



Buckling Sun

scenes can carry distinctive storyline; within them, details & dialogue chronology (approximate ages) of Duffs; link Hugh back to Nivian?

- 1934, dam begins? Owen 38[?]
Neil 26[?]
Bruce 25 = Hugh & Dora, abt 50, b. 1884
ann. Scotian Heaven 1910 fire summer
- 1 Duff surprises another @ H. Pick: Neil?

story has to have fire of life: be believable o brother vs. brother etc.

one character - Gwen? - or two - Owen & Rhonda? - cd be controls of narrative, by appearing + freqly, & the receipts on other characters given - even in scenes abt other characters.

keep an open mind abt plot; follow new directions if they look better

Corraine? (Cory) (Corie?)
cd Rosellen & Kate be sisters? Kate & Rhonda?
Francine?

use slide as major pivot of story

imagine my way into each of characters

noises of project: engine, core drilling, blushing piledrivers
- new river of noise

horse bobs
fence jumps ahead? Huttente, watchy, clamberg
- these characters - Huttente, Nant Hill, Tom Harry - cd cross paths w/ pair in pickup. (do 3mo in an unrelated way which adds up in end?) (cap in pickup, etc.)

- use interior of sheriff's mind, failing to figure out what happened in pickup, as a carrying theme?
- make this a sub-mystery: does he figure it out or doesn't he?

way of life keeping - Hudson Bay Co. city,
new town though you don't exactly
what you want

Noise beyond belief (dam constn)

beggars think they own river (Kansas Citians)

The run of river, ^{from} 37mos to St. Louis

capture of river had taken 5 years

It had taken a 5-yr siege of work by 10,000 wagehands, &

some number of local companies
0 that many 00's, to capture Mo River, & they even still weren't
sure they had it for good.

These, each & all, were named Duff.

Bruce, driving, at odd site call 77 Pecos.

- what's tickling you?"

civil engineer

Bucking men: have to travel east to mor'n

- Kate goes along for ride

- make some scene different from Augus-Isaac shoveling coal

These Duffs don't know anything but work.

fanny

deer carcass

get aboard...

"Can't be."

"What'd you come across?"

Prepared, / Unprepared,

How's sheriffing?

Took all:

/run of sheriffing

jewel thief across. High Line - shot him b' ^{laugh} skin ^{Face}

a dozen yams flying along river

wary of ... but keeping Hudson biplane @ sixty,
lower down shoreheads. Our dog doesn't crawl,

- What's my pay in this?

~~books
are
ever
twice~~

away & carry it, they'll wait away do
the if we don't do
the dam dam problem

OO until you cd' believe it (soa, love-smitten until...)

He slammed his Holson Temple-tarn Wader (made a rock-time
chickenhouse
sheets of singlass); cheesecloth;

K loved it like a woman. Better, maybe.

K a possible assassin try on TDR: he knew moment and give answer,
(of his behavior) & that disturbed him probably.

buffalo drowned in Missouri crossing?

Landon Cotton

worrier shot past him so fast it ought to have been comical.
Hugh & Easter are together, taxi-dancing?), when slide happens.

"There's horizontal dancing, too, you know."

Cruickshank; Merle Durance

Darius & Kate parked wth they cd lk dno a slide?
ensemble

↑↑ P ws. anything to speak of, any +. (old had taken bridges?)

Ah! they knew smw ws daring of them

→ "I see you have sthng for me, & a cap, too."

As he grasped what woman mnt, PS blushed to his Y mnts

dipping @

stirrups worked @ his eyelids, grit of tiredness

when he kept

keeping car aimed @ top spot in his other.

kept it (con) / bowed,

women's persons: 4⁵, among Duffs?

→ Owen's memory of 1910 wie? or ws he too young?

He caught a whif of old wng: labors derive labor. Sure!
air & rice wth what it used to be.

That's pathetic, that is.

Hugh liked @ smw clust of a man. (Siderius)

¶ Dora had been t-one for lug. (Schindl).

"What we're doing here is making frogskins." (#, clearing dam site)
Cloudhopper

HD gave that corroded chuckle again.

· Nile of Montana

brush hooks

I have dared all I have.

I'm not out here banditking.

