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Tekst nr 1

One of the biggest mysteries at sea is what happened to the ship, the *Mary Celeste*. It sailed from New York on 7th November 1872 with Captain Briggs, his wife, daughter, and eight men. The ship was travelling to Genoa, in Italy, but it didn't arrive. People went to find the ship and rescue the passengers, but when they found it, the ship was sailing alone with no one on board. Their report said that something unexpected happened to the ship, but without any more information, people started to lose interest. Then, in 1884, the writer Arthur Conan Doyle wrote a story about a ship that he called the *Marie Celeste*. He wrote about strange events on the ship. Some of these events were true and others were not. People read his story and became interested again. It is a mystery that people are still talking about now.

Tekst nr 2

Many people think that working in TV is exciting, but it's more difficult than it looks. For everything to go well, the film crew and the other experts that work in a TV studio must be very good at their jobs. Things don't always happen in the way you expect, and that can be complicated. People think that everything in TV happens very quickly, but in fact the actors are often waiting around for a long time, and that's boring! It's especially true for actors making a film. It sometimes takes a week to make a scene that is only five minutes long. Filming outside is worse. When the light or weather changes, or when a plane flies past during the filming of a historical drama, the filming must stop. There's a lot to think about.

Tekst nr 3

Will people shop in towns and cities in twenty years' time? In the last two years, the number of people shopping online went up from 10% to 85%. It's easier for us to shop from our sofas than to travel to the town centre or a big shopping mall.

We can save time shopping online, and we can also save money. Many shops that were successful before the Internet arrived are now closed, because they were more expensive than online shops. Travel agents are having problems too. Many people now find travel information on the Internet, then

book the flights and hotels on their own.

Perhaps we'll always prefer to try on clothes before we buy them, or talk to an expert to help us choose. I think there will be shops in towns in twenty years' time, but they'll probably only sell unusual things that you can't find on the Internet.

Tekst nr 4

Do football players have more injuries than in the past? We often read about players with injuries, usually to their legs or feet. Football boots now are lighter, and they don't protect players' feet very well. The old-fashioned football boots protected their feet, but they were heavy, and players found it difficult to run quickly.

The football itself is lighter too, and because it travels fast, players must also be fast. Another problem with boots is that players often wear a pair for the first time in a match. Experts say they shouldn't do this.

Finally, players take part in more matches than in the past, especially in the UK. It's true that the game isn't as physical now, and there are more rules, but footballers only rest for about four to six weeks in a year. Many people say that this is the biggest problem.

Tekst nr 5

Donna and her husband John go to the beach every Saturday in the summer. Today is no exception. Donna packs a picnic lunch. She packs the beach umbrella and sun lotion. She cannot find their beach towels. Donna always loses things. The towels are not in the laundry basket or dryer. They are not in the closet, either. She finally looks in her beach bag. She sees the towels folded in the bottom. Of course, the beach towels are exactly where they should be. Donna puts on her swimsuit and floppy sun hat. She is almost ready. She just needs her sunglasses. She thinks they are on the table by the door. Or maybe they are in the bathroom. They

could also be in her purse. Donna sighs.

John puts the picnic basket, umbrella, and beach bag in the car. He checks his fishing poles and equipment. He places them in the car beside the picnic basket. Daisy, their dog, jumps in the backseat. She loves the beach! John is ready to leave. Where is Donna? She knows he likes to arrive at the beach before the crowds.