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## CHARACTERS

CARACTACUS POTTS
TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
GRANDPA POTTS
BARON BOMBURST
BARONESS BOMBURST
THE CHILDCATCHER
THE TOYMAKER
JEREMY POTTS
JEMIMA POTTS
BORIS
GORAN
LORD SCRUMPTIOUS
ENSEMBLE:
KIDS
VULGARIANS
ENGLISH CROWD
MORRIS MEN
INVENTORS
SOLDIERS
ETC.

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17. Reprise-You Two ..... 21
18. Toot Sweets ..... 30
19. Posh! ..... 54
20. Chitty Chitty Bang Bang ..... 60
21. Reprise-Chitty Chitty Bang Bang ..... 62
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28. Opening .....  1
29. You Two ..... 16
30. Reprise-You Two ..... 21
31. Toot Sweets ..... 30
32. Posh! ..... 54
33. Chitty Chitty Bang Bang ..... 60
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36. Nautical Reprise ..... 71
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42. Reprise-Chitty Chitty Bang Bang ..... 62
43. Truly Scrumptious ..... 66
44. Nautical Reprise ..... 71
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46. Lovely, Lonely Man ..... 96
47. Teamwork ..... 104
48. Doll on a Music Box ..... 113
49. Fight \& Finale Act Two ..... 115
28a. Vocal Encore ..... 120
50. Exit Music ..... 121
GRANDPA
51. Them Three ..... 26
52. Posh! ..... 54
53. The Roses of Success ..... 86
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73. Toot Sweets ..... 30
74. Me Ol' Bamboo' ..... 49
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75. Nautical Reprise ..... 71
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ME OL' BAMBOO
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LOVELY, LONELY MAN
POSH!
THE ROSES OF SUCCESS
CHU-CHI FACE
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## ACT ONE

## \#1 - Overture

Overture concludes... applause... In the darkness we hear, in "Theatre surround sound," turn-of-the-century racing cars through the house...

SFX: roaring engines, screeching tires, grinding gears, cheering crowds...
We bleed through show-scrim to JEREMY and JEMIMA pretending to race old/rundown Chitty centre stage in the yard in front of Coggins' Garage. An ENGLISH
CROWD is first seen with 2 groups in silhouette against backdrop HOLDING 2
BANNERS which read 1910 BRITISH GRAND PRIX, cheering, and waving
handkerchiefs and flags, in a heightened reality as if in the Children's imagination.
SCENE ONE - Coggins Garage

## \#2- Opening

JEREMY \& JEMIMA
(With "bigger than life" Sound Effects)
Brmm, Brmm, Brmm...
ENGLISH CROWD
WOW!!!
OH, THERE NEVER, NEVER EVER WAS A CAR
JEREMY
The Vulgarians are gaining on us.
ENGLISH CROWD
THERE NEVER EVER WAS...
JEMIMA
Faster, Jeremy... faster!
ENGLISH CROWD
...NEVER WAS A CAR
JEREMY
Hold on, Jemima!

JEMIMA
(Being thrown to one side...)
Watch the turrrrrrrrrn...!
Lights snap up onto 2 ensemble groups.
SFX: screech as children pretend to turn car.

## ENGLISH CROWD

## OH, THERE NEVER WAS A CAR THERE NEVER WAS A CAR LIKE THIS GREAT CAR NO, THERE NEVER WAS A CAR THAT EVER WAS A STAR LIKE THIS GREAT CAR <br> JEMIMA

The Vulgarians... they're passing us.
JEREMY
We can't let them win.

## ENGLISH CROWD

NO CAR EVER WENT SO FAR
IN WINNING EVERY GREAT GRAND PRIX
THAT GREAT EIGHT LITRE MOTOR RACE CAR IS MAKING HISTORY

## JEREMY

Jemima, hold the throttle open while I shift the gears... together we can do it!
JEMIMA
Together we can do anything.
JEREMY
Like father says...
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Teamwork!
ENGLISH CROWD
THAT GREAT EIGHT LITRE MOTOR RACE CAR
IS MAKING HISTORY
Bridge music instrumental underscoring.
JEREMY
It's working.
JEMIMA
We're gaining on them!

## ENGLISH CROWD

...UNBELIEVABLE
JEREMY
(To "Chitty")
Faster old girl.
JEMIMA
Faster!
ENGLISH CROWD
(Watching "the race")
...INCONCEIVABLE!
THIS CAR IS THE GREATEST EVER SEEN
JEREMY
You can do it!
...MIRACULOUS!
JEMIMA
Go!
...SPECTACULOUS!
ENGLISH CROWD
A BRILLIANT
AMAZING
MACHINE!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Pleeeese!
JEMIMA
We've past them.
JEREMY
Just hold on.
JEMIMA
Okay, okay, okay...
ENGLISH CROWD
(Crowd move DS)
OH, THERE NEVER WAS A CAR
THERE NEVER WAS A CAR LIKE THIS GREAT CAR
JEMIMA
Look out!

## ENGLISH CROWD

# NO, THERE NEVER WAS A CAR <br> THAT EVER WAS A STAR LIKE THIS GREAT CAR <br> JEREMY 

The Final Straight.
ENGLISH CROWD
NO CAR EVER WENT SO FAR IN WINNING EVERY GREAT GRAND PRIX

JEMIMA
The checkered flag!
THAT GREAT EIGHT LITRE MOTOR RACE CAR IS MAKING HISTORY

## JEREMY

We did it!
JEMIMA
Yes!

## ENGLISH CROWD

THAT GREAT EIGHT LITRE MOTOR RACE CAR IS MAKING HISTORY

SFX: cheering crowd, engines decelerating...
(Crowd exit up and OFF stage)
Yes... We've won. We've won!
"Lights up" shatters their "reality" as their father enters USL at the same time as MR. COGGINS, the garage owner MSR. Potts is carrying an odd looking mechanical part for a wild and wonderful contraption.

Sweet musical underscoring continues.
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Father, we won! We won the race!
POTTS
Did you now?
JEMIMA
We beat those nasty Vulgarians...
POTTS
That's wonderful. Mr. Coggins, do you have a bushing that will fit this end... needs to be brass.

## JEREMY

We have the fastest car in the world! Don't we, Mr. Coggins?

## COGGINS

That you do. She won the 1910 Grand Prix... and a whole lot more. Quite the car in her day.

## POTTS

I hope you asked Mr. Coggins if you could play in his car.

## COGGINS

It's alright. Have fun, kids.
(Kids climb back into old Chitty)
I'll be right back with your bushing, Mr. Potts. Oh, and I think the pit crew's got her ready for another race.

Underscoring in... tremolo.
JEREMY
Start the engine.
JEMIMA
Turn the crank, father.
POTTS runs to the front of the car.
JEMIMA
Open the throttle.
JEREMY
She's wide open.
POTTS pretends to turn the crank.
POTTS
I'm turning. Is she starting?
JEMIMA
You've got to say please!
POTTS
Of course, where are my manners?... Please!

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Brmm, Brmm, Brmm...
Lights change as KIDS pretend to race... musical build.
SFX: Engine Starting, racing car sounds.

POTTS
It worked!
JEMIMA
Hurry up. Get in.
POTTS jumps into the car.
JEREMY
With all three of us driving...
JEMIMA
...we'll go even faster!
JEREMY
And the Vulgarians will never catch us now!
POTTS
(Playfully melodramatic and a bit silly)
Yes, because we're the Potts family, right?
Music... accent chords.
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Right!
POTTS
And the Potts' family sticks together. Right?

> JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Right!

## POTTS

And all pitch in... right?

> JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Right!

## POTTS

Because the Potts' family knows that...
Lighting change as the family pretends to race "Chitty"...
SFX: Racing sounds.
TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
IF WE ALL PITCH IN AND TRY
ENGLISH CROWD
OH THERE NEVER WAS A CAR.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK

POTTS
AND NO MOUNTAIN IS TOO HIGH
JEMIMA
Take the inside!
ENGLISH CROWD
NO CAR EVER WENT SO FAR
POTTS
IF THE SAME GREAT DREAM IS
BEATING IN EACH HEART
ENGLISH CROWD
WOW!
POTTS
THERES NO STOPPING WHAT A FIGHTING TEAM CAN START! FOR ALL TOGETHER

ENGLISH CROWD
GO!
POTTS
A TEAM CAN WEATHER
ENGLISH CROWD
WHOA!
POTTS
EVERY STORM THEY MAY GO THROUGH
ENGLISH CROWD
YES!
ALL THREE
YES TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK
CAN MAKE THE GREATEST DREAM COME TRUE
ENGLISH CROWD
NO, THERE NEVER WAS A CAR
THAT EVER WAS A STAR LIKE THIS GREAT CAR (Chitty Theme) Musical underscoring continues...

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Faster, faster... we'll win again... yes!

## POTTS

Because we have the fastest...
JEREMY
The greatest...
JEMIMA
The most fantastic?
POTTS
The most fantasmagorical racing machine in all the world!
JEREMY
And that's why everyone wants our car.
Lights bump up on Baron and Baroness in their quarters DSL as music is abruptly out.
Spies also come on DSR and hide in black out.
BARON
I want it, I want it, I want it!
Musical underscoring in... style change "Chu Chi Face Intro".

## BARONESS

Then you must have it my little teddy bear. Nothing is too good for the Baron of my dreams.

## BARON

Nothing?... But can't I have something?
BARONESS
I will get you your car. Call the spies.

## BARON

The spies!
The BARON picks up the royal telephone and begins to make phone call
Lights bump up on BORIS and GORAN DSR fumbling to find the ringing phone
BORIS
Hello..???
GORAN
Hello...

## BORIS

It's the phone...

## BORIS \& GORAN

## (Excited)

The spy phone!

> BORIS
(Answering phone)
Hello.

## BARON

Hello... is this you?
BORIS
This is us... is this you?
BARON
Of course it's me... who else would it be?

## GORAN

Who is it?
BORIS
(To GORAN)
It's "you know who".
BARON
Me ?
GORAN
If I knew... I wouldn't be asking you.
BORIS
(To GORAN)
Shuddup.

BARON

What?
BORIS
Not you.

## BARON

Who?

## BARONESS

(Grabbing the phone)
Gimme...
(To BORIS on phone)
Is this Boris the spy?

## BORIS

Yes, this is Boris the spy... I mean, what's the password?

## BARONESS

The password is I will have you hung upside-down by your pinkie toes unless you speak to me now.

## BORIS

That works... how can I help you?

## BARONESS

Boris darling, we want the car...

## BARON

(Into phone)
...the car that always wins the Grand Prix! I'm tired of losing!

## BORIS

But it crashed and burned. We don't know where it went.

## BARONESS

It's in England, you idiot!

> BORIS

England... Goran, the car is in England.

## GORAN

Ohhh... England.
(Into phone)
Where's England?

## BARONESS

You're in England now.
Someone has birthday coming up...

## BARON

That's me..!!

## BARONESS

Yes, my little poopy pants.

## BORIS \& GORAN

(To each other)
Poopy pants?

## BARONESS

You will have a happy birthday, my little wiener schnitzel with strudel on top.
(Into Phone)
And spies...

## BORIS \& GORAN

Ya!
BARONESS
I want that car brought to Vulgaria in time for the birthday celebration! Find it or else!

She hangs up phone. BARON and BARONESS kiss politely. Lights down ON Baron/Baroness and Spies. Lights up center stage on family in old "chitty."

POTTS, JEREMY \& JEMIMA
THOUGH IT SEEMS A DREAM'S IMPOSSIBLE TO DO GREAT TEAMS MAKE IMPOSSIBILITIES COME TRUE SO, WHEN YOU START OUT

ENGLISH CROWD OH THERE NEVER WAS A CAR

POTTS, JEREMY \& JEMIMA
PUT ALL YOUR HEART OUT
ENGLISH CROWD
THERE NEVER WAS A STAR
POTTS, JEREMY \& JEMIMA
AND NEVER STOP ONCE YOU BEGIN
ENGLISH CROWD
LIKE THIS GREAT CAR
POTTS, JEREMY \& JEMIMA
CAUSE TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK
ENGLISH CROWD
MAKE A DREAM WORK
POTTS, JEREMY \& JEMIMA
IF YOU HAVE GOT THE WILL TO WIN
ENGLISH CROWD
YOU HAVE GOT THE WILL TO WIN!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
We win! We win..!!

## POTTS

Watch out for the motorcycle.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Yes
TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A
Add ENGLISH CROWD
DREAM WORK
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
What motorcycle?
TRUL Y enters on motorcycle with sidecar from MSR, almost crashing into old "chitty". She circles counterclockwise around Old Chitty

POTTS
That motorcycle!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
IF YOU HAVE GOT THE WILL TO WIN-!
ENGLISH CROWD
GOT THE WILL TO WIN-!
POTTS jumps out of old "chitty" just in time to stop her DR. Motorcycle backfires then stops. Petrol pumps are pushed on USL. Applause...

JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Wow!... a real motorcycle.

## TRULY

Look what you've done to my motorbike. I may never get it started now.

## POTTS

If it weren't for me, madam, you might have gone head first over the handlebars.

## TRULY

Well, excuse me, but I happen to have a sticky carburetor and I'm simply here for a part.

## POTTS

By the sound of it... you're in the need of an adjustment to your butterfly valve.
TRULY
I'm fairly certain that I need a new choke pull spring.

## COGGINS

(Entering)
Here's your bushing, Mr. Potts. Oh, and he's right. By the sound of it, you need your butterfly adjusted.

## JEREMY

Don't worry, our Daddy will fix it.

## JEMIMA

He's an inventor!

## POTTS

Allow me... uh, madam.

## TRULY

Uh... Truly.
POTTS
Absolutely.

## TRULY

No, Truly... that's my name.
JEMIMA
Truly... what a pretty name.

## TRULY

Thank you.

## POTTS

(Introducing himself)
Caractacus Potts.
JUNKMAN (same actor who plays CHILDCATHER) enters. POTTS continues, tinkers with motorcycle.

## JUNKMAN

Any scrap today, Mr. Coggins?

## COGGINS

Out back. Not much today, I'm afraid.
JUNKMAN
Well, I'll load it and weigh it and let you know how much.
Women... machines.

## TRULY

Well, I never...
POTTS
(To Truly)
Okay... pull out the choke.

## TRULY

## (To Children)

Excuse me, but shouldn't you be in school?

## POTTS

No. Pull out the choke, please.

## JEREMY

(Pointing)
It's right there.
TRULY
Oh, yes... I mean...
(To Children)
You're not sick are you?
JEMIMA
Oh no.
JEREMY
We're fine.
TRULY
Good. Where's your mother?
JEMIMA
Mummy's over in the churchyard.
TRULY
Well, she ought to be looking after you. Oh. I'm terribly sorry.
POTTS
Give her a little throttle.
JEREMY
(Pointing)
The throttle.

## TRULY

Oh, yes...
POTTS
Here we go.
Truly tries starting the engine... it doesn't start.
TRULY
You see I was right. It needs a new choke pull.
POTTS
Try switching it on.
TRULY
Oh, yes, sorry...
(TRULY kick starts motorbike. SFX: engine running)
(TRULY)
But just why aren't you children in school?
JEMIMA
It's a holiday

## TRULY

And what holiday would that be?
JEREMY
Eastmas!

## TRULY

Eastmas?
JEMIMA
Halfway between Easter and Christmas. A very special day when uh, when...
JEREMY
When school is closed.
JEMIMA
Exactly.

## POTTS

Besides, you wouldn't want them to go to school without eating their breakfast would you?

## TRULY

Well, certainly not.
POTTS
So that's why we're here... for a part to repair my breakfast making machine.
TRULY
What's wrong with a stove and a skillet?
JEREMY
Inefficient.
JEMIMA
Not as fun!

## TRULY

Breakfast making machine?...
(Amused)
...rather eccentric... wouldn't you say?

## POTTS

(A little put off)
No I wouldn't say.

## TRULY

Well, I'm sorry, I didn't mean...
POTTS
Good day, Madam.
TRULY
Good day.
(Driving off on her motorcycle)
...Oh, and thank you.
TRULY exits DL on her motorcycle.
SFX: Gears grinding.

## POTTS

(To TRULY, offstage)
And pull out the choke!

