

Suitable cuts from Episode
11.

TELESTRIP:

Dogtor

Door

Stone

Yard

Crafty's tail behind
shed.

Crafty's head

Crafty writhing

Dogtor on Crafty's tail

Fence

Dogtor

RECAPITULATION:

Crafty Carson Carpetbag prepared the sneakiest trick in his whole snakey life. Pretending to be some little bush creature in distress, he tricked the Flying Dogtor into going to the old deserted mining town of Ghostville. Then he fixed up a booby trap behind a door in an old building. He heard the Dogtor coming, then an enormous crash---and he thought that he had at last squashed
(singing) The Flying Dogtor.

But the Flying Dogtor was not harmed when the great stone fell. Growing a little suspicious of that squeaky voice which called to him, he had pushed open the door with the end of his stethoscope. This instrument had been knocked from his hand by the big stone, but he was unhurt. Now, of course, he knew for certain that someone was tricking him, and it did not take him long to find out who this was. Crafty Carson Carpetbag was hiding behind a shed in the yard, waiting for the dust to settle enough for him to enjoy the sight of his old enemy biting it. But suddenly he felt a sharp pain, and far away down at the end of his tail he felt himself caught---

"Ye-owwww"

Crafty shot into the air! He curved and writhed and twisted in spirals trying to shake loose the weight that held him by the end of the tail.

But the brave Dogtor hung on and on. Then Crafty saw a chink in the back fence and with a sudden extra rapid twist slipped through it and escaped outside.

The Flying Dogtor had to let go quickly to stop himself colliding violently with the fence. He lay puffing on the ground for a little, collecting his thoughts.

Crafty	Crafty slid away over the stony ground
Mullock heap	and hid behind a mullock heap. He cursed
Mine shaft	the misfortune that caused his clever
Minehead	plot against the Dogtor to fail, and he
sticks, canvas	counted the toothmarks in his tail.
Dogtor	While so engrossed he almost slipped into
Ghostville	an old, open mine shaft...
Lane	A mine shaft! That gave Crafty an idea.
Tank	Maybe he could make a Dogtor-trap of this!
Under house	He looked around the old minehead. Yes;
Crafty	there were just the sorts of things he
Covered mine	needed: sticks, an old bit of canvas...
Crafty climbs	Back behind the fence the Flying Dogtor
<u>DISSOLVE to still of</u>	recovered his breath and started out to
Crafty in distance and	hunt for Crafty. He knew that the snake
zoom in.	could not have sneaked far. Yet he might be
<u>DISSOLVE to Telestrip</u>	anywhere, in any of the buildings or yards
Crafty slipping off heap	of Ghostville.
Mineshaft	The Dogtor looked down lanes...
	in rainwater tanks...
	and in the spidery shadows under the raised
	floors of buildings.
	By this time Crafty was putting the final
	touches on his new trap, behind the mullock
	heap. He arranged dead leaves and gravel
	on an old piece of canvas which he had
	stretched over the open mouth of the mine,
	supported only by the flimsiest of sticks.
	It was hard to tell, now, that a mine had
	ever been there.
	Then Crafty climbed to the top of the
	mullock heap and looked around for the
	Dogtor.
	The Flying Dogtor was still hunting. Then
	suddenly he saw Crafty's familiar snaky
	form in the distance---and bounded
	towards it.
	Crafty saw him coming. This was just what
	the snake wanted. He slipped down and
	stood on the far side of the mineshaft
	which he had hidden.
	<u>Patter of running feet</u>
	He knew that when the Dogtor dashed around
	the mullock heap he would <u>have</u> no step
	on to the canvas over the mine. And then

DISSOLVE to still drawing
Tilt down view of minehead
through cover to black shaft.

FADE

his weight would crash through the
flimsy covering and he would fall
into the deep, dark shaft...

VOICE OVER END TITLE:

Will the Dogtor fall for Crafty's
latest trick--and fall into the old
mine? See the next exciting episode
of

(singing) The Flying Dogtor.