

Lee: "No, they might shoot me first; there must be time for me to get out the back way before the police come in; can you lock the front door after I come in, and leave the back door open?"

Ruby: "That would get me involved, how could I explain you in my club with a rifle and the front door locked?"

Lee: "You left the front door open, and it was locked from inside when somebody slipped in while you were outside watching the parade."

Ruby: ---(distraction---)

Lee: "But what about the money, when do I get the money?"

Ruby: "I'll have it here for you."

Lee: "But when? I'm not going to have much time after the shooting to get away."

Ruby: "I'll have the money on me, and I'll run in first and hand it to you, and you can run on out the back way."

Lee: "I can't wait long, why can't you leave the money in here?"

Ruby: "How do I know you'll do the job?"

Lee: "How do I know you will show up with the money after the job is done?"

Ruby: "You can trust me, besides, you'll have the persuader."

Lee: "The rifle, I want to get away from it as soon as its used."

Ruby: "You can trust me."

Lee: "What about giving me half of the money just before the job is done, and then you can send me the other half later?"

Ruby: "I can't turn loose of the money until the job is done; if there's a slip up and you don't get him, they'll give the money up, immediately; I couldn't tell them that I gave half of it to you in advance; they'd think I double-crossed them. I would have to return all of the money. People think I have a lot of money, but I couldn't raise half of that amount even by selling everything I have. You'll just have to trust me to hand you the money as soon as the job