## \#3-You Two

## JEMIMA

(To JEREMY)
I think he likes her.

## POTTS

(Focus still offstage)
Vicious, interfering, confounded woman!

## JEREMY

(To JEMIMA)
I think you're right.

## POTTS

Who does she think she is, telling me how to raise my children? Implying that I am eccentric. I am not eccentric. Implying I don't look after you... I look after you alright, don't I?

JEMIMA
Of course you do, Daddy.

## POTTS

After all, why do I work so hard?
Music starts... number is staged on and around old "chitty." (Spoken)

WHAT MAKES THE BATTLE WORTH THE FIGHTING? WHAT MAKES THE MOUNTAIN WORTH THE CLIMB?
(Sung)
WHAT MAKES THE QUESTION WORTH THE ASKING?

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

THE REASON WORTH THE RHYME?
POTTS
(Spoken)
Exactly!
(Sung)
TO ME THE ANSWER'S CLEAR IT'S HAVING SOMEONE NEAR SOMEONE DEAR

SOMEONE TO CARE FOR
TO BE THERE FOR
I HAVE YOU TWO

SOMEONE TO DO FOR
MUDDLE THROUGH FOR
I HAVE YOU TWO

SOMEONE TO SHARE
JOY OR DESPAIR WITH
WHICHEVER BETIDES YOU

LIFE BECOMES A CHORE
UNLESS YOU'RE LIVING FOR

SOMEONE TO TEND TO
BE A FRIEND TO
I HAVE YOU TWO

## (POTTS)

SOMEONE TO STRIVE FOR
STAY ALIVE FOR
I HAVE YOU TWO
COULD BE
WE THREE
GET ALONG SO FAMOUSLY
CAUSE YOU TWO
HAVE ME
AND I HAVE YOU TWO, TOO
Musical interlude under dialogue.
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Because we're the Potts' Family. Right?
POTTS
Right!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
And the Potts' Family sticks together.
POTTS
Right!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
And we all pitch in right?
POTTS
Right!
JEMIMA
Right!
POTTS
Right!
JEREMY
Right!
POTTS
Right!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Right!
ALL
COULD BE
WE THREE
GET ALONG SO FAMOUSLY 'CAUSE

POTTS
YOU TWO
have me
AND I HAVE YOU TWO
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
YOU HAVE US TWO

## POTTS

I HAVE

## ALL

YOU TWO... TOO
Button and Applause. COGGINS enters with JUNKMAN MSR
JUNKMAN
Here you go, Coggins... Seven Shillings. Not as much as last week.

## COGGINS

Business is slow.

## JUNKMAN

(Giving Old-Chitty the once-over)
What's this heap of old iron doing here?

## COGGINS

Old iron?
JUNKMAN
I'll give you ten bob for it.

## COGGINS

You don't be daft. This was once a great car. Won the grand prix three years running. JUNKMAN
Heh, heh... So it's a car, is it?

> JEMIMA

Certainly it's a car.

> JEREMY

It's our racing car.
JUNKMAN
I'll give you fifteen bob for it.

## COGGINS

Make it thirty bob and she's yours.

## JEMIMA

Mister Coggins, you're not going to sell her, are you?
JUNKMAN
Course he's going to sell her... what do you think he's running a children's playground or something? Alright thirty bob, I'll pick her up tomorrow.
(CHILDREN climb out of car and run to COGGINS DSR)
JEREMY
But Mister Coggins, you promised we could play in her.

## COGGINS

Well, I'm sorry my dears but she's not any use to me. Times are hard.
JEREMY
But you can't take her away.
JEMIMA
She's not just any old car... she's ours.

## JUNKMAN

Not any more she ain't.
JEMIMA
But what are you going to do with her?
JUNKMAN
I'll tell you what we're going to do with her. We're going to put her in the clapper. And we're going to crush her up until she's one solid piece of metal. Then we're going to put her in the fiery furnace and we're going to melt her down till she's liquid iron. That's what we're going to do with her.

POTTS
Excuse me sir, you're scaring my children.
The radiator grill at the front of old Chitty falls forward. SFX: 'BONG..!!!'
...and the car too.
JUNKMAN
I'll see you tomorrow, Bill.

## \#3a-Boris and Goran

Underscoring in as JUNKMAN exits as BORIS and GORAN pop up from behind the petrol pumps USL.

## BORIS

That's it, Goran. That's the car that won the grand prix. We've found it.

## GORAN

The Baron is going to love us now... right, Boris?

## BORIS

Ya... and all we need to do is get thirty Bob..
GORAN
(To each other)
Ya... thirty Bobs... what's a Bob?

## BORIS

Good question, Goran.
(Slowly ducking behind petrol pumps)
...very good question.
JEMIMA
Please Mr. Coggins, you can't sell our lovely car to that nasty man.

## COGGINS

Well, I'm sorry children, but I'm afraid I already have.
JEREMY
I know, Daddy will buy it for us, won't he Jemima.
JEMIMA
Of course he will.
POTTS
30 shillings.

## \#4 - Reprise - You Two

Underscoring in... intro to "You Two"

## COGGINS

Well, think about it... she's not going anywhere till tomorrow. I'd rather sell her to you... I've always wanted to see the ole girl fixed up and back on the road where she belongs.

COGGINS exits. JEREMY and JEMIMA are looking at their father.

## POTTS

30 Shillings is a lot of money, Children.
They walk and sing DS as scene shifts to their Windmill Home. As they sing, the kitchen table and breakfast making machine come on from L1 to C to create interior... along with sweets making machine from L2 to MSL and the potting shed from R3 to UR. The petrol pumps are pulled off, Old Chitty is struck to stage right wing by stage management and carpenter. The Windmill sails are flown in. During the number POTTS fixes the machine and makes breakfast for his family.

## SCENE TWO - Windmill Home

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

SOMEONE TO CARE FOR TO BE THERE FOR

## POTTS

## I HAVE YOU TWO

JEREMY \& JEMIMA
SOMEONE TO DO FOR
MUDDLE THROUGH FOR
POTTS
I HAVE YOU TWO
SOMEONE TO SMILE
ONCE IN A WHILE WITH
WHENEVER YOU'RE LONESOME
I'VE A HAPPY LOT
CONSIDERING WHAT I'VE GOT
POTTS starts fixing the breakfast making machine
JEREMY and JEMIMA throw eggs to their father, who puts them in the machine.
BUT YOU COULDN'T DO MORE
THAN YOU DO FOR YOUR POOR FATHER
THINGS GO ASUNDER
AND I WONDER WHY YOU BOTHER.
JEREMY and JEMIMA set table as Potts lowers conveyer belt for plates to run along.
COULD BE
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
COULD BE

## POTTS

WE THREE
JEREMY, JEMIMA \& POTTS
WE THREE
GET ALONG SO FAMOUSLY 'CAUSE
POTTS takes plates and sets table, rotating it as necessary.
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
WE TWO
HAVE YOU

## POTTS

AND I HAVE YOU TWO...
EDISON, the family dog, runs to table and sits.
...TOO
Button. End of song.
GRANDPA enters from the outhouse singing "POSH" to himself.
GRANDPA
'Shun...!
(They all stand at attention.)

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Shun..!

## GRANDPA

As you were...
Do I smell food? Oh! Sausages, my favorite. Nothing like breakfast at supper time. Run along now Edison.

POTTS
How was India?

## GRANDPA

Well, I'll tell you, I got up this morning and I shot an elephant in my pyjamas. How an elephant got...

POTTS, JEMIMA \& JEREMY
.... got into my pyjamas I shall never know.

## GRANDPA

You've heard it before.
POTTS
Absolutely not. First time. Tuck in.
Grandpa sits to eat.

## GRANDPA

So my boy, how's the sweet making machine coming along?
POTTS
Well, it's very nearly perfectly perfected.
He demos the machine.
Children, observe and be amazed.
Produces sweet
Careful-it's hot!

## GRANDPA

Is it supposed to have all these holes in it?

## POTTS

No, that's the imperfect aspect.
GRANDPA goes behind breakfast machine to get sauce.
JEREMY
Daddy?
POTTS
Hmmm?
JEREMY
Could we ask you something? It's about Mr. Coggins.
JEMIMA
He has to sell our car.
POTTS
I know.
JEMIMA
And if we don't save her, he'll sell her for scrap!
JEREMY
Mr. Coggins did say that we could have her if you gave him thirty shillings.
POTTS
Um.... well.... thirty shillings is an awful lot of... JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Please, Daddy. Please.
POTTS
I'm sure we can work something out.
(Potts looks to Grandpa who is now stood SR of the Breakfast table.)
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Goodie!
POTTS
Just this once you can finish your supper upstairs. Grandpa and I need to talk.
JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Thank you, Daddy.

## JEREMY

Goodnight, Grandpa.

## JEMIMA

Goodnight, Daddy.

## POTTS

Goodnight.

## GRANDPA

Goodnight, God Bless, don't let the bugs undress.
JEREMY and JEMIMA exit DSL.

## POTTS

Thirty shillings. How on earth am I supposed to find thirty shillings?
GRANDPA
I haven't the foggiest. Still they don't ask for much, do they?
POTTS
That's because they don't get much.

## GRANDPA

That's true!

## POTTS

But, God knows, I'm doing my best.

## GRANDPA

Yes, but we're not bad parents are we?
POTTS
No, no we're not.

## GRANDPA

But still nothing can replace their mother.

## POTTS

I know. I know. But thirty shillings!

## GRANDPA

Thirty shillings!
POTTS
Ah well. Nothing's impossible. One of these inventions is going to work one day, isn't it Grandpa?

## GRANDPA

Almost entirely certainly.
POTTS
Absolutely. 'Night Grandpa.
Exits DSL

## GRANDPA

'Night my boy.
Thinks to himself
My boy... got a lot on his plate he has. Funny old family we are. Still, we all muck in as best we can.
(Set moves off behind Grandpa as light fades, leaving him in a follow spot.)

## \#5 - Them Three

SOMEONE TO CARE FOR
TO BE THERE FOR
I HAVE THEM THREE

SOMEONE TO DO FOR
MUDDLE THROUGH FOR
I HAVE THEM THREE

WHAT'S MORE
WE FOUR
GET ALONG ENORMOUSLY
CAUSE THEM THREE
HAVE ME
AND THAT'S WHAT US FOUR'S FOR.
On the last beat of the song he has one of the sweets in his hand, and blows it absent-mindedly. It toots fairly melodiously for a sweet.

Good lord.
He tries it again... Bing! An idea.
Well, Blimey O'Reilly, he's invented something that works! Caractacus, Caractacus my boy!

## \#5a-Lowry Crossover

He exits DSL.

## SCENE THREE

Lobby - Reception area of LORD SCRUMPTIOUS' Sweet Factory. MISS PHILLIPS (played by the same actor as the Baroness) enters DSR with assistant. ENSEMBLE pass left to right. POTTS enters with JEMIMA and JEREMY last, from SL.

## MISS PHILLIPS

(To WORKER)
Late!
(To ANOTHER WORKER)
Late!
(To POTTS)
Late!

## POTTS

Excuse me?

## MISS PHILLIPS

There are no vacancies. Goodbye.

## POTTS

But, I've invented a sweet, so if you would please inform Lord Scrumptious -

## MISS PHILLIPS

Lord Scrumptious sees nobody without an appointment.

## POTTS

Then I'd like to schedule an appointment.

## MISS PHILLIPS

Appointments are scheduled on the third Monday of every month. You're welcome to schedule an appointment to schedule an appointment, but not until next Thursday when appointments for appointments are scheduled.

## POTTS

How on earth does anything get done around here?
MISS PHILLIPS
By appointment.
At this point, TRULY sweeps in from DSL passing between Jeremy and Jemima.

## TRULY

Morning Phillips.
JEMIMA
Truly! Truly!

## JEREMY

Daddy it's Truly!
TRULY
Jeremy. Jemima. Mr. Potts. What brings you here?

## MISS PHILLIPS

Good morning Miss.
(To PHILLIPS' ASSISTANT)
Please inform Lord Scrumptious that his daughter has arrived.
POTTS
(Realizing)
You're Truly Scrumptious.
TRULY
So I've been told.
POTTS
(Heading off)
Come along now children, let's go.

## JEREMY

But Daddy.

## TRULY

Just a moment, Mr. Potts. Exactly what is it you've come about?

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Daddy's invented a...
POTTS quickly hushes the children by covering their mouths with his hands. JEREMY holds out his bag of Toot Sweets.

TRULY
Ah, sweets.... with holes.
POTTS
It just so happens, that these holes are seemingly deliberately placed and precisely arranged...

TRULY
They are, are they?
POTTS
Oh, yes... absolutely... Listen...
He blows on one of the sweets - JEREMY and JEMIMA blow and add a note, forming a chord.

TRULY blows through the sweet, creating a melodic note. She giggles in spite of herself. TRULY
How delightful. How fun.

## MISS PHILLIPS

Only useful for calling dogs, I would imagine.
LORD SCRUMPTIOUS (played by same actor who plays Baron) enters DSR, followed by MISS PHILLIPS assistant.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Good Morning, Good Morning, Truly.
TRULY
Daddy, this is Mr. Potts and he's invented something.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

I'm hoping it's not a sweet.

## TRULY

Daddy Please.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Very well.
(Looks at his pocket watch then sharply, to POTTS)
You have exactly twenty seconds.

## POTTS

Thank you... well Sir, the fundamental novelty of this particular brand of confectionery is its musical quality.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Ten.

## POTTS

By placing one's fingers over the holes.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Five.

## POTTS

And blowing thusly!
As he blows, the sound is drowned out by a very loud factory whistle. An over-excited CHEF rushes on.

SFX: Factory whistle.

## CHEF

Tasting time!

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Too late! Had your chance. Muffed it!
LORD SCRUMPTIOUS starts to go...

## TRULY

Follow him.

## \#6 - Toot Sweets

...as Factory Reception Cloth raises revealing Sweets Factory.
POTTS and CHILDREN follow through to the Sweet Factory, replete with bubbling vats of gloop, conveyor belts of sweets and chocolates, enormous lollipops and candy twists, a score or so of EMPLOYEES all dressed in white (the WOMEN with white hair nets) As POTTS pitches his sweets to SCRUMPTIOUS, the latter is moving around the factory being offered a bite of this, a taste of that.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Good Morning.

## ALL

Good Morning Lord Scrumptious.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Good Morning, Good Morning.
Factory workers line up as underscoring out and...
SFX: Factory whistle.

## CHEF

It's Tasting time.

## TRULY

(To POTTS, encouraging him)
Tell him.

## POTTS

Yes... By blowing air through this hole you get a wonderful sounding...
SCRUMPTIOUS
(Tasting a confection)
Raspberry?
POTTS
No, it's more like a toot really.

## TRULY

(Interrupting)
Go on, Mr. Potts. You've got him.
POTTS
By raising the boiling point of my sugar, the resulting porosity and cylindrical shape...

## TRULY

Daddy.

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Truly.
(Seeing Potts)
You.

## POTTS

Yes... uhhhhhh...
DON'T WASTE YOUR PUCKER ON SOME ALL DAY SUCKER AND DON'T TRY A TOFFEE OR CREAM IF YOU SEEK PERFECTION IN SUGAR CONFECTION WELL THERE'S SOMETHING NEW ON THE SCENE

A MOUTHFUL OF CHEER
A SWEET WITHOUT PEER
A MUSICAL MORSEL SUPREME

TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
THE CANDIES YOU WHISTLE
THE WHISTLES YOU EAT
TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
THE EATABLE, TWEETABLE TREAT
TRULY
TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
THE TOOT OF A FLUTE
WITH THE FLAVOUR OF FRUIT
TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
NO LONGER NEED CANDY BE MUTE

## POTTS

THIS GRAND INNOVATION
IN CANDY CREATION WILL CAUSE A SENSATION I KNOW

## TRULY

THE KIDDIES WILL CRAVE FOR AND EAGERLY RAVE FOR

Add POTTS
A WHISTLE TO SAVOUR AND BLOW
POTTS
THAT MOUTHFUL OF CHEER
TRULY
THAT SWEET WITHOUT PEER

## BOTH

THAT MUSICAL MORSEL SUPREME

TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
A BON-BON TO BLOW ON
AT LAST HAS BEEN FOUND
TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
WITH EATABLE, TWEETABLE, SOUND
SCRUMPTIOUS
Scrumptious inspects various sweet items bought to him by factory workers and either says 'Yes' or 'No' to each in turn.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

PLEASE...!!!
SCRUMPTIOUS tweets the treat twice, giggles, then takes a bite...
POTTS
He likes it!
WORKERS cheer.
THEIR VALUE'S INTRINSIC
TRULY
SURPASS ANY MINT STICK
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
OR MARSHMALLOW MOUTHFUL YOU MUNCH
POTTS
THOUGH LIQUORICE IS CHEWY
TRULY
AND GUMDROPS ARE GOOEY

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

AND CHOCOLATE IS CHARMING TO CRUNCH
TRULY \& POTTS
THAT SUGARY FIFE
FEMALE WORKERS
THAT SWEET OF YOUR LIFE

## ALL WORKERS

IS CLEARLY THE BEST OF THE BUNCH

TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
Dance...
TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
Dance...

