

HOW DID INSPECTOR PIKE FOUND OUT ABOUT THE RUSE ?



Case No. 112



1. I started my vacation at the beach resort. It was June ...



2. ... and one day I saw a little boy rushing to a group of fishermen who were drying their nets. He was holding a bottle ...



3. ... and told the fishermen that he just fished it out from the sea.



4. The bottle contained a message dated in May, asking for help to be saved ...



5. ... from a nearby island. Fishermen set out to sail to the island at once. Luckily, I was able ...



6. ... to prove that the message was fake and they were subject of a bad joke .