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The Girl Across the Aisle.

By E. H. HOUGH.

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RETURNING to my car as the train started, I noticed that I had neighbors across the aisle, apparently a well-dressed, gray-haired and bearded man, his wife and their daughter, the latter so lovely that I stared at her until my persistency provoked a keen, fierce glance from her father, whereupon I withdrew my gaze, and he resumed his newspaper. Immediately the girl across the aisle glanced around, and I intercepted a flash from a pair of dark eyes instinctively with what seemed like fear or entreaty.

But not even the beauty of my fair vis-a-vis could successfully divert my mind from the painful theme upon which it was dwelling with a consciousness of humiliating failure.

The cashier and confidential man of a large business house had absconded with half a million dollars in cash and negotiable securities, and simultaneously the only daughter of the firm's senior member had eloped with a worthless suitor.

I am not professionally interested in this branch of the case. We were to trace the absconding cashier, described as twenty-seven years of age, tall, slender and dusky, heavy black mustache, smooth shaven cheeks, while certain memoranda evidently forgotten and discovered in a secret compartment of his desk seemed to render the task of overruling him a matter of little time and ordinary skill.

My assignment on the case was a high compliment, and I had been sanguine of success. But most of the clues I followed ended in a "pocket," my carefully formulated theories and hypotheses proved fruitless, and while debating as to what I should do next I received a peremptory telegram directing my immediate return to headquarters.

While ruminating thus I fell to drumming with my fingers on the arm of the seat. Instantly the girl across the aisle looked up, darting a keen, inquiring glance at me. Her lips moved as though repeating some formula, and as I kept on drumming her excitement visibly increased, then her father, looking up from his paper, frowned at her and, glancing over at me, tapped his forehead, waving his other hand toward the girl.

For awhile I kept up my drumming, and while the girl did not appear to notice me I could see that she was listening intently; her lips moved, and her expression varied from one of hope to the deepest depression. For the want of better occupation I continued the experiment awhile, finally ceasing altogether, whereupon she sank back against the seat, pale and inert.

By and by the cars stopped again, and my attention was attracted to a "boy on the platform jerking a routine string through a drum which was of cardboard—a sample of the basketful he carried and which he was demonstrating with a zeal and volume of discordant sounds that rivaled pandemonium. Instantly the girl across the aisle—that was the aisle nearest the station platform—became violently excited.

The blood rushed to her cheeks and tears to her eyes. Touching her father's arm, she exclaimed eagerly: "Papa, papa, buy me one of those pretty, noisy playthings!" A man in the man's eye, but he answered meekly: "No; that thing is only for boys and children."

"Oh, please, please, papa!" she persisted, clasping her hands. "I must have it! I want to see if it will sing for me. Quick, quick, before he is gone!"

As she would not be pacified and some of the passengers were looking at her, her father smiled grimly and thrust one hand into his pocket.

"Anything to please a fool?" he muttered. Opening the window, he made the boy outside toss up one of his infernal machines, snatched it from him, threw out a quarter and shut the window.

"There!" He tossed it in the girl's lap. "See how long that will amuse you." As he resumed his paper I watched the girl across the aisle with a new interest, coupled with growing mystification.

She turned the toy over and over, held it to her cheek and lips, and instinctively with passing time, then slowly and feebly drew the string back and forth, producing a succession of short, jerky, rasping sounds, which she gradually tempered and softened. Finally, tiring of watching her, I resumed my pastime of drumming with my fingers. Instantly she stopped, regarded me eagerly, then, sadly shaking her head, dropped her crude plaything in her lap.

What was the girl trying to do? A look into her set, tense face scouted the idea of anything so trivial as a flirtation. When I stopped drumming she resumed her performance; when I drummed she ceased, her eyes listening intently, but with evident disappointment. Giving up the riddle at last, I leaned back, with folded arms. Immediately, with a most inexplicable look toward her father and toward me, with an air of desperate determination, she resumed the same unvarying iteration of sounds and pauses until the performance became almost intolerable. Indeed, it was getting upon my nerves, and I contemplated an appeal to her father when I stumbled into the light. Her maneuver was making its way not upon my nerves alone, but upon an inner consciousness, slowly responding to the rhythmic succession of sounds and pauses until I was able to recognize, distinguish and translate them. The girl across the aisle was communicating to me through her crude plaything telegraph messages to me!

Nothing my expression, she stopped, she flashed a significant glance toward her father. Obeying her unspoken injunction, I looked away. In a moment she was at work again, and her message read: "I am trying to speak to you. Do you understand?"

My response was to cast a bewildered glance at her. Instantly she turned her face from me toward the window, but I was on the alert for the next message.

"Drum with your fingers on the arm of your seat as you did before. I can read what you are trying to tell me." Here was the last link in the riddle. I rapped: "I understand you. How can I help you?"

She appeared not to notice me, sitting with her hands clasped, her eyes lost in reverie. But another message soon followed.

"This man who pretends to be crazy is not my father, nor an old man—only twenty-seven. Read again." I rapped, keeping my eyes on my book. Then her improvised telegraph spoke again.

"He robbed my father, abducted me and will force me to marry him as soon as he is safe from capture. He pretends to kill me if I try to escape or betray him. His name is Jerome Saunders. Have you understood?"

"Had I? If ever I needed nerve it was then. On my return home, defeated, I found my father in a state of fortune but on the trail. Across the aisle, so near that I could touch him, yet so secure in his disguise that he could mock me to my face, sat my quarry, while to this girl, his prisoner, he declared heaven sent inspiration that she needed.

Steadying my fingers by an effort, I rapped: "Yes. Your name next. Will aid you with my life?"

"The woman is Osgood," she responded. "The woman is Osgood," she responded. "The woman is Osgood," she responded. "The woman is Osgood," she responded.

"I fear nothing that will free me from this man," was the prompt response. "I am a free man, and I will free you. Say no more. It is risky too much."

As I rapped the last words Saunders flung down his paper. "Be done with that infernal din!" he exclaimed. "It pains all endurance!"

"Yes," said the girl wearily. "The tune won't come, and I'm sleepy!" She lay back, with closed eyes.

"About time," I ejaculated. "Will you have a cigar with me in the smoker's car? I am a free man, and I will free you. Say no more. It is risky too much."

"I don't blame you. Well, I'll have a smoke and dispose of this thing. I took the toy gently from her lap. "So long!"

Passing through the train to the telegraph operator's car, I sent a code message to the Rochester authorities: "Arrest man, woman and girl at lighting from car Cumberland, train 47. Will signal. Send man who knows me. Farnham."

When I returned to my section Miss Osgood was still sleeping and Saunders was reading, but it manifested to me that he never called "beautiful." Along with "pretty" and "lovely" that adjective had become the property of women and children alone. "Handsome" and the really "good looking" are the only two adjectives of the kind common to either sex. Even "belle" has no real masculine correlative in English, since "beau" came to signify something other than a personal look. It is singular that "handsome" should have become the word for a strikingly good looking person, since its literal meaning is handsy, dexterous. But "pretty" likewise comes from the Anglo-Saxon word meaning "beauty."

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