

NOBODY'S GIRL

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THIS HAS HAPPENED
The farmer she is 16, SALLY FORD
is a prosperous farmer, the leaves of state
she is the only home she has known
since she was born. At Clem's farm,
Sally and her friend in DAD, the
athletes and student of farming, who is
working for the farm, and the place
mainly prefers Sally to Clem's daughter,
Pearl. This angers both Pearl and Clem,
about Sally, David sends him crashing
to the ground.

David, Sally run away and come
upon a carnival train. Sally finds in the
carnival train a MIDGET. Once a former
child of the Opry Home, Eddie
WINFIELD BYBEE, manager of the
carnival of which the place is made
for them. David and in the
carnival train and Sally becomes "Princess
Lalla." This angers both Pearl and Clem.

The midget, "PITTY SING," asks Sally
to carry her to the car for supper and
as she picks her way carefully, she
catches sight of the headlines on the
midwest's newspaper. The story of David's
fines, "PITTY SING," is the being pursued.
Sally runs to show David. As Sally
leaves the carnival train, Eddie
Bybee and his wife, they ask her to
join them at supper. Sally goes
David and she lives at one time in Stan-
ton, the town they live in. Eddie
Bybee agrees to go scouting the next
morning to see what she can learn.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XVII

HOURLS more of "crystal-gazing,"
of giving lavish promises of
"long journeys," success, wealth
sweethearts, husbands, wives, bumper
corn and wheat crops, babies
until 11 o'clock and the merciful
dwindling of the carnival crowds
permitted a weary little "Princess
Lalla" to slip out of the "Palace
of Wonders" tent. Pitty Sing, the
midget woman, crawled in her arms
like a baby. For Pitty Sing had
promptly adopted Sally as her
human sedan chair, uncompromisingly
dismissing black-eyed Nita, the
"Hula-Hula" dancer, who had pre-
viously performed that service for
her.

"I don't like Nita a bit," the tiny
treble voice informed Sally with

That Stomach of Yours!



Mrs. Ina Waldschmidt

"I was terribly rundown in health.
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great definiteness. "I do like you,
and I shall compensate you generously
for your services. Nita has
no proper respect for me, though I
command—and I say it without
boasting, I hope twice the words, sang them,
crooned over them, but she did not
answer, except with one of her rare,
sudden, sweet smiles.

"Nita evidently thinks so, too,"
the weak little treble went on, as
"Pitty Sing" trotted toward her cot,
looking like an animated doll. "I
might as well warn you right now,
Sally, that I don't trust that Nita
person as far as I can throw a bull
by the horns."

Sally flung her dire pronouncement
over a tiny, pink-silk shoulder, as
she knelt before a small metal trunk
and reached into her bosom for a
key suspended around her neck on
a chain.

Sally's desire to laugh at the
posterior picture of the midget
throwing a bull by the horns was
throttled by a new and particularly
horrid fear.

"What do you mean, Betty?" she
gasped. "Has Nita—?"
"—been vampire your David?"
tiny Miss Elizabeth Matilda Tanner
finished her sentence for her. "It
would not be Nita if she overlooked
a prospect like your David. It is
entirely obvious that he is a person
of breeding and family, even if he
is helping Buck in the 'privilege'
car kitchen. Nita is always so
broke that she has to eat her meals
in the cook tent, but she borrowed
or stole the money today to eat in
the privilege car, and she found it
necessary to confer with your David
on a purely fictitious dietetic problem,
and then went boldly into the
kitchen to time the eggs he was
boiling for her. That Nita!" the
tiny voice snorted contemptuously.
"She's as strong as a horse and has
about as much need for a special
diet as an elephant has for
gallows. Oh, she's up to her tricks,
not a doubt about that. I just
thought I'd warn you in time. Nita likes
David, and—he likes her—"

"Oh, I'm sorry!" Sally protested,
hurt and abashed. "I didn't mean
I—" "But you may call me Betty."
The treble was suddenly sweet and
sleepy like a child's. One of the
miniature hands fluttered out in-
adequately to help Sally part the
flaps of the dress tent, which was
deserted except for the fat girl, already
asleep and snoring stertorously.

Sally knelt to enable the midget
to stand on the beaten down stumps
which served as the only carpet of
Sally's new "dormitory."

"Thank you, Sally," the midget
piped, her eyes lifted toward Sally
out of a network of wrinkles which
testified that she was indeed a
"woman grown." "You're a very
good girl."

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out, as Nita swung into the tent, her
grass skirts swishing like the hiss
of snakes. "Furthermore, you're
Pop Bybee's blue-eyed baby girl!
And—you're the baby-faced little
she-devil that stole my graft with
that little midget! Well, Princess
Lalla, I guess we've been introduced
proper now, and we can skip formalities
and get down to business. Huh?" And she bent menacingly
over Sally, evil black eyes glittering
into wide, frightened blue ones, her
mouth an ugly, twisting, red loop of
hatred.

Sally backed away, instinctively,
from the snake-tongues of men
in those black eyes. "I'm sorry I've
offended you, Miss—Nita—"

"If you're not you will! Want
me to tip off the police? Well, then,
if you don't, listen, because I want
you to get this—and get it good, all
of it!"

(To Be Continued)

Sally is told that unless Nita can have
her she will be turned over to the
police.

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drunk.

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