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"THE LIFE AND TIMES IN VICTORIAN LONDON"



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WELCOME TO TOPIC # 099... TODAY WE WILL BE
LOOKING AT INVENTIONS DURING THE
VICTORIAN PERIOD...



IMAGINE, IT WAS A RAINY SATURDAY
AFTERNOON JUST BEFORE CHRISTMAS OF 1902
AND YOU HAD TAKEN ADVANTAGE...



Victorian Inventions and Inventors

I can match the correct invention with its inventor

 Steamboat	 Bicycle	 Telephone	 Morse Code
 Rubber Tyre	 Ferry Boat	 Motor	 Electric Light Bulb
 Typewriter	 Spring Machine	 Photography	 Tennis

*...OF SOME OF THE WONDERFUL INVENTIONS
VICTORIANS COULD NOW ENJOY.*



*UNFORTUNATELY, YOUR HUSBAND HAD TO MAKE A
RUN INTO THE CITY, BUT HE WOULD STAY WARM.*





*HIS 'MACINTOSH', CREATED BY CHARLES
MACINTOSH, KEPT HIM DRY.*



BEING ABLE TO USE 'THE TUBE' IN VICTORIAN LONDON WOULD ALSO HELP.





SINCE SIR ROWLAND HILL'S INVENTION OF THE PENNY POST, MORE STAMPS WERE NEEDED AS YOU HAD CARDS TO SEND.





JOHN CALCOTT HORSELY HAD STARTED THE MOST
LOVELY CHRISTMAS TRADITION...



...SENDING CHRISTMAS CARDS... ANOTHER CHRISTMAS TRADITION YOUR FAMILY ENJOYED WERE CHRISTMAS CRACKERS, INVENTED BY TOM SMITH.



*THE DELIGHT OF YOUR CHILDREN AS THEY
SCRAMBLE FOR THE GOODIES INSIDE ALWAYS
BROUGHT A SMILE.*



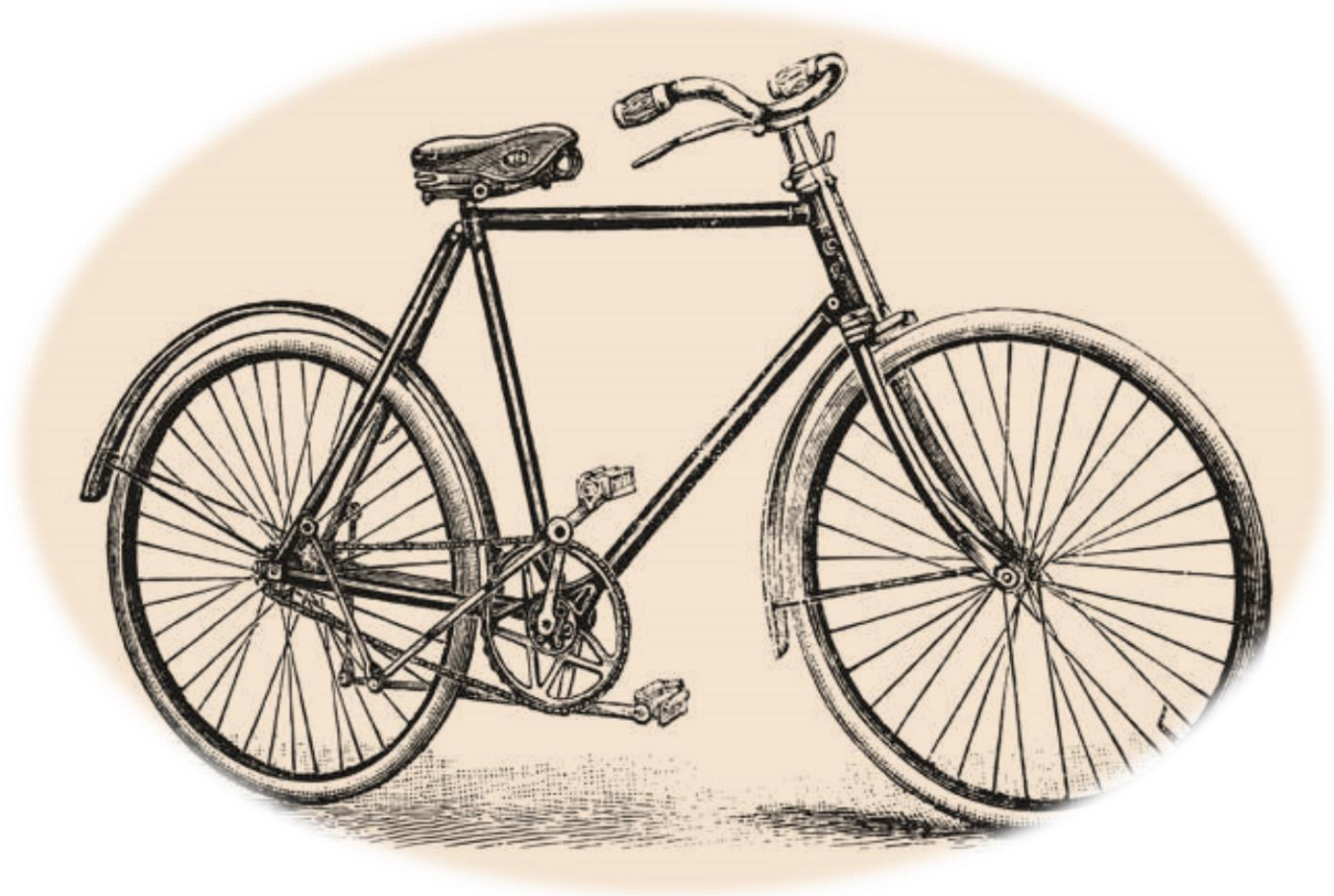
*IT WAS TIME TO START WRAPPING YOUR
CHRISTMAS GIFTS.*



