WATSON

Vampire starts with 'V,' Holmes.
"Felix Primm, opium trafficker."
"The Five Orange Pips." What ever did happen with those hooded figures in America? Ah, here we are! "The Fleet-Street Killer."

Sherlock sits - eyes closed.

WATSON (CONT'D)

"Targets young ladies. Bodies were found with wounds to the chest, two small bites on the neck, mosquito, and pale complexions suggesting rapid blood loss over a short period of time." In light of recent events, might I suggest we rule out, the mosquito.

SHERLOCK

Read on.

WATSON

"Murders ceased early last year after the death of London-born, Hungarian Countess, Adelaide Vathek." Ms. Vathek lived in the --

SHERLOCK

Same house as our dearly departed.

WATSON

But Ashworth? Am I to believe our Killer has expanded his palate beyond the fairer sex?

The Sergeant enters, in a huff!