

# LIMERICKS

## The Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes Adventure XVI – The Adventure of the Cardboard Box

A sailor's wife cried; her dear mister  
Was drinking because of her sister.  
    When a friend brought her cheer,  
    Both of them lost an ear  
And their lives. Then the sailor, he missed her.

Sandy Kozinn

Susan Cushing got a box which aroused her fears  
The box contained salt and two mismatched ears  
    Holmes deduced the grim work of a sailor  
    And Susan's sister grew paler and frailer  
Her sis wouldn't need ear rings in coming years

Karen Olson



In a cardboard box she found two ears,  
Which reduced Susan Cushing to tears.  
    The deductions Holmes made,  
    Confused one G. Lestrade,  
And confirmed all Miss Cushing's great fears.  
Bill Dorn

Susan received pair of ears on salt  
She believed unruly students at fault  
    The box, knot, and tarred string  
    Left for the wrong offspring  
Mary received the deadly assault

Steve Mason