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JEA 1H14 - HALDANE OF THE SECRET SERVICE

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Director: Harry Houdini

Cast: Houdini

Gladys Leslie
Wm. Humphrey
Richard Carlyle
Edward Boulden
Jane Jennings
Chas. Fang
Myrtle Morse
Irving Brooks

Heath Haldane
Adele Ormsby
Edward Ormsby
Joe Ivors
Raoul Usher
Mrs. Clive Usher
Ah Ling
Andrea Drayton
Bruce Drayton

Houdini as son of detective slain by gang of counterfeiters swears vengeance. He rescues girl from gang, but is thrown into river and left for dead, escapes, rounds them up after many adventures, brings about their arrest and discovers real leader is father of girl whom he loves. <crime melodrama>
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14:00:18 1) Part 1 - MCS American banker shot from waist down wearing white business suit hitting gong twice in Chinese home of American Edward Ormsby, Chinese man listening outside door, Ormsby getting up from bed, at desk, reading letter, talking to bankers, Chinatown, Joe Ivors and Chinese man plotting at table in cellar cafe, MCU Haldane, night scenes in Washington Square area in NYC, woman with valise running into Haldane's arms crying for help, Haldane getting into fight with three men who escape in cab, Haldane finding valise on street, opening it and finding stack of bills, CU Haldane examining bank notes, Haldane seeing woman going into house, MCU man switching valises with Haldane, Haldane entering house, Chinese man trying to grab valise, Haldane throwing him over his shoulder, Haldane meeting Adele Ormsby coming down stairs in wedding dress, Adele appealing to him, Haldane and Adele talking, Chinese man listening at doorway, Haldane looking in valise, finding clothes, Adele and Haldane talking

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14:15:10 Part 2 - Adele and Haldane talking, Adele pleading with Haldane, Adele and friends in hallway, man entering and talking, Adele getting cable message, alarmed, walking into room and seeing man holding gun on another man, Adele backing out of room, tucking cable into top of her dress, Adele grabbing valise, running down hall, Haldane trying to open door, Adele trying to stop him, Haldane opening door and finding dead man on floor with men and woman talking, eyeing Haldane, Haldane leaving, Adele following him, pleading with him, CUs, Haldane leaving, Adele in despair, Haldane meeting Adele in house, night scene, men talking in Chinese souvenir shop, being watched through secret window by man, crowd in Chinatown street, dragons, man commanding Chinese man to go, pleading and cringing, man showing him money, Chinese man eyeing it hungrily, Haldane and Adele talking, Haldane reading note Adele handed to him,- Adele pleading with Haldane, Haldane leaving in auto, Haldane following men in auto, Haldane
-14:29:55 watching them talking to man at warehouse door

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14:29:59 1) Part 3 - Haldane bribing man at warehouse door, Haldane entering, (N) "*Haldane Of The Secret Service*"
Haldane watching men opening crate of narcotics, making notes, R-2 - Parts 3&4
man lighting cigarette and throwing match in excelsior, Haldane
putting out fire from match, man noticing him, jumping Haldane
from behind stack of cartons, rough and tumble fight, Haldane being knocked out and
carried out, being tossed into river, Haldane floating in water, being seen by men in tug
boat, four stack steamer in NYC harbor, Haldane on tug boat with four men, Haldane
jumping off tug boat, being seen by people in liner, being hauled onto liner on rope,
passengers on chairs on deck of liner, Haldane climbing over railing of ship, captain
and officers, Haldane meeting Adele on deck at night, talking, Adele slapping Haldane
and leaving, Haldane atop double deck trolley in Glasgow, Haldane walking down street,
street scene, Haldane leaving train at Hull, England, street scenes, trolleys, two men
plotting, Haldane going to door of house, climbing up shutter and looking in window,
man in room ransacking desk, Haldane entering through window, questioning man,
Chinese man being hauled into room in China to face Oriental man and thugs, being beaten
-14:44:13 with whips until he confesses, Chinese man being sent off on errand

14:44:14 Part 4 - Haldane shocked after reading marriage certificate, Haldane and man planning in room, man leaving, London street scene, elevated electric entrance, double decker buses, Haldane on Westminster Bridge (Big Ben in background), talking to two men, Haldane in front of exclusive club buying newspaper, reading it, big party in exotic home of Chinese prince Fuh Wong, women smoking, lounging on cushions, two men at party plotting, Haldane appearing at doorway, speaking through sliding door, entering, Haldane speaking to Fuh Wong, men and women dancing at party, Haldane meeting Adele, talking, Haldane in big argument with Fuh Wong, taking Adele out, Haldane and Adele talking, CUs,
-14:58:58 Adele astonished after reading marriage license, pleading with Haldane not to believe it

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- 14:59:02 Part 5 - Haldane and Adele talking in hallway, Haldane going for water for Adele who is about to faint, Adele being pushed through door by Chinese man, Haldane with water looking for Adele, interior of Cafe Diable, subterranean haunt of underworld of Paris, Haldane under Eiffel Tower, Haldane in cafe observing man passing counterfeit to vamp type woman, Chinese man trying to grab idol from man and woman in cafe, big brawl, Haldane fighting mob, Haldane escaping through secret door, Haldane running through streets of Paris, Haldane at Sainte Ceil Monastery finding Ivors and men in robes of monks, men in robes plotting counterfeiting, Haldane in monks robe watching, Haldane meeting Adele, hiding behind drapes as Adele confronts woman, two women talking, (N) "*Haldane Of The Secret Service*"
R-3 - Parts 5&6
- 15:11:22 CU of argument
- 15:11:23 Part 6 - woman pleading with man, rejecting her, throwing her against wall, woman arguing with man, fighting, Haldane to the rescue, Haldane in clutches of Ivors men, Haldane lashed to water wheel, man chasing Adele around room, cornering her, Haldane spinning around on water wheel, Haldane escaping, Adele fighting with man, Haldane rescuing her, men shooting it out after Chinese man removes his disguise, both men killed, Haldane turning crooks over to French police, Haldane and Adele hugging and kissing, "The End"
- 15:24:11