*YOUR DAUGHTER HAD BEEN ASKING FOR A
KALEIDOSCOPE EVER SINCE IT WAS INVENTED BY
SIR DAVID BREWSTER.*

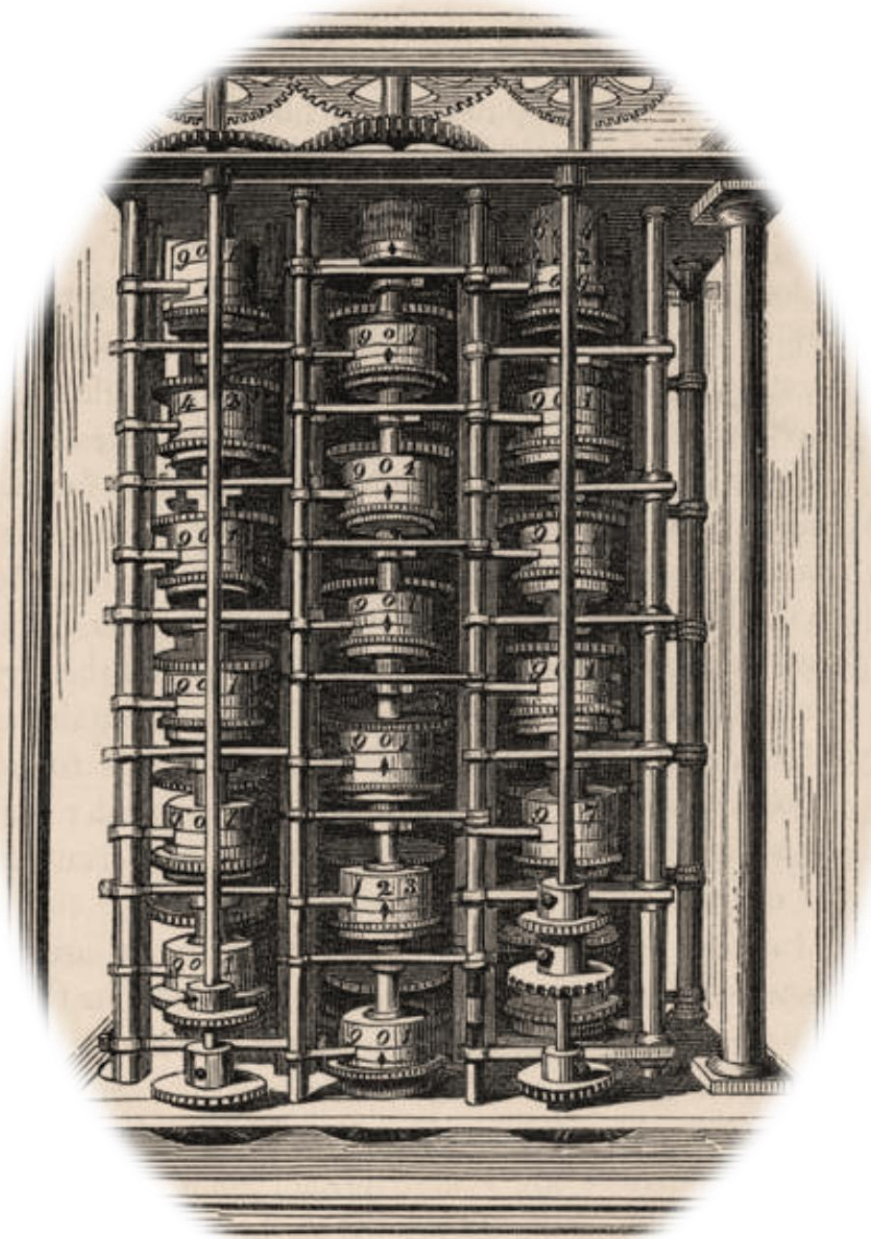


THAT WAS EASY TO COVER IN PRETTY PAPER...
HARDER, HOWEVER, WAS THE PEDAL BICYCLE -
ANOTHER VICTORIAN INVENTION FIRST PRODUCED
BY KIRKPATRICK MACMILLAN.



