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Beige breeches
let panty lines
shout out to the world
"middle age".
Still,
I pull them on . . .
one leg at a time,
over saddle bags,
thunder thighs,
and matching calves
too fat to care
about the cotton
and Spandex sheaths
that encase them.