS
PUBLISHED A BRILLIANT WRITE-UP ON
YOUR SOLUTION TO THE MISSING
GYMNASIUM SOCKS MYSTERY.**



I FELT 'THE ADVENTURE OF THE BOGUS LAUNDRY AFFAIR' WAS AN INSPIRED TITLE ON MY PART. I AM ALSO PROUD OF THE NARRATIVE I PUT TOGETHER.



**YET I FEEL THAT MYSTERY IS NOT
COMPLETELY RESOLVED.**

**WHAT IS LEFT...? MASTER MORAN HAS
ADMITTED TO THE CRIME, HE HAS
RECEIVED HIS PUNISHMENT, AND THE
SOCKS HAVE BEEN RETURNED.**



**I DO NOT BELIEVE HE ACTED ALONE. THERE IS
A CENTRAL POWER BEHIND THE AGENT, NOT
SUSPECTED BY THE SCHOOL'S
ADMINISTRATION.**



**THIS DEEP
ORGANIZING
POWER STANDS IN
THE WAY OF THE
LAW, AND
THROWS ITS
SHIELD OVER ALL
OF THE WRONG-
DOERS WITHIN
THIS SCHOOL.**



AGAIN AND AGAIN I HAVE
FELT THE PRESENCE OF THIS
FORCE.



THIS IS CREEPY.

**OR JUST AN OVER-
ACTIVE IMAGINATION.**



I WILL SEIZE UPON
A THREAD, AND
FOLLOW IT, EVEN
IF IT LEADS ME
THROUGH A
THOUSAND
CUNNING
WIDINGS, UNTIL I
DISCOVER THE
TRUTH.



**AND THIS MY FRIENDS, IS NOT-
SO-SUBTLE FORESHADOWING.**

**CAN YOU FORESHADOW
THE COMPLETE CRACK-
UP OF A FRIEND ?**

