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## District Attorney Starts Probe of Eddy County Sheriffs Office

From The Artesia Advocate)
District Judge C. Roy Anderson has instructed District Attorney
Randolph Reese and Assistant Disinvestigate the Eddy County sherinvestugate the Eday county sher-
iff's office with possible ouster
proceedings to be directed against proceedings to be directed against
Sheriff Dwight Lee on the grounds heen extremely negligent in the lrandling of
their care."
The action came last week after it had come to the attention of
Judge Anderson that four prison ers have escaped lately or were
missing from the county jail in The assistant district attorney said that he had discussed the mat-
ter with the sheriff last ler with the sheriff last Thursday
and at Sheriff Lee's request had drafted a letter of resignation and turned it over to him, but that the sheriff had then refused to sign it. who has been retained as lega counsel by Sheriff Lee, issued
public statement, which read: "Mr. Dwight Lee, the sheriff with the filling of removal proceed less he resigns. The threat of un less he resigns. The threat of such sources, from the Hon. Randolph Reese, Esquire, distriet attorney and his Carlsbad assistant, Hon.
Lon Watkins, Esquire. Lee's have beerney.
"Any mild suggestion that Mr nder fire or in the face of a threat of filing of removal from office proceedings, or any action by the
district attorney, a grand jury or therwise, is a creature of the fer know him not.
The courthouse is the place to
determine the truth or falsity any rumors or wrong-doing. Pend ing judicial proceedings, neithe my client nor his attorneys wil
have any further statement to make in this matter."
It was pointed that if to a petition which in accordance culated in Artesia but had not been filed up to Wednesday, investiga tion of the sheriff's office might be directed to that body along with
what other matters might come be ore it.
On the other hand, Judge Ander son could call a grand jury on hi own, even though the petition al
ready circulated or any other pe tition is not filed requesting that a grand jury be called.
Judge Anderson's letter
Judge Anderson's letter to As
sistant District Attorney Watkins dated Aug. 31, reads:
It has come to my attention re-
cently that the sheriff and jailers of the Eddy County jail have हैee extremely negigent in the handl-
ing of prisoners delivered to their
care care for confin
County jail.
that it has come to my attention on several occasions within the-past
several weeks. First the cases of
my attention through items appear ing in one of the local newspapers
to the effect that there had been an escape from the Eddy County
jail of the two men above men-
tioned. after Simpson and Prime had bee returned to the Eddy County jail
in an effort to find out the facts,
I put both of the men under oath escape and about the handling o
prisoners insofar as they were con
cerned. The facts developed briefly
were that one of them had been
working on one of the deputy sher
iff's car for several days, installing
a new motor and that the other had
been engaged in painting the jai
and had made one trip at least to
the paint store without escort to
obtain paint. In some manner in
connection with the painting, the
door leading from the jail to the
courthouse had been left open and
the escape was effected that way
con Monday evening this week,
I read in the Carlsbad paper, cur-
rent-Argus, that one Johnson who
was an inmate of the Edy Count
fail under a plea of
two forgery counts had been ar-
rested by city police at Camp Dixie rested by city police at camp Dixie
after someone at the camp had phoned the police because the pris-
oner was creating a disturbance. Today, I have talked with Johnson
about his being free frem jail and about his being free from jail and
he advises me that he has been employed in the kitchen as a cook; of the officers were having a birth-
of night in question, day party in the kitchen and that
they requested him to cook fried they requested him to cook fried
chicken and other food for them; chicken and other food for them;
that he did so and that along about
midnight, Bill Roberts, one of the that he did so and that along about
midinight, Bill Roberts, one of the
sheriff's deputies, sheriff's deputies, directed him to go to town and buy some cigars:
that he then inquired if he could
to to Camp Dixie and talk with one go to Camp Dixie and talk with one
Woosley about a job. Johnson adWoosley about a job. Johnson ad-
vises me that he took the sheriff's
car, went to the Bus Depot Cafe, car, went to the Bus Depot Cafe,
purchased the cigars and then went purchased the cigars and then went
to Camp Dixie looking for Woos-
ley; that there he had difficulty ley; that there he had difficulty
and was arrested. I did not go into the reasons for the arrest or any
of the facts in connection with the of the facts in connection with the
alleged altercation at Camp Dixie alleged altercation at Camp Dixie
because my purpose was in finding because my purpose was in finding
out the reason why one supposedly
confined in the county jail was confined in the county jail was
roming the streets at 11 oclock in roaming the streets at 1 o'clock in
the morning in a car belonging to the morning in a car belonging to
the sheriff's department.
"You are further advised that "You are further advised that
upon inquiry, it now appears that
one Felix Woosley, the man whom one Felix Woosley, the man whom Dixie, entered a plea of guilty on Dixie, entered a plea of guilty on
March 2t, 1949 and was sentenced by me to a minimum term of six
months in the Eddy County jail by months in the Eddy County jail by
virtue of a penitentiary sentence
suspended to a minimum of six suspended to a minimum of six
months' jail time. My information now is that Woosley has been out
of jail for some time engaged in work for the sheriff and that as of
3:35 p. m., Aug. 31, Woosley was $3: 35 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$., Aug. 31, Woosley was
not then incarcerated in the Eddy County jail, although his minimum sentence had not expired and the
sheriff had no known authorizasheriff had no known authoriza-
tion to release him from custody. I am further informed by you that when you inquired as to the where-
abouts of the prisoner Woosley,
that the sheriff advised you that that the sheriff advised you that
he would have him back in Jail in te would have him back in Jail in
the morning, but that he refused to divulge to you the whe
of the prisoner Woosley, "Under the circumstances above
set out, it is my opinion that steps set out, it is my opinion that steps
should be taken by you to correct the situation apparently existing in the office of the sheriff of this
county. I therefore respectully direct your attention to Section 10 321, New Mexico Statutes Anno-
tated, 1941 Compilation and sug. tated, 1941 Compilation and sug.
gest that you proceed under such ection insofar as the requirements of that section apply to the facts
you are able to learn upon investigation. Obviously, because of my having engaged in some investiga-
tion in order to find out what has tion in order to find out what has
been happening with respect to
handling of prisoners by me conhandling of prisoners by me con-
fined to the Eddy County jail by to proceed under the provisions of
Section 10.323 , New Mexico StaSection 10.323, New Mexico Sta-
tutes Annotated, 1941 Compilation tutes Annotated, 1941 Compilation
and would suggest that if your of. icers in question have been guilty
of negligence, failure or refusal to discharge the duties of the office
of sheriff, that proper steps before of sheriff, that proper steps before
Judge Harris be instituted immed-
iately."