## POTTS

THAT SUGARY FIFE
TRULY
THAT SWEET OF YOUR LIFE
ALL
IS CLEARLY THE BEST OF THE BUNCH

TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
A BON-BON TO BLOW ON
AT LAST HAS BEEN FOUND
TOOT SWEETS, TOOT SWEETS
THE TREAT THAT'S SO TWEETABLE
LUSCIOUSLY EATABLE
WITH THAT UNBEATABLE
SOUND!
Number buttons... applause. Dogs can be heard barking.
MISS PHILLIPS
Dogs..!!

## SCRUMPTIOUS

Dogs...?

## POTTS

It's the sweets, we must have whistled them in by accident.

## \#6a-Scene Change

A dog (Socks) runs from SL to SR. Then once he has exited a whole pack of dogs run on stage from both sides and move US with cast as Country Cloth comes in.).

## SCENE FOUR

GORAN and BORIS enter from DR1. BORIS counts his newly acquired shillings while GORAN follows.

## BORIS

$28,29,30$ bob shillings.
A stray dog from the last scene (Buffy) runs across the stage from DR to DL.

## GORAN

I think it was a Shih Tzu.

## BORIS

No it was a fox terrier... And don't call me Sue.
GORAN
All we need to do now is buy the car.

## BORIS

It's not so simple. Mr. Coggins wants to sell it to that nice Englishman. I don't think he's going to sell it to two Vulgarians.

## GORAN

Ooooow.
(suddenly)
I've got it! Vee von't tell him ve are from Vulgaria.

## BORIS

Goran, one only has to look at you to know how vulgar you are.
GORAN
Yes. I have a vulgar heart.

## BORIS

Yes.

## GORAN

I have a vulgar mind.

## BORIS

Yes.

## GORAN

Can't I speak English and still be Vulgar?

## BORIS

No, Goran. That would make you American. We must be English... From now on Goran you will be Gordon.

## GORAN

(Haughtily)
Gordon.

## BORIS

...and I, Boris, will be...
They think.

## GORAN

Doris?
BORIS
(pause... finally)
Brilliant!

## GORAN

And we will be English.

## BOTH

Ha! Ha! Ha!

## \#7-Act English

## BORIS

VE MUST BE VISE
BORIS \& GORAN
VE'RE SUPER SPIES
BEFORE THEIR EYES
VE'LL ANGLICISE
GORAN
But Doris, how do ve anglicise?

## BORIS

It's simple. Ve blend in with the population...
GORAN
Oh!

## BORIS

ACT ENGLISH, BE DEBONAIR
ACT ENGLISH PUT ON A HAUGHTY STARE
GORAN
BORIS \& GORAN
BY SPOUTING INDIGENOUS ENGLISH PHRASES.
BORIS
They're right here in this book. Repeat und Memorize
I SAY OLD BEAN
GORAN
I SAY OLD BEAN
BORIS
VAT HO
GORAN
VAT HO
BORIS
TOODLIE PIP
GORAN
TOODLIE PIP
BORIS
GOOD SHOW
GORAN
GOOD SHOW
BORIS
VELL PLAYED OLD CHAP
GORAN
VELL PLAYED OLD CHAP
BORIS
STICKY VICKET
GORAN
VICKY STICKET
I vonce knew a woman named Vickey Sticket...
(He acts out running his hands over an hour glass figured woman... purring.)
BORIS
SPIFFING
GORAN
SPIFFING

## BORIS

## CRIKEY

## GORAN

## CRIKEY

## BORIS

TA TICKETY BOO
GORAN
TA TICKETY BOO

## BORIS

## You see it's simple.

## BORIS

ACT ENGLISH ON THIS BRITISH ISLE
GORAN
ACT ENGLISH UND VEAR A BULLDOG SMILE
BORIS
VEN DINING AT THE PUB OR A STYLISH VENUE
GORAN
PRETEND YOU ACTUALLY COMPREHEND THE MENU
BORIS
Repeat it quick and you won't get sick.
BORIS
TOAD IN THE HOLE
GORAN
TOAD IN THE HOLE
BORIS
SPOTTED DICK
Tacit... and on.
BUBBLE AND SQUEAK
GORAN
BUBBLE AND SQUEAK
BORIS
TEA
GORAN
TEA

## BORIS

BROWN VINDSOR SOUP
GORAN
BROWN VINDSOR SOUP
BORIS
STEAK UND KIDNEY
GORAN
CAKE UND SIDNEY
BORIS
SCONES
GORAN
SCONES
BORIS

## CRUMPETS

GORAN

## CRUMPETS

BORIS
BANGERS UND MASH UND TEA
BANGERS UND MASH UND...
GORAN

## Again tea?

BORIS
They drink tea with everything!

## BORIS \& GORAN

TALK ABOUT CRICKET AND THE STATE OF THE WICKET
GORAN
IF AN UMPIRE IS RUDE
BORIS
ONE NEVER COMPLAINS
GORAN
I von't complain!
BORIS
UND REMEMBER TO SAY "CHEERS"
WHEN YOU DRINK VARM BEERS,

## GORAN

 UND BE SURPRISED WHENEVER IT RAINSBORIS
And henceforth ve vill...
BORIS
DRESS ENGLISH APPEAR IN RIDING SUITS
GORAN
Tally Ho!
BORIS
TWEED JACKETS, PLUS FOURS AND VELLINGTON BOOTS
GORAN
Vellington boots?

## BORIS

AND REMEMBER TO SUSTAIN A SPIFFY ATTITUDE
GORAN
Pip Pip!
BORIS \& GORAN
KEEP YOUR NOSE UP HIGH UND SPOUT AND ENGLISH PLATITUDE GORAN

Tut tut old sock
BORIS
GORDON!
GORAN
BORIS!
BORIS
DORIS!
GORAN
WHAT?

## BORIS \& GORAN

GET THIS RIGHT
-OR WE'LL GET SHOT!

## BORIS

I SAY OLD BEAN
GORAN
I SAY OLD BEAN

BORIS
GORAN
VAT HO
VAT
HO

TOODLEE PIP
JOLLY GOOD!
CHEERS

GOOD SHOW
VELL
PLAYED
OLD
CHAP
I
SAY
OLD

## CHAP

STICKY VICKET

BIT O'
CRICKET
TOAD
IN THE
HOLE
BUBBLE
AND
SQUEEK

TA -
TICK-
ETY
BOO!
CRIKEY!

RIDING SUITS
WELLINGTON
BOOTS
SPIFFY
STICKY
PIP PIP

TALLY HO

STEAK

UND

KID-

NEY

PIE
BROWN
VINDSOR
SOUP

SPOTTED
DICK

BANGERS
UND
MASH!
SCONES
AND
CRUMPETS
CRIKEY!

## BORIS \& GORAN

TA TICKETY BOO
IF THEY CAN'T TELL WHO VE ARE
VE CAN GET THAT FLIPPING CAR

## (BORIS \& GORAN)

VITH OUT THAT CAR VERE GONNA VIND UP WITH OUR HANDS UND FEET SO NEATLY TWINED UP AND THE FIRING SQUAD IS GONNA BE LINED UP UND VE'LL DIE, VE'LL DIE, VE'LL DIE

They exit in vaudeville fashion in-one DL. Applause...
They reenter from DL and...

## \#7a-Act English (Tag) \& Scene Change

VITH OUT THAT CAR VERE GONNA WIND UP
VITH OUR HANDS UND FEET SO NEATLY TWINED UP
AND THE FIRING SQUAD IS GONNA BE LINED UP
UND VE'LL DIE, VE'LL DIE, VE'LL...
Pack of Dogs enter from $D R$, chasing SPIES off DL.
DIE...!
Applause...

## SCENE FIVE

Music as Country Cloth rises. We're back at the MILL. - The CHILDREN'S bedroom. It is night-time. POTTS is by JEREMY AND JEMIMA's bedside C2.

JEREMY
Daddy, have you been working late again..?
POTTS
Why aren't you two asleep?
JEMIMA
We've been thinking.
JEREMY
We know how to raise the money for the car.

## JEMIMA

We can sell our treasures.
JEREMY
Look King Alfred's Crown.
JEMIMA
The nail from Noah's Ark.
JEREMY
The stone possibly from Stonehenge.
JEMIMA
These things are enormously valuable. Take them, Daddy. You can sell them.
JEREMY
And you can use the money to buy the car.
JEMIMA
Jeremy!!!

## JEREMY

And for all your inventions.

## POTTS

Thank you, Children. All these wonderful things... they're very precious. I'm afraid other people wouldn't appreciate them.

JEMIMA
Why not, Daddy?

## POTTS

Because other people don't see things the way you do. Come now, let's go to sleep. I have to go to the Fun Fair.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Oh goodie. Can we come?

## POTTS

No, its not for fun. Daddy has a plan.

## JEREMY

What about the boats..?

## \#8-Hushabye Mountain

## POTTS

The boats...? What boats.?

## JEMIMA

The boats and the breeze..

## JEREMY

The song Mummy used to sing.

## POTTS

Oh, of course.
A GENTLE BREEZE FROM HUSHABYE MOUNTAIN SOFTLY BLOWS O'ER LULLABY BAY

IT FILLS THE SAILS OF BOATS THAT ARE WAITING WAITING TO SAIL YOUR WORRIES AWAY
Now close your eyes and float far away...
(Stars start to light up on the star cloth and portals)
IT ISN'T FAR TO HUSHABYE MOUNTAIN
AND YOUR BOAT WAITS DOWN BY THE QUAY
THE WINDS OF NIGHT SO SOFTLY ARE SIGHING
SOON THEY WILL FLY YOUR TROUBLES TO SEA
SO CLOSE YOUR EYES ON HUSHABYE MOUNTAIN
WAVE GOODBYE TO CARES OF THE DAY
AND WATCH YOUR BOAT FROM HUSHABYE MOUNTAIN
SAIL FAR AWAY
FROM LULLABY BAY
Sweet dreams. Daddy loves you very much.
The Children close their eyes. The stars start to fade, as the beds move off SR and the Windmill sails slowly fly out. Potts moves downstage.

SO CLOSE YOUR EYES ON HUSHABYE MOUNTAIN
WAVE GOODBYE TO CARES OF THE DAY
AND WATCH YOUR BOAT FROM HUSHABYE MOUNTAIN

## (POTTS)

SAIL FAR AWAY
FROM LULLABY... BAY
In blackout upstage the pin hole cloth flies in and slowly lights up the funfair at the end of song. POTTS looks to the heavens and blows a kiss. Then sudden realization...

YES...
I've got it....!!!
POTTS runs off Mid Stage Left.

## SCENE SIX - The Fun Fair

## \#9 - Fun Fair (Underscore)

Acrobat flips onto stage from DSL to C then when ready, Potts rides haircutting machine from MSL to DSR, hawking haircuts, as the ENSEMBLE flood onto the stage as circus folk and townspeople. Bamboo MEN set tent poles from R2 to L2 creating the Fair tenting and funfair stage.

## POTTS

Haircuts! Haircuts! Ladies and gentlemen who is for an absolutely spiffing automatic haircut? Roll up, roll up, a positive snip at threepence a time! Hair cuts While-YouWait.

Music shifts to spooky spy music Fun Fair Scene freezes. BORIS and GORAN, dressed extremely "Englishy" appear MSL after being hidden behind a large bunch of balloons.

## GORAN

But Doris, I don't understand. How could Coggins not have believed we vere English? Me ole cock sparra..!

BORIS
Ahh Gordon...
GORAN
I'm sorry, Doris. It's my fault. My wicket was too sticky.

## BORIS

No.

## GORAN

My toad... not in his hole.

## BORIS

No.

## GORAN

And I forgot to show him my spotted -
BORIS covers GORANS mouth. They freeze, lights change as scene moves to a crowd that has gathered around POTTS, notably SIDNEY and VIOLET.

POTTS
...a positive snip at threepence a time!...
VIOLET
Come on Sid, you could do with a haircut.

## SID

What, cut my hair? I'm like Samson, me.

## VIOLET

Really?
SID
That's where all my strength is.

## VIOLET

Rubbish! You're scared. He's a big old scaredy cat.
SID
Am I now? All right mate, do your worst. Not too short..!!
SID removes his hat and sits in the machine, where a sort of metal hood is lowered over his skull. POTTS mounts the bicycle and starts pedaling.

## POTTS

Now just you relax Sir, and we'll have you done in a jiffy. Observe and be amazed. Scene of Hair cut once again freezes and special comes back up on the spies.

## BORIS

And now, if his invention works, Potts will make enough money to buy the car himself. In which case, we must abandon plan A do plan B... see?.

## GORAN

What is plan C ?

## BORIS

There is no plan C.

## GORAN

But you said...

## BORIS

Plan B... B!!!.

## GORAN

Oh... I see!

## BOTH

Then we steal it from him... ha, ha, ha, ha...
Lighting snaps back to crowd scene as Boris and Goran blend into the crowd.
SID
Not been courting a month and she's trying to change the way I look.
VIOLET
Hang on a second, Sidney.

Smoke has started to billow from the machine out of the funnel at the front.

## SID

Here, Vi, what's going on?

## POTTS

Nothing to worry about, Sir, a little friction to start with.
SID
It tickles.

## VIOLET

Sidney, you're smoking!
SID
I'm on fire!

## POTTS

Almost finished.
SID
Turn it off! I'm on fire! My head's on fire!
$A$ bell sounds on the machine.

## POTTS

Well Sir that's you cooked, I mean done, I mean finished...
He raises the metal hood and SID is completely bald. The CROWD gasps.
VIOLET
Flipping heck, Sid-you're as bald as a Baby's bum!
POTTS
(trying to brazen it out - moving hand mirror up and down quickly)
Well there we are Sir. It's a new look.
VIOLET
(dubious)
It's certainly that.

## POTTS

Will there be something else, Sir? Something for the weekend?

## SID

(Turning on him)
I'll give you something for the weekend!
SID tries to swing a punch at Potts who ducks and runs.

## \#10-Me $\mathrm{Ol}^{\prime}$ Bamboo

## POTTS

(trying to exit)
Sorry, I must dash

## SID

Here, Vi! He's getting away! After him!
By which time POTTS has begun to make his escape. Haircutting machine pulled off R1, as POTTS, chased by SID, runs through tenting UR to UL and ends up in line of MORRIS DANCERS coming out of main tenting UL... SID eventually loses him and exits $R$ with Violet and Turkey Farmer.

## MORRIS MEN

ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR, FIVE, SIX, SEVEN, EIGHT A GENTLEMAN'S GOT A WALKING STICK
A SEAMAN'S GOT A GAFF
AND THE MERRY MEN OF ROBIN HOOD THEY USED A QUARTER STAFF

ON THE SPANISH PLAINS
INSIDE THEIR CANES
THEY HIDE THEIR RUDDY SWORDS
BUT WE MAKE DO WITH AN OLD BAMBOO
AND EVERYONE APPLAUDS

ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR, FIVE, SIX, SEVEN, HEY!