*WITH FAMILY COMING FROM CORNWALL, VIA
BRUNEL'S RAILWAY BRIDGE...*





BABAGE'S CALCULATING MACHINE
DIFFERENCE-ENGINE

**...EXPENSES WERE BEING TALLIED WITH THE HELP
OF THE CALCULATING MACHINE INVENTED BY
CHARLES BABBAGE.**



**THE SHORTHAND DEVELOPED BY ISAAC
PITMAN HELPED MAKE SHORT WORK OF THE
SHOPPING NECESSITIES.**

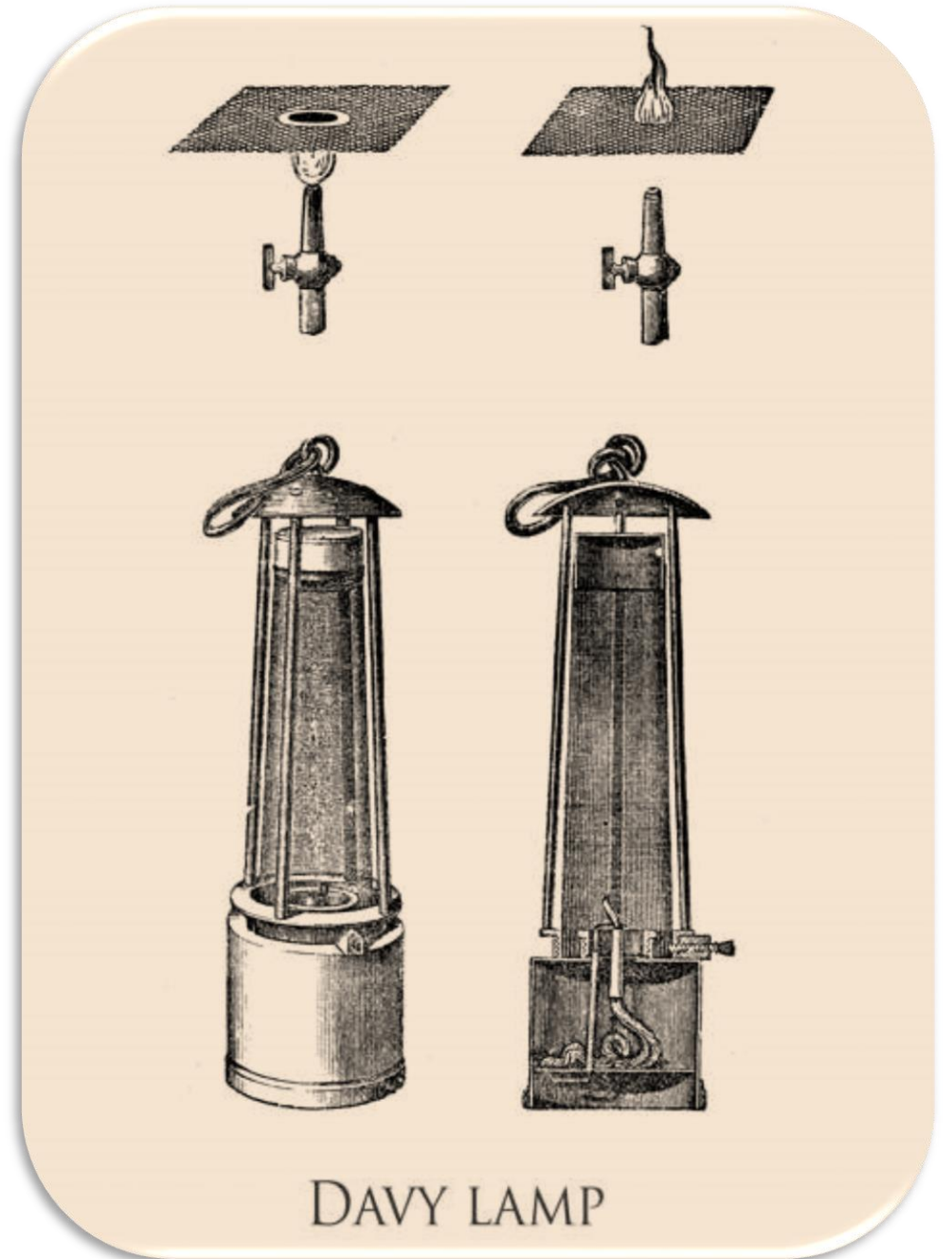




AS YOU WERE CONTEMPLATING THE MENU, YOU HAD TIME TO GIVE A SILENT THANK YOU TO SIR HUMPHRY DAVY.



