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Fortunate Move

When they moved their beds to the front porch last summer to escape the heat, John Belger and his family, at Sallina, Kan., escaped with their lives.

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GINGER ELLA

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STORY FROM THE START

In the usually quiet home of Rev. Mr. Tolliver of Red Thrush, Iowa, his motherless daughter, Helen, Miriam and Ellen—"Ginger ELLA"—are busy "grooming" their sister Marjory for participation in the "beauty pageant" that evening.

CHAPTER II—Continued

Eddy did not talk nonsense. He never stopped the car to leap out and pluck a wild rose to present with a fluttering word, a soft look, and a sly touching of fingers.

Ginger took her responsibilities to the family with a great deal of solemnity. If only she could hold them in line, the twins, that is, for Helen was now irrevocably lost to her sisterly schemes.

She regretted that they could not afford money enough to adorn Marjory's beauty in a fitting manner. Ginger was not very patient. And it did seem hard to wait, and keep on waiting, for Marjory's hour of triumph at the side of the romantic figure dispensing countless millions in charitable enterprises—and looking well after the Tollivers, also.

In the meantime, Ginger quite burned to do something on her own account. It was not that she had not tried. What, indeed, had she not tried? She had bought, from her personal allowance, at low rates, copies of Sunday editions of all the Chicago papers, for the sake of the advertising sections.

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"Oh, beautiful," she sighed rapturously. "It would be almost worth attaching a husband just to get to wear it. Miriam, listen. There isn't a thing to do—she won't be home for hours and hours—and she won't come up while he's there! I'm going to try it on."

Miriam's start was one of abject horror—but she listened, frowning. And she showed interest. Still argu against it, she held the gown carefully high from the floor, while Ginger slipped out of her modest little frock and into its slither slip. Giggling ecstatically, nervously, both girls held their breath as Miriam lifted the soft folds over Ginger's sleek little head.

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ing for it—and she should not get it—she will feel bad—about disappointing me." Breathless with the horrid fear of this embarrassing beauty, they rose simultaneously and hastened upstairs, crowding upon each other.

"As if we care whether she gets it or not," said Ginger stoutly. Mr. Tolliver, with the courage of his conviction, went instantly to bed. Not for worlds would he confuse a daughter of his with the thought that he expected her to bring him money by her loveliness.

"She won't be here for hours and hours," mourned Miriam. "But if we go to bed we may fall asleep," protested Ginger. "And she would come home in whispers, and it would be morning before we knew what had happened."

"So slinky," cooed Ginger. "Real lace," exclaimed Miriam. "If only it were the prince of Wales instead of Horace Langley." "But Helen loves Horace." "So dumb of her."

Ginger broke it at last. "It's not that I'm altogether opposed to marriage, you know. But people should marry somebody that is somebody, if they're going to marry at all. You must admit that it is silly of Helen to marry a common school teacher who doesn't earn a cent more than father does. She's not gaining a thing by it, not a thing. She's giving up a rollicking good time with us just to shut herself up alone with one mathematical man. You have to admit it's dumb."

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Book Collection Shows Printer's Art at Best

Among the countless millions of books on the shelves of the library at the British museum, are about 200 volumes considered the scene of the printer's art. They form an exhibition of books illustrating the most beautiful and expensive British and foreign printing during the last ten years.

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Ginger paraded back and forth before her mirrored reflection in a complete ravishment of delight. "How sumptuous—I mean, scrumptious," she exulted. "How dignified I am! Why, I look as old as Helen. Oh, I wish we had a veil." Her face fell disappointingly.

Unfortunately, the family finances had not yet admitted of the purchase of that ultimate bridal accessory. "Look in Helen's drawers, Miriam. She must have something. You can't get the effect without a veil."

Miriam obligingly ransacked the cedar chest, the dresser drawers, but in vain. She did produce however a small crested of creamy white flowers saved from the hat of a previous summer, and these she twined prettily on Ginger's head, admiring the effect. But Ginger was not to be pleased.

"But we've got to have a veil, it looks like a nightgown, or anything without a veil." "You must wear white gloves, Walt." Miriam ran noiselessly to the bathroom, and returned with a pair of shapeless white canvas ones which Marjory kept there in reserve for her infrequent turns of dusting.

"You must walk slowly and look very sad. Brides always look sad. To keep from laughing, I suppose." "Can't I have your white slippers, Miriam?" Ginger cast a disapproving look at her clumsy old mules. Mercy! What—upon—earth—

Sudden discordant clamor pierced the stillness of the night, and brought a hurried pause to their mischief. Ginger stopped in her peacock plumping, and tilted her small head under the creamy flowers and the flimsy curtains, listening intently. Downstairs, Helen and Horace also heard the unaccustomed uproar, and went to the front window to investigate.

"The mad medley of noises presently detached itself into distinct and recognizable consonants. There was an overtone of excited girlish laughter, a chorus of admiring bass.

"Marjory!" The big car careened dizzily up to the end of the flagstone path, and figures, many figures, dismounted themselves from running boards, fenders and hood. The dark shadow of them surged across the lawn, and standing out against it, laughing, pale and white, was Marjory. The walling street had fallen to sudden silence, only the twanging discordancy of the ukulele proclaimed her triumphant return.

"Oh, Margie," cried Helen, as she ran to the door to greet her. "How wonderful! How lovely!" Like moonlight Marjory tripped into the dull old house, with her shadowy train of admirers—glimmering moonlight.

Ants Aid Prospectors

One way of prospecting in New Mexico is by examining the character of the anthills encountered in the mountain and their vicinity. Any mineral content of the land is likely to be revealed by the piles of soil brought to the surface by the ants, which often reach rather considerable depths in with explorations under the surface.

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September's Big Part in Story of America

September in America's story. Balboa discovered the Pacific ocean, 1513. St. Augustine settled, 1653. Hendrik Hudson discovered his river, 1609. I. Winthrop settled Boston, 1630. First Continental congress met, 1774. British captured Ethan Allen, 1775. British entered Philadelphia, 1777. Revolutionary war treaty signed, 1783. New United States Constitution signed, 1787. Battle of Lake Champlain, 1814. "Star-Spangled Banner" written three days later at the bombardment of Fort Mifflin. First baseball club organized, 1843. Scott entered Mexico City, 1847. Flogging in United States navy abolished, 1850. Burnside occupied Nashville, 1863. President McKinley assassinated, 1901. French stopped Germans at the Marne, 1914. Americans in attack on St. Mihiel salient and Bulgaria surrendered, 1918. Florida hurricane, 1925.—San Francisco Chronicle.

"Lucile is the Happiest Girl"

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Like all good things, California Fig Syrup is imitated, but you can always get the genuine by looking for the name "California" on the carton.

Golf Courses Vary The size of a golf course is governed by the number of holes. For instance, a 9-hole course usually consists of 70 acres, while an 18-hole course consists of nearly 125 acres. However, this depends a great deal on the contour of the ground. If the ground is very rolling, wooded and has many bushes on it, it will be necessary for it to be larger.

Godsend for Funny Men

A young scientist claims to have discovered a force that eliminates gravity. Many music hall comedians are said to be anxious to use it.—London Opinion.

Many find Russ Ball Blue good tonic for chickens. Large package at Grocers.—Adv.

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