ME OL' BAMBOO, ME OL' BAMBOO
YA BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO

YOU CAN HAVE ME HAT OR ME BUMBERSHOO
BUT YOU BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO

WHEN PUNTING ON THE BEAUTIFUL THAMES
POTTS
YOU USE A STURDY POLE
MORRIS MEN
TO PROTECT THEIR FAIR COMPLEXIONS
POTTS
LADIES USE A PARASOL

## MORRIS MEN

## IT'S USEFUL IN THE UNDERBRUSH

POTTS

## TO HAVE A HEFTY SPEAR MORRIS MEN

RIGHT!

## ALL <br> BUT WHAT WE DO WITH AN OL' BAMBOO MAKES EVERYBODY CHEER

 ONE, TWO, THREE, OHME OL' BAMBOO, ME OL' BAMBOO YOU BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO YOU CAN HAVE ME HAT OR ME BUMBERSHOO BUT YOU BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO

MORRIS MAN
'ave a go mate.
POTTS
A FLYER IN AN AIR-E-O-PLANE
MORRIS MEN
HE STEERS IT WITH A STICK
POTTS
HE DOES?
A COLLIER IN THE PITS O' WALES
MORRIS MEN
HE LEANS UPON HIS PICK
POTTS
THAT'S RIGHT!

## MORRIS MEN

NOW EVERY WHEEL OF AN AUTOMOBILE REVOLVES AROUND A SHAFT

Add POTTS
BUT WHAT WE DO WITH AN OLD BAM-BOO
MAKES EVERY ONE GO DAFT.
ONE! - TWO!

## (MORRIS MEN \& POTTS)

YA BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO

YOU CAN HAVE ME HAT OR ME BUMBERSHOO BUT YOU BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAM-

DANCE BREAK

## MORRIS MEN

ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR, FIVE, SIX, SEVEN, EIGHT! AND A ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR, FIVE, AND SIX, AND SEVEN, AND EIGHT!

ME OL' BAMBO, ME OL' BAMBOO
YA BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO
YA CAN HAVE ME HAT OR ME BUMBERSHOO
BUT YOU BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO!

YA BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO
The number finishes. POTTs is congratulated by Bamboo men. Turkey farmer runs on DSR. Circus Girls exit USR

## TURKEY FARMER

Ah, there you are.
POTTS
What do you mean?

## TURKEY FARMER

You're Potts.

## POTTS

No I'm not.

## TURKEY FARMER

Potts the inventor.
POTTS
No.
TURKEY FARMER
Did you invent that hair-cutting machine?
POTTS
No.
TURKEY FARMER
That's a shame, because I want to buy it.

## POTTS

Well, no in the sense of yes.
TURKEY FARMER
What do you want for it?
POTTS
What do I want for it? I want thirty shillings.
TURKEY FARMER
Done.
They shake hands

## POTTS

I should warn you, it's still at the experimental stage.
TURKEY FARMER
I don't want it for cutting hair, I want it for plucking turkeys.
POTTS
Plucking turkeys?

## TURKEY FARMER

Yes, I'm a turkey farmer. And with your machine I can kill 'em, pluck 'em and cook 'em all in one go. There you are, thirty bob. And I call it a bargain.

## POTTS

And I call it a miracle. Thank you Mr...
(Reading the cheque)
Matthews. One car, coming up!
(Potts exits DSR. MEN move DS as BLUE cloth and Garage flies in).

## \#10a - Playoff: Me Ol' Bamboo

## MORRIS MEN \& POTTS

ME OL' BAMBOO, ME OL' BAMBOO
YA BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAMBOO YOU CAN HAVE ME HAT OR ME BUMBERSHOO BUT YOU BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OL' BAM BOO...
(Bamboo Men dance, covering change... Bamboo Dancers exit DSR as BLUE flies out revealing GARAGE)
(POTTS has set himself behind this and Chitty is then set.)
YOU BETTER NEVER BOTHER WITH ME OLE BAM BOO....!!

## SCENE SEVEN

(As garage is revealed JEREMY \& JEMIMA are seen painting the garage. The car horn sounds and Grandpa ENTERS from DSL)

JEREMY \& JEMIMA
It's daddy, it's daddy, he's got the car, he's got the car.
(Potts comes out through the small garage door with the posser in his hand singing a section from Ol Bamboo).

## GRANDPA

That's a nice pile of junk you got there.
POTTS
Yes, yes... needs a little work. But there's a fine engine under here.

## GRANDPA

Does it go?
POTTS
No, not yet... but it will. It will.

## JEMIMA

You can make it go, can't you daddy?
POTTS
Well sweetpea, we're going to give it a try. POTTS exits into work shed, singing "Me Ol Bamboo"... closing door.

JEREMY
Can we stay and watch, Daddy?
GRANDPA
You know what your father's like when he's working. Better stay with me. I'll be taking care of things for a while... you know how it is.
(Grandpa and kids move DSL for song)
Did I tell you about the time I sailed from Liverpool?
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Yes!
GRANDPA
Did I? Hard luck I'm going to tell you again!

## GRANDPA

WHEN SAILING OUT FROM LIVERPOOL AND BOUND FOR SUNNY 'IN-JA' BE SURE YOUR CABIN'S PORT SIDE OR THE SUN IS GOING TO SINGE-YA

AND WHEN YOU'RE SAILING HOME AGAIN THE STARBOARD SIDE'S FOR YOU UNLESS OF COURSE YOU LIKE TO FEEL YOU'RE BOILING IN A STEW.

OH, THE POSH, POSH TRAVELLING LIFE
THE TRAVELLING LIFE FOR ME FIRST CABIN AND CAPTAIN'S TABLE REGAL COMPANY
WHENEVER I'M BORED I TRAVEL ABROAD
BUT EVER SO PROPERLY
PORT OUT, STARBOARD HOME!
POSH WITH A CAPITAL P.O.S.H, P.O.S.H, POSH!

Add JEMEMY \& JEMIMA
OH, THE POSH, POSH TRAVELLING LIFE
THE TRAVELLING LIFE FOR ME
FIRST CABIN AND CAPTAIN'S TABLE
REGAL COMPANY
WHENEVER I'M BORED I TRAVEL ABROAD
BUT EVER SO PROPERLY
PORT OUT, STARBOARD HOME!
POSH WITH A CAPITAL P!
GRANDPA
IN EVERY FOREIGN STRAND I LAND
THE ROYAL TRUMPETS TOOT ME
THE ROYAL WELCOME MAT IS OUT
THEY TWENTY-ONE GUN SALUTE ME
BUT MONARCHIES ARE CONSTANTLY
COMMANDING ME TO CALL
LAST MONTH I MIFFED A MUFTI
WELL YOU CAN'T OBLIGE THEM ALL
ALLOH THE POSH POSH TRAVELLING LIFETHE TRAVELLING LIFE FOR MEFIRST CABIN AND CAPTAIN'S TABLEREGAL COMPANYWHENEVER I'M BORED I TRAVEL ABROADBUT EVER SO PROPERLYPORT OUT, STARBOARD HOME!POSH WITH A CAPITAL P!
GRANDPA
Just one more verse and chorus
THE HAND THAT HOLD THE SCEPTREEVERY HEAD THAT HOLDS A CROWNTHEY ALWAYS GIVE THEIR ALL FOR METHEY NEVER LET ME DOWNI'M ON MY WAY TO FAR AWAY
TA-TA AND TOODLE-OOH!
Add JEREMY \& JEMIMA
AND FARE THEE WELL AND BON VOYAGE
ARRIVE-DERCI TOO
OH THE POSH, POSH TRAVELLING LIFE
THE TRAVELLING LIFE FOR ME
FIRST CABIN AND CAPTAIN'S TABLE
REGAL COMPANY
GRANDPA
(GRANDPA coughs and splutters.)
PARDON THE DUST OF THE UPPER CRUST
AND "FETCH US A CUP OF TEA"
JEREMY
PORT OUT! STARBOARD HOME!
JEREMY \& GRANDPA
PORT OUT! STARBOARD HOME!
GRANDPA \& CHILDREN
PORT OUT! STARBOARD HOME!
POSH WITH A CAPITAL...
(GRANDPA \& CHILDREN)
P.O.S.H.

GRANDPA
P.O.S.H. POSH

POSH
GRANDPA \& CHILDREN
POSH WITH A CAPITAL P!
SFX: Car horn honks from inside shed.
JEREMY
That's Daddy...
(Running to him in front of the shed)
He's finished the car, he's finished the car..
POTTS enters through the small door. He is in a state of some disarray. He has been up
all night.
Underscoring in and...

## \#12 - Chitty Revealed

## GRANDPA

So ya fixed it?

## POTTS

Fixed it, fashioned it, primed it, polished it, and... Well, observe and be amazed.
Big magic music as POTTS pulls a lever. SFX: Cranking noise.
This in theory makes it look like it triggers the garage fly out. A pyro fires centre stage.
Then a rocket on either side of the Garage door fires and the garage starts to fly out...
Blinding light and smoke as CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG is revealed in all her glory, her metalwork gleaming... CHITTY turns facing front to DSL.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Wow, Daddy! Wow!

## POTTS

Well, what do you think?
JEREMY
Fantastic...
JEMIMA
Super...

## POTTS

Used to be a racing car. But now it's more of a family car!

## GRANDPA

Well, you did it, Son.
POTTS
I did, didn't I? And all in full working order. Look.
(Demonstrating with buttons in the car, Grandpa and kids have moved DSL to watch.) Headlights.

## GRANDPA

Nothing.

## POTTS

Headlights.

## GRANDPA

More nothing.

## POTTS

Please!
Bit of shimmer music as the headlights begin to glow.
JEMIMA
That's right, Daddy... she prefers it if you say 'please'. Can we go for a drive?
POTTS
A drive? I have a better idea... how about a picnic by the seaside?
(Produces hamper from behind the car)
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
A picnic... hooray...!
POTTS
Alright, then. Let's get cracking.

> JEMIMA

What does this do?
JEMIMA sounds the horn. And Grandpa jumps with surprise.
POTTS
It does that

## GRANDPA

Start her up, son... see if she goes.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Please!
Engine starts...
SFX (from orchestra): chitty, chitty, chitty, chitty...
GRANDPA
Well, whattaya know... a miracle of modern mechanics... not surprised really, considering you learned it all from me, Caractacus Potts...
(salutes)
regimental genius.
Potts moves to look under front of the car, grandpa goes behind it and lights fade down.
Lights up on BORIS and GORAN who enter DSR with bush.
BORIS
Regimental Genius... so that's him... the mechanical genius, the inventor of the car.
GORAN
Which one?

## BORIS

Not the young one, the old one... behind the car...
GORAN
...behind the car... ha, ha, ha, ha...

## BORIS

You've been practicing.

## GORAN

Ya...

## BORIS

Gordon, you are a moron.
GORAN
Doris, don't beat about the bush.
BORIS and GORAN exit behind bush.
Chitty backfires and shoots some soot from its exhaust at GRANDPA. Everyone jumps back in amazement.

## GRANDPA

(Moving round to the front with a face covered in soot.)
Motor cars, all a bit modern for me. Nasty smelly scary things.
BANG! The CAR reacts angrily to this in a backfire.
All right all right. Keep your bonnet on. Anyway, I'm off to India. It's quieter there.

## Exit Grandpa MSL.

## POTTS

Then, we're off.

## JEREMY

What a funny noise it's making.

## POTTS

It's talking to us... all engines talk.
JEREMY
What's it saying?

## POTTS

She's saying-Chitty Chitty, Chitty Chitty, Chitty Chitty, Chitty, Chitty.
We can now hear the Chitty noise loud and clear. The car backfires again twice. Music creeps in under the rhythm we've set up.
Chitty chitty, chitty chitty, bang bang.

## ALL

"Chitty chitty, bang bang".
General laughter. The CAR backfires twice as it sets off to the countryside.

## SCENE EIGHT

CHITTY turns anti clockwise to SL and "drives".

## \#13-Chitty Chitty Bang Bang

Chitty's wheels turning...
POTTSCHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANGAdd JEREMY
CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
Add JEMIMA
CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
ALL
OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU
AND IN CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WHAT WE'LL DO
NEAR, FAR, IN OUR MOTOR CAR
OH WHAT A HAPPY TIME WE'LL SPEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
POTTS
CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
Add JEREMYCHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANGAdd JEMIMA
CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
ALL
OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOUAND IN CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WHAT WE'LL DO
(Joggers go by, running backwards... DL to DR))
(ALL)
NEAR, FAR, IN OUR MOTOR CAR
OH WHAT A HAPPY TIME WE'LL SPEND BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG. OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND

BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND

POTTS
YOU'RE UNCATEGORICAL
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
A FUEL BURNING ORACLE
ALL
A FANTASMAGORICAL MACHINE!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
YOU'RE MORE THAN SPECTACULAR
POTTS
TO USE THE VERNACULAR
YOU'RE WIZARD
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
YOU'RE SMASHING

## ALL

YOU'RE KEEN.
TRULY enters on Motorcycle going "backwards" from DL to $D R$.
OH !
CHITTY
YOU!
CHITTY
PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU
AND
CHITTY
IN
CHITTY
PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WHAT WE'LL DO
(Children notice Truly on her motorbike)
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Truly! Truly!

## TRULY

Children!
TRULY on motorbike pulls forward then continues going backwards as if motorbike is slowly breaking down.

## ALL

Daddy, slow down, slow down!
(POTTS, reluctantly turns Chitty around to face MSL)
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED
(Truly appears again on her bike DSR)
POTTS
BANG BANG, CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG

## ALL

FINE FOUR FENDERED, CHITTY CHITTY FRIEND!
POTTS gets out of the car.
Miss Scrumptious, we meet again.

## \#14-Reprise: Chitty Chitty Bang Bag

JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Hello Truly.
TRULY
Hello Children.
POTTS
Allow me.

## TRULY

You really needn't bother. It's probably just the choke pull again...
POTTS
Nope.

TRULY
...I mean the butterfly valve...
POTTS
Nope.
TRULY
Mister Potts, if you don't mind, I am more than capable of repairing my own...
POTTS
(To the children)
She's blown her gasket...

## TRULY

I beg your pardon.

## POTTS

Your gasket... on your engine.

## TRULY

Oh...

## POTTS

I'm afraid you won't be going anywhere on this for a while.
JEREMY
We're going to the seaside.
JEMIMA
On a picnic.

## JEREMY

Come with us.

## JEMIMA

Please.

## POTTS

You needn't worry about your motorcycle. We can have Mr. Coggins pick it up.
TRULY
I was on my way to an afternoon tea. But, I must say, a picnic at the seaside sounds oh so much more delightful.

Truly takes off her coat. She is dressed in a stunningly beautiful dress... perfect for a picnic at the seaside. The Joggers come passed her running forward. She gets into CHITTY.

POTTS turns the crank to start CHITTY then climbs in.
What an unusual car.
JEREMY
Daddy made it.
JEMIMAIt's called Chitty Chitty Bang Bang.
TRULY
That's a curious name for a motorcar.
JEMIMA
But that's the sound it makes... listen.(CHITTY turns to stage left. Truly's bike tracks off stage right)POTTSCHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANGAdd JEREMY
CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
Add JEMIMA
CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
ALL
OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOUAND OUR PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG LOVES US TOO
Joggers run from DL to DR... "backwards"...
HIGH, LOW, ANYWHERE WE GO
ON CHITTY CHITTY WE DEPEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
TRULY
YOU'RE SLEEK AS A THOUROUGHBRED
YOUR SEATS ARE A FEATHERBED
YOU TURN EVERYBODY'S HEAD TODAY
POTTS
WE'LL GLIDE ON OUR MOTOR TRIP
(Tandem tracks SL to SR with spies on it )
WITH PRIDE IN OUR OWNERSHIP
ALL
THE ENVY OF ALL WE SURVEY - !
OH !
CHITTY
YOU!
CHITTY
PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU
AND
CHITTY
OUR
CHITTY
PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG LOVES US TOO
HIGH
CHITTY
LOW
CHITTY
ANYWHERE WE GO
ON CHITTY CHITTY WE DEPEND
CHITTY turns facing towards MSL
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED
(ALL exit car and set picnic)
CHITTY BANG BANG, CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANGCHITTY BANG BANG, CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANGCHITTY BANG BANG, CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANGFINE FOUR FENDERED, CHITTY CHITTY FRIEND!
Picnic blanket is set DSR and all are sat around. Button... applause
BORAN and GORAN chase after two WOMEN from USR across the back of the stageto DSL special.