Moonsticks & door sides (Duffs physically) gave him an in

Follow a dollar (and project?) If you followed...

Duffs began to divide (against themselves) with certainty ('Duffs all have some quality)

Not 1/2 bad

greatest thing going

Rosellen brings Kate along when Owen sends for her.

"Knock off that hummming @ my premises."

"Get your face hung out to be carpenter, huh?" "Aint you a litl young." (from noise of hammering)

"Jackleg SOB left me in - bunch here."

"What - hell are you two, - Boys Town Choir?"

"Don't be taking on anything you can't back up."

"...some place where I can see - milne. Don't eat use some milne."

Bruce is bored w/ damwork until he gets a chance to dive.

"You're 1/2 way home, then" (i.e., nearly done)

Bruce & Rhonda: "It's not something we want to do in a whisper."

From p. 9 - PM to STL, winter month (Minneapolis & its neighbors)

• picture largest tree house all o' Minn

1 red brick & 100' (Minneapolis '38)

Brick

circles of wire

- red brick walls of

- glass windows of the houses, mostly into ground

- accompaniment of (Duff harmonies)

Well can only be seen from later Height 3-4
middle

stepped, jagged & deep in: longish:

of cracked brick

Did you...
Stylized (manuscript for one 7-year-old?)

- baby bantams (during Boil Strike)

We don't come around me

Morning - saloon Hugh laughs.

"Taxi dancing? Mister, they've already got that in Wheeler."

TH: calc's there's still 3500 hot-to-trot men @ 7+7
midnight; lunch, out of unlabeled tins cans - plums peach beans
around 3 in morning, TH says "This is an outside chance you guys
cd get this done. (Bruce did - see how.)" TH begins opening
closed boxes & putting stuffed animal heads on wall. &
at last, pic of FDR - a gallant leader.

What: hammer sounds are heard:

- counterpoint to pile driver @ trestleworks?
- during band breaks @ Wheeler Inn?

(TH: not in this (@ Wheeler) for long haul; wants a place where he
can see mtns. "Some place cd stand some mtns.")

Bruce thinks his head will split (from noise of hammering)

SO thought a little o (· dam?)

Like hell. (in quotes?)

plasma

Tribut (near palisade, to be a Tribut)

· scrumimage of ...

jasper - jasper

converse in ½ shout over hammering racket

From page 7. PMMs to St. L, water meant (· Missouri & its capillaries)

'Muss'ns thought they knew all o · Missai

Lindburgh & Nazis? (Munich '38)

"Decor,"

circus of noise

- cast-iron sheets of

- bass cohumps of pile drivers, reverberating into ground

- accompaniment of (Duffy's hammer)

Neil can only ½ hear conversation between Hugh & TH
addle

stupified, grotesque & deaf in · bargain;

& creakered heart

Did you...? Stay. (mannerism for one 7. women?)

· lousy bastards (during Geil Strike)

He don't come around me.

Wk of Feb. 8, '93 - do 10 pp. Bucking

Mon. rev. file cds o Duff; think how to write - women begin daily 10 pp. DATE order MHS tape o engineer listen to a tape or two

"... it's like an Old Man."

"Rop, you got job! What do you think y' doing here?"
bawled out, in flagrante: "Floor is float."

Tues. 3 pp: laying + saloon floor "Now,"

- where hammer sounds reach; reach of sound extraordinary o prairie
- 'jump of sound' fly (Bruce all bawling)

... a lot of it was bawling

"You don't carry it; any of it, do you?" (Bruce to Bruce)

Crying & going of tea-dances to Fortit.

"Confusing to our enemies" - "I think I'd know who was who and who's colonel - because he got w/ his right fist - & punched DO. up his

Wed. 2 pp: brushwork? second floor

"Can't work, you can't." "Get them off" -

wherever,

and Dugdale? Wines

"You can't tell." (Bruce teasing R's to death)

Leading song: "How's anything for a comin'" (Bruce says)

Katy went to prison

Th. 3 pp: B-L's camera, in '36? who? (Bruce (very))

famous photo's, a woman, more collages

→ She had ^{patient} richness of an artist

colonels (one 7-white colb)

captured it in hoppity-hoppity position

Darwin: "I never taught you nothing"

Fri. 2 pp: She: "You believed as if you thought so."

