

Let's Correct!

- ▶ Queen Victoria reigned from 1837 until 1901.
- ▶ During her reign, Great Britain changed a lot: People could travel more because steam trains were invented.
- ▶ Information was also more accessible thanks to the electric telegraph. (télégraphe électrique)
- ▶ Lots of inventions changed the Victorian Era.



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- ▶ **The British said they expanded their empire because they had to civilize the world.**
- ▶ **On a national level society also changed : young child labour was forbidden in 1842 and education became compulsory in 1870.**
- ▶ **But because of the industrial revolution, cities became very crowded.**
- ▶ **This and medical discoveries led to a fascination with horror and death.**
- ▶ **Gothic literature and Penny dreadfuls, a cheap (= not expensive) literature for the working class, developed.**