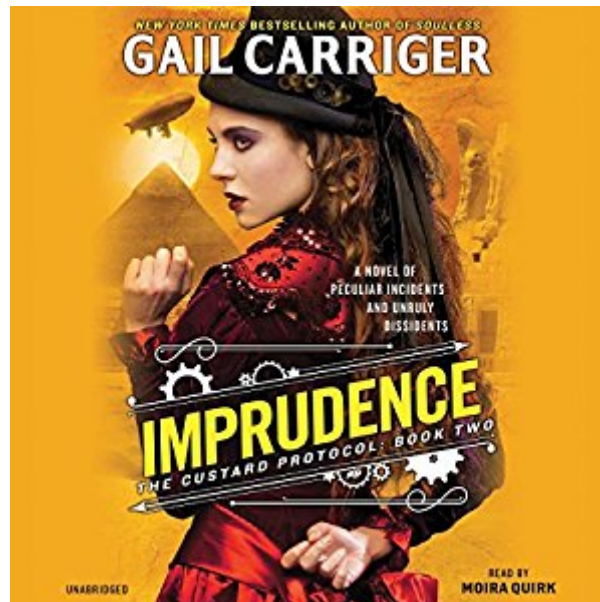


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Synopsis

From New York Times best-selling author Gail Carriger comes the delightful sequel to *Prudence*. Rue and the crew of the *Spotted Custard* return from India with revelations that shake the foundations of England's scientific community. Queen Victoria is not amused, the vampires are tetchy, and something is wrong with the local werewolf pack. To top it all off, Rue's best friend, Primrose, keeps getting engaged to the most unacceptable military types. Rue has family problems as well. Her vampire father is angry, her werewolf father is crazy, and her obstreperous mother is both. Worst of all, Rue's beginning to suspect what they really are...is frightened.

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Customer Reviews

So much of this book didn't make sense and was inconsistent with the series that it makes me seriously consider not going forward with any future books of this series. There will be spoilers ahead but I couldn't see how to write an honest review without doing so. First is the idea that Prudence would be insecure that anyone would want to marry her is so out of character that it comes off as a forced plot device, it is beyond lame. Here is a woman who has been raised by those who have defeated all the odds and come out on top--why would she think she could not do the same? Her mother was a spinster who married one of the most powerful men in the kingdom. Her 'aunt' and mother's best friend was also destined for spinsterhood, defied all social norms to marry an actor and wound up becoming a vampire queen. Her niece survived a werewolf bite against almost impossible odds to become an alpha female. Her love's mother lived her life on her own terms 'as a man' and has become one of the most successful inventors on the planet. Prudence,

unlike her mother, was surrounded by love, dedication, and happiness. To portray her as emotionally scarred and a victim that can trust no one to truly want to marry her without motive other than love just didn't make sense. ****SPOILERS BEGIN*****Second problem is how she become isolated from her protections was ***SO*** contrived. To say that Queen Victoria...a monarch in this series who has been portrayed as strict, but highly loyal...would throw Prudence out with no legal protections to the point she might not even be legally human just doesn't make sense. For what? A botched treaty? Prudence didn't even have the proper authority to negotiate a treaty. The Queen or Parliament could have just declared it invalid.

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