

A Wife's Confessional

by Adele Garrison

Lee Chow Puts a Puzzle in the Situation

If I looked as startled and abashed as I felt at Lillian's sudden imparted piece of information, I must have been a ludicrous picture indeed. I silently heaped maledictions upon the head of the officious though faithful Lee Chow, I knew, of course, that he was the man Lillian meant. In my confusion I stammered out a most unconvincing exclamation which I meant to voice astonishment.

"A—Chinese?" I faltered.

Lillian shot a keen swift glance at me.

"Yes, a Chinese," she repeated. "Look here, Madge, if you know anything about it, I beg a thousand pardons—unless there's something about where you need me."

Her eyes said very plainly that she was exceedingly sure I did need her, no matter what my own convictions on the subject might be, and the glance unaccountably plighted me. I certainly do not know why a Chinese or man of any other race should make inquiries at the hotel desk about the time of my expected departure," I said a bit haughtily. "I suppose he was thrown out as he deserved."

Lillian's Keen Eyes

Again that disturbing glance from Lillian's keen eyes.

"No, he wasn't," she said. "You see, he told a most plausible story, said he was your servant, whom you had directed to meet you tomorrow morning, and that he had been delayed in getting here. He said he did not wish to disturb you at this hour, only wished to find out your hour of leaving in the morning. We never should have heard anything more about it, except for the night clerk who knows me, and who during the war did me a number of good turns in my work. He thought the thing looked a bit fishy, and brought it straight to me. He sent somebody out to shadow the Chinese, but the chap was too wily for them. He had vanished utterly, but, of course, we can have him nabbed tomorrow morning."

Parking With Peggy

"Oh! no!" I said involuntarily, then flushed as Lillian's eyes caught and challenged mine.

"I beg your pardon," she said with a frostiness in her voice which I have heard when she was talking to other people, but which I have experienced from her but once or twice in our long association. "It is too bad to have troubled you."

She picked up a magazine from the table and bent over it. I hesitated but an instant before snatching it from her hands and flipping her head up so that I looked down into her eyes.

"Don't You Dare!"

"Don't you dare," I said vehemently, incoherently. "I wouldn't keep you in the dark about anything important for the world, and you know it. But the story to which this old Chinese belongs, is not mine, and it is too long and complicated for you

COLOR CUT-OUTS Jack and Jill



AND HERE'S JACK.

This is one day's chapter of the story of Jack and Jill. Children who read the story and cut out the pictures every day will have the whole 'Jack and Jill' story at the end of this week.

Jack was on the porch when his playmate, Jill, came running across the lawn. He had just been to town with his mother and was all dressed up in a bright blue suit with tan shoes and hose.

"Please come with me to fetch a pail of water," cried Jill.

"Of course I will," answered Jack.

"But not until you change your suit," cried his mother.

"I won't hurt it," protested Jack.

"Now, Jack," answered his mother, "please do as I say." So Jill waited on the porch while Jack went in to change his suit.

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to bother with now, when you have so much else on your mind. I meant to tell it to you when you reached the farm, and I still think that's the best place for it. But I can assure you of one thing: He's perfectly harmless and he thinks he's doing me a signal service by watching over my movements in this way."

Her face relaxed into a smile, but her eyes were still watchful as she put her hand and took mine down from her chin.

"Was it true—the story he gave the clerk?" she asked.

"Not exactly," I countered. "I gave him no instructions to meet me, but—there are reasons—why he thinks it is his duty to watch over me. He was justified, according to his lights, in making the inquiry."

Lillian considered this for a long minute, still gazing steadily at me.

"I don't want to force your confidence, Madge," she said at last, "for to alarm you, but you know as well as I do that there are reasons—one in particular—why you should be particularly careful in admitting to your service anyone of whose antecedents you are not absolutely sure."

I shivered involuntarily. Yes, I did know—only too well. I never can think of Grace Draper, whose whereabouts are a mystery to me, without a feeling of absolute panic. Lillian saw the shiver and pressed the advantage.

"You are sure you know all about this Chinese and that he is not someone set to spy upon you instead of to serve you?"

I waited for a long minute before answering the question, while I took out and aired my early doubts concerning Lee Chow. But pressing unalterably upon me was an intuitive conviction that the Chinese was indeed what he professed to be, the youthful servant of Hugh Grantland, who had transferred his allegiance to me during his master's inexplicable absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladd E. Hoover have as their guests Mr. Hoover's mother, Mrs. John Hamilton Hoover of Hadam, Kan., and sister-in-law, Mrs. Kenneth Hoover of Artesia, N. M.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Crowley Feted

Mrs. C. F. Crowley of Des Moines, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. G. Wilson, will be guest at an informal luncheon Wednesday at the J. K. Morrison home, and Thursday at a morning bridge given by Mrs. E. G. McGilton. That noon she will lunch at the Dundee Presbyterian Colonial party, and in the afternoon Mrs. J. E. Fitzgerald will give her a bridge. The next day Mrs. S. S. Oakford and Mrs. J. C. Summers will be luncheon hostesses at the Oakford home, afterwards the party will attend the Orpheum.

Wear Colonial Gowns.

Fifty women will attend the annual George Washington luncheon and bridge to be given Friday at the Fontenelle hotel by the Major Isaac Sadler chapter, Daughters American Revolution. Mrs. O. F. Dotson will be in charge of arrangements and reservations can be made with her at Atlantic 8750 by any D. A. R. in Omaha. Appearing in Colonial costumes at the luncheon will be:

Mrs. M. Anderson H. C. Utley
Arthur Woodruff L. J. Greer
R. M. Jones Frank Baker
Betty Smith

Entertains Smith Club.

