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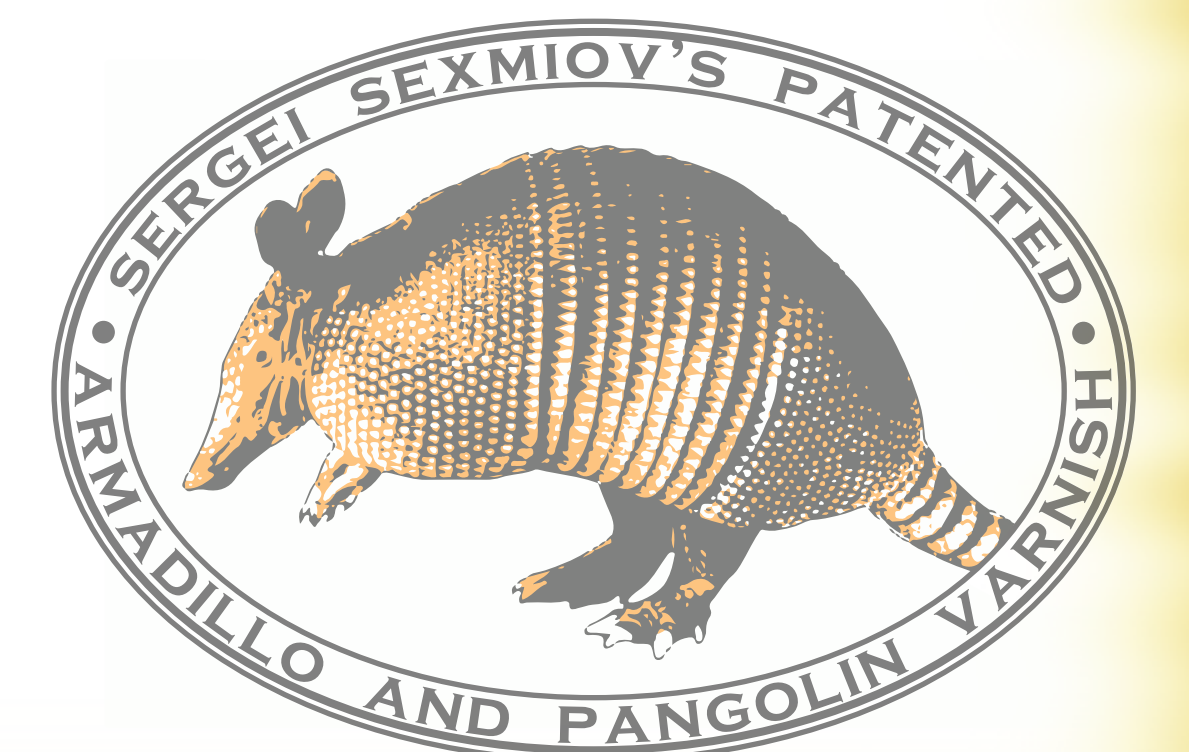
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INTRODUCTION

IN WHICH THE COMEDIC RADIO
PLAY "PHLOGISTON MONKEY" IS
DESCRIBED AND ITS THEMES
ILLUMINATED.

P*HLOGISTON MONKEY* is a modern
satire etched in Lurid Victorian farce.

An episodic account of the thrilling
adventures of Lord Harmsworth and his
Phlogiston-powered mechanical monkey,
faithfully accompanied by his manservant
Brown.

Over a series of foolhardy
misadventures the trio battle foreigners,
women, facts and other threats to Queen
and Country before finally encountering
their nemesis; the enigmatic *Dr. X!*

So put your pipe down, spit single malt
over the nearest servant and join our
narrator Sir Epharame Brown as he
smears history's hidden truths upon the
timid modern ear...



Harmsworth emerges from the weave of history.