## BORIS

Oh Baron, yes, the car is by the sea. Deploy the gunboat.

[^0]GORAN
No wait...!! Ve are English, Ve are English gently men..!
BORAN and GORAN follow girls offstage. It's now late afternoon and the picnic is finished.

TRULY
Anymore for anymore?
JEREMY
We're full up. It was a lovely picnic though.
JEMIMA
Really lovely.
JEREMY
Truly scrumptious.
The CHILDREN giggle.

## POTTS

Children!
JEREMY
We're not giggling because it's a silly name, we think Truly is a lovely name.
TRULY
It could be worse. You haven't met my sisters, Madly and Deeply.
POTTS
Seriously?
TRULY
No that's my brother.

## \#15-Truly Scrumptious

## JEREMY

Well, we think Truly's a lovely name.
JEMIMA
TOOT SWEETS SOUND LIKE WHAT THEY ARE
JEREMY
SO DO LOLLIES IN A LOLLIPOP JAR
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
GINGERBREAD MEN HAVE A GINGERBREAD
SOUND WE'VE FOUND
JEMIMASUGAR PLUM, CINNAMON AND LEMON TARTTELL YOU WHAT THEY ARE RIGHT FROM THE START
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
AND YOUR NAME DOES THE SAME FOR YOU.BY COINCIDENCE,
TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
YOU'RE TRULY, TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
SCRUMPTIOUS AS A CHERRY-PEACH PARFAIT
WHEN YOU'RE NEAR US
IT'S SO DELICIOUS
HONEST, TRULY, YOU'RE THE ANSWER TO OUR WISHES
TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS,
THOUGH WE MAY SEEM PRESUMPTUOUS
NEVER, NEVER, EVER GO AWAY
OUR HEARTS BEAT SO UNRULY
BECAUSE WE LOVE YOU TRULY
HONEST, TRULY, WE DO.
As the song continues, Potts plays with a ball throwing it to Jeremy and Jemima playsdrawing pictures in the sand with a stick she has just collected from MSR.
TRULY
TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
YOU TWO ARE TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
SCRUMPTIOUS AS THE BREEZE ACROSS THE BAY
(Potts, Jeremy and Jemima all wave to Truly.)
WHEN YOU'RE SMILING, IT'S SO DELICIOUS
SO BEGUILING
YOU'RE THE ANSWER TO MY WISHES
TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
YOU TWO ARE TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
AND I SHAN'T FORGET THIS LOVELY DAY
MY HEART BEATS SO UNRULY
I ALSO LOVE YOU TRULY
Hopscotch..!
They play hopscotch.

## (TRULY)

(To herself as Jeremy and Jemima climb into the car.)
MY HEART BEATS SO UNRULY
(Potts hands her the ball and they look at each other for a moment.)
I ALSO LOVE YOU TRULY
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
HONEST, TRULY
(JEREMY and JEMIMA kiss a cheek each)

## TRULY

I DO ...
Button... applause. Evening is starting to fall...

## \#15a-Post-Scrumptious

Noticing children asleep, TRULY gets blanket and from SR of the car covers them with Potts helping from SL of the car.

You know Mr. Potts, you have two wonderful children.
POTTS
I have to agree with you there.
TRULY
(Looking at view and the beauty of the beach she moves DS of the car.)
Isn't it beautiful?

## POTTS

(Looking at and subtly referring to TRULY without her realizing and moving down towards her.)

Lovely, just lovely.
The sky's growing darker.

## TRULY

Mr. Potts?
POTTS
Caractacus.
TRULY
Caractacus.
POTTS
Ridiculous name.

## TRULY

Oh, I rather like it.
A flash of lightning. We hear distant thunder.
Anyway, Caractacus, do you remember I accused you of being a negligent father?
POTTS
I don't think I remember that.

## TRULY

Yes you do. Well, I just feel I have to say that...
Another rumble of thunder.
.. that I think you are... absolutely...

## POTTS

.. and I have to say... that you couldn't be more... completely...
Another roll of thunder and flash of lights.

## TRULY

Absolutely.
They are now looking into each other eyes. If they were to have their first kiss, this would be the perfect moment. Suddenly an enormous explosion. It's a thunderclap overhead. Both CHILDREN start upright and scream.

## JEREMY

Daddy!
JEMIMA
Aaaah!
POTTS
It's alright children, it's only thunder. You've been asleep.
JEMIMA
What's happening?
TRULY
It's only a little storm.
By now the stage is quite dark.

## POTTS

Right, let's get out of here swiftish.
JEREMY
Daddy! Daddy! The tide, it's come in.
Underscoring change... tide coming in chromatics.

## POTTS

Alright, let's get her into reverse.
CHITTY straightens.

## JEREMY

Daddy! Daddy! There's water behind us now. You let the tide come in.
JEMIMA
Why didn't you notice the storm? What were you doing?

## POTTS \& TRULY

(Together, a little too loudly)
Nothing.
Another massive explosion. A pyro is set off MSR, very near the car.

## TRULY

That wasn't thunder.

## POTTS

You're right.
By now rain is lashing down. Another explosion. Another pyro MSL.
Nor was that.
JEREMY
Daddy! Help!

## TRULY

Mr. Potts. The water's rising.
JEMIMA
We're going to drown!
POTTS
No we're not.

## TRULY

Actually she's got a point.
Another explosion. Centre stage.

## POTTS

It's a cannon. From a ship out there somewhere. Firing at us. I can't see through the fog.

They are now looking out into the audience. CHITTY'S headlights come on as if on their own accord.
Thank you Chitty. Oh my goodness ... Is that the Vulgarian flag?

## \#16-Nautical Reprise

## TRULY

What do they want?

## JEREMY

It must be Baron Bomburst's men.
JEMIMA
It's the Vegetarians, they're after Chitty.
TRULY
Nonsense.

## POTTS

They're right. They'll want us to surrender the car.

## TRULY

I don't believe a word of it.

## BORIS

(Offstage, as if on megaphone)
We want you to surrender the car!

## POTTS

You see.

## TRULY

Oh my God, we're all going to die!

## JEREMY

Save us Daddy!
JEMIMA
Save us Chitty!
JEREMY \& JEMIMA
Please.
A Pyro explosion.

## Pleeeeeease!

The CAR begins to glow and light up as a large inflatable section emerges and surrounds the car like a hovercraft.

TRULY
That's amazing. She's floating.

## POTTS

Is she?
TRULY
A floating car!
POTTS
But of course. It's alright children, I think we've lost them.
We hear a stentorian blast on a foghorn
TRULY
I don't think so.
We hear the megaphone again. A search light flashes over the car.
VOICE
In the name of Baron Bomburst of Vulgaria, we charge you yield.
TRULY
They're still after us.
POTTS
Not on your life boy. Jeremy, Jemima, hold tight!
He puts his foot down and the car seems to be floating on the water, chased by the boat.
JEMIMA
Faster Daddy, faster!
TRULY
This is amazing. Now I've seen everything.
JEREMY
They won't steal our lovely car.
TRULY
It's not a car. It's a miracle!
POTTS
Oh, it's just a little something I cobbled together.
IT'S FAR MORE THAN FABULOUS
IT'S SIMPLY FANTABULOUS
THIS CAR'S AUTOMOTIVELY SUPREME
TRULY
IT KNOW WHAT WE'RE GOING TO DO
IT FEELS WHAT WE'RE GOING THROUGH
JEREMY
IT'S MYSTIC!

## JEMIMA

IT'S MAGIC!

## ALL

A DREAM!

## POTTS

It's alright, I think we've shaken them off.
TRULY
Oh really?
A foghorn is heard and flash light roams again.
Come on faster, Chitty, faster.

> FAMILY
> OH CHITTY! YOU CHITTY, PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU
> (GUNS FX \& LX flash )
> AND CHITTY, OUR CHITTY, PRETTY, CHITTY
> BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG LOVES US TOO!
> TRULY

They're gaining on us.

## FAMILY

HIGH CHITTY, LOW CHITTY, ANYWHERE WE GO ON CHITTY CHITTY WE DEPEND
(GUNS FX \& LX Flash)
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND.

TRULY
We're losing them.
POTTS
Good girl Chitty.
FAMILY, OFFSTAGE MEN \& WOMEN
OH CHITTY YOU CHITTY, PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU
AND CHITTY OUR CHITTY PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG LOVES US TOO HIGH CHITTY LOW CHITTY ANYWHERE WE GO ON CHITTY CHITTY WE DEPEND BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG

## (FAMILY, OFFSTAGE MEN \& WOMEN)

OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
Blackout-Vulgarian Front Cloth in.

## SCENE NINE

## \#16a - The War Room

Vulgaria. Music plays the ANTHEM in a minor key. The WAR ROOM inside the Royal Palace. The BARON and SOLDIERS are plotting war games on the large map which has an old fashioned phone on a little shelf at the side.

## BARON

Don't you worry you little English people. We're not going to hurt you.
The BARON intentionally knocks game pieces on the floor. The BARONESS, who has been cleaning a pistol, accidentally fires at a soldier who falls to the ground DSL.

## BARONESS

Oopsey Daisy.
An old-fashioned telephone rings.
Vulgaria. Top secret war room. How can I help you? Oh, its Boris.
(handing the phone to Baron)

## BARON

Hello Boris?... what do you mean you lost the car!... It what!...

## BARONESS

What?

## BARON

He's saying the car can float! The secret mechanism still exists.

## BARONESS

Whee.

## BARON

(into phone)
Boris, I want that car! Get me that car! It will be my greatest toy... What?... This is a terrible line.
(Baron hits the captain, who hits 1st solider who hits 2nd solider who returns hits.
Baron then listens to BORIS then repeats)
Yes, in the car is Potts,
(Listening repeating...)
a woman,
(Listening repeating...)

## (BARON)

and two... chi
(Stops himself)
The room goes silent, all heads turn fearfully to the BARONESS.

## BARONESS

Two what?

## BARON

What?

## BARONESS

Two what?

## BARON

Nothing.

## BARONESS

You said two chi... two chi...

## BARON

....kens. In the car is Potts, a woman and two chickens.

## BARONESS

(taking the phone)
Hello Boris, I'm good. You? Boris, are there two chickens in the car?
(listening, eyeing the BARON)
No? ... then what is there in the car? Potts... a woman... and two... Childr-
The BARONESS screams and faints into the arms of a waiting soldier, then is tossed into the arms of the BARON.

## BARON

Call the Childcatcher.

## CAPTAIN

Call the Childcatcher.
"CALL THE CHILDCATCHER" echoes off-stage.

## BARON

Do not worry my dear. If they come here, the Childcatcher will do his work. Call the Childcatcher.
(BARONESS starts crawling around crying wailing to get the Barons attention and sympathy.)

## CAPTAIN

Call the Childcatcher.
"CALL THE CHILDCATCHER" echoes off-stage.

## BARON

If we can discover the secret of this car it can be harnessed for the good of our nation, we can take our proper place in the World once again...

## \#16b-Vulgarian Vision

## (The BARONESS wails again.)

The streets will be spotless.
(The BARONESS attempts to interject again with a wail).
Just give me a minute here, I'm on a roll. The streets will be spotless. There will be no more power cuts, the trains will run on time, we can invade smaller neighbouring countries for no apparent reason. Yes Vulgaria will be GREAT ONCE MORE!

## BARONESS

I don't want children.

## BARON

No, no, no, no, no, my poodle. The Childcatcher will know what to do. Where the hell is he?!
(There is an enormous crash of thunder. The stage goes black for a moment.)
Oh, you see, another power cut!
When the lights come back on the CHILDCATCHER is standing beside the BARON, who jumps in fright.
CHILDCATCHER

You called, sire!

## \#17-Finale Act One

A massive crash of thunder and a blackout as we move to the next scene.

## SCENE TEN

(Potts family and Truly are arriving back at the mill in the car.)

## GRANDPA

At last you're back! Wash your hands-it's teatime and I've made my special chutney.

## TRULY

Truly Scrumptious
(Potts, Truly \& JJs exit DSR)
GRANDPA
Rather... I must just take a quiet trip to India
(Grandpa goes into the outhouse)
GRANDPA'S CAPTURE underscoring in... as the spies appear having watch
Grandpa go into his outhouse.

## GORAN

The inventor went into his very small laboratory.

## BORIS

How very convienient... You go up... Lower the grappling hook...
(As GORAN climbs ladder at back of Outhouse, a hook is lowered. Goran then hooks it up.)

## GORAN

Thank you Gunther..!!
(GORAN climbs down ladder to join Boris on stage of Outhouse.)
Right ... take it away... LIFT... LIFT...!
(Outhouse is pushed off into bay 2 stage left.)
GRANDPA
(From "inside shed")
Help! Help!

## POTTS

Stop! Stop!
The potting shed exits. POTTS, TRULY and the CHILDREN run on from Stage right. SPIES exit stage left.)

JEREMY \& JEMIMA
They're taking Grandpa, they're taking Grandpa!

## POTTS

Quick, quick we've got to catch them. Hang on, Grandpa!

## GRANDPA

(From offstage)
Help, I'm being abducted by a foreigner!
Underscoring changes, as BORIS and GORAN run off MSL. All get into car as the Blimp track of a miniature Outhouse is flown in. CHITTY turns front as the miniature towed by balloon tracks from SL to SR.
Help...!!!!!!

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Don't worry grandpa, we'll save you!

## POTTS

We're right behind you, Grandpa!
JEMIMA
(Variously)
Come on, come on.
(The miniature Balloon starts tracking up and out.)
JEREMY
They're getting away.
TRULY
They're making for the coast. We've got to catch them.
(Chitty faces MSL)
JEREMY
Hang on Grandpa!
JEMIMA
FASTER DADDY FASTER..!!!
(Chitty turns to face front)
POTTS
Faster Chitty.

## ALL

Please.
JEMIMA
Daddy, what's Beachy Head?

## POTTS

Beachy Head?

## JEMIMA

Is it a beach?

## TRULY

No, it's a head. Straight ahead. Mr Potts... Mr Potts...

## POTTS

Watch out, watch out! We're heading for a... heading for a ...
The ground literally disappears from under them as CHITTY tilts forward (back end goes up). RP \& gauze screen flies out. Revealing starcloth as all but Chittys lights B/O.

## ALL

## CLIIIIIFFFF!

Everybody screams.
(The car levels out as two large wings sprout, one from each side, and the car begins to fly. Music swells, as Chitty's lights flash and she flies in a field of stars!

## POTTS

She didn't do this in the workshop.
JEMIMA
Wow, daddy, wow.

# ALL <br> OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG <br> CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU AND IN CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WHAT WE'LL DO 

NEAR, FAR, IN OUR MOTOR CAR
OH WHAT A HAPPY TIME WE'LL SPEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
Show Scrim in and house lights up as we go to the...
INTERVAL

## ACT TWO

## \#22-Entr'Acte

## SCENE ONE

4 SOLDIERS onstage performing changing of the guard type march... BORIS and GORAN entering exhausted... up the aisles and onto the stage in front of the Vulgarian front cloth. They ad lib some comic dialogue, then return to the script.

## GORAN

(Huffing AND puffing)
We did it, Boris. We did it!

## BORIS

We did. We swam all 1,568 miles.

## GORAN

We swam all the way from England. But I think the cold water shrunk me.

## BORIS

It doesn't show.

## GORAN

Good... and look we managed to beat the great balloon to Vulgaria.

## BORIS

Improbable but true. And there's the inventor. The Baron will be so proud of us. We will all get a royal welcome.

## \#19 - Vulgarian Town Square

Vulgarian front cloth flies out to reveal Town Square of Vulgaria. Music is bubbling under. There is a podium Centre stage. The square is abuzz with activity... preparing to welcome (they think) the famous Professor Potts.

ALL sing together the Vulgarian National Anthem with a welcoming display of marching and small dance with expressions of utmost solemnity.

## ALL

WE ARE LOYAL TO VULGARIA VULTURE OF THE WEST
AND WE TOIL FOR VULGARIA FEATHERING HER NEST BARON congratulates BORIS and GORAN on their success, kissing both of them... GORAN on the lips. The Outhouse is pushed on MSL.

