



"You need to understand that crackers don't matter." --Rael | "Let's go visit the the Grand Crack" --Ari



Vruba: Apple needed a default terminal serif, so they tossed Times in.

andy is back (gone 01:44:55)

Marina: Hiss boo argh.

Joey: Hm, I like Baskerville. I wonder if it's installed by default...

Vruba: The early Mac typography was orders of magnitude better than anything before (don't talk to me about TeX), but they were ... a little short-sighted here and there. Like font IDs. Man was that a bad idea.

Vruba: (That Baskerville is actually the version I least hate, Mrs Eaves, 'cause it has perks.)

Aredridel: (TeX was good ... but only the defaults.)

Vruba: (Heh, "was".)

Aredridel: (Yeah... it's a little heavy for modern work. We got better at writing software.)

Vruba: (Stupid Knuth.)

Aredridel: (I mean, Knuth's a genius, but... dammÅ©, TeX is a big thing.)

Aredridel: Hm. I have the most trouble choosing an IRC font.

Vruba: Scala Sans! It's totally the best.

Aredridel: It needs to be small, readable, and with a proper pitch for quick scanning to where I was before.

Vruba: Text figures and everything.

Aredridel: Oooh.

Joey: I need another copy of Scala Sans, Vruba.

Aredridel likes text figures.

Vruba digs around in his pockets.

Aredridel uses Georgia for letterhead, half because of the figures.

Vruba: I'll package it up. May take a minute.

Vruba nods.

Joey: Cool, thanks.

Vruba: I find it a little heavy and modulated for titling.

Joey: X-Chat Aqua is currently set to Courier... ugh

Vruba: Guh!

Aredridel: It is heavy, but I like it for The Internet Company... it seems that those letters don't have trouble with the modulation.

Vruba: For a logotype it might be perfect.

Bodger: Hmm. Minion without antialiasing is truly hideous.

Aredridel: Yum. scala is beautiful.

Aredridel: <http://theinternetco.net/>

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