

# **We're Misbehaving!**

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Prince Metternich was midwife to many nations  
Goebbels, propagandist, stuck to allegations  
Lawrence wrote Chatterley to consternation  
Dyer of Amritsar received our Lords' ovations!

Perfumo and Archer fell foul of perfumed pillows  
Behaviour fitting odious Toad of Grahame's Willows  
Depleted Mirror pension funds caused concern  
Downing Street memos initiate warfare, we learn!

From Whitehouse tapes and such hear of Watergate  
Clinton did not have sexual relations, tis too late!  
From Mai-Li to Haditha US soldiers massacre civilians  
Teaching reality deviates from Kaye's Far Pavilions

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### **Mutilation Murders**

The torso of a black child has been discovered in London's Kensington Gardens. Detective Chief Inspector Hawthorne and his men quickly discover that the boy was a victim of a ritualistic killing. At Heathrow airport a second child, Jubulani, and his mother disembark from their plane. On his arrival in London Jubulani is kidnapped. A Ju Ju witchdoctor in South London is preparing the new child, Jubulani, to be sacrificed. Hawthorne is racing against time to save the boy.

### **Midwinter's Children**

Georg, a nine-year-old street child, has been captured by human traffickers from Moscow and is about to be sold to a child pornography ring in Amsterdam. Detective Chief Inspector Hawthorne, from Suffolk CID, is on the case...

### **The Black Daimler**

Nexus, a London-based Chinese dissident, learns that his friend was found with an axe embedded in his head. As more of his politically active associates die, he becomes involved in a frantic struggle to understand and defeat the threat to himself and his organisation.

### **The Expendability Doctrine**

Oil tycoon Keith Connors is found dead in the garden of his villa; undoubtedly the work of a pro. His ex-wife flees to Libya, where she is linked to the brutal murder of the White House Trade Representative. In his investigations, Inspector Hawthorne discovers a sinister web of treachery and greed in the international oil business.

### **The Devil's Brothers**

Catherine Bronston, a fifteen-year-old girl, is snatched outside her local swimming pool. The kidnappers, ruthless Albanian mafiosi, issue a ransom demand containing dismembered body parts. Catherine's father fears that the ongoing police investigation could reduce the possibility of her being found alive.

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