## BARON

mmm... Salty.

Soldiers open the outhouse door revealing Grandpa. As he leaves it the Outhouse is taken off SL. BARON appears and greets GRANDPA with a big Vulgarian welcome.

## ALL

THE SOIL OF VULGARIA
THROUGH ALL THE WORLD IS KNOWN
FROM HER HEIGHTS TO HER DAIRY AREA
GRANDPA
Blimey..!!

## ALL

VULGARIA STANDS ALONE
BARON makes a speech.

## BARON

Ladies and gentlemen. Fellow Vulgarians. The entire Vulgar nation wishes to welcome the brilliant Caractacus Potts.

The CROWD Applauds.

## GRANDPA

How do you do?

## BARON

Inventor extraordinaire.
The CROWD Applauds.

## GRANDPA

Ah.

## BARON

Caractacus Potts, as you may know, is distinguished in the field of mechanics.

## GRANDPA

Ah. I think there's been a bit of a...
BARON
Why, even now he is working on a car that floats on water.

## GRANDPA

... a bit of a mistake.

## BARON

Which he is now going to develop for Vulgaria and its greater... What do you mean a mistake?

## GRANDPA

I'm not him.

## BARON

Not who?

## GRANDPA

Caractacus Potts. I mean I am Caractacus Potts, but I'm not the inventor.

## BARON

Shoot him!
Rifles are aimed.

## GRANDPA

Not the inventor, to turn down a challenge such as this.

## BARON

So, you'd like to start right away?

## GRANDPA

(Wretched)
Yes, I need to go to the laboratory right away.

## \#19a-Fanfares

## BARON

Ah, and now my beautiful Baroness reveals herself!
Enter the BARONESS from MSR in a very revealing costume.

## GRANDPA

She certainly does.
BARON
My dear, this is Professor Potts, from England.
GRANDPA

How do you do Madame?
He kisses her hand.

## BARON

He is the greatest inventor in the world.
GRANDPA
I really wouldn't say that.
BARONESS
You are too modest.

## GRANDPA

I don't think so.

## BARONESS

You must meet the toy maker. He is called the Toymaker.

## GRANDPA

Indeed.

## BARON

A fellow genius like yourself.

## BARONESS

Vulgaria makes the most beautiful toys in the world.
(Applause)

## GRANDPA

How lovely for the children.
The Baroness and ensemble girls scream. All the SOLDIERS cock their rifles simultaneously.

## BARONESS

Husband! He used the c-word

## BARON

Professor Potts, you will never use that word in front of my wife again.
The SOLDIERS relax.

## GRANDPA

What word? Children?
The BARONESS and girls scream again. All the SOLDIERS cock their rifles.

## BARON

She cannot stand the mention of them.
The BARONESS shudders.

## BARON

In fact they are banned from this kingdom by act of parliament.

## BARONESS

And we have a Childcatcher who controls the streets and gets rid of them.

## GRANDPA

Good grief!
Podium is tracked off R2.

## BARONESS

Making Vulgaria a more beautiful place to live.

## BARON

Ah, and now...
Fanfare, as car is wheeled on, by six very old, frock-coated assistants from R2.
The car! No time like the present. This is my baronial car. Please work your magic on it, Professor Potts. These are your six assistants... my team of Inventors.

## INVENTORS

Hello.

## BARON

They are very old. If you can succeed in making my car float ...

## GRANDPA

Float!
Enter a SOLDIER running.

## SOLDIER

Baron Bomburst! Our observatory has seen a car flying across the border.

## BARON

Flying? The car flies? Why didn't you tell me? You naughty boy. Very well, if you can fit my car with your float-fly feature, I will make you Keeper of the Vulgarian purse. If not, I will make you into a sausage.

GRANDPA
I say.
BARON
You have twenty-four hours.

## BARONESS

And mind your language.
Ceremonial Fanfare... as BARON and BARONESS exit.
GRANDPA
I hope that chap is jolly well joking.
INVENTOR \#4
The Baron rarely makes jokes.
INVENTOR \#3
We had a bloke once came here, just like you. Tried. Failed.
INVENTOR \#1
Got made into a sausage.

## INVENTOR \#2

They have terrible tortures.
GRANDPA
Good grief!

## INVENTOR \#4

They stretch you and they shrink you if you don't do what they want.
INVENTOR \#6 (Who is tall)
When I came here, I was five foot two.
GRANDPA
But dash it all, a car that floats let alone flies. That's impossible!
INVENTOR \#1
Nothing's impossible.
GRANDPA
That's what my son's always saying.
INVENTOR \#2
We'll help you, won't we lads?
INVENTOR \#5
Shoulders to the grindstone.
INVENTOR \#4
Noses to the wheel.
INVENTOR \#3
And if at first you don't succeed...
GRANDPA
Give up.
INVENTORS.
No!
GRANDPA
Yes!

## ALL

No!
ALL
AH!
INVENTOR \#2
EACH ABYSMAL FAILURE MAKES A POINT
ALL
OH
INVENTOR \#6
EVERY GLOWING PATH THAT GOES ASTRAY
sHOWS YOU HOW TO FIND A BETTER WAY
INVENTOR \#2
SO EVERY TIME YOU STUMBLE, NEVER GRUMBLE
INVENTOR \#3 \& INVENTOR \#5
NEXT TIME YOU'LL BUMBLE EVEN LESS!
ALL
OH, YES
FOR UP FROM THE ASHES, UP FROM THE ASHES
GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS
GROW THE ROSES, GROW THE ROSES
GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS
GROW THE ROSES
THOSE ROSY ROSES
FROM THE ASHES OF DISASTER
GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS
GRANDPA
Yes, I know. But a car that floats?
INVENTOR \#5
It will.
GRANDPA
And fly?
INVENTOR \#6
We've failed before and we can fail again.
GRANDPA
Has he got that right?

## INVENTOR \#6 \& INVENTOR \#2

THAT MISTAKE YOU'LL NEVER MAKE AGAIN
INVENTOR \#1 \& INVENTOR \#3
NO SIR!

## ALL <br> EVERY SHINY DREAM THAT FADES AND DIES GENERATES THE STEAM FOR TWO MORE TRIES <br> INVENTOR \#4 <br> THERE'S MAGIC IN THE WAKE OF A FIASCO <br> GRANDPA <br> CORRECT! <br> IT GIVES YOU THAT CHANCE TO SECOND GUESS <br> ENSEMBLE

## OH YES!

GRANDPA
THEN UP FROM THE ASHES ..

## ALL

... UP FROM THE ASHES
GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS!
SORRY!
GROW THE ROSES, THOSE ROSY ROSES
FROM THE ASHES OF DISASTER
GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS
GRANDPA
Right men. This jalopy needs a spit and polish. Blanko the Crankshaft. About turn the big end. Choke the throttle.

## INVENTOR \#1

Check the timing.

## GRANDPA

$4 \mathrm{o}^{\prime}$ clock!
(Pyros fire from Barons car... seemingly sending an inventor flying to the floor)
Is there a doctor in the House..!!!!

## INVENTOR \#1

I'm here I'm here...!!! CLEAR!!!!
(Inventor gets jump leads from the back on the Barons car and shocks fallen Inventor back to life.)

## (INVENTOR \#1)

DISASTER DIDN'T STYMY LOUIS PASTOR
INVENTORS

## NO SIR!

INVENTOR \#1
EDISON TOOK YEARS TO SEE THE LIGHT!
INVENTORS
RIGHT!
GRANDPA
ALEXANDER GRAHAM KNEW FAILURE WELL HE TOOK A LOT OF KNOCKS TO RING THAT BELL!

ONE INVENTOR
GOOD!
INVENTORS
SO WHEN IT GETS DISTRESSING, IT'S A BLESSING
GRANDPA
ONWARD AND UPWARD
INVENTORS
WE MUST PRESS
GRANDPA
YES!
INVENTORS
YES!

# ALL <br> TILL UP FROM THE ASHES, UP FROM THE ASHES <br> GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS 

Dance Break... stop time... build to.
INVENTORS
GROW THE RO
GROW THE RO
GROW THE ROSES!
GROW THE RO
GROW THE RO
GROW THE ROSES!

## (INVENTORS)

GROW THE ROSES, GROW THE ROSES, THOSE ROSY ROSES.

FROM THE ASHES OF DISASTER
GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS
GRANDPA
START THE ENGINES!
INVENTORS

## SUCCESS!

GRANDPA
BATTEN THE HATCHES!
INVENTORS
SUCCESS!
GRANDPA
MAN THE SHROUDS!
LIFT THE ANCHOR!
INVENTORS
SUCCESS!
Car falls apart. You hear marching feet then the Baron crosses from DSL to DSR.
BARON
Professor Potts! Twenty four hours. Sausages.
GRANDPA
But, on the other hand, with work...
INVENTORS
Yes..!
GRANDPA
And application...
INVENTORS
Yes..!!
GRANDPA
And a lot of dedication...

# ALL <br> FROM THE ASHES OF DISASTER GROW THE ROSES OF SUCCESS! 

Underscoring in, as INVENTORS are escorted off by the SOLDIERS L1 and the car is taken off R2 by more Soldiers. Grandpa is dragged off DSL.

GRANDPA
I'm being abducted by foreigners...!!! I don't believe it..!!!
POTTS, TRULY, JEREMY and JEMIMA run on DSR.
POTTS
Poor Grandpa.

## JEMIMA

But Daddy, why would Baron Bomburst want to kidnap him?
TRULY
He thought he was you.
POTTS
Of course.
TRULY
He mustn't get his hands on Chitty.
POTTS
Of course not.
TRULY
You should have hidden her.
POTTS
I should have what?
TRULY
Well, what if they find her?
POTTS
What do you mean?

## TRULY

How are we going to get back?

## POTTS

You didn't seem to have a better plan.

## TRULY

I had plenty of better plans, if you'd have only let me get a word in edgeways.

POTTS
What do you mean a word in edgeways?

> JEREMY

Are you two having a row?
TRULY
No.
JEMIMA
Does that mean you're going to get married?

## TRULY \& POTTS

NO!

## TRULY

That would make me Truly Potts.

## TOYMAKER

(Appearing suddenly from his shop)
Shhh!
POTTS
What?

## TOYMAKER

You!

## TRULY

What?

## TOYMAKER

Quick, get those children inside!
(Bell rings off stage right)
Come on, come on. Quick before the child-catcher gets here.

## POTTS

The what?

## TRULY

Who are you?

## TOYMAKER

The Toymaker.
(Bell rings again)
Now get inside! Please don't argue. We must get these children out of sight.
(Toyshop tracks on from track 2 SL)
Quickly... He's coming..!!

## \#20b-Into Toyshop

## SCENE TWO

We are now inside the TOYMAKER'S shop. Walls festooned with carved figures. TOYMAKER closes the door.

## TOYMAKER

Children are forbidden in Vulgaria.

## POTTS

What?

## TOYMAKER

The Suppression of Children Act, still in force.
TRULY
But what about all these toys?

## TOYMAKER

They're for the Baron. He likes toys. A lot...
POTTS peers out door.
Get away from there... he might see you.
POTTS
Who?
TOYMAKER
The Childcatcher. He takes children and makes them... disappear.
POTTS
Which children?

## TOYMAKER

All of them... as many as he can lay his hands on. It's all because of the Baroness. She loathes them.

## TRULY

Does she have any children of her own?
TOYMAKER
The Baroness? Oh no, she'd rather die.
We suddenly hear fearful knocking at the door as...

## CHILDCATCHER

## (From offstage)

There are children in here. I can smell them.
TOYMAKER
It's him. The Childcatcher. Quick, down here.

## CHILDCATCHER

Children...!
The TOYMAKER shows JEREMY and JEMIMA where to hide in a hole in the work table.

## TOYMAKER

(To the CHILDREN)
Don't come out till we tell you.
(More knocking... TRULY and POTTS find a secret compartment in the wall and hide... Aloud to CHILDCATCHER and hanging up his coat.)
Alright, I'm coming! I've been so busy, it's half day closing.
He unlocks the door. The CHILDCATCHER enters the toy shop.

## CHILDCATCHER

Children, children. There's a twitch in my nose. I can smell children.
TOYMAKER
Children in a toyshop? Don't be absurd.

## CHILDCATCHER

Absurd? My nose is never wrong.
The CHILDCATCHER is sniffing for children.
TOYMAKER
You've no right to come in here! No right!

## CHILDCATCHER

No right. There are children in here. I can smell their blood and when I find them you will have made your last toy.

Underscoring out as...

## SOLDIER \#1

(Rushing in)
The Baron wants you back at the castle. The intruders have been located.

## CHILDCATCHER

What?

## SOLDIER \#2

We've found the car... hidden in the bushes under the bridge. They can't have got far.

## CHILDCATCHER

(Releasing him)
My nose must have been mistaken. There are no children here.
He exits with the SOLDIERS as...
POTTS and TRULY emerge cautiously. The TOYMAKER locks the door.
POTTS
What kind of country is this? Children forbidden! Jeremy! Jemima!
(Children come out of hiding.)

## TRULY

I told you they'd find the car.

## POTTS

Just bad luck.

## TRULY

What do you mean bad luck....?

## TOYMAKER

(Interrupting)
...Sir, Madam, I don't know who you are or what you're doing here, but take my advice and get out of Vulgaria.

## POTTS

And leave my father in the castle? We came to get him out and that's what we're going to do. Will you show us the way?

TOYMAKER
To the castle? I can show you the way to get killed.
TRULY
Please help us.

## TOYMAKER

If I don't finish this toy for the Baron's birthday tomorrow he'll have me shot.

## POTTS

All right, I'll go myself. Truly, you stay here with the children.

## TOYMAKER

No, listen. There is a way, a secret way. It's past where the children live.

## POTTS

What children?

## TOYMAKER

Those we have managed to hide. They're in the sewers under the castle.
POTTS
Under the castle... take me there.
TRULY
I'll go with you. You can't go on your own.
TOYMAKER
She's right. It'll be dangerous. I'll go with you.
(To TRULY)
You stay here. You'll be safe as long as you stay in my shop... with the curtains drawn and the door locked...The Childcatcher has been here once... he'll be looking elsewhere. So just stay inside.
(Potts and Truly have faced each other across the shop)
POTTS
(Sincerely)
Truly you are right I should have hidden Chitty I'm so sorry.
TRULY
Just promise me you'll be careful.

## \#22 - Lovely, Lonely Man

## TOYMAKER

(To POTTS)
Well, are you coming?
POTTS gives Truly his coat and POTTS and THE TOYMAKER exit through the hole under the work unit. TRULY holds his coat close to her.

TRULY
THIS LOVELY, LONELY MAN
I'VE ONLY KNOWN A DAY
I LOOK AT HIM AND CANNOT LOOK AWAY
OH, WHAT A LOVE,
OH WHAT A LOVELY, LONELY MAN
JEMIMA
I'm hungry.

## TRULY

Oh Jemima.

## JEMIMA

Well I am.

## JEREMY

I'm so hungry my tummy hurts.

## TRULY

I know mine does a bit too... but we'll just have to be good and sit and wait.
(Truly moves a stool and sits on it with the children on the floor resting their heads on her knee.)

I'VE MET SO MANY MEN,
SO EASY TO FORGET
I THOUGHT I'D GROWN IMMUNE TO THEM
AND YET, HE'S SUCH A LOVE
HE'S SUCH A LOVELY LONELY MAN.
HOW DID HE TOUCH MY HEART?
HOW DID THIS FEELING START?
THIS GLOW THAT FEELS SO WARM INSIDE
THIS SUDDEN SUMMER STORM INSIDE
MY LIFE NOW HAS A PLAN
TO SOME DAY MAKE HIM SEE
THAT I NEED HIM, AS MUCH AS HE NEEDS ME.
OH WHAT A LOVE
OH WHAT A LOVELY, LONELY MAN
OH, HOW I LOVE THIS ONE AND ONLY MAN
She goes to the children.
Alright... he said you'll be safe inside. I'll go and get some food.
TRULY grabs basket.
Lock the door behind me... and stay inside until I get back.
TRULY exits the toy shop.
(To CHILDREN)
Locked?

