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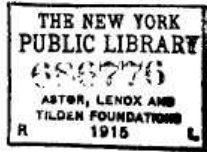
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## CHAPTER I

HAGGARTY was coming down the line. So Marian waited for him. She could have mounted, herself, well enough, for that matter, even though Natchez was restless and dancing around in circles. She had been accustomed to those little whims of his for a matter of five years, and to other whims in other horses for some ten years before that. But she felt that she was getting too near to young-ladyhood to scramble on any way at all, before such eyes as might be watching — in the garrison. Beyond the garrison — well, that was another matter.

So she waited for Haggarty to come up,