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HIS GIRL FRIDAY

00:00:00

[STIRRING ORCHESTRAL MUSIC]

00:00:04

[QUIRKY ORCHESTRAL MUSIC]

00:00:50

[INDISTINCT CHATTER]

WOMAN

00:00:51

This has to make the deadline.

MAN

Copy boy! Make it snappy. Hurry back.

MAN

Where's the rest of this story?

RUTH

"Morning Post." City desk?

MAISIE

Just a moment, and I'll connect you.

MAN

00:01:05

If anybody asks for me, I'm down at the courthouse.

MAISIE

"Morning Post."

MAN

Elevator!

MAN

Going down.

SKINNY

Hello, Hildy.

HILDY 00:01:15 Oh, hiya, Skinny. Hello, Ruth. Hello, Maisie. **MAISIE** Hello, Hildy. **HILDY** Well, how are you? Tell me, is the lord of the universe in? **RUTH** Yes, he's in. **MAISIE** In a bad humor. **RUTH** 00:01:24 Somebody must've stolen the crown jewels. **MAISIE** Shall we announce you? **HILDY** Oh, no, no. I'll blow my own horn. He's in. Bruce, you better wait here. I'll be back in ten minutes. **BRUCE** Even ten minutes is a long time to be away from you. **HILDY** What did you say? **BRUCE** 00:01:37 What? Well... **HILDY** Go on.

BRUCE

(stammers)

HILDY

Well, go ahead.

BRUCE

Well, I just said, even ten minutes is a long time to be away from you.

HILDY

00:01:47

I heard you the first time. I like it. That's why I asked you to say it again. I can stand being spoiled a little. The gentleman I'm going in to see did very little spoiling.

BRUCE

I'd like to spoil him just once. You sure you don't want me to go in with you?

HILDY

Oh, no, I can handle it.

BRUCE

Well, if things get rough, remember, I'm here.

HILDY

I'll come a-running, partner. Well, hello, Jim.

JIM

00:02:00

Well, hello, Hildy!

MAN

How are you?

MAN

Hi, Hildy, welcome back.

MAN

Hello, Hildy, how have you been?

WOMAN

Hi, Hildy.

BEATRICE

00:02:11

Hildy.

HILDY

Oh, hello, Beatrice. How's "Advice to the Lovelorn"?

BEATRICE

Fine. My cat just had kittens again.

HILDY

It's your own fault.

MAN

Hello, Hildy, glad to see you back.

HILDY

00:02:18

Glad to see you. Mildred, you still around?

MILDRED

Oh, hello, Hildy.

00:02:22

[ELECTRIC MOTOR WHIRRING]

LOUIE

A little more around the chin, boss.

WALTER

What do you want?

HILDY

Your ex-wife is here. Do you want to see her?

WALTER

00:02:30

Eh... Well, hello, Hildy.

HILDY

Hello, Walter.

01:12:17

[KNOCKS ON DOOR]

BENSINGER

01:12:19

What's the idea of locking this door?

WALTER

Who's that?

HILDY

Bensinger. That's his desk.

BENSINGER

Open the door, will you?

WALTER

Listen, what did you say his name was?

HILDY

01:12:28

Bensinger of the "Tribune."

WALTER

"Tribune," huh?

BENSINGER

Who's in there? Haven't you any better sense than to--uh, hello. Hello, Mr. Burns. Well, quite an honor having you come over here.

WALTER Hello, Bensinger.