Nan Hill: Easter comes w/ laundry - "How can you smile?"

- "reflects on listening to Bruce & Rhonda

"You @ Ruby's?" "No. Proxy's." "Gotta-gotta, gotta" (Goddam?)

level: 17
Tues, Feb 11

Bowling

Dora: "It's different."

duds - clothes

Gray had degrees, she knew, but did Scarlet? /
'piano was going like a house afire.'

Jeezuz. It's Mother & Old Man.

"B'life, you got lost! What do you think you doing here?"

bandstand, in flying scene: "Floor is floor."

Bruce & Hugo both have "Now, " mannerism

Hugo: "Dora, love,"

Fun to see them fly (Bruce abt bowling)

Quite a lot of it was decorous.

"You don't savvy it, any of it, do you?" (Gwen to Bruce)

Comings & goings of tax-dancers to Toilet.

"Confusion to our enemies." (which in D's brain sounded like another carpet-clearing

extinct - pounded his chest w/ his right fist - & presented OO w/ his left thumb a second time.

"Seeing - insights, you two?" "As it turns out."

Wimberly.

Ansel (~~Ziggy~~? Wimberly)

"You can do this." (Gwen teaching R'n to shoot)

Blowing caps - Bruce: Anything for a commotion (Rhonda says)

Kate wondered a'times

• Tablets sisters: one ed- & one wd- (have a baby)

Winter of '36: just now over old, new wrinkles

- Jeezuz though, who does that ever end? carrying you with me + certain final scene: She had thought how to do some rifle might have been better.

But R'ellen w/ shot in - family. She, Kate, ...

Doris: "I never brought we wd."

She: "You behaved as if you thought so."

"Easter" he started - & "Easter doesn't..."

Shoots like a charm.

Bruce calls her son "buddy" "Gotscha. Gotscha-gotscha, gotscha" (tickle?)

Okay, Slick. (said jokingly to Bruce)

Wahgooldamnhoos (unenthusiastically) ^{Bruce}, he said without thulf.

Xmas gathering 7 Duffo?

Hugh was a - awl shift (@ time of picnic), sleep'g / report 7: day.
Rosellen: Miss Festidious had seat ^{dirt on her front} ^{walks} chaitgate, in her slacks & skirt.

Neil starts - right b. bar?

Rosellen is thought smooty?

Good Good, you col ^{brown} probably see two of them ^{on her} tanning like that.

Not too much ~~as~~ ^{on her} velvety, the b. because, but some, some.

→ ... wailing siren (^{started to} wonder a. science of the siln:

Randola Cafe

Shifts: midn't-8; 8-4^{a.m.}; 4-8pm

Sidarius glumped in cafe - starts to take seat beside Bruce,eller of it. ^{thinks}

spine of signs along top of walls

Butch

contraband

Have a woman - or both Rosellen & Kate - evaluate men.

"day not distant when Colia wd be an else nice
days going by o b'ful blue wings
'I'd rather die.'

interior monologues for Owen-Kate; Danis-Eader?

"Thrill me," oo said.

Kate was rooming (@ hotel) w/ a nurse?

Katydid

If you wait in woods long enough,

You get crosswise w/ that Rosellen & you'll be carrying ^{dearie} 41 mts in y^r pocket
Hex. "You're a hex."

Mo de chickenfeed

She was! going to do zms in a pickup.

They were both stiff as cardbd

Vamp.

(Neil) wished who - said that he'd (sound) Rhonda fit too late now.

"I... I don't know, a pukey thing to do."

62pp, 3/2

use of March 1-5, '93 - 15 pp. Bucking:

Mon.

kid leg @ CMR goes in ST Munt; whadup...

closing dam: Neil's run

- "That one's staying dry!"

- "We're gonna do it." (Kate's mom)

- "How do they know?" "Well leg, too." "More when you get back up." (Kate's mom)

"Now, I see they are"

"What are you, burns?"

"Not sure we must eat like ours, but anything."

Tues.

rework Mon. & add to both scenes, to get 6 pp.

tributaries of dirt, gravel & rock. (again, lost two lines)

hypnotic / war zone

all small

"Same to work."