## Who Would Be Appointed Sheriff

If Sheriff Dwight Lee resigns from
office, who will be appointed to fill
the sheriffs office, is being speculat-
ed upon from one end of the county
ed the other. Among those who have Sounal Is

Hope, Eddy County,New Mexico


## Cavern Attendance

 Shows Increase
## Total number of visitors for the month of August, 1949, was 79,359 .

 Total number of visitors for the month of August, 1948 was 78,609 . Increasefor August 1949 was 0.9 per cent. Total number of cars for August was 19 .bus 3,435 . Number of visitors arriv-
ing by ing by cars 75,924. Average number
of passengers per car 3.84. Total number of visitors to Carlsbad Caverns
ber
tod ate $4,033,219$. During the month
of August Texas led all of August, Texas led all other states
with a total number of 9,501 visitors.
Califirn California second with 169 . New
Mexico third with 1168 . Oklahoma

Flume on South
Canal Is

## School News


 way Pegyy Harris and Betty Sely
teel as they come into the room each morning and dook at at initue beys in
their rows of desks. There are no
no
 eight boys. They are Boby Madron,
jeri Lynn Carson. Floyd Jones. Barry Teel Johnny Hidalgo. Biill wison,
Lewis Edward Wells and our new comer, Bobby Joe Tarrant. Then in
the first grade, there are Johnny
Crockett, Royce Parker, Roy Young, Konhie Weindorf, Leon Alexander and Jimmie Pottre. But the little girls
don't seem to mind being in the room don't seem to mind being in the room
with all the boys. They go ahead and
play on the merry.goround with as play on the merry-go-round with as
much fun in the newness of it as the
boys. They don't go in for basketball very much-in fact, they don't even
stand on the sideline and yell. But 3read, 4th and 5th Grade News: We
have enjoyed a nice long vacation and all of us are rested and ready for
work. We were glad to have a large
number of the parents and grandpar number of the parents and grandpar-
ents to visit our room Friday, when
we enrolled. We have enrolled we enrolled. We have enrolled 22
pupils in our room this year. We are asppy to have Eimer wood back with
us after he spent the summer in A
tesia and Morton, Texas. We were
side lad to read the letter from the 4
grade pupils in Port Washington, grade pupaght Porrned toad on the
Y. We cuaght hornel yard which we sent to the chil
school
din dren in Port Washington for the
siience museum. We have a new ac
aurium in our room and we are go ry to get stare on our new spellin
hart this Friday. Our new health chart is a good reminder to kee
clean, comb our hair and brush our cleeth. We like our new life-size rab bit and it's lots of fun to feed him
carrots as we try to recall our multi-
plication combinations. It was nice plication combinations. It was nice
of Betty Madron to bring us a bouquet of zinnias for our room and
Christine Seeley who brought us pea cock feathers for a decoration. Ou
room mothers for the first two month
will be the 3rd grade mothers.

