

Corvax Yes, there are. Look!
In front of you.

Thimbo Oh! Those plates!

Corvax Be careful!

Scene 14

King What's happening?
What's all this?
Who are you?



Thimbo I'm Thimbo.

King Where's Corvax?

Thimbo Over there!

King Where?

Thimbo He's there, your Majesty.

King Don't be silly!

Corvax isn't here.

Get on with your work!

Thimbo Corvax! Where are you?

Corvax I'm here.

Thimbo Wow! That's clever!

Can I do that?

Corvax No, you can't.

It's a secret.

But perhaps...

Ah, yes! Yes!

I've got a surprise.

A surprise for the King...

and for Bob...

and for everyone.

And you can help me.



Part 2

Scene 15

Thimbo Corvax!
What's your surprise?
What's your secret?

Corvax My secret? Ah! Wait a
moment! Look outside!
Is anyone there?

Thimbo Is anyone there?

Corvax No!... Tt!... Tt!... Thimbo...

Is anyone there?

Can you see anyone?

Thimbo Oh! I can't see anyone. No.

There's no one outside.

Scene 16

Norman Help! Help! Help!

Man 1 There's someone inside.
Listen!

Man 2 I can't hear anyone.



Norman Help!

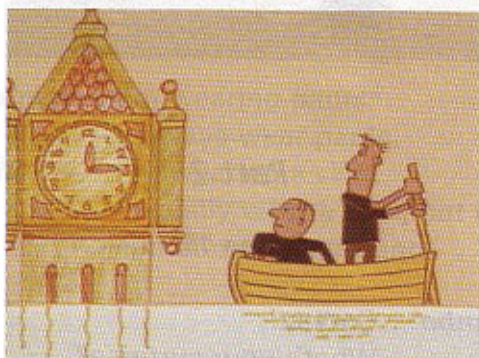
Man 2 Ah! Now I can hear someone.

Norman Thank you.

Man 1 Is there anyone inside now?

Norman No. There's no one inside.

Man 2 And your clock's working.



Scene 17

Corvax No one there? Right! Take this box!

Thimbo OK, I have it*.

Corvax Now, push the button!

Thimbo This button?

Corvax No! That's the wrong one, silly! Look! It says 'Push'.

Thimbo Er... Mm...



Corvax Oh, you can't read. Look! Push this button here!

Thimbo Ah!

Corvax Good! That's right! Now you're invisible.

* I've got it.

Thimbo Can anyone see me?

Corvax No. You're invisible.

Thimbo Wow! I'm invisible! No one can see me!

Corvax Now I'm pushing my button.

Thimbo Now you're invisible, too.

Corvax Yes. That's my secret.

Thimbo IN-VI-SI-BLE! Wheee!

Corvax Put those clocks down! And do some work! Put some roses on the cake!

Thimbo A red one here... a yellow one here... a yellow one... What about a big one on the top?

Corvax I'm putting this on the top. There! Now it's ready.

Thimbo Ohh! It's lovely!

Corvax Don't be silly! It's half past four. The Queen's waiting for you. Off you go!

Scene 18

Queen Now, can you greet the guests politely?

Thimbo Yes, your Majesty.

Queen Wait! All right. Say 'Good evening'.



Thimbo 'Ello, darling!

Queen No, no, no! That's rude. Say 'Good evening' politely. Like this. 'Good evening'.

Thimbo Good evening, your Majesty.

Queen That's better.
Thimbo What do I do now?
Queen Take my coat.
 No! Take it carefully.
 Now put it down.
 No! Put it down gently.
 Right! Now open the other door. No, no! Close it again, and then open it gently and quietly.

Thimbo Like this?
Queen That's right... You aren't very good at this.



Scene 19

Song

Bob We're ready for the party.
Sylvia Everyone's coming along.
Bob We're ready for the party.
All So let's all sing a song.
Queen There are peanuts and chips*.



* crisps

King And cookies* and buns.
Sylvia Lemonade.
Bob And orange juice.
Queen Pizzas and pies.
All And a great big huge enormous cake!
Corvax And I have¹ my big surprise.
Sylvia What about chocolate or strawberry ice?



Bob Would you like some spaghetti or rice?
Queen Have a cookie!
 Have a bun!
King Here are some peanuts!
 Let's have fun!
Muzzy I'm having clocks.
 They're very nice.
 I'm eating them all.
 And I don't want a piece...
All ...of the great big huge enormous cake!
Corvax But wait for my big surprise!

Scene 20

Bob Would you like some cheese?
 I'm having some.
Guest A Oh! Yes, please.
Bob How much?
Guest A A little, please. That's perfect![†]
Queen Would you like some cake?
 It's very nice.
Guest B Oh! Yes, please.

* biscuits.
¹ I've got

[†] lovely

Queen Here's a piece of cake.
I'm having a piece, too.

Guest C Have a piece of this.

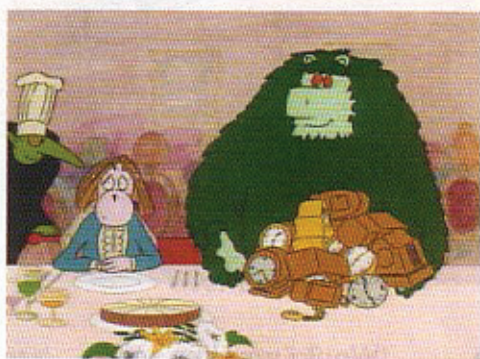
Muzzy No, thank you.

Guest C Would you like some soup?

Muzzy No, not for me, thank you.

Guest C A bun - some cookies* -
a cup of tea?
A glass of lemonade?