## JEMIMA

Yes.

## TRULY

Good. I'll be right back.

CHILDCATCHER enters from R2 onto street with "paddy wagon" masquerading as candy cart as the Toyshop moves further SL. Segue to...

## \#22a-The Capture

underscoring "candy cart music"...

## CHILDCATCHER

Lollipops, cherry pie, cream puffs, ice cream... and all free...
JEREMY goes to the door.
JEMIMA
Jeremy, no... Truly said...

## CHILDCATCHER

Treacle tarts.

## JEREMY

Treacle tarts?

## JEMIMA

And ice cream.

## JEREMY

And all free.

## CHILDCATCHER

Come along kiddiewinkies.
Underscoring... as JEREMY unlocks the door. JEMIMA follows him to the cart, where the CHILDCATCHER has lured them. The CHILDCATCHER hides behind the cart.

Once they are inside he slams the door and the cloth screens are pulled off revealing the paddy wagon is a cage not the sweet shop.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Truly... help us, help us.
As the CHILDCATCHER takes the children off R2 in cart, TRULY is left alone on stage in pool of light. She drops the basket as she screams.

TRULY
Children..!!!
(Reverb on this)
Blackout as Vulgarian in-one drop flies in.

## SCENE THREE

The Baronial apartments... The BARON and BARONESS are getting ready for the BARON's birthday celebration.

## BARON

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ME, ME HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ME
My darling, how do I look?...

## BARONESS

I could eat you with a spoon. My Strudel.

## BARON

My little knockwursts.

## BARONESS

My sticky bun... I have such a special surprise birthday planned for you today.
BARON
You do? Tell me, tell me, what's the theme this year, for my party?

## BARONESS

Shan't. It's a surprise.

## BARON

Tell me about my party.

## BARONESS

You'll have to wait and see.

## BARON

Tell me, tell me, tell me.

## BARONESS

Don't make me count!!
The BARON attempts to speak.
One.
The BARON attempts to speak.
Two... I have a special present planned for you today. This year the Toymaker has excelled himself.

## BARON

The Toymaker. What has he made? Is it... a toy?

## BARONESS

It's like a sixth-sense with you, isn't it? You always know.

## BARON

Ooow, I'm so happy! It's my birthday and I'm having a big party and I'm getting the flying car and the toymaker has a special toy just for me. What more could a Baron want?

## BARONESS

His Baroness.

## BARON

Oh my veenerschnapple.
BARONESS
Your rotten toys mean more to you than I do.

## BARON

No. You know what you are to me-don't you my darling?
BARONESS
Remind me.

## \#23-Chu-Chi Face

## BARON

YOU'RE MY LITTLE CHOOCHIE FACE... MY KOOCHIE KOOCHIE WOOCHIE LITTLE CHOOCHIE FACE EVERY TIME I LOOK AT YOU, I SIGH

## BARONESS

AND YOU'RE MY LITTLE TEDDY BEAR, OOH! MY LOVEY, LOVEY DOVEY, LITTLE TEDDY BEAR

BARON

## Ooo Hoo!

## BARONESS

YOU'RE THE APPLE STRUDEL OF MY EYE

## BARON

YOUR CHOOCHIE WOOCHIE NOSE
YOUR CHOOCHIE WOOCHIE EYES
THEY SET MY HEART A FLUTTER

## BARONESS

YOUR OOCHIE, KOOCHIE WAYS
YOUR OOCHIE, KOOCHIE GAZE
WILTS ME DOWN LIKE MELTING BUTTER
BARON
YOU'RE MY LITTLE CHOOCHIE FACE
BARONESS
AND YOU'RE MY TEDDY BEAR
BOTH
TOGETHER WE'RE A CHOOCHIE, WOOCHIE,OOCHIE, KOOCHIE PAIR
Dance break.
BARON
WHATEVER YOU MAY ASK
BECOMES MY HAPPY TASK
I ONLY LIVE TO SERVE YOU
BARONESS
I NEVER WILL DIVINE WHAT MAGIC MADE YOU MINE
I ONLY-
I ONLY KNOW I DON'T DESERVE YOU
BARON
That was beautiful.
BARONESS
I know.
BARON
YOU'RE MY LITTLE CHOOCHIE FACE
BARONESS
AND YOU'RE MY TEDDY BEAR
BOTH
TOGETHER WE'RE A CHOOCHIE WOOCHIE, OOCHIE, KOOCHIEBARON
CHOOCHIE
BARONESS
WOOCHIE
BARON
OOCHIE
BARONESS
KOOCHIE

## BOTH

CHOOCHIE, WOOCHIE, OOCHIE, KOOCHIE PAIR
Blackout.

## SCENE FOUR

## \#23a-Post Chu-Chi

Underscoring into THE SEWERS... Brick arches covered in slime. The TOYMAKER enters holding a lantern, with POTTS.

## TOYMAKER

Two hundred feet above us through that solid rock is the castle of Baron Bomburst. And here, down below we have... these are our children.

As our eyes become accustomed to the gloom we see CHILDREN in rags, a handful or so.

The ones we've been able to hide. The survivors. Look at them. They don't know what a tree looks like, or what it's like to run in the sunshine.

## STEPHEN

Food! Have you got any food?

## CHILDREN

Food! Food! Food!

## TOYMAKER

They run up the drains and steal what food they can from the kitchens.
Girl arrives with remains of a banquet.

## GROUP KIDS

Look!

## GRETA

Food! Look!
She shares it with others, the stronger among them. Not all CHILDREN are fed.

## TOYMAKER

Stop it, share it out like I told you. Give some to Toby. He's not as quick as you are.

> SUSAN

We don't like Toby.
TOBY is a weak-looking child who sits on his own. PETER pushes TOBY out of the group.

## TOYMAKER

Don't let me have to steal from you. Here you are.

## TOBY

Have you got any toys?

## TOYMAKER

No toys this time, Toby. I've been too busy. It's His birthday.
The CHILDREN scream in spontaneous anger, making rude gestures upwards.
But listen, that means there'll be lots of leftovers.
GRETA
Look out. Look out.

## MARTA

Someone's coming.
Everyone scatters and scuttles away. And up through a trap comes TRULY.
POTTS
Rushing to her
Truly! What happened? Where are the children..?
TRULY
Barely able to get her words out.
...They've been taken.
POTTS
What?!
TRULY
That horrible creature. He tricked them. I am so sorry.
POTTS
Where are they now?
(underscore)

## \#24-Teamwork

## TRULY

He caught them. He put them in a cage on a cart.

## TOYMAKER

They'll be in his castle by now.

## TRULY

What are we going to do?
POTTS hears the children sing. He paces past the group of CHILDREN as he thinks. And then it hits him.

## POTTS

I've got it!
TRULY
He's got it.
POTTS
Look, we're all in the same boat, here.
RIGHT?
CHILDREN, TRULY \& TOYMAKER
RIGHT!
POTTS
But, we can all work together.
RIGHT?
CHILDREN, TRULY \& TOYMAKER
RIGHT!
POTTS
So we're all going to break into the castle!
RIGHT?
No response... they're stunned.
IF THE SAME GREAT DREAM
IS BEATING IN EACH HEART
THERE'S NO STOPPING WHAT A FIGHTING TEAM CAN START

FOR, ALTOGETHER, A TEAM CAN WEATHER EVERY STORM WE MAY GO THROUGH...
'CAUSE, TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK
CAN MAKE THE GREATEST DREAM COME TRUE
TOYMAKER \& CHILDREN
It's impossible!

## POTTS

Impossible? Yes, totally impossible if we carry on like this. My children are up there in chains and so is your country. And what are we doing? Squabbling over scraps.

POTTS points to them (CHILDREN) and their size.

## BOY

(Getting it)
MAYBE, DESPITE OUR SIZES
WE COULD GIVE THEM QUITE A FIGHT

## POTTS

RIGHT!

## GIRL

MAYBE, WITH SOME SURPRISES WE COULD WIN THE DAY TONIGHT

POTTS
RIGHT!!
TRULY
IF OUR MINDS AND HEARTS
TEAM UP AND FIGHT AS ONE
BOY, GIRL, POTTS, TRULY
WE WON"T STOP UNTIL THE VICTORY IS WON
POTTS
WHEN YOU`RE UNITED, A TORCH IS LIGHTED THE GOLDEN FLAME OF LIBERTY

ALL
YES TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK THEN WE'LL STAND TALL, AND PROUD AND FREE...

TOYMAKER
THERE'S A SPARK OF A DREAM
IN EVERYONE OF YOU
IT'S THE DREAM OF FREEDOM
THAT'S YOUR HEART'S DESIRE
POTTS
THOUGH ONE TINY LITTLE SPARK
CAN BARELY MAKE A MARK
ALL
ALL TOGETHER MANY SPARKS
CAN LIGHT A MIGHTY FIRE

TRULY, TOYMAKER \& CHILDREN
TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK

IF WE ALL PITCH IN AND TRY
TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK

AND NO MOUNTAIN IS TOO HIGH

## POTTS

OH YES, WE CAN DO IT OH YES, WE CAN WIN THE DAY OH YES, IF WE FOLLOW THROUGH ALTOGETHER WE CAN WIN, OUR NOBLE DREAM OF FREEDOM CAN BEGIN

ALTOGETHER ONE GREAT TEAM
(TRULY, TOYMAKER \& CHILDREN)
IF THE SAME GREAT DREAM IS
BEATING IN EACH HEART
THERES NO STOPPING WHAT A
FIGHTING TEAM CAN START!
FOR ALL TOGETHER A TEAM CAN
WEATHER
EVERY STORM THEY MAY GO THROUGH

YES TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK
CAN MAKE THE GREATEST DREAM
COME TRUE
(POTTS)
CAN WIN THE BATTLE AND WIN WHAT ALL OUR HEARTS DESIRE LET'S LIGHT THE FIRE AND NEVER STOP WHAT WE BEGIN

YES TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK
CAN MAKE THE GREATEST DREAM COME TRUE

POTTS walks the ranks as if preparing them for battle.

> | ALL |
| :--- |
| TEAM WORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK |
| IF YOU'RE NOT AFRAID TO FIGHT |
| TEAM WORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK |
| IF YOU FIGHT FOR WHAT IS RIGHT |
| THOUGH IT SEEMS A DREAM'S IMPOSSIBLE TO DO |
| GREAT TEAMS MAKE IMPOSSIBILITIES COME TRUE |
| SO, WHEN YOU START OUT |
| PUT ALL YOUR HEART OUT |
| AND NEVER STOP ONCE YOU BEGIN |
| CAUSE TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK |
| IF YOU HAVE GOT THE WILL TO WIN. |
| YES TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK |
| IF YOU HAVE GOT THE WILL TO WIN |

(Play out starts as KIDS wave and exit SL off into battle. TOBY has hidden USL - and runs to Potts who puts him on his shoulders and carries him off through the sewer.)

Teamwork Playoff into Chu Chi theme, as in-one Vulgarian drop in as Baron and Baroness track on with dressing screen from DL1 to C and back to...

## SCENE FIVE

## BARON

(Singing)
'Teamwork, can make a dream work, if we all pitch in and try'.

## BARONESS

What are you singing?

## BARON

I heard it in the bathroom.

## BARONESS

Catchy.

## BARON

I'm so excited. Strudel, you must tell me, what's the theme for this year's party? Is it Cowboys and Indians?

## BARONESS

No.

## BARON

Is it Doctors and Nurses..?

## BARONESS

After last year, never again.

## BARON

Then I'm stumped.

## BARONESS

Alright Bombie. Tonight you and your partner will be spirited away to the booming, bouncing beaches of Brazil.

## BARON

Brazil?

## BARONESS

Everyone who is anyone is going there these days.

## BARON

Brazil?

## BARONESS

It's all the rage. I've made all the Vulgarians learn to Samba.
BARON
What's a Samba.

## BARONESS

I thought you'd never ask...

## \#25-Bombie Samba

> FAR AWAY IN SOUTH AMERICA
> THERE'S A HOT NEW RIZZIM SIZZILING
> SO I'M BRINGING IT TO VULGARIA WHERE IT'S ALWAYS COLD AND DRIZZILING
> (Pallet with screens on tracks off DSL)
> I HAVE TAKEN THE MUSIC AND THE RIZZIM
> AND PUT MEIN OWN VOCABULARY VITH THEM
> AND SO FOR YOU BIRTHDAY DARLING BOMBIE
> I "ZING" MY "ZONG" FOR YOU ...
> YOU..
> (BARONESS sings a bum note...)
> (and again)
> YOU... OH, WHATEVER...!!!
> Vulgarian Front Cloth flies out. It is the BARON'S birthday party. LORDS and LADIES dance as the BARON and the BARONESS process in. The BARONESS hits her mark dead centre and sings a specially composed song... The Bombie Samba. The cake is UC3.
> Samba rhythm starts

## BARONESS

Surprise..!

## ENSEMBLE

Happy Birthday...!!

## BARONESS

## BIM BIM, BOM BOOM

IT'S CALLED THE BOMBIE SAMBA
NO NO, IT'S NOT
A TANGO OR A RHUMBA
BIM BIM, BOM BOOM
YOU BOUNCE AROUND THE ROOM
WHEN YOU DO THE BOMBIE SAMBA
YOU BOUNCE AWAY THE GLOOM
WHEN YOU DO THE BOMBIE SAMBA
(BARONESS)
WITH A BIM
AND A BOM
AND A BOOM!

## SO TAKE THE FLOOR

LIKE A CONQUISTADOR
FOR THERE IS NO RETREAT
FROM THE BOMBIE SAMBA BEAT

## BARONESS \& MEN

BIM BIM
BARONESS
BOM BOOM
BARONESS \& MEN
IT'S CALLED THE BOMBIE SAMBA
Add LADIES
NO NO
IT'S NOT
BARONESS \& MEN
A TANGO OR A RHUMBA
Add LADIES
BIM BIM
BOM BOOM
YOU BOUNCE AROUND THE ROOM
WHEN YOU DO THE BOMBIE SAMBA
YOU BOUNCE AWAY THE GLOOM
WHEN YOU DO THE BOMBIE SAMBA
WITH A BIM
AND A BOM
AND A BOOM!
AND A BIM
AND A BOM
AND A BIM BOM
Dance break... percussion.

## LADIES \& BARONESS

## SO TAKE THE FLOOR

LIKE A CONQUISTADOR

## (LADIES \& BARONESS)

FOR THERE IS NO RETREAT
FROM THE BOMBIE SAMBA BEAT
Dance break... horns.

## BARONESS \& MEN

BIM, BIM!

## LADIES

BIM, BIM!
MEN
BOM, BOOM!

## LADIES

BOM, BOOM!

> ALL

IT'S CALLED THE BOMBIE SAMBA
BARON, BARONESS \& LADIES
NO NO
MEN
NO NO
BARON, BARONESS \& LADIES
IT'S NOT
MEN
IT'S NOT

## ALL

A TANGO OR A RHUMBA

## BARON, BARONESS \& MEN

BIM BIM

## ENSEMBLE

BIM BIM

## BARON \& BARONESS

BOM BOOM
ENSEMBLE
BOM BOOM
ALLYOU BOUNCE AROUND THE ROOMWHEN YOU DO THE BOMBIE SAMBA
YOU BOUNCE AWAY THE GLOOM
WHEN YOU DO THE BOMBIE SAMBA
BIMBOM
Dance break...
BOOM!
SAMBA!
Button... applause.
BARONOh my strudel that was beautiful! Wonderful! And tantalizing! Where's my toy?
BARONESS
(Grumbling)

I never should have allowed toys into the marriage.

## (Defeated)

Summon the Toymaker.
BORIS
Summon the Toymaker!

## GORAN

Summon the Toymaker!
FANFARE... as TOYMAKER enters SR
TOYMAKER
(Bowing)
Your Excellency, may I be permitted to wish you...
BARON
Shut up.

## TOYMAKER

Everything you wish yourself....

## BARON

Shut up.

## TOYMAKER

...on this happy occasion.

## BARON

Shut up. Tell me what you've made me this year for my birthday.
TOYMAKER
Such a toy, such a work of mechanical perfection.

## BARON

Very well, where is it?