"To sit another girl of ours instead, or some alone driving, before. Two of them had themselves back out @ 4 am. This is not ^{more} morning.

Kate's head almost tough, when she (example: ^{older} ^{strong} truck).

Wed.

sheriff turned out of office after W/gate

for PI 'wet trip?

Neil & Kate 1st date? Tell it from Kate's pt of view

morning church (1st part of a couple)

aware of man; long arc of slice; Neil driving against it on Hwy 2

English

"That's unlikely." (from your momma)

Th. Sn Center name, ^{daughter of?} girl in car in PI'd?

My car can't hold any more Duff."

grip like a monkey would (Bruce, or Darwin)

name to me: (Adam) Kang

Toff from St. Andrew

Dinner.

Fri.

were 2 turns

"The we were trouble."

Spain in '86?

"What's next?" (in down condition)

15 lines

Kate's crush: ^{hmm?} ~~what~~ ^{uh-huh} ~~hm~~

"Where'd you learn to dance?" ^{Nimble girl, I presume all night} "Grade school." "Mrs. Ralley?"

"Grade school, come on"

"I do" want to be a nuisance." (Kate to Gwen)

"Changed my mind a bit b⁴, too." "Mm. When you get tired of it, ^{it's me} get another."

"Mm, & I am they are

What we want, surely?

"Not sure she meant at the time, but anyway."

Neil decided he kind of liked that crush.

She had that index finger of hers out again, but ^{she} was ^{some} rising
in a sinuous little rising wave like a column of smoke. You could
almost smell it.

"Seems to work."

To us another pair of been invited, & some closer dancing, before two of
them put themselves back out @. & much, trying out ^{some} ~~a~~ ^{some} ~~passing~~ ^{regarded} ^{clumsy} ~~pass~~.

Kate's head cleared, though, when she ^{regarded} ^{clumsy} contemplated ^{great} truck.
dumb bunny.

So, it devolved on OG.

"Bad, then...,"

"I'll do you good." "I do" want good done to me," OG grumbled.
miniature crush... 1st perk of a coffee pot.

Traverse of sun; long arc of slice; Neil driv'g agnst it on Hwy 2
Enrich:

"That's deadly." (Darius spot narcissism)

Dence Harrison - Doozy

"My claws can't hold any more Duffs."

grip like a monkey wrench (Bruce, or Darius?)

name to me: (Adam) Keay?

Toff from St. Andrews...

Dunce.

wave & turn

"There was some trouble."

Spain in '36?

"What's rush?" (on dam construction)

12pm
Wk of March 8 - 12 - 12pp. Bucking? use file cds

Tues Toston bridge memory: Rosellen?

Neil trucking?

Jamal had been a biker, a long hair biker -
anything that paid you well.

Darren: black fire of desire

"father of song" (i.e. religion, communion of experiencing)

"sing with you" (i.e. A situation)

"Long live, ^{the} Darren to sing!"

"Know a father... I'd just come money boy."

"You are dead twice."

"old man"

Darren: "factory, factory, jones, ticket"

Wed. Plenty wood radicalism? - guitars? like Easter?

- do it during trials in Tim Harry's car. (Darren: "Are you free?")

Darren: "I'll help you, angel, if I can mount..."

You can do more what you like." (meaning less)

"I need some leisure myself, now & again."

"Easter don't go down a list w/ me!"

Thur. Red funeral;

Fri

Darius as salvo?
you watch,

squanch - "Demetri will squanch him.

Jerome had been a (Wob, a bank hse lawyer -
anything that paid for a radical in..

Ronan: black fire of dreams

· faiths of some bds: religion, communism & engineering

"I'm with you" (i.e., I understand)

"Long time," ^{Weggie} Darius to Meg

"Knew a fellow... I'd put some money by."

"These are dread times."

· dole

Darius: "tactics"; Easter jones? "tic-tac"

Darius learns to drive in: spittoon: hires Easter?

- she is tearing tricks in Tom Harry's car. (Darius: "Are you his?")

Darius: "I + wd help w/ employmt... if I was married."

"You can do much what you like." (marriage terms)

"I need some leeway myself, now & again."