## Hope News

Teel were transacting business in Ar esia Monday.
A heavy rain Sunday night in the
mountain section flooded Hope early Monday morning. The approach to
the Penasco bridge on the west was the Penasco bridge on the west was
in a dangerous condition Tuesday.
Mrs. Anna Reed and Bud Essex of
Artesia are two more who have re newed their subscriptions to the Pen Bonnie Altman of the Altman Cafe
was in Artesia Monday buying sup was in Artesia Monday buying sup
plies. Mr. Altman is also one of the
ucky lucky ones who have renewed their
subscriptions to the News. We sure appreciate this. J. C. Buckner, Grady Mills and Mrs
Chas. Cope were in Artesia Monday
after a load of supplies.

Frank Runyan was in Artesia Mon

Mrs. George 0 . Teel and Mrs. Lin
oln Cox were in Artesia Monday or business.
Chester Schwalbe and John Phillip
Bush were seen on the streets of Ar
lesia Monday. John Phillip is the man
ager of the L. P. Glasscock ranch
south of Hope.
George Teel was in Artesia Monday
George Teel was in Artesia Monda
on business. He stayed in Hope Mon-
day night, the river was too high to n on busii
t, day night
h cross.
"Captain Billy's Showboat". . Come
aboard for the reading thrill of a life-
time! Meet Capt. Billy Menke, skipper
of the "Goldenrod." He'll tell you
how he helped trap a bank robber ...
how he once saved his sinking show-
boat! Don't miss this exciting story in The American Weekly, the grea
magazine distributed with next Sun day's Los Angeles Examiner.

Friday, Sept. 9, 1949
News From Hope
Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Houston of Ar-
Mesia have moved to the Bill Ordunez

 Mr. and Mrss. Fred Perkinson of
 her husband. They will al
and Mrs. Charie Barley.

Mrs. Albert Jackson, Mary Jacklym

 and Mrs. C. R.C Coffin

Mr. and Mrs. Raloh Lea spent Sun-
tay with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mariar
Mrs. Chester Teague has been con. Ined to her home.
for several days.

Chester Teague and Dorane accom-
panied Betty Zane to Portales Monanied Betty Zane to Portales Mon-
day where she will attend ENMC this year.

Miss Zona Pearl Jones left Sunday
or Dallas, Texas, where she will at
Miss Wilma Jo Young will leave Fri will attend Abilene Christian College this year.
Doc Haldeman, county commissionfrom this district, accompanied by
lenn Danford, road foreman, were in Hope last week end looking over he road situation.
Paul Swisher has purchased the old
Baptist parsonage property and will make improvements.

Newt and Ezra Teel were in Artesia
Monday and sold their bucks to W. W. Batie.
Lawrence Blakeney returned Saturday from a visit with his brother
George at Loving and a fishing trip
south of Malaga. He is now working Frank Crockett of Roswell and J. W. Mellard of Weed is to be com-
men ed for their prompt renewal of
their subscriptions their subscription
Valley News.