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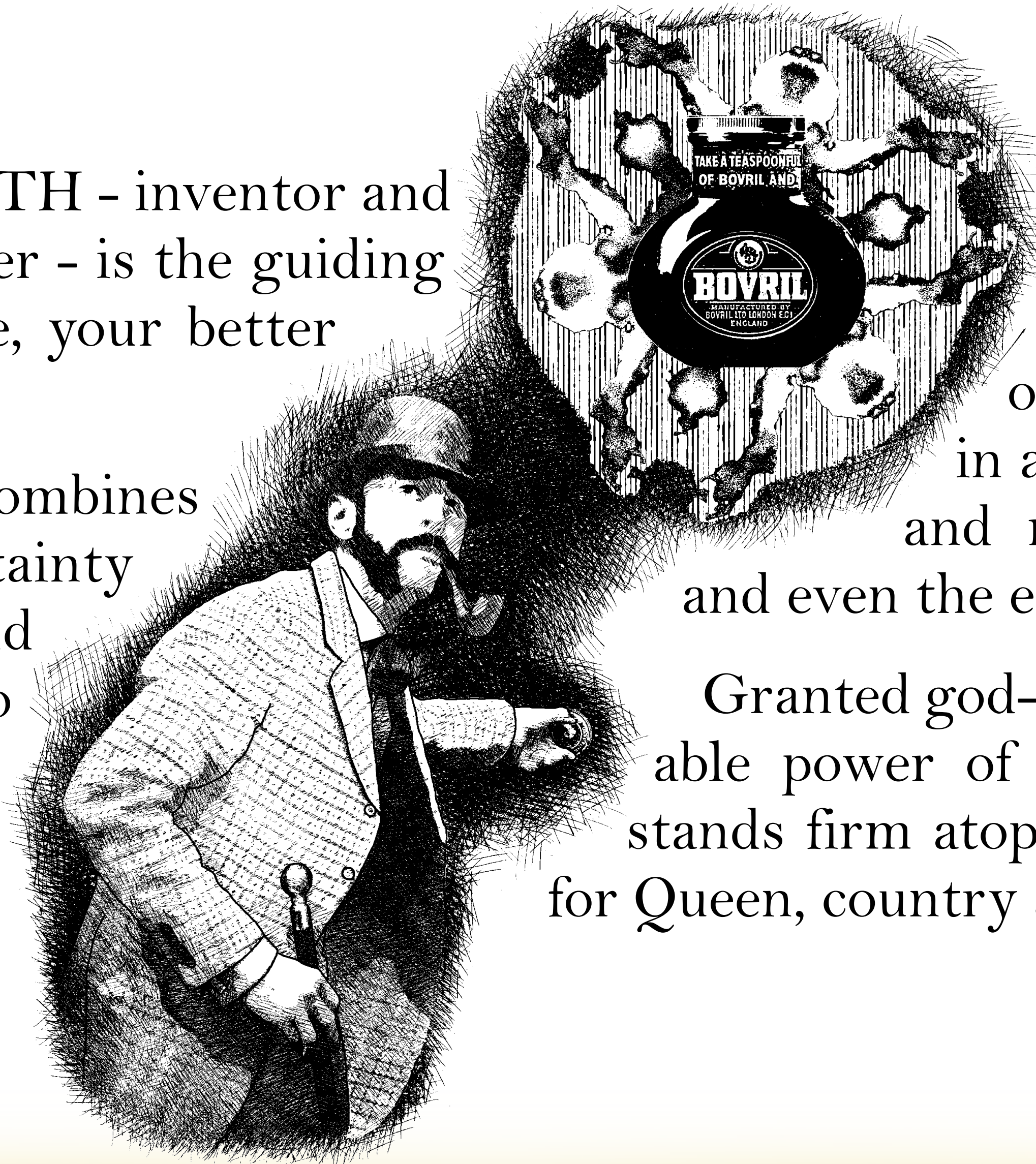
MONKEY

CHARACTERS AND SAMPLE EPISODES

LORD HARMSWORTH

LORD HARMSWORTH - inventor and gentleman adventurer - is the guiding light of common sense, your better and your judge.

His Lordship combines kindly disinterest, certainty of purpose and withering violence into the superlative father figure that the lower orders so sorely need.



Lord Dorian Harmsworth wrestles with a dangerous Bovril-Phlogiston Mix.

Born as a toddler with a riding crop in one hand and a Bovril martini in the other, Harmsworth excels in all fields from the sporting and military, to the scientific and even the erotic.

Granted god-like power by the unknowable power of phlogiston, Harmsworth stands firm atop the walls of the Empire, for Queen, country and his own edification.

THE PHLOGISTON MONKEY

THE *PHLOGISTON MONKEY* is Harmsworths will, the British Empire and resurgent sexual potency embodied in 1,500 tons of brass and steel.

During a wild night at the Cambridge gourmands' club His Lordship was struck with a regrettable bout of erectile dysfunction and in that instant conceived of the Phlogiston Monkey.

Although the metal marvel proved to be overly forbidding as a sexual stand in, it has since shown itself to be an invaluable keystone piece in the subtle games of empire, able to pass, unnoticed, into a population by luncheon and to have exterminated an ethnicity before tiffin.