"Easter, don't go down a bit w/ me."

Cap. 1-2, '93: 4 pp.

story in Wiggle defeat

Dory; Petra/Pet? *(was jaded)*

FDR dam visit?

Bruce: holding

"Are you kidding?" "No. I'm mine." (Darius mtg Easter)

"I'm not much one for driving it in vehicles."

Fri: resume Darius mtg Easter *(Candy)*

- married 'part (name it?)

- borrows TH's car *(nothing police believe of his age)*

- "Here's for 3 goes."

- "You're a dreadful housekeeper." (you know.)

- "Brutal."

Darius

~~affection~~
~~the end will be~~

21 Ready work going

- Open pictures in room *(Candy)*

- You hold things local

- Blue laundry

Fri

wk of April 5-9, '93 - 14 pp. Browsing

Mon.

- Duff's come to Ft. Peck (use file cds)
- establish Hugh & Meg, Bruce, Neil
- as much dialogue as possible (use file cds)

afternoon: read Clydeside (signed)

• Dennis' life as hammerblow?

Tues. Dennis: how to harness that (crowds)

- shards of memory
- shiver them - give them a slice (hitting police bala w/ lead pipe)
- if you got in just whack; pipe with an elbow it

"You're right, they'd be only too glad to."

• fly's spread

Dennis

affidavit

Wed. his lead-pipe level

• avoid: Defense of Religion by "haha-with-the-Coolies"

instead of "Sticks & Stones"

4 - United Books founders: "Wusses"

5 - Clyde Workers' Com'tee

6+ - next state

55 - "Down the line"

Th.

Plenty wood jewelry

- African platters in - dusk (antelope)

- "Yr wood camp, John!"

Bolshevik bandit

62 - account of "slashing of causing others to slash"

63 - shipwrights hauled before munitions court

Fri.

71 - lead pipe

72 - "it's for a good object" (purpose)

77 - "fields of death were hungry"

82 - "A never met you equal for..."

Gallacher

- 2 - half-holiday
- 3 - "not far wrong"
- 6 - (specious) were of a character that...
- 7 - got sack
 - "working by": provisioning a ship
- 13 - "on-stores" (out of work?)
- 15 - miners' 8-hr day victory in W. Fife
- 19 - list of socialist agitation o. Clyde @ WWI outbreak
- 20-1 John MacLean, Marxist leader
- 21 - "war against war-makers"
- 23 - "There's profit in blood."
- 25 - Plante: IWW song book
- 26 - De Leonism: "petty bourgeois" socialism
- 27 - "workers have no country. I'm finished w/ you."
- 32 - list of unions o. Clyde
- 38+ - strike @ Cathcart's over Amm engineers
- 42 - Clyde Strike of Feb. 1915
- 43 - avoiding Defence of Realm Act by "Labor-Withholding Com'tee"
instead of "Strike Com'tee"
- 47 - United Brassfounders: "Brassies"
- 52 - Clyde Workers' Com'tee
- 52+ - rent strike
- 55 - "Down tools"
- 56 - spk g platforms: newspaper posters held on 6 men's shoulders
 - "white w/ apprehension"
- 57 - "pull dn G lasgaw"
- 60 - OO said things to himself.
- 62 - accused of "slacking or causing others to slack"
- 63 - shipwrights hauled before munitions court
- 71 - lead pipe
- 74 - "it's for a god object" (purpose)
- 77 - "fields of death were hungry"
- 82 - "I never met yrs equal for..."

v Bucking, wk of June 14-18:

review MHS pic

plan character sketches, or revealing scenes w/ dialogue
find ways to turn plot to: Owen & Kate's affair

Bruce's nervousy

"invitation w/ Easter"

W-Th-Fri: sketch out next 2 wks of writing

candidates; FDR @ - dam in '37? (overview of dam progress?) political situation?

- more details of slide (Trib & O'gall stories)

- arithmetic of men in slide

- more details of closure of dam?

- continue Duff's lug. farm/startng @ H Peak

- winter of '36: more details & plot turn?

- cutting ice (Bruce)

- Dennis (indoor work?)

