## The LAST DITCH

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The author of "Routledge Rides Alone" has returned to the Far East in this, perhaps his most brilliant novel of love, peril and adventure.

Two wonderful women, Moira Kelvin and Anna Erevain—master portraits by a master painter of women—lend to this swiftly moving tale a distinction quite its own.

All the mystery and gorgeous color of the East is here—the narrow, crooked lamp-lit streets of a Chinese seaport, the hot, dusty flatness of the desert toward Tibet, the cool, sharp air of the hill country at dusk. And like a silver thread through the warp and woof of the tale, runs the spell of intrigue and treachery—Old China plotting against Young China—with a young American miraculously close to the heart of both.