

# THE HORNE GIRL

THIRTY-NINE

Many times, during the dark hours which lay ahead of her, Sylvia thought of that drive. They had been late in starting, and already the winter sun was drooping toward the horizon, turning from gold to orange, from orange to red. Long purple shadows stalked across the immaculate fields, from rows of maples and oaks bordering the road. Steve had purposely chosen a little-traveled way, so as to avoid automobile traffic as much as possible; the few machines they met forced them into the gutter of course, but it made little difference to the light cutter.

"I'm beginning to think mother was right," Steve said, flicking their steed into a faster gait with his whip. "This sure does beat driving a machine on a day like this. Giddap, Charlie!" They spun along, the bells tinkling merrily, the runners cutting through the icy crust of the road with a pleasant hum. "You'd think we were doing twenty miles an hour, against that wind, and I don't suppose we're hitting much over seven. Imagine trying that in a closed car. You'd be crawling—couldn't stand it. Happy?" He looked down at Sylvia with his whimsical smile.

"I couldn't be any more so, and live," she told him. "Do you know, Steve dear, when I'm as happy as this, I always catch myself wondering what misfortune is waiting for me just around the corner."

There was a gleam of apprehension in her wide brown eyes; it had never been quite absent from them, since the night when Isabel Harmon walked into the little bungalow on Sunset Boulevard to find her in Sydney's arms.

"Nonsense!" Steve dropped his whip and gave her a quick hug. "Don't you know, sweetheart of mine, that misfortune can't harm people who really love?"

"I wish it were true, Steve, but it isn't. People who care for each other as we do are shining marks for old man Trouble. So many things can happen. For one, your mother may find out—"

"No more of that, dear," Steve stopped her words with a kiss. "If you really feel so strongly about it, we'll tell her."

"Do you think she would believe?"

"Of course she would. Mother is too level-headed a woman not to recognize a decent girl when she meets one. She'd know right off the bat that you never did anything you'd have to be ashamed of. The only reason I've advised against telling her now is, that I want us to be married, first. There's no knowing what you might do, with that pride of yours, if you thought someone doubted you. You ran away from me once, remember? I'm not taking any chances of your doing it again. As soon as we are properly hitched we'll go to the mater hand-in-hand like the babes in the wood or something, and tell her the awful truth."

"But—that won't be until June. And between now and June—"

"I've been thinking about that," Steve said quickly, "and I don't see any sense in this June stuff. Not any a-tall. I just told mother that, the other day, because she seemed to think I was about to desert her or something. As far as I'm concerned, we can't get the marriage license any too quick. Why not hunt up a minister next Monday, when we go into town, and tell him to do his worst?"

Well, why not? Sylvia thought, with a little shiver of joy. Once she and Steve were married, nobody could harm them, whatever they might say. She had hoped to have her name cleared, but in a way, her marriage to Steve would go far to clear it. That he believed her innocent, and proved it by making her his wife, would certainly be a most complete and significant answer to the stories which had been spread concerning her. And with Steve at her side, as her husband, she might

## Herriot's Finance Head Opposed to Capital Levy



The selection of Anatole De Monzie as Minister of Finance in the Herriot Cabinet opens speculation on the question of a capital levy and special taxation. De Monzie and Herriot have hitherto differed radically on the matter, Herriot insisting on the necessity for the levy.

## TURNER CONVENTION DRAWS GOOD CROWD

Advance Registrations Indicate Many Will Attend Endeavor Meet

Registrations so far received at Christian Endeavor headquarters, 33 Abington building, Portland, indicate a good attendance at the seventh annual Christian Endeavor Leadership training conference to be held at Turner August 30 to Sept. 6, 1926.

Miss Mary Guiley of Eugene is chairman of the committee which is making plans for this gathering. Rev. Mr. Walter L. Myers of Eugene will be dean of the conference. Dallas C. Rice of Portland, secretary and registrar, and E. D. Geiger of Portland, publicity manager.