- more narrative of LIFE camera

- Owen & Kate w/ Neil after slide

Tues: more on slide - Owen finding Neil

- Neil in hospital?

"They were all there
headlining ("had me some...")

language of children

"He's got that down cold."

affixed silence

"Tell me what you..."

case of diamonds

"Can't if I know..."

ring finger (Easter's?)

• core pool (as metaphor?)

Bruce's holdup: like being (covered) in diving suit?

- Darius: "I gave a shout." (to Neil)

- You cd-' even believe & sh when she said hello(?)

- E: last name Duff, or just dur'- we one?

- Those who did did so one by one:

like wading thru fudge (Easter, o talk'g to Kate?)

slut (^{Meg?} someone thinks of Easter as, or calls her)

someone ride - running 'ol of Kittrell's car?

Gwen runs west out onto dam as slide happen (be in him, ^{& there})

- or up onto crest?

Darius studies - blueprints on wall, learns eng'ning of dam.

� now up. (Someone to Bruce)

- Bruce o Wedg boats, when he meets Darius
hissy fit

a sweet morning

They none of them knew...

hardware ("hand me some...")

bumps of chill...

"He's got that down cold."

affixed silence

"Tell me s'thing new."

core of dismal

"Christ if I know."

June 29-30 July 1-2 - (3rd) : 6 pp? plan 3 wks of July writing?

- 3 Duff sons' reaction to Darwin?

Wed:

- gift of steam engine

- glacier of cold & index of transparency and water clarity etc.

- size of community akin to Old folks?

- size up, up they'd all been living for

- article of faith (among engineers)

- huge number more were easier than forming

- people: Castelli?

- crossing slopes

- location

- what's made it

- "I thought you were feeling good"

- "I ain't bad if you think so... you got another chick coming?"

- know ^{the} way out of some one, why don't he

- across the pitted up New Hill?

- we'll help when time's come

The last few days

Queen

Ashley-macCallum, Kangaroo question

- Spitsbergen, going to a cruise. What are those 3 little mites
but what's a mother?

- New Hill didn't like lots of snow, not at all,

- believe you're - getting fit, you

- though you're having a permit

- things are being

- off for land

- too late now for idleness

- fairly absent of Duffus

- free ^{was} ^{now} ^{now}

so, try grand of himself

to stand alone of himself

You'd think he was nothing else

Things do it in in too, don't they?

winter snow

Mar 20-25 1973: (33) : P.H. 3000 ft. of land mapped.

Wk of July 5-9, '93: 10 pp., winter of '56

Mon - 2 pp. alone o spillway siding gravel cars

Tues, 1 more p. " " " " " ?

- glacier of cold: colors & thermometer readings its cutting edges
- sense of community akin to old rules?
- '36 w. yr they'd all been dig for
- article 1/10th (among engineers)
- Hugh realized smo was easier than farming
- Jacobs: Washelli?
- rigging slinger
- "just us"
- "What's more,"
- "I thought you were" feeling good."
- "I ain't. But if you think ... you get another think coming."
- ~~Kunch~~ got his way out of smo one, why don't he
- Bruce has /ited w/ Nan Hill?
- "We'll help. river blow it's nose."

The lumber never

Quinn,

What she macallum, Kenyon or Question

- Smithereens, ran in B's mind. What are those? Little smitters,
but what's a smitter?
- Nan H did. lots of smo, not at all,
- Ev'body ws young - picking up, floaty eyes
- temporary ws becoming permanent
- He equally ^{hoped} washed..
- J.L. fine-boned
- For 1st time J.L. mad angry.
- family climate of Duffs... (Doffs)
- " map

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OO, ekg pleased w/ himself.

b. closed stream of himself

You'd think he ws cutting diamonds..

People do it in igloo, don't they?

winterama

Clouds

Wk of July 12-16, '93: 10pp.

Mon. continue w/ ice dam?