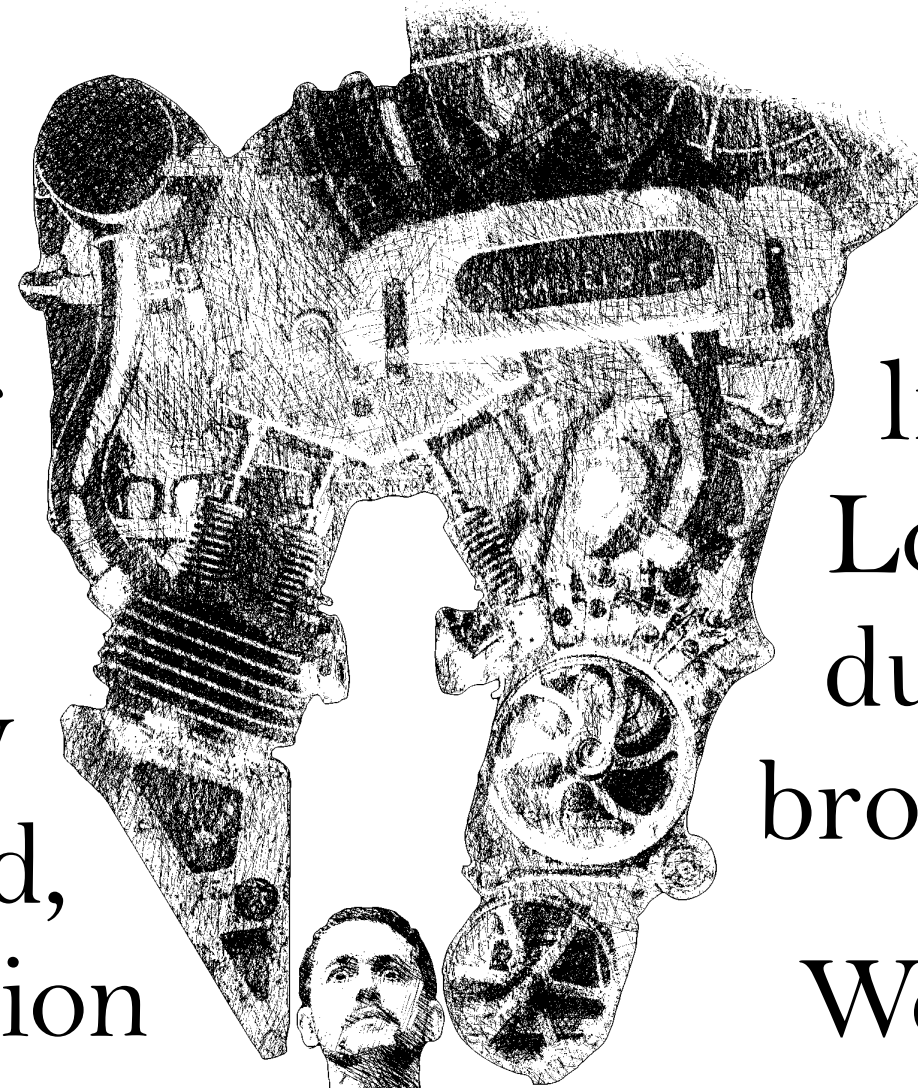


MR. BROWN

MR. BROWN is the soothing chutney to his Lordship's flaming madras.

Born into the Harmsworth's employ and reared by a spare hunting hound, Mr. Brown is keenly aware of his position and the duties it entails.

Even epoch defining men need the occasional touch on the tiller, the rare nudge against the extremes of hubris and to be gently persuaded away from the faux-pas of accidental genocide or Herculean chauvinism.



It is in the tiny moments of this life that Brown is most key to His Lordship - the well timed sigh, the dutiful washing of blood from brocade whoring waders.

We meet a beknighted Brown in his ancient dotage, at the Neglected Gull twilight home near Worthing.

There Brown remembers the glories of his youth and gives testament to his lost master: Lord Harmsworth, the British nation's greatest and most forgotten hero.

SAMPLE EPISODES

THE ARMADILLO'S TALE: An urgent telegram calls Harmsworth into action. Witness machine on machine action, as our heroes and their mechanical monkey face off against *Sergei the Communist Mesmerist* and his Vrill-powered Armadilo.
(Full audio available)

ARIPPING YARN: Fevered by a pauper's bite, Harmsworth sees visions of Egypt. A dog-headed god orders the investigation of the Ripper killings. Phrenology uncovers The Ripper's wealthy patron: *Paper Baron*, who reveals an entirely forgettable truth.
(Full audio available)

CANNON BALLROOM RUN: Harmsworth pilots an ice skating Phlogiston Monkey in a right royal race across Europe. Hear the chills, spills and a thrilling conclusion: Will the winner be Harmsworth's Silver Simian, *Mustapha Leak's* Bitumen Behemoth or *Brunel's* electric death machine of impractical, foolish, dangerousness?

THE ECHO GNOMIC MIRICLE: Harmsworth wins a parasitic infestation courtesy of Echo Gnomonic Enterprises LLP. Their charismatic Chairman *Gelbo* violates an African to prove his altruistic intentions. Our hero roundtables a solution to the crisis with his dead mother. Conflict resolution leads to a far more dangerous villain, the mysterious *Dr. X!*