REMEMBER-Merit Feeds get best
results. McCaw Hatchery, 13th and

Betty Zane Teague left Monday for
Portales where she will enroll in the Teachers' College. Miss Teague is a
good student and will make good

DR. SALLSBURY-Nation wide poul-
try service. McCaw Hatchery, 13 th and
John R. Moore and family from
John R. Moore and family from
Dexter were up here over the week
end looking after their residential end looki
property.
Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and son,
J. C., spent the first of the week in
Clovis, visiting Mrs. Bill Patton and Clovis,
family. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Van Winkle, Jr.,
and children from. Santa Rita were
here over Labo ay visiting Mr. and
Mrs. O. E. Van Winkle, Sr. Mrs. Bob Cole has returned from
week's visit with friends and relatives at San Saba, Texas.
Mrs. Mary Hardin and Mary Jane
have returned from a visit at the An have returned from a visit at the An-
derson ranch southwest of Hope.
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Anderson and
Jean Kimbrough were in from the Jean Kimbrough were in from the
ranch Saturday. They report all the tanks full of water.
SALESMAN WANTED-Large feed
company needs salesman in Eddy
County. No investment. Home
nights. Adequate field training. Pre-
fer married man between 25 and
50. Must have car. Reply to Box C,
in care of the Penasco Valley News,
Hope, N. M.

## Russia Threatens Yugoslav Regime; <br> Truman Takes Arms Row to People; Excise Tax Cut Stymied This Year

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|  | War Clouds <br> Was the United States ready ${ }^{t}$ go to war on behalf of Yugoslavia as the hard-boiled struggle betwee threat-of-war stage. Diplomats pon United States do if Stalin sent the Soviet army to overthrow Marsha BRITISH and American mats, however, ruled out the likeli ed Moscow's threat to "take effective measures" in Yugoslavia as only a part of the war of nerves British ent view. They regarded the Sovie note as the "worst threat of wa since 1939." No one outside the Kremlin could know for sure what was coming next. But the threat that began 14 months ago to the Cominform read him out of the Communists party developed long ago into frequent shootings along Diplomats in were Belgrade frankly $\qquad$ "invasion" date. volvement was not quite as ac ademic as it might appear. With the issue squarely poined between Communism and the west, and with the U.S. serving as the arsen al of the west, involvement as result of any warilike Kremlin move |
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EXCISE TAX

## All hope tor any reduction this year of federal excise toxess app peared doomed as congess shut the door on the issue. Excise taxes are colected on such items as furs, jewery, luggage, cosmetics, transportation CHAIRMAN N.C.) of the taugriton (D. t. a statement saying that he sees no prospect for y reduction in these taxes now. He egave as a reason

 olirl, prepares tor one of her
gires. ing to swim the English chan-

## TRUMAN:

To The People
President Truman submitted his arms-1or-Europe proposal to the
people trough the medium of the
zolden jubile convention of the
Veterans of Fonent Miemins of Foreign Wars at
DECLARING the armament pro-
posal was the "price of peace,", he termed it this nation's guarantel
against war and urged apporaval
The President. contending that against war and urged approval.
The President, oontending that
peace with fredom and justice
can no cannot be "bought cheaply",
urged that congress imediately
approve the 1.5 billion-dollaiar arms


Cuse of a decision by public
health and medical authorities cut.
ting the isolation
 for two weeks. some even for
for ore or four but the average has
hee twe
The one week recommendation,
made by 20 medical authorities, is part of a new wuide for health of
ticers of all the states.
tis being sent to to local health authori-
 PoLlo patients are kept isolated
when they tre tirst ill to prevent
spread of the disease, but medical
studies have concluded that the dis-
 thre days atterward.
So for satery, isolation, the ex-
perts said, is necessary for orly a
week, or as long as there is a
ter

Open Season


Since film star Jimmy Stew-
art abandoned art abandoned his bachew-
status, Farley Granger, hailed status, Farley Granger, hailed
as one of the movies' top ro-
mantic stars, is now Hollymand' stars, elisible bachelly.
wood's. No. 1 el
He is shown here in the role of He is shown here in the role of
Johnse Hatfield in a picture de-
pieting the famous Hattieldpicting the
McCoy feud