? Wed (3 pp) → Glacier of cold air

Thu - Sun 1993.7.17-21
- continue trying for answer

- not only snow & wind but winds from east
- full of it when you're home

- going to last

- left door to garage almost close, except that he
- wanted to make sure that you do

- something below

- tries to turn a borrowed truck out of gear

- Father goes to his Uncle (Duffy)

- Uncle says "The action of last night took from (Uncle)

- didn't say anything to happen & go point

man. → - beyond measure, something & like fate; justice

(Uncle) this morning, turns into a gear, in accident run-in - I
- went off by himself to do it; breaking b. long hair of

- hair brother if he'd had a pastoral wrong

- but fell out of his bed against - gear of b. to

- iron spike of a belt (or you - taught or)

that other morning looked of nothing

- - Duffy immediately informed of - faultiness of Duffy

- - Dennis was Duffy

- - it has hit the will of God hard

- - God for looks (getting him in stage; or if pulling up -
- consequences behind him)

- - That made his blood run cold

- - he said

- - He has straight as hard as he knows how

- - very strict son place

- - with strictness

- - stopped

July 19 - 30, '93: 15 pp. (1936: Joe & Fire)

distance - thermometer mercury traveled that year

July 15, '36: employment peaked @ 10,500 (Easter & business)

• ingredients of Duff's...

Th. → Sheriff, 1991 II

- considered buying for nurse
- not only threw in towel, but whole linen closet.
- half of it was still in a fine day
- fire of his hate
- Wd' have had damned hip replacement alone, except that he wanted to show (up) that young dr.
- resolved into (^{dam} i.e., never became)
- tries to knock a borrowed truck out of gear
- Easter dies her hair blonde (Proxy!)
- Double for some reason, sheriff any other or Dual suicide? The notion of that is holier than (murder).
- He chose a way for it to happen @ gunpoint

Mon. → ↴ - beyond accident, something + like fate: justice

- (Sheriff tries knocking truck out of gear, in simulated run-in-truck)
- went off by himself to do it; took him b. loony bin 4...
- been better if he'd had a partner (woman)
- beat hell out of his hip against gearshaft knob
- chose far side of a hill (to park truck on)

That little shrimp bastard of a sheriff...

- sheriff unwillingly fascinated w/ - familiness of Duff's
- hummock under 16/
- Put him sat b. middle of dashboard...
- Go-for-broke (putting truck o. slope; as if piling up consequences behind him)
- That made his blood run cold.
- In dark.
- He had shrappled as hard as he knew how
Meg sat her in her place
- w/ with petrifying ease.
- stupefied

10-20 1933 (age: 90 days)

• Set Svc: those bony
- dark glasses -

Here he was, just trying to hold Valley County (to standards) proper
w a few lamebrain undersheriffs of his own, methla

• high school bond... whumped into "Hail to the Chief"

Sheriff watches Rutt get into braces etc. (-in eyes meet?)

Proxy - Roxie. Savannah Rosanna

"Picked it up I don't remember where"

She mulled a moment & close: "Savannah"

person at
dance a reel to that.

I'll reel you dance

Kleptocrat Kleptocrat

Sheesh.

How... get this blood? Sufficient milk & clean living.

She determinedly never thought of it as stealing.

There were people to mention, maybe a majority of them, who didn't even know FDR was a polio cripple.

It's not to be built big. Let's be built fast."

They didn't

don't cut any figure that I can see."

That now they'd had to come (Sheriff, or I didn't a ride?)

- on down to the next town to a bank or two

big dent of

W+D.

begin w/

Day one 0 000

for Owen was

when he had...

got out & chopping

big old.

Buckling

(d- be clearer than that.

oscillation of river

Don't get drastic, here. All's I want to know is, does she...
hoop snake

"You're all wet." (wrong)

Kinnickinnick! Little manie...

How - hell come you did... ^{tell some or us.} ~~tell me~~ Me, just for one, and
... never went in for that

Still got sleep worth a damn

Am's + Wanted w/ sound off

'g big eventual

outing to lake: only thing Sheriff will go to
- grandchild's eye

does Danus simply like (political) mischief?

haultime (Neil's trucking)

catch fire ("He'll catch fire, one of these days")

Bruce, talkin' one

"Got to be built big, Got to be built fast."

"Yeah, studmuts."

"... doesn't cut any figure that I can see."

That mess they'd had last mo. (Sheriff, ca., obliquely a 'side?')

- on dam, he was past mess... to e. bank of river.

by dint of

Wood,

begin w/

"Day one @ FHP

for Owen was...