**HIS VICTORIAN INVENTION OF THE SAFETY LAMP
FOR COAL MINERS ENABLED YOUR BROTHER TO BE
WITH YOU FOR THE HOLIDAY.**



DAVY LAMP

UNBEKNOWNST TO YOU, YOUR HUSBAND HAD
ARRANGED A CONTINENTAL TOUR FOR THE SPRING.



Eiffel et Panorama sur la Seine.

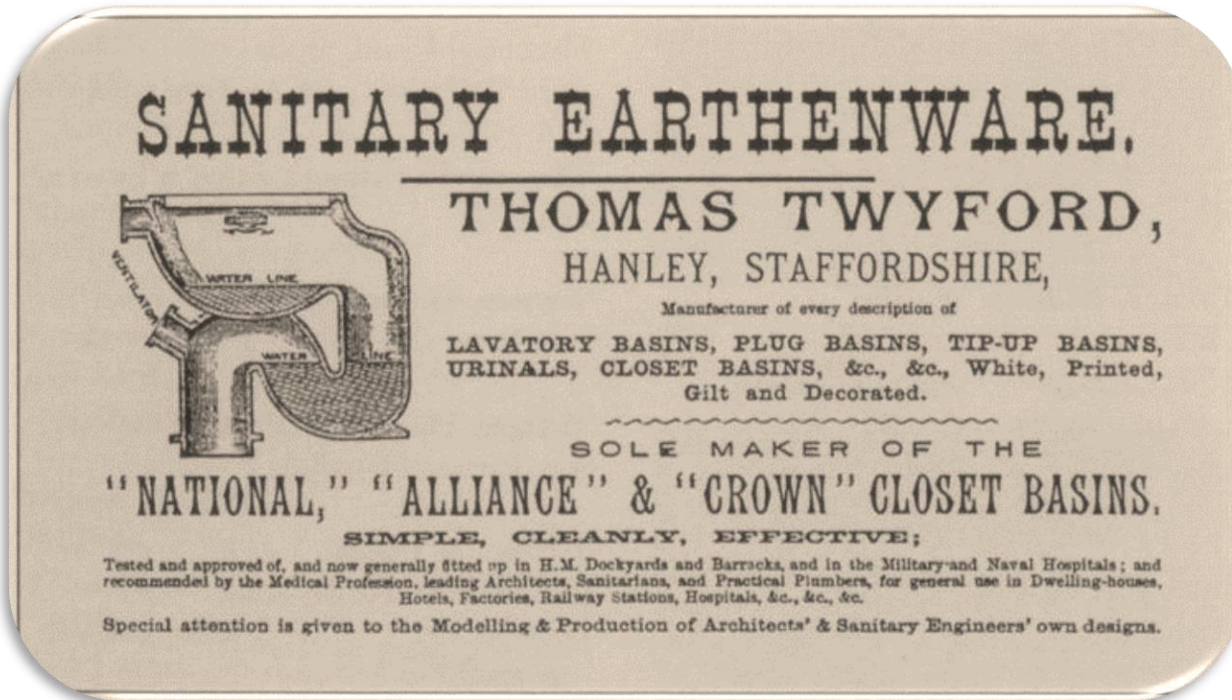
THOMAS COOK INVENTED THIS MARVELLOUS WAY
TO TRAVEL AND UNDER THE TREE FOR YOU WAS AN
EXCURSION TO PARIS.



SUDDENLY THERE IS A CRISIS... WHILE USING THE VACUUM CLEANER INVENTED BY HUBERT BOOTH, THE UPSTAIRS MAID HAD DISCOVERED A PROBLEM.



THE CHINA TOILET FORMED BY THOMAS TWYFORD
HAD DEVELOPED A CRACK.



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*ISN'T THAT JUST THE WAY... JUST BEFORE  
COMPANY ARRIVES?*



SO, WE HAVE COMPLETED TOPIC # 099 IN OUR SERIES...

IN TOPIC # 100, WE WILL BE LOOKING AT THE RAILWAY SYSTEM DEVELOPED DURING THE VICTORIAN PERIOD.





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