Booting problems and Repairing LILO

- First enable booting from floppy

  Use kernel diskette with "rdev" set to hd root fs; repair any filesystem damage and other problems BEFORE fixing LILO.

- Fix problems in /etc/lilo.conf

  Review LILO documentation w.r.t. configuration options.
  Large IDE drives often have trouble: BIOS geometry problem?

- Check boot loader files

  Files such as /boot/boot.b are extremely important. Re-install LILO from sources if in doubt!

- Re-install map loader

  Execute lilo -v -v -v and watch results closely. Sync and reboot to try it out.