Spinach Disclosed As General Favorite Consumption in 1949 To Top 180,000 Tons


to raise their own cattle if they
to raise their own cattie if they
want to show them with horns,
for dairymen and ranchers are
for dairymen and ranchers are
becoming convinced that horns
becoming convinced that horns
can become costly liabilities. can become costly liabilities.
Horned cattle often gore each
other and their attendants. The other and their attendarts. Th
latest equipment developed fo
dehorning is dehorning is this electric de-
horning iron. It
It consists of a
300-watt soldering iron with a special tip having a hollow
cone point. After pre-heating cone point. After pre-heating
for about 15 minutes, the iron
is applied over the horn button, is applied over the horn button,
with best results when the horn
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From where I sit.... by Joe Marsh
Nothing Fat About Him But His Name
$\begin{aligned} \text { Walking down Main Street with } & \begin{array}{l}\text { he loved to eat. But today, Fat's } \\ \text { my cousin, Ed, from upstate, } \\ \text { figure shows a "profitable loss." }\end{array}\end{aligned}$ we passed Fat Allen, who runs the From where I sit, Fat's example
food store. He nods hello to us food store. He nods hello to us of self-discipline was like the way End greets him wis "H, Fat." the tavern owners cooperate in Ed looks surprised. "How'd you
ever come to hang a name like Self-Regulation Program to
make sure beer is sold only in nice $\begin{array}{ll}\text { ever come to hang a name like } & \text { make sure beer is sold only in nice } \\ \text { 'Fat' on him?"' he wants to know. surroundings. You've got to make }\end{array}$ "Wasn't any extra poundage on rules and then stick to 'em the man that I could see." $\begin{aligned} & \text { I told him Allen used to weigh } \\ & 300 \text { pounds, and how one day he waistline you're trying to }\end{aligned}$
keep in shape! 300 pounds, and how one day he
caused a sensation by saying he caused a sensation by saying he
was going on a diet "and shave
off a half-ton or so." No one
thought he'd stick it out, the way

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Biography of Wm. M. Boyle, Jr.
William M. Boyle, Jr., re-entered he accepted, at President Truman's
he national political scene well in urging, the position as executive vice advance of the 1948 Democratic Na- chairman of the Democratic National tional Convention at Philadelphi. Committee. That move enabled the
After President Truman's nomina- chairman, Senator J. Howard MeGrath tion, he helped, as a volunteer advisor cha devote more time to the party's in-
to to shape the successful strategy of the terests in the Congress. ton. Following the smashing vietory. year-old lawyer has maintained the
closest liaison with the White House
and the many party leaders through and the many party leaders through-
out the country who made last Novembers victory possible. President Truman's ideas on party
responsibility have been put into responsibility have been put into be-
ng by his close friend in national sommittee headquarters. At Demoeatic headquarters party leaders
found the same welcome and concern with party problems that President
Truman has so iown-to-earth approach to the interests of the party and to the fulfil.
ment of the goal of peace-on-arth and a better way of life in America. Boyle's success in handling the many problems that normally accrue after a presidential victory sensed quich
the similarity in personality and temm
erament of the comparatively youn
man in Democratic man in Democratic headquarters and
the President in the White House. the President in the White House.
This was not surprising, because the
Fresident and Boyle learned the rudiPresident and Boyle learned the ruc
ments of polities in the same countycarned the neces
etting out the vote. loyalty to those
who have beenn conssis.ent in carryin 3
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pat the program of the Democratic
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Jesus and the Psalms


Can Answer: Rarely. If you give her
concrete proof that the man she's
rigid and that he tends to follow concrete proof that the man she's
in love with is a scoundrel, that
rigid pattern (tike the man who
may stop her marrying him, though
feels he cannot leave the office un-
til he has "cleaned up his desk") may stop her marrying him, though
she's more apt to resent it he has "cleaned up his desk").
grateful for it. But a girl who loves
The apparently aggressive people
Tho develop high blood pressure grateful for it. But a girl who loves
a man you think unworthy of herelop high blood pressure
usually loves him. (unconsciously) for the very qualities you disap-
prove of. He appeals to the re


 knobs have been lost or removed
can be opened by pressing a suction cup or rubber plunger against
it.

## Salad Bowl Repairs

 If there's a crack in your wooden salad or chopping bowl, get the surface thoroughly clean and dry then pour shellac into the crack
This should harden into a more or less permanent fix.

Use for Shoe Bag A shoe bag that is not being used for that purpose can be put
to work in the kitchen. Hang it behind the kitchen door as a container for paper bags, wrapping
paper, string and such other pape
item

Removing Bottle Caps Stubborn caps on nail polish
bottles can usually be dealth wit if you run hot water
for a few minutes.

Hatrack Technique
If you have hatracks in the
shape of smoth wooden knobs and the hats have a tendency to
slide off them, put a stop to it by crocheting a "beanie" to put over each rack. Or glue some sand-
paper, rough side up, to each paper,
rack.

