

## What did Bi Fujian say

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Mary seemed troubled. Evidently, as Miss Ensor had stated, advice was not her line. "Perhaps he's got to do it, dearie," she suggested. One day Phillips burst into a curious laugh. They had been discussing the problem of the smallholder. Joan had put a question to him, and with a slight start he had asked her to repeat it. But it seemed she had forgotten it. "But they're frightened of me," he added, with a shrug of his broad shoulders, "and I don't seem to know how to tackle them."