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 Camera: **Zorki 4: ZO4**
 Film: **Kodak Tri-X**

Subject:

Romford - Maggie

Notes:

A most miserable time in Romford as I wrestled with telling all my managers that they were wrong. The approach to people in need was nasty, callous, lazy and vindictive. No attempt was made to apply the regulations unless a claimant appealed and then every effort was made to cover their backs and do the client down. The training course at the beginning of the months which I had had high hopes for only reinforced this wretched approach.

Monday 15th March first day back from Billingham I told the manager that I could not continue to do the job. These pics could be almost any day in February or March the 22nd seems as good as any and keeps everything in the right sequence.

Don't remember the journey in to work at all but the train from Canonbury to Stratford then Stratford to Romford on the Southend Victoria line seems most likely.

The run down pub on the corner of High Street and South Street in Romford, is The Golden Lion, The pub was scheduled for demolition I believe although I can no longer find evidence for that, when it was discovered that it dated back to the 1400s and is believed by some to be the oldest in London, possibly in the UK. Tales are told of visits by Royalty and by Shakespeare on the run from Royalty. As a consequence of its new now found antiquarian status it got Grade II listed status in September 1979 and was subsequently renovated. It is now a thriving Green King establishment.

I think the pictures of Maggie would suggest an interview? Picked Saturday 27th when she went to a Mozambique briefing session at the LSE.

People:

Margaret Thornton Hughes (nee Dove)

Dates:

As suggested above there are dates that couldn't be and many that could in late February and March.

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Frames:

- ZO4-A0002 19760322 08:36:00 Stratford Station.
- ZO4-A0004 19760322 08:37:00 The Golden Lion.
- ZO4-A0005 19760322 08:38:00 The Golden Lion.
- ZO4-A0006 19760322 08:39:00 The Golden Lion.
- ZO4-A0007 19760322 08:41:00 The Golden Lion.
- ZO4-A0008 19760327 08:30:00 Maggie looking prim.
- ZO4-A0009 19760327 08:31:00 Maggie looking prim.

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ZO4-A0010 19760327 08:32:00 Maggie looking prim.

ZO4-A0011 19760327 08:33:00 Maggie looking prim.