

# A Wife's Confessional

by Adele Garrison



## Madge Longs for an Exit as Horse Dances.

Hunched up in an ungraceful heap, clinging frantically to the pomel of the old-fashioned saddle which Jerry had purchased at a farm auction for the equipment of his antiquated horse, "Lady," I managed somehow to keep from falling. The ridiculous animal pirouetted faithfully to the strains of the dance measure which Jerry Ticer, his eyes gleaming with unholy mirth, was industriously producing from a harmonica.

All the yokes' enjoyment of a practical joke was in his face, but with a sudden remembrance of one of his mother's confidences I realized that something more than the love of a jest had prompted his action in setting his horse to dancing around an imaginary ring while I was upon her back.

"Jerry's a master hand at gettin' even with anybody that crosses him," Mrs. Ticer had said, admiration of her son showing through her expressed disapproval of him. "He don't say nothin' when he's sore; you'd never know it except for his eyes, but he always manages to do something so that the person who made him mad wishes they hadn't, that's all."

I agreed fervently with the last clause of the conversation, which I remembered with the sharpened faculties supposed to belong to persons going down for the third time. Jerry evidently had been deeply offended at my rebuke concerning his teaching the children to stand upon "Lady's" back while riding her, and had gratified his resentment and his risibilities at the same time.

## A Suffering in Silence.

I opened my mouth to shout a peremptory command to stop the horse's dancing, but closed it again grimly. I would not show the white feather before the eyes of Marion and Junior who were watching the ridiculous performance with wide-open and admiring eyes. I had no idea how long the horse would keep dancing—into my mind flashed a remembrance of an inimitable passage from one of Dickens's novels which described a pony that would dance and never leave off until he was told to stop. I doubted that "Lady" was made of the same heroic stuff, but from a corner of my memory I disinterred the fact that the mare once had been a circus horse—her chief value in Jerry Ticer's eyes. I feared that she would continue her terpsichorean activities until she ceased to hear the jingling tune which Jerry was playing over and over.

Fortunately the miserable cat had spoken the truth when he said that "Lady's" broad back was like a rocking chair. Gradually, as I became more accustomed to the motion, I ventured to straighten myself a little and assume more the posture of a human being and less that of a sack of oats draped over the saddle low. But I did not dare take my hands from the horn of the saddle—I had dropped the reins at the mare's first whirl into the dancing steps. I was conscious of presenting a most ridiculous appearance, with my only consolation the fact that no eyes save those of Jerry, Marion and Junior were witnessing my disfigurement. I willingly would have braved one

## Tailored Dress

By LUCILLE LORRAINE



Reminiscent of one's middle days in this blouse and skirt frock and yet how infinitely more sophisticated with its slim straight lines and its air of tailored simplicity. In Kasba, flannel, or light weight jersey in any of the new spring shades or checks it is ideal for school, sports or street wear, while in linen or crepe de chine—bound perhaps with a contrasting color, it will make the most refreshing outfit for hot weather.

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## COLOR CUT-OUTS Three Spinners



AN ENTR'ACTE

This is the third day's chapter of the tale of "The Three Spinners." Children who cut out the pictures every day will soon have a whole set of paper dolls to act out the story with.

Now it chanced that the queen of the country was passing that way and heard the jazy girl howling loudly. Wishing to find out what the trouble was she ordered her coach stopped and entered the house.

"What is all this noise?" demanded the queen. "Why does this girl cry?"

Now the mother was ashamed to tell the queen that her daughter was so very jazy, so she said, "Oh, your majesty, my daughter is a great anxiety to me. She will do nothing all day long but spin, spin, spin. I have spent all the money I have buying flax for her, but still she wants more. This morning she asked me for

money to buy more and I have none to give her. It is because of that you heard her crying just now."

(This lovely dress is one of the queen gives the jazy girl later on in the story. Color it pink, with cap to match, make the hair golden, and cut out the blank space inside the dotted line, so the girl's face can show through.)

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## Mrs. Clarence Peters in Solo Dance at Style Show.

Daily the program for the Junior League style show to be presented Thursday before the wives of Rotary members becomes more elaborate.

Today the appearance of Mrs. Clarence Peters in a solo dance number is announced. Mrs. Peters is one of Omaha's most exquisite amateur dancers. She has appeared in each Junior League revue. Her tango with Ray Millard several seasons ago is still remembered with delight.

The style show and musical numbers will be held during the 12:30 luncheon hour at the Athletic Club. The dining room and balconies have been reserved for Rotarians and Junior Leagueurs that day.

## Grinnell Girls' Glee Club to Come April 5.

On Sunday evening, April 5, the Girls' Glee club of Grinnell college will give a sacred concert at the First Central Congregational church. In the church parlors—just before the concert the Young Peoples Sunday Evening club will give a reception to the Glee club girls and their friends.

## Bridge-Luncheon Series.

Miss Vincent Hascall will entertain at a three-table bridge luncheon on Friday, the second of a series of parties this week. Her first bridge luncheon will be on Thursday.

## Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo T. Gates will entertain at dinner at their home Thursday night on the occasion of their wedding anniversary.

## Garfield Circle Meets Friday.

Garfield circle No. 11, Ladies of the G. A. R. will hold its next regular meeting on Friday, April 3, at 8 p. m. in Memorial hall, court house. Matters pertaining to the state convention will be taken up.

