

## THE STORY OF YUKU

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"It would be rather caddy if it were anyone but you," Pierre said, "but since you know all the story you might as well know the sequel," and he tossed Evelyn's note across the table.

Elmsley read it through. "So," he said, and returned it to its owner.

"You are displeased?" asked Pierre, noting his tone.

"Displeased, my dear Pierre. Dear me, no. I am never either pleased or displeased. It takes too much out of one. I am surprised, though, at the young lady's—shall we call it tenacity? Of course, one can never fully appreciate another's point of view, but I think had I been in the young lady's place, I really think Pierre, that I should not have written to you, and if I were in your place, which fortunately for the lady I am not, I should not answer it. I believe you