

Chapter 12

Bernard arranges a party for important people, he promises them a chance to meet the Savage. When the party starts John refuses to leave his room. The Arc-Community-Songster warns Bernard that he should be careful in his criticisms of the World State. Bernard takes Soma to escape his emotions after he saw John & Helmholtz together, Bernard gets very jelly. John gets very offended when Helmholtz starts laughing at the fact that would make a fuss over which man a girl should have... His laughter insults & humiliates John

"Do you seriously mean it?"

"Yes."

Despairingly, "But what shall I do?" Bernard wailed.