Mornings will be given over to classes in Bible study and Christian Endeavor plans and methods. Leaders for these classes will include Rev. Ross Guiley of Eugene, Mrs. Ross Guiley, Dallas C. Rice, Miss Hulda Anderson of La Grande, Mrs. Dallas C. Rice, and Rev. Paul C. Brown of Los Angeles, Pacific coast secretary.

The afternoons will be devoted to recreation under the direction of Mr. Guiley. Swimming, volleyball, baseball and other sports will be enjoyed.

Each evening there will be an address and also a bonfire meeting, the latter to be led by Mr. Brown. Many delegates enjoy the singing and participation in the bonfire meetings the best of all the conference features. One evening will be stunt night, when fun will reign supreme.

Sessions of the state executive committee will be held during the latter part of the week, and will be presided over by the president, Judge Jacob Kanzler of Portland.

The world Christian Endeavor convention held in London in July will be reported by Mr. Brown and Miss Elaine Cooper of Portland, both of whom were attendants at that interesting and important gathering.

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## COUNTY NEWS BRIEFS

### Scotts Mills

Mrs. Emma McCown and daughter, Mrs. Ada Baker and small son, of Los Angeles, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Magee.

Mrs. Jack Mosher and nephew, Harold Lawrence of Portland have been visiting her father, Warren Kilborn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Coulson and family were at Twin Rocks, Ore., last week enjoying their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rickers and family are moving to Albany where they have purchased a confectionery store. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Smith have taken their place in the post office.

J. S. Korb returned home Monday from Cloverdale, Oregon, very much improved in health. Mrs. Korb and daughter Leona, are at Cloverdale for a two weeks' visit.

Miss Vera Lutgen of Eugene has been a guest at the Amundson home, returning to her home Sunday evening.

Miss E. S. Ludgen and daughter, Alma, and Mrs. Estes and daughter Marybelle of Eugene also were visitors at the Amundson home on Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Magee and daughters, Emily and Merle, returned home Saturday after visiting relatives and friends in Portland the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McKillop and baby were in Silverton Friday afternoon on business.

Otis Shepherd and Glenn Magee who have been working in Washington this summer have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hoge and daughter, Doris, were in Salem Saturday on business.

Mrs. Mamie Mull of San Francisco is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hettwer.

Miss Loraine Hogz of Salem visited her parents over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Danagan and son, Manilla returned Friday from a visit with relatives in the east.

### Centerview-Evergreen

Arthur Dahl took possession Monday of the garage business that he purchased in Silverton. He will continue to handle Star cars.

Rev. and Mrs. George Nerison of Willmet, S. D., arrived Friday for a visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. K. O. Rue. At one time Rev. Nerison was a resident of Silverton but had been away for about thirteen years. Though he finds many changes he also finds many old friends who are glad to welcome him back. They made the trip by auto, visiting Mrs. Nerison's parents in California before coming here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Comstock had the pleasure of having a days visit with Rev. and Mrs. H. I. Pharo of Mallard, Iowa last Friday. They were old friends from Minnesota and had not seen each other for 19 years. The Pharos had been visiting their son in California.

Forty friends gathered at the Arthur Dahl home for a farewell picnic for this young couple who will soon make their home in Silverton. A beautiful picnic supper was served down beside the creek. Everyone had an enjoyable evening.

### Rosedale

The members of the Red Hill Birthday club met Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly.

A group of young people enjoyed a picnic on the banks of the Willamette river last Sunday. An honor guest was Miss Mary L. Scott. Miss Scott was teacher at Rosedale school last term.

Mr. and Mrs. Benky of Florence were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Trick, last week.

Kenneth Cannoy has been a visitor at the home of his aunt, who lives near Yamhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cannoy and part of the Trick family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bates of Woodburn.

### Rickey

M. M. Magee who was badly hurt when he fell from a load of hay, is improving.

H. McMillin has returned from Marshfield. Mr. McMillin is a member of the Legion Drum Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Caplinger have returned from a trip to eastern Oregon and Canada. Mr. Caplinger has business interests in eastern Oregon.