Planning for the Future? Buy U.S. Savings Bonds!

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## 4  CHAPTER XXVII

 He rode to town with Mr. Elioon Wednesday morning and went to see Mr. Bird. merchant agreed. "The notes were sent within a few hours after Mr
Burke announced his candidacy
Sune? See? Sheriff Martin wants the votes
out in your section. That's the out in your section. That's the
trick!" He laughed. "This is that
outfit's first opposition, and they're outfit's first opposition, and they're
getting the jitters. You people out there talk up that organization,
Ives. Keep right in behind it."
"We've got it started," Andy told him. homesteaders met at the The homesteaders
week on Saturday m
werganized.
week and organized. Jerry Burke
Big and Andy and who nominated Andy to wead the
Aig whispered conversation. much
cordie
nominated Harley Webster down quickly, looking startled by her own courage. Harley begged
in his raspy voice that the nomina-
tion be withdrawn. "Ives is a bet tion be withdrawn. "Ives is a bet-
ter man for the job," he said. Bir-
die tossed her head angrily, Mr. die tossed her head angrily. Mr Wions be cloved and the nomina-
Ives be elected by "out-loud" vote A sultry spell came on that after-
oon, and $\mathbf{a}$ warm wind blew out of the south. It was still blowing cloud had come up. The wind had ecome gusty by now, and warmer.
The Ives' rode to church in the wagon. Except for the threat of
rain, they might have walked, but
Andy said: country. You won't ruin your shoes The cloud was heavier by the
time they reached the church, and hunder muttered in the southwest er Cowann took his text. There was almost a constant rumble of
It was a fearful sermon agains voice, and he bellowed his warnIngs to all. His eyes were often on
Granny, who sat straight and fol lowed him intently, When he
turned on Mr. Eliot, that gentlewith a keen gaze and with undeni"Ye are sinners
Repent and be saved. If you have wronged your neighbor, make
ight before it's too late. If you have lied, confess it and pray for-
giveness. Oh, my beloved, RE-
PENT! if you have slandered, RE

Lightning played over the cloud. of the thunder.
People wate wing the cloud.
With such competition, Brother With such competition, Brother
Cowann redoubled his efforts. The
church was dark with a frightening nidday twilight. People were
frowing restless. A man in the
fear got up and slipped out on

## Birdie.Makes a

Public Confession
Brother Cowann whirled to ex
hort those in the choir. Birdie Webter jerked in shock as he screamed t close range. She was wringing
her handkerchief,
taking quick glances out of the window now
nd then, when she thought the reacher wasn't looking at her. elled something. Brother Cow ann faltered. The man came pilokin'. Lord, save us!
Brother Cowann turned around wice and grabbed up his coat. He eling and pushing to fight their way out. The more agile and re eaping from seat to seat. It would
be an awful thing if the cyclone caught up the churchful of peoplet
"Oh, dear!" Kate wailed. Andy-"
"Don't get trampled," Andy sald
"almly. "We'll just have to wait calmly. "We'll just have to wait
Cor the crowd to let us out." where."
"Let's use the window the

it seemed that she belonged with
im in that moment, that it was a ing it.
said: "Tre never been in a cy
clone. What can we do?"
"Hope for the best is about all," "Hope for the best is about all," "Kate Ives!" a woman screamed Kate turned and looked over her
shoulder. She saw Birdie Webster ghting toward her. The woman loding out her arms and scream-
hold. A flash of lightning cut through ing. A flash of lightning cut through
the semidarkness and filled the church with a weird brilliance.
Birdie Webster's eyes were wild
"I repent1" she screamed. "Kate nou, an' this is my public confes-
youn sion. I-"", Harley yelled. He was
"Birdiel"
trying to make his way to her. 'Reen!" mak!" Birdie cried, ig-
"Hope Ives!" "I Hirdie cried, ig-
"Hope Ives!"
noring Harley. "I lied about you, may the Lord forgive mel 1 tol
eople lies 'bout you an' Hank, an' made up lies out of hate an'
spite. I backbit you an your ma,
me an' now I repent. Forgive
pray fer mel"