## TOYMAKER

Bring in the Baron's birthday present.

## \#25a-Fanfare

...as two large brightly colored toy boxes are brought on from DL1 and DR1.
This year, Your Excellency, I have surpassed myself. I have been working night and day, perfecting every little detail to bring you ... this!

On cue the box SR is opened to reveal Truly as a life sized doll.

## COURTIERS

Ooo! Aah!

## BARON

A Doll? A Doll? I have hundreds of dolls.

## BARONESS

Really?

## BARON

No more dolls! You take them away!

## TOYMAKER

But... this is no ordinary doll, Your Excellency. Watch very carefully.
The toymaker cranks Truly's Toybox and she comes to life to sing.

## \#26-Doll on a Music Box

## TRULY

## WHAT DO YOU SEE, YOU PEOPLE GAZING AT ME?

YOU SEE A DOLL ON A MUSIC BOX
THAT'S WOUND BY A KEY
HOW CAN YOU TELL I'M UNDER A SPELL
I'M WAITING FOR LOVE'S FIRST KISS
YOU CANNOT SEE HOW MUCH I LONG TO BE FREE

## (TRULY)

TURNING AROUND ON THIS MUSIC BOX
THAT'S WOUND BY A KEY
YEARNING, YEARNING WHILE I'M TURNING AROUND AND AROUND The second box SL is opened to reveal POTTS, as rag doll.

Dance break... rag doll "Doll on a Music Box"
POTTS Winds TRULY's music box.

## POTTS

TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
YOU'RE TRULY TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
SCRUMPTIOUS AS A CHERRY PEACH PARFAIT
WHEN YOU'RE NEAR ME, IT'S SO DELICIOUS
HONEST, TRULY, YOU'RE THE ANSWER TO MY WISHES

## POTTS

TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS
THOUGH I MAY SEEM PRESUMPTIOUS
NEVER, NEVER, EVER
GO AWAY
MY HEART BEATS SO UNRULY
BECAUSE I LOVE YOU TRULY
HONEST, TRULY, I DO

TRULY
YOU CANNOT SEE
HOW MUCH I
LONG TO BE FREE
TURNING AROUND ON THIS
MUSIC BOX
THAT'S WOUND BY A KEY
YEARNING, YEARNING
WHILE I'M TURNING
AROUND AND AROUND

## BARON

Marvelous! Now it's time for my cake!
TOYMAKER
(To POTTS and TRULY)
Bring him his cake.

## \#26a - Cake Revealed

Toy boxes are taken off R1 and L1 as Baron/Baroness chairs struck off stage. Cake starts to move DS.

BARON
Look at those two... my best birthday ever.

## (BARON)

(To BARONESS)
Thank you, my little tinkle tart...
Cake arrives.
(To POTTS)
...I get the first piece! I get the first piece! Give me what I jolly well deserve!

## POTTS

(Potts returns to being himself)
Oh we'll give you what you deserve alright... children!

## \#27-Fight \& Finale Act Two

...Chase ensues. CHILDREN appear screaming from all directions.

## BARONESS

No, No, No! Anything but children!... call the Childcatcher!

## POTTS

(To the Children)
No, don't be frightened. Remember, Teamwork!

## CHILDREN

Teamwork!
CHILDREN chase the BARON and BARONESS around the cake surrounding them and tying them up with the "HAPPY BIRTHDAY" banner.

Suddenly, the CHILDCATCHER appears atop the Birthday Cake holding his sickle.

## CHILDCATCHER

Hello, Kiddy Widdy Winkies.
Suddenly a fanfare is heard... then a familiar double backfire. There are two blinding lights seen through kabuki drop. The kabuki drops and CHITTY is revealed flying in with GRANDPA at the wheel and Jeremy and Jemima in the back seat.

GRANDPA
Come on you sausage eaters, let's be having you!
The CHILDCATCHER turns to look at CHITTY coming right at him. He is mesmerized. He tries to escape but a couple of inventors have brought his Cart in DSR and the children threaten him SL. The CHILDREN, POTTS and SOLDIERS attack him and drag him SR and throw him into his own cart. He exits screaming.

## CHILDCATCHER

I'll get you...
(at the audience)
I know where you live!!!!
There is a tremendous cheer!

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Daddy, Truly!

## JEMIMA

Chitty saved us!
FAMILY and TRULY hugs... Underscoring shifts to sustained chords...

## BORIS

We just want to make it clear we never liked the Childcatcher very much.
GORAN
The whole nose thing, and the ears. And the Children.
BORIS
We actually never liked the Baron either.
GORAN
No, I liked the Baron... he was a good kisser...
POTTS
(To GRANDPA)
How did you escape?

## GRANDPA

That car burst right into my cell. Didn't you?
Car horn hoots.
Did I tell you about the time I...
POTTS, TRULY, JEREMY \& JEMIMA, INVENTORS
Yes!
TOYMAKER
So. The Suppression of Children act is now repealed.
(Ripping up the document)

## ALL

Hooray!

## TOYMAKER

You are henceforth banished!

## BARONESS

You can't banish me, I'm on the stamps.

## TOYMAKER

Out!
As the BARON and BARONESS are escorted off DL...

## BARON

Fine, fine. We never liked you anyway.
(music)
Don't worry my darling. I don't need toys. I don't need my Kingdom. All I need is you.

Underscoring shifts to Bombie Samba vamp...

## BARONESS

Oh, my little schnepelface.
(music)
I feel like having pickled onions and ice cream. Mean anything?
FEMALE ENSEMBLE
(Gasp..!)
Ahhhh...
EDISON (family dog) runs on from DR1 to GRANDPA... underscoring runs up for EDISON's entrance and Baron and Baroness exit SL.

POTTS, JEREMY, JEMIMA, TRULY \& GRANDPA
Edison!

## POTTS

...how did you get here.

## BORIS

Like us... he swam...

## GORAN

...the doggy paddle.
... Sewer Children all come on and hug parents/families.

## TOYMAKER

We're all together again... and it looks like you are too. You see... A Happy Ending.
The CROWD Cheers!
(softly at first)

## POTTS

## NO OCEAN'S TOO DEEP

AND THERE'S NO MOUNTAIN THAT'S TOO TALL
FAMILY \& TRULY
NOW WE'RE TOGETHER
AND WE CAN WEATHER
ANY STORM WE MAY GO THROUGH
ALL
YES TEAMWORK CAN MAKE A DREAM WORK CAN MAKE THE GREATEST DREAM COME TRUE

Music continues.
POTTS
All right Chitty... It's time to go home.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

Yes, please, Chitty, please.
POTTS
(To TRULY, going to one knee)
Please, Truly... please?

## TRULY

Yes, Caractacus... oh, yes.
They kiss... Music swells.

## JEREMY \& JEMIMA

We were right... they do like each other.
(BOTH climb into car a put on seatbelts.)

## TRULY

Alright, Chitty... take us home.
POTTS
All aboard, Potts family. Come on, Grandpa.
(POTTS and TRULY also climb into car)
GRANDPA
No, Edison and I are going dog sledding in Alaska.
(Edison runs off DSR)

## BORIS

We'll take you in the great balloon.

## GORAN

I love the great balloon.

## GRANDPA, BORIS \& GORAN

(All exit DSR)
Mush..!!!

## POTTS, JEREMY, JEMIMA \& TRULY

Please.
ALL
PLEASE!!
As the music grows and grows, the cars wing open, helicopter blade spin and car lifts. THE VULGARIANS in their family groups wave goodbye.
JEREMY, JEMIMA, TRULY \& POTTS, GRANDPA
OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU AND IN CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WHAT WE'LL DO!
NEAR, FAR, IN OUR MOTOR CAR
OH WHAT HAPPY TIME WE'LL SPEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
BANG BANG, CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
ALL
YOU'RE UNCATEGORICAL
A FUEL BURNING ORACLE
A FANTASMAGORICAL MACHINE!
FAMILY, TRULY, ENSEMBLE CHILDREN
YOU'RE MORE THAN SPECTACULAR
TO USE THE VERNACULAR
YOU'RE WIZARD
YOU'RE SMASHING
YOU'RE KEEN!
ENTIRE COMPANY
OH ! YES!
GO! GO!
OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG
(ENTIRE COMPANY)
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU AND OUR PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG LOVES US TOO

HIGH, LOW, ANYWHERE WE GO ON CHITTY CHITTY WE DEPEND BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND

Blackout.... Country Cloth IN.

## \#28-Bows

ENSEMBLE SEWER KIDS.
ENSEMBLE MALE AND FEMALE DANCERS.
INVENTOR, TOYMAKER, INVENTOR.
CHILD CATCHER
GRANDPA
EDISON
BARON AND BARONESS.
JEREMY AND JEMIMA
TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS.
POTTS.
COMPANY bow ending with hand to MD for his and band bows.

## \#28a-Vocal Encore

ALL<br>OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG<br>CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU AND IN PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WHAT WE'LL DO NEAR, FAR IN OUR MOTOR CAR

## (ALL)

OH WHAT A HAPPY TIME WE'LL SPEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG
OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND
BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND!
Country cloth flies out to reveal Chitty centre stage and she takes a bow.
Final Chorus before front gauze flies in.

## \#29-Exit Music

ALL<br>OH! YOU! PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG<br>CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG WE LOVE YOU<br>AND OUR PRETTY CHITTY BANG BANG LOVES US TOO!<br>HIGH! LOW! ANYWHERE WE GO<br>ON CHITTY CHITTY WE DEPEND<br>BANG BANG CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG<br>OUR FINE FOUR FENDERED FRIEND

## The End

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## Overture

TACET

Potts, Jeremy,
Jemima, English Crowd


Oh there ne-verwas a car,there ne-verwas a carlike this great car No there ne-verwas a car,that JEMIMA: The Vulgarians... they're passing us. Jeremy: We can't let them win.



On there ne-verwas a car,there ne - ver was a carlike this great car

\#2-Opening






## 4 Reprise-You Two

Potts, Jeremy, Jemima

8


POTTS: Thirty Shillings
is a lot of money, children.

(Edison runs on)
ALL THREE
too!
\#4-Reprise-You Two


## LOWRY CROSSOVER

Potts, Jeremy, Jemima, Truly, Ensemble


LORD SCRUMPIIOUS: Truly! (sees Potts) You.
POTTS: Yes! Er...
Safety


- premeI


\#6-Toot Sweets


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197 ENSEMBLE:

\#6-Toot Sweets


## 7 <br> Act English <br> Boris, Goran

BORIS \& GORAN "And ve vill be English. Hal Hal Ha!"











is gon-na be lined
$p$
up
and the fir-ing squad
is gonna be lined

> up


> Act English (TAG) $\&$ Scene CHANGE



7

1-7



\#8-Hushabye Mountain

cares of the day, and
watch
your boat $\qquad$ from Hush - a-bye
Moun-tain

A tempo



TAcet
\#8-Hushabye Mountain

\#10-Me Ol' Bamboo


\#10-Me Ol'Bamboo

## 10 Playofe: Me Oi' Bamboo Moris Men, Potts

## Brisk 2



Grandpa, Jeremy, Jemima

## Posh!

GRANDPA "Hard luck, I'm going to tell you again."
Bright March Tempo

sure yourca-bin's port side or the sun isgoing to singe ya And when you'resail-ing home a-gain The


Un - less of course you like to feel You're boil-ing in a stew... Oh, the

re - galcom pa - ny._ When - ev - er I'mbored I tra-vel a-broad; but ev ~er so prop - er -

\#11-Posh!

re-gal com pa - ny. $\qquad$ When - ev - er I'm bored I tra-vel a-broad;but ev-er so prop-er - ly:


The



12 Chitty Revealed
TAcet

# Potts, Jeremy, Jemima <br> <br> Chitty Chitty <br> <br> Chitty Chitty BANG BANG 

 BANG BANG}

JEREMY: What a funny noise she's making. Cue to continue.
POTTS, JEREMY, JEMIMA: Chitty Chitty Bang Bang!
Vamp til ready


Chit-ty Chit-ty Bang Bang, Chit-ty Bang Bang, Chit-ty Chit-ty Bang Bang,


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\#13-Chitty Chitty Bang Bang

\#13-Chitty Chitty Bang Bang

Potts, Jeremy, Jemima, Truly


To bar c on cue:
TRULY: Well, I was on my way to afternoon tea, but I must say a picnic at the seaside sounds oh so much more delightfull





## 15 TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS Jeremy, Jemima, Truly

TRULY: No, that's my brother.


So do lol-lies in a lol-li-pop jar. Gin-ger-breadmenhave a gin-ger-bread sound, we've


\#15-Truly Scrumptious


15a Post-SCRUMPTIOUS
TAcet

Potts, Jeremy, Jemima, Truly,

Nautical Reprise
Ensemble


L'istesso tempo
Safety POTTS: On, just a little something I cobbled together.

(POTTS)
"I think we've shaken them off."


12

66-73


Oh Chit-tyyou Chit-ty pret-ty Chit-ty Bang, Bang, Chit-ty Chit-ty Bang Bang, we love you!


too!
TRULY: They're gaining on us!


Chit-ty Chit-ty we de - pend.

High Chit-ty,low Chit-ty, an-y-wherewe go on


TRULY: We've lost themI
POTTS: Good girl, Chitty.

\#16-Nautical Reprise


> The War Room

TAcet

Vulgarian Vision

TAcet

# 17 Finale Act One 

Potts, Jeremy, Jemima, Truly, Ensemble


TRULY POTTS
IEMIMA JEREMY

(TRULY, POTTS,
JEMIMA, JEREMY

\#17-Finale Act One

(TRULY, POTTS,
IEMIMA JEREMY




# Entríacte 

## TAcet

Ensemble

## Vulgarian Town SQuare



We are


BARON: Mm, Salty.

\#19-Vulgarian Town Square


# Grandpa, <br> Ensemble <br> The Roses of Success 

INVENTOR: If at first you don't succeed...
GRANDPA: Give up.
INVENTORS: Nol
GRANDPA: YesI
INVENTORS: NoI


ev - ry time you stum-ble, ne - ver grum-ble.


\#20-The Roses of Success

\#20-The Roses of Success





## 20b INTO TOYSHOP TAcet

Childcatcher's ENTRANCE

TAcet



47 A tempo


## 22a The Capture

TACET

## Baron \& Baroness <br> Chu-Chi Face

BARON: You know what you mean to me, don't you, my darling? BARONESS: Remind me.
Gently and delicately



> BARONESS: Again owl
> BARON:That Was beautifull
> BARONESS: I know.


23a Post Chu-Chi
TACET

Baron \& Baroness

Chu-Chi Face
(Alternate Key)


BARONESS: Again - ow
BARON: That was beautifull
ARONESS: I know.


23a Post Chu-Chi

Potts, Jeremy,
Jemima, Truly,

## TEAMWORK

Toymaker, Ensemble

\#24-Teamwork





## 161 Tempo primo


\#24-Teamwork


# Teamwork Playoff 

## 25 The Bombie Samba

Baroness,
Ensemble

BARON: What's a Samba?
BARONESS: I thought you'd never ask.


## 11 Easy 2


tak-en the mus-ic and the rizz-im $\qquad$ and put mein own vo - cab-u - 1ar-y vith them.







Fanfare

26 Doll ON A Music Box | Potts |
| :---: |
| Truly |

Allegretto (in 4)
Cue: second twist of the key by the Toymaker


You see a doll on a mu - sic box that's wound by a key.

\#26-Doll on a Music Box



Entire Company

## Fight \& Finale Act Two



team-work canmake a dream work, canmake the great - est




You're

un - ca - te - gor - i cal, a fuel - burn-ing o - ra - cle, a



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\begin{aligned}
& \text { (TRULY, POTTS, JEMIMA, } \\
& \text { JEREMY AND LADIES) }
\end{aligned}
$$


(TRULY, POTTS, JEMIMA,
174 Jeremy and Ladies)



friend.

\#27-Fight \& Finale Act Two

# Bows 

## TAcet

## Entire Company VOCALENCORE



TRULY POTTS,
IEMIMA JEREMY,

(TRULY POTTS,




friend.


29 EXIT MUSIC Entire Company



[^0]:    (Bathing girls exit DSL)

