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"The Girl in the Saddle"

CAST

Laura Hilton ..... Eileen Sedgwick
Judge Hilton ..... George Williams
Buck Gray ..... Percy Pembroke
Slim Hutton ..... Stanley Fitz

THE cowboys on Judge Hilton's ranch are slicking up for the homecoming of Laura ,the daughter of the family, who has been away at a finishing school in the East. Among the most enthusiastic men among those who are preparing to greet the girl upon her arrival is Buck Gray, foreman of the ranch, and a favorite of Laura's before she got ideas of education.

It is a changed Laura that arrives in the little western town. Instead of her old straight-forward glance she lifts a drooping eyelid and peers through a lorgnette. Instead of the genuine and sincere handshake of the old days she extends her finger-tips to her friends, aping the absurd society affectations that she had learned in the city.

The beautiful girl's changed attitude wounds her old friends, but they resume their individual and collective siege for her favor and stage a dance in her honor.

In a mail-order suit Buck is the Beau Brummell of the party until he awkwardly steps on Laura's dress, tearing it. This is gratifying to Slim, one of the cowboys and his pal, who hate the young foreman. When Laura goes upstairs to change her dress they rob the safe in the ranch office, binding and gagging the girl. Buck releases her and stages a daring capture of the desperate men. She falls back into her own natural way of speech and tells Buck that she wants to be the same pal to him that she was before she went to school.

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