## Big Continues

His Coldness
Andy helped Kate and Granny Andy helped Kate and Granny
from the window. Behind them,
Birdie Webster was still pleading orgiveness, and Harley was try-
ng to puil her toward the door. reen had left them and was lung-
ing and elbowing her way through ing and elbowing her way through
the congested doorway. Big leaped from the window,
caught Hope as she followed. They
an after the crowd. The little Titch ran after the crowd. The little fitch
was the only refuge in the flat Hope stumbled. Big swept her up her in his arms.
It was a wild, eerie scene of peo-
ple in terror before threat of naple in terror before threat of na-
ture's fury. Young and old, and those in between, were reacting accordness. An old man with a flowing waving his cane and babbling like a lunatic. Mrs. Buckley was running circles in the area before the church,
her stiff, reddish hair flying, and calling for her husband.
Hope knew that Big Halleck was protecting her with his arms, shield
ng her with his body, and in spite of her fear she felt comfort in his
nearness. She knew that Kate and ranny and Dave and Andy were
ose by them

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 cut by knife-sharp lightning, and the
blasting thunder was dim behind the roar of the wind. It came with a wild
ripping and tearing of the trees, and ripping and tearing of the trees, and
the mad screaming of branches and
whole trees whipped up by the torturing live thing that spiraled
from earth to sky. It was a deafenfrom earth to sky. It was a deafen-
ing, blotting-out moment, and hu-
man screams and wails were oddman screams and wails were odd-
ly dim and far away. Hope huddled against Big Hal-
leck and shared his strength. It leck and shared his strength, It
seemed that she belonged with him
in that moment, that it was a time in that moment, that it was a time
she had awaited, not knowing it. ping sheets. Cold and pounding and drenching. It beat into the faces
of the people as they scrambled them gasp and cough. It, came from
all directions, for the wind was
leaping from every way leaping from every way at once.
Big was still with Hope whe
they entered the church. hanked him, saying: "I'd have
been scared to death! I'm glad you
wanted to watch out for me, Big."
He lo He looked down at her, and the
hardness that she had so often
found in his blue eyes came into hard
found
them
he to + question from the heart, not from
the mind. "If you're heard gossip
about me, you know it was unabout me, you know it was un-
atue, now. Why ? ?"
"I don't take stock in gossip,"
he said shortly. Then he went on "I don't take stock in gossip,"
he said shortly. Then he went on
into the gabbling crowd.
The rain The rain was soon over, but the
gusty wind held. The sky was
rinsed free of clouds. The sun was
hazed by dust and fine trash swept hazed by dust and fine trash swept
high into the air by the cyclone.
It wis coler It was cooler. home Andy and Dave
On the way har
had to clear the road of debris in several places. Twice they had to
drive around, through the woods, drive around,
to dodge upfung trees. Thesir mis-
givings were mounting fast, and
they almost dreaded to come in ghey almost dreaded to come in
sight of the house. Surely it had
not withstood the wind!
"Couldn't have missed it far," "Couldn't have missed it far,",
Andy said. "It came from this way:"
"Wion "What will we do if the house is
gone?" Kate asked.
"Build another," said Granny. "But our things will be gone too,
Kate worried, "scattered through "Don't look for trouble until you
come on it," Granny advised. She smiled at Hope, who had a tar-
look in her eyes. "Well, it took a
cycline to blow Big Halleck to you!" she said pleasantly.
Hope winced. She was still thmking of how it had been after the
storm. "He was nice," she said briefly.
Granny shook her head in desThey came around the last bend
in the woods road, in sight of the in the woods road, in sight of the
house. It was still standing, but a
treetop had smashed onto the new room, crushing the
Cleaning Up the Storm Debris
"What next!" Andy groaned, looks. like there's no end to trou-
ble." "Well," Granny, told him, "it
didn't blow away," There was a measure of comfort
in this fact. Andy said slowly
"Well, the wind "Without throwing something at itt" He and Dave set to work that
afternoon, sawing away the treetop, so that they could get at the job
of removing broken rafters and
cracked joists. Kate and Hope hung the drenched bedding an
cothes outside to dry. The mopped the floor nearly dry and
hoped they had remod hoped they had removed the water
before it had soaked in enough to warp and buckle the flooring.
Andy and Dave were busy wit the roof the Dave were morning when with
car arrived. Andy went when car arrived. Andy went down the
ladder to meet the slender, well
dress dressed caller.
we something thought there about the
candidate. "Ah, Mr. Ives! Don't you re
member me? David Wellos.". He pleasant way as of last fall, when Andy had not been sure whether
he was overaffable or sarcastic.
he you, sir? This is indeed pleasant!" Andy said, "I remember you,"
and shook hands with the lawy "I ought to. You and some fellows
got me out of bed mighty early one morning. Want a job? We had
a little wind yesterday,".
"So I heard, and I've been much concerned about you and your fam
ily." He smiled. "But I have job, Mr. ITV Bes. Continued)
$\mathrm{O}^{\text {NE OF The CRUELIST prob- }}$ life could bring to any