Muzzy No, thank you very much.
I like clocks. Lots of clocks.



Scene 21

Voice A A cup.

Voice B Some tea.

Voice A A cup of tea.

Voice A Some soup.

Voice B A little soup.

Voices A lot of soup.

Voice A A clock.

Voice B Some clocks.

Voices Lots of clocks.

Scene 22

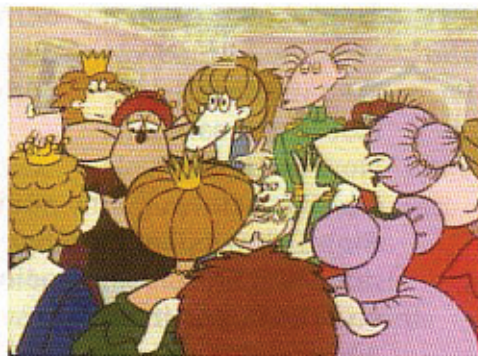
King And now! Here's Amanda!

Guests Ohh! What a lovely baby!
She is lovely...
Can I hold her?...

Bob No! Don't!

Sylvia What's happening?
Where's Amanda going?

* biscuits



Scene 23

Guard 1 What's happening?

Guard 2 Someone's opening the door.

Guard 1 Look! There's Amanda!

Guard 2 Mm! She's going that way.

Guard 1 Now someone's opening
the other door.



Guard 2 Mm! Now she's going
through that door.

Guard 1 And someone's closing it.

Guard 2 Mm! Closing it.

Sylvia Where's Amanda?

Bob What happened?

Guard 1 Someone opened that door.

Guard 2 Then someone opened
the other door.

Guard 1 And someone closed it.

Guard 2 Mm! Closed it.

Bob But where's Amanda?

Guard 1 She went through that door.

Guard 2 Mm! She went that way. She...

Sylvia Oh, come on!
They can't help.



Guard 2 Mm! She went that way.
Guard 1 She went through that door.

Scene 24

Norman What's the matter?
Boy Your clock's wrong.
Norman Oh boy!* Yes. It is wrong.
Girl What's he doing?
Boy He's listening... Now he's looking at the clock... Now he's opening the door... He's going inside...
 Now he's closing the door.
 He's going upstairs.
 It's all right now.

Policeman Now, sir. What happened?
Norman Well, I listened to the clock. Then I looked at it. I opened the door. Then I closed it. I went upstairs... And the clock was all right. It was all right.
Policeman Well, it isn't all right now.

Scene 25

Thimbo I pushed the button.
 I was invisible.
 And... what do I do now?
Corvax Get into the boat.
Thimbo This one?
Corvax No! That's an old boat.
 Get into the one over there!
 The new one.

* Oh dear!

Thimbo The big new boat?
 The King's boat?
Corvax Yes. The baby's things are in there. And take the baby!
Thimbo I've got her. Ow! This baby bites.
Corvax What's the matter?
Thimbo She bit me.
Corvax What?
Thimbo The baby bit me. Ow!
Corvax Sshh!
Thimbo She bit me again.
Corvax She often bites. Where are the things for the baby?
Thimbo We've got these things here. A pair of shoes, a pair of socks...
Corvax It's all right. We've got everything. Let's go!

Scene 26

Song
Servants We looked everywhere.
 We looked everywhere.



Queen In the garden?
Servants We looked in the garden.
Queen In the kitchen?
Servants We looked in the kitchen.
Queen In the bedrooms?
Servants We looked in the bedrooms.
 We looked in the garden,
 We looked in the kitchen,
 We looked in the bedrooms.

Servant We can't find Amanda anywhere.

Queen Where is Amanda?

Servants We don't know.
We looked and we listened.
We opened the doors.
We opened the windows.
We looked on the floors.

Queen Where is Amanda?

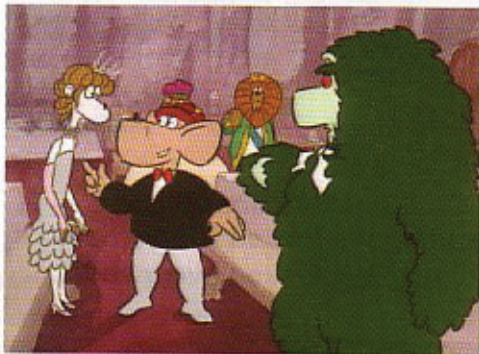
Servants We don't know.

Scene 27

Muzzy Wait a moment!
Where's Corvax?

Bob He was here.

Muzzy But he isn't here now.



Bob No. And er... what's his name? Thimbo.

He was here, but...

Muzzy He isn't here now.

Sylvia They've got Amanda. Quick!
Find them!

Part 3

Scene 28

King Listen to me! Be calm!

Muzzy Quiet! Please be quiet!

Thank you.

Song

Muzzy Let's be quiet. Let's be calm.
Please don't shout and
scream.

Let's go quickly.

Let's start now.

Let's get Amanda back.

Sylvia Corvax! Thimbo!

What a pair!

Where's Amanda now?

Muzzy Let's go carefully.

Let's go quietly.

All Let's get Amanda back.

Let's get Amanda back.

Let's get Amanda back.



Attendant Look! Look, your Majesty!

This was near the river.

All Corvax!

Bob Quick! Let's go to the river.

Scene 29

Sylvia The King's boat isn't here.
Corvax has got it.

Muzzy Let's take one of these boats.
Let's take this one.

Sylvia That's an old boat, Muzzy.

Bob It's all right. Let's take it.

We can catch them.

Scene 30

Thimbo Corvax?

Corvax Yes?