

## THE BOTHERINGHOOKS:



Good ol' Lord Eustace Botheringhook. He's one of the characters among the peerage. Loved foxhunting, until that fateful day that he was on a fox hunt that featured a mechanical fox. His hounds cornered it, but the automaton started to tear them apart. When Lord Botheringhook dismounted and waded in to save them, the fox tore off his nose before he beat it to smithereens with the butt of his rifle. His nose is now made out of silver, and Lord Botheringhook detests mechanization. He's the current head of the Antithetical Engine League, an anti-technology movement. A nice guy, but don't show off your latest mechanical toy to him.....

You've been to Lord Botheringhook's mansion several times for dinner parties. It's not his conversation that attracts you so much as that of his lovely and charming wife, Lady Dolores Botheringhook. She's truly a flower of the peerage, and suffers the flirtation of her husband's male friends with good-natured patience but proper reserve.