do find some kind old woman who would take him to the country
Then heart-broken, she put him into a state institution, and rented one of the cottages on the grounds,
to be near him. She commuted to
the city, 40 miles away. She ue city: 40 miles away. She got
up at $5: 30$, caught a $7: 15$ bus, the a street car, then office hours and
a counter lunch. And then the whole story backward, in burning
summer heat and winter black summer heat and winter black-
ness. Then she broke down. Convalessent, deep in debt but
nesaunted, Lily began to make her
und undaunted, Lity began to make her
self useful in the institution. She
had been a war nurse; that train ing was invaluable.
She studied the children; Ned
she could not she could not help, but he loved to
be near her in a quiet, wistful little
way, and many another child was way, and many another child wa
brought to more normal work an play through Lily's interest. She is
now one of the managers, at $\$ 400$ month, her cottage rent free, and
i.ttle Tan , ithoump pmare that one of the children in the big tree
shaded hospital is her brother seems not at all disturbed by the
situation.
But Has Found Herself But best of all, in this mos
heroic and satisfactory solution, the fact that Lily has found herself,
She loves her work She loves her work; her fresh
striped uniforms, her swarms of striped uniforms, her swarms
small adorers, her serious talks
with the mothers with the mothers and guardians
who so much need her advice, and the cheer she brings them. For a by her charges, not finding them immense asset in a puzace like this.
Many a heartbroken mother goes away comforted, âtter a sight of the long dining room with its big playroom with its rings of fat
ittle cushioned chairs, the lawns dren, the six and eight and 1 group, have been known in count-
less cases to cry to come back,
after a very brief contact with the brief contact with the "Mrs. Drake has introduced changes here that have been copied
all over the union," said the old
head doctor to me. "Just simple things, but things that never were
done before. We first noticed the change in the noises they made when they
that is ove

Ain't If So "I am not only a pacifist, bu
a militant pacifist. 1 am willing to fight for peace." - Albert
Einstein.
"What do you do for tha tired feeling?", asks an adver
tiser, Every tiser. Every ehance we get, we
rest.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

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there are thousands of women who
go to a great deal of trouble findgo to a great deal of trouble findlike a pot roast which is practically
stewing it. Then, too, there are other thousands who lose pounds
of meat by using old-fashiored of meat by using old-fashiored
methods such as high temperature for "browning", the meat. This is
not necessary because meat cooked at constant low tempera-
ture will brown enough to be attractive to the most discerning eye,
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If you have a covered roaster,
resolve right now to discard the cover and invest in a rack for a
roast. A true roast is not, at any roast. A true roast is not, at any
point during roasting, cooked with side up, at low to moderate temfectly.
How long should a roast be determining this is to insert a meat thermometer into the meat as you
place it in the oven, and when the temperature has reached its proper point the roast is done. Insert the thermometer through the center You may figure out the time to
roast by pounds, but this is no nearly so accurate, especially
you are cooking roast beef to med
ium rare. $\mathbf{W}_{\text {corned }}^{\text {HEN }}$ beef can be a real delicacy. The meat is muscular slowly for real tenderness, without which it is not a delicacy by any
manner of means. Here's a way to prepare it. Beef
b-7 pounds Corned Beef $3 / 4$ cup canned fruit juice
$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
10 whole cloves corned beef under running water to remove all traces of brine.
Cover with cold water and bring to a boil. Drain and replace water.
Simmer, slowly, in a covered kettle for $41 / 2$ to 5 hours or until meat can be pierced easily with a fork Add more water if necessary.
Drain meat and place on a rack in a roaster. Pour fruit juice over meat and sprinkle with brown sugar. Stick with cloves. Bake in
a moderate oven $\left(350^{\circ}\right)$ for $1 / 2$ hour Serve, garnished with spiced
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varnish and wipe it on the wire
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