Mrs. John U. Loomis will entertain the members of the Smith club at tea at her home on Thursday to meet her guest, Miss Dorothy Brown of Montclair, N. J.

Past Events

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Thorsen and P. A. Edquist, Swedish consul, entertained at a box party Monday evening at the Orpheum in honor of Albert Lindquist and Leonore Allen, Orpheum stars, appearing on this week's bill.

Order of De Molay gave a Valentine party at the Blackstone hotel Saturday evening, which was attended by 175 couples. Miss Etta Lehmann won the principal favor, a large, heart-shaped box of candy. The party was chaperoned by Advisors W. A. Meyers and W. M. Pardee and Mrs. Pardee.

Miss Marguerite Schaefer entertained at a bridge luncheon Monday at her home in honor of Miss Onnolee Mann and Miss Marguerite Windheim, brides-to-be. Her guests were:

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Arthur Woodruff L. J. Greer
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Entertaining in Miami

A host at dinner in the Flamingo hotel, Miami, last week was Dr. George M. Boehler, who had as his guests D. J. Hall of Omaha, Miss Dorothy Berry of Hollywood, Jewel McMeikal and Arthur Gucker of Miami. In Havana Dr. Boehler was entertained by the Joy Mortons.

Birth Announcements

A daughter, Mary Francis, was born Saturday, February 14, to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gould.

To Marry Chicago Girl.

Miss Anne Sullivan of Evanston has announced her engagement to Dr. L. F. Waldman, son of Mrs. Mary Waldman of Council Bluffs.

Club Calendar

WEDNESDAY.

Margaret Blair Health class, 10 a. m., room 502 Patterson block. Mrs. C. M. Edwards, president.

Johnson Memorial union Wednesday, home of Mrs. O. C. Wright, 958 South Fifth street, 7 p. m.

Chapter B. P. E. O., Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock, Mrs. J. L. Harrington, 2548 South Thirty-second avenue.

Ladies of Elks initiation of candidates and social meeting, 8 p. m., Elks club, Mrs. Dean Noyes, worthy guardian.

P. E. O., chapter C. R., Wednesday at 11 home of Miss Laura Peterson, 3115 Underwood avenue. Mrs. J. D. Ringer will assist.

Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, luncheon at 1 home of Mrs. G. W. Longnecker, 2525 Davenport street, Wednesday.

Dundee Woman's club, Wednesday at 2 home of Mrs. Charles Leslie, 512 Chicago street. "So Big," analyzed by Mrs. E. J. Dodds, R. D. Johnston and V. J. Potter.

Music department, Omaha Woman's club, 10 o'clock Wednesday, Y. W. C. A. auditorium class lesson, Florence Basler Palmer, leader. Chorus work, Robert Cusack.

Book review section, Omaha College club, home of Mrs. D. M. Eiderly, 114 North Thirty-seventh street, 4 p. m. Mrs. W. J. Jenkins of the University of Omaha will review "The Little French Girl."

Home section Omaha College club home of Mrs. Virginia C. Collins, 114 North Thirty-seventh street, 4 p. m. Mrs. C. C. Beavers, leader.

Omaha North Side Woman's club parliamentary law department, North High street, 8 a. m. Mrs. E. H. Stone, chairman. Civics department meets with it. Mrs. David Nortrup, chairman.

Omaha Woman's club railway mail service, Mrs. J. H. Monning, 312 North Sixth street, Wednesday, 7 p. m. Mrs. J. A. Quinn, district chairman, will talk on "The Soul of Americanization."

Omaha North Side Woman's club, Wednesday, 8:30 a. m., 4571 Hamilton street. Mrs. R. H. Fair, president, Dr. D. M. Sigman will celebrate the 33rd birthday Thursday, February 18, with a luncheon at home of Mrs. A. O. Peterson, 102 North Fifty-second street.

Mr. Sigma, with Mrs. H. D. Nealey, Wednesday, 8:30 a. m., 4571 Hamilton street. Leader, Mrs. Ira F. Jones. Topic, "The Drama." Mr. Sigma will celebrate his 33rd birthday Thursday, February 18, with a luncheon at home of Mrs. A. O. Peterson, 102 North Fifty-second street.

Your Problems Solved

by Martha Ellen

Ten Years' Difference.

Dear Miss Allen: I am a girl of 18 and in love with a man 10 years my senior. We have loved each other for five years, but his attentions toward my younger sister are becoming so obvious that I am very unhappy and worried. Sometimes I have thought of ending it all between us, but the hope that I might win him back some day keeps me from doing so. Do you think there is any chance? What would you advise me to do?

BROKEN HEARTED S.

Tell the man what you have observed, and say that you want him to feel perfectly free to go with your sister and forget that you and he have ever been in love. Doubtless my suggestion will not appeal to you at all, but in my opinion it is the only course for you to take. It will be so much better for you to give the man

his freedom than to suffer the humiliation of having him take it. To give up the man 10 years older than yourself who has dragged out his love over a period of five years and is now losing interest, will not be a great loss. Since you are 18 you have much happiness ahead of you and have every reason to hope that when you and he no longer go with each other you will enjoy other friendships and love affairs.

Home Bake Sale February 18.

The ladies of the Parkvale Presbyterian church will give a home bake sale February 18 at Woods' pharmacy, 2502 South Thirty-second avenue. Mrs. E. M. Bottorres and Mrs. L. H. Russ will be in charge of the sale.

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