Mrs. Arthur Bingear is spending the week in Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hager and family have returned from the beach.

Mrs. T. Fitzpatrick and children spent last week at Pacific City.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace are entertaining several house guests.

### Pringle

J. O. Tanned and family of Portland visited his sister Mrs. Robins of Pringle Sunday.

The Tonie and Evans families

went picnicing Sunday.

Percy Robins and Mr. Richter are threshing this week.

C. C. Best marketed 20 tons of green prunes, through Denby & Co., this week. This is about 40 percent of Mr. Best's prune crop. Mr. Best also has marketed a lot of fine peaches this season.

Pringle vicinity is in the midst of a boom, a number of new families moving in and several new houses being built.

It seems that people are finding out what a fine place this is.

Among those building are Mr. Fabry, Mr. Shanfelt, Mr. Toenie and Mr. Smith.

Miss Irene Olson, who has graduated from Salem high school is planning to attend the college at Eugene next term.

### Pioneer Notes

Eric Streeter of Newberg is with the A. L. Kostenbender family for a few weeks. He is helping harvest the mint crop.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Tynell of Clatsop were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Lutz Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughter were in Salem Tuesday. Onion harvest will begin soon in the Labish district.

John Lutz and Frank Hipe are hauling grain to Brooks for E. C. Nottzger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lutz motored to Stayton last Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lambert.

The mint on Lake Labish is yielding heavily this year.

Lyle Lutz and Mr. Emmel of Salem were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Lutz last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonie La Fontaine are spending a few days at their brother's home.

### Claxtar

Mr. and Mrs. William Rosewell, Leonard Rosewell and Miss Mavis Rosewell, all of Portland, spent the end of the week with Claxtar relatives. Mr. Rosewell has been

employed in the postal service of Portland for many years.

Claxtar is enjoying a paint-up, clean-up, fix-up, shingle-up boom which is very gratifying to property owners in this beautiful little suburb.

Dr. Long, the chiropractic physician has his walks and drives bordered with goldenrod.

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Mrs. Elma Byrne McAllister will be the principal of Keizer school the coming year, assisted by Mrs. Potter, Mrs. Lottie Grette Jones, and another teacher.

### Loud Singers to Be Put in Jail by Vienna Cops

VIENNA.—Under modifications in the municipal laws of Vienna, persons who talk, whistle or sing to loudly in the streets may be fined thirty-cents. For repeated offenses jail terms are provided.

If a person is detected reading a newspaper or book while walking along the street, thereby "impeding pedestrian traffic" he may be subjected to a similar fine.

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### LAD DISAPPEARS

REEDSPORT, Ore., Aug. 11.—(AP).—Emil Hockfield, 6, disappeared from a dock on the Reedspoint waterfront and is believed drowned. He was last observed Tuesday evening by Floyd Marple.

### An Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotsman were lunching together.

"By the way, did either of you go to Johnson's wedding?" inquired the Englishman. "I wasn't able to, but I sent him a coffee service for 12 people."

"I wasn't there either," said the Irishman, "but I sent him a teaset for 24 people. Were you there, Sandy?"

"No, I couldn't get there, but I sent Johnson a pair of sugar-tongs for 100 people."

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## DINNER STORIES

The judge looked sternly at the lady waitress.

"Do you know the nature of your oath, madam?" he asked.

"Well, I ought to, sir. We just moved, and my husband put down the carpet."

The man from New Jersey was telling the Utah man that the mosquitoes in Utah were as nothing compared to the ones back east. In the end he had made a bet that he could take off his shirt and let the Utah pests bite him for ten minutes without even taking a slap at them.

At the end of nine minutes the Utah man saw a good chance to lose the bet, for although the New Jersey man was covered with mosquitoes he hadn't even quivered. Something must be done. Picking up a burning glass the Utah man threw its rays on the New Jersey man's back. The man from the east gave a yell and smacked his back with his hand.

"There's one from home," he yelled, as he paid the bet.

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