## Dr. and Mrs. D. T. Quigley will entertain at dinner at their home on Wednesday night.

### Your Problems Solved by Martha Allen

Wavering Love.

Dear Miss Allen: I have been keeping steady company with a fellow for three years. Now I have met a fellow who I think will take this other fellow's place in my life, but he is more than 10 years older than myself. I am 19 and the one I have been going with is 25. He has given me everything I could wish for, but still I can't keep the new fellow off my mind. I have known the new one for just six months and he has done things in just this short time that prove he really cares for me up the way he should. Do you think I could ever forget the one with whom I went three years enough to be faithful to the other one? Whom should I choose?

YOURS TRULY,

When you waver in your regard for two men, you may be sure that you are not seriously in love with either. Tell the one with whom you have been going that you feel you must have other friends, too. Give him his freedom to go with other girls and say that in the future you want to accept invitations from other young men.

Pals: I would feel like shaking you if you gave up a good girl chum just because a chance beau happened not to like her. When you have a true and tried friend keep her. I assume there is no good reason for giving up the girl's friendship, but that the boy is just trying to be dictatorial.

Helpless: I think you like the role of being helpless. Cut loose from this man.

Mrs. E. M. P.: I do not arrange in-

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## Home Department Heads at Annual Luncheon.

Mrs. J. F. Dimick will preside at the annual luncheon of the American home department Thursday at the Y. W. C. A. at 12 o'clock.

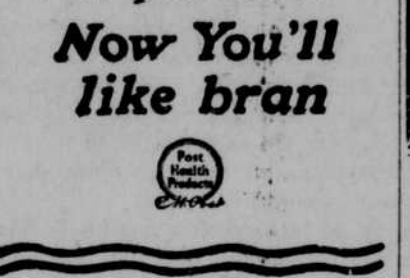
There will be an election of officers. All past presidents will be honor guests. They include Mesdames Harriett McMurphy, who presided 25 years ago; Frederick Burnett, who held office for seven years; C. H. Townsend and R. L. Frantz.

## Birth Announcements.

Babies born at Methodist hospital include a daughter, Janis Elaine, born to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Weatherill, March 29. Sons the same day to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walvoord of Dow City, Ia., and to the F. R. Herzberg, Messrs. and Mesdames Melis Bachlund, J. B. Morgan and Tom Ryan announce the births of daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilcox announce the birth of a daughter March 28.

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**Personals.**  
Miss Helen M. Eaton is recovered from a week's illness.  
Mrs. Paul Gallagher will return Friday from Kansas City.  
Mrs. Ralph Bailey is ill in her apartment at the Blackstone.  
Mrs. Frank G. Smith has gone to Blytheville, Ark., to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. F. Kirshner.  
Miss Helen Roby is under a doctor's care in the Wise Memorial hospital.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Switzer have returned from Lincoln, where they were guests at a dinner party last Friday evening.

## Special Demonstration of the THOR Automatic Electric Ironer

Thursday, April 2d

This demonstration is given especially for the women living in the West Leavenworth section of the city.

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OATMEAL	Quaker, regular medium size,	2 for 25c
RICE	Fancy "Blue Rose,"	3 Lbs. for 29c
POST BRAN	Package	2 for 25c
SALT	Morton's Free Running,	2 Pkgs. 25c
Queen Olives	Quart Jar	43c
LAWN SEED	Bulk Blue Gryts,	Lb. 39c
BROOMS	White Enameled Handles, Parlor Brooms,	69c
RAISINS	"Sun Maid" 4 lbs.,	Package, 39c
Scotch Dainties	Iten's Fancy English Shortbread,	lb. 31c
CORN	Country Gentleman, 3 cans,	55c
PEAS	Early June, 3 cans,	53c
TOMATOES	Hand Packed, 3 cans,	51c
GEM NUT	Margarine, "Buy Omaha Made Products"	lb. 25c
FLOUR, Omar Wonder	24-lb. sack,	\$1.30
	48-lb. sack,	\$2.55
COFFEE	Forbes' 1 pound,	55c
	QUALITY 3 pounds,	\$1.60
MACARONI	Skinner's Pkg. 10c,	3 for 25c
BUTTER	"Golden Rod"	52c
JONATHON APPLES	Fancy eating or cooking, 5 pounds	45c
ORANGES	Large size, Sun-Kist, per dozen	38c
GRAPEFRUIT	Large, "Seal Sweet," Florida Fruit; 6 for 45c; 3 for	25c
NEW SPINACH	Choice, tender, clean; per peck	19c
HEAD LETTUCE	Imperial Valley, solid heads; 2 for	23c
CARROTS	Crisp "Ox Hearts;" 4 bunches for	25c
RED RIVER, OHIO POTATOES	For seed or table use; per peck	29c

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But I never dreamed you could use it for dainty lingerie!

Of course I've always used Climalene in the kitchen, and kept a package on the pantry shelf along with the "sugar and spice and everything nice".

But somehow I never thought of using Climalene in the laundry, for those delicate chiffons, crepes and dainty things that I always do myself. When a leaflet came from the Climalene folks, telling me about Climalene for fine fabrics, I had enough faith in them to try it—and it's even more wonderful than they say it is.

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