

# The League of Extraordinary Statistics



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This is the third time; I hope good luck lies in odd numbers... There is divinity in odd numbers, either in nativity, chance, or death

— William Shakespeare, *The Merry Wives of Windsor*, V, i, 2

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The tendency has always been strong to believe that whatever received a name must be an entity or being, having an independent existence of its own. And if no real entity answering to the name could be found, men did not for that reason suppose that none existed, but imagined that it was something particularly abstruse and mysterious.

— John Stuart Mill

Guy H Lillian III

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- 235: Tyndallite Volume 3, Number 109 (3pg)

There are three kinds of lies: lies, damned lies and statistics.  
— Benjamin Disraeli

Bobby Geoge Poulette

- 230: Anoit4her Issue I been thnkin bout (1pg)
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I am one of the unpraised, unrewarded millions without whom Statistics would be a bankrupt science. It is we who are born, who marry, who die, in constant ratios.

— Logan Pearsall Smith, *Trivia* (1902)

Gary Robe

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- 234: Fox Troop (frank) (1pg)
- 235: ... gang oft astray ... (2pg)
- 235: Bob's Infected Nose (28pg)

In the universe the difficult things are done / as if they are easy / In the universe great acts are made up of small deeds / The sage does not attempt anything very big, / And thus achieves greatness.

— Lao Tzu, *Tao Te Ching*

George Wells

230: Somewhere, Under the Danube, Bluebirds Snorkle and Some Day We Will Get There Riding Out Oldsmoborkle #1 (6pg)

232: Insert Dignified Title Here: the ones with the toilet training of tenrecs were just not working out and the bears and vampires to the tune of Sound of Music was less than insipid #1 (6pg)

234: Cow drifters, off to eat some grass they dumbly fish for bass, today: with low udders, those slow walking mudders, trample the one thing that serves for repast. Moon chickens, wider than a duck, go out at night to suck the dew. It makes them to cough when near is a trough all filled with water for drinking, but noooooooo. #1 (6pg)

We used to think that if we knew one, we knew two, because one and one are two. We are finding that we must learn a great deal more about "and".

— Arthur Eddington