Where he had...

... other wd b chopping
big oct.

Nail & eclipse

blinded o. eye (b. eye ball itself?)

hot wire of green (berbrine); tried to see
tape - eye out

runny green, green heated as if it had light inside. Sunlight,
green o to ignite (on its way to red ... yellow)

Am Her p 1341 - spectrohelioscopy

He'd heard of people going blind from looking into an eclipse, but
figured it was just a story, like cream o canned peaches being fatal
- best he could think of was that it was in one eye instead of both,
he'd must have

skin (of eye); was getting a sunburn?

eyeball within eye

larva(l) green excitement -

- Run faster than ever because they were afraid of getting hit

Phoenix: Not as an incoming bird (Dorothy thinks)

Dorothy sticks up for Dorothy because Mag doesn't like her
Dorothy gets drunk wif Hugh

Mag gives Dorothy an alibi for Mag's absence

(a) to get Hugh to look out wif Mag

Dorothy: Hurts

They had got a truck out of their car to bring stuff
around

Brown eyes and have a strong accent (other than a weird awful place)
protecting house wif parentheses
clean-cut

The brown hair things

• very little just out of tooth

• brown eyes and Dorothy. They recognized nothing b cause she
wasn't wearing it last (3L)

Dorothy used lying (Dorothy lies under fire")

pain b patient

Buckling

Hugh to Meg: "You knew a sma., did you." (dam; Owen's letter)

"What was gain, have been?" (what it has gained)

Rosellen shown kindly after Owen's

stuff didn't know about a married life

Neil to Owen: "I need to talk to you a s'thing. A business proposn."

Bruce & Neil twins?

- "You two - are you twins or what?"

- "Some of each."

"See Zue, Mother -

"Don't."

That was part of excitement -

- I'm tired now when Owen was bone-tired, distracted, back ^{attracted him}

Rhonda: flat as an ironed bed (Rosellen thinks)

Rosellen sticks up for Proxy because Meg doesn't like her

Darius gets drunk w/ Hugh:

(a) to give himself an alibi for frequent absences

(b) to put Hugh in bad light w/ Meg

Birdlife Hunch.

They had put a trivial amt of beer (anemic amount stuff)
eggnog

Bruce does not have a diving accident (bottom 7:1 seemed to fit place
protecting himself w/ parentheses
slim - ankles)

She knew some things

• black hills just east of Tucson ^{Moments like this,}
they was sma. o Owen & Rosellen. They magnified s'thing to each other.
• weather softened at last ('56)

Proxy tried lying (Darius: "Liar, liar... curtain fire.")
pain b. patient

Buckings, Nov. 9, 10 & 12, '93; 7 pp. determined
haughty; coping: mercunial?

- Tues. Nov. 9: • Tellest sisters - describe: slim-angled, OO girls
- Rosellen, 3 yrs older, did much of raising of Kate
- Rosellen "in hairdressing field" @ Ft Peck? (as her mother was)
- " cold go haughty (given $\frac{1}{2}$ a chance)

Rosellen, determined to leave behind deterioration they'd grown up in.

wed. Nov. 10: Toston/ Missouri R. descripn?

- unempt, t of all econ'ly ^{cause in contact with her b...)}
- began dwindling min. after it had been [cleaned up.]

Bucking Sun

POLYP

"~~tre~~- you. clever whore." (Hugh to Darius)

drunk as a goat in a vat

What's this Hitler?

Darius calls Jackie "fock"

Why ~~any~~ whatever for?

(Hugh to Siderius)

"Let me get my feet under me, a minute. You're telling me..."

It came down - tunnels of ^{his (Owen's)} mind (twilight process like Missouri dingo) between acts of pain.

fairy gold

knee as pony

Missouri: tides of pld

up to his lower lip in trouble (Bruce "u" content under he's...)

Proxy: "appx - what, how can we say

"Not on a bet." "Not even if you paid me by mile."

"You're a lovely ^{bitter} bear." (Darius to Proxy)

Proxy cd he as fast as a horse cd trot.

"habit of ending a lie. "So, you see?"

grubber. what is it (clutch)

"I'll give you an aff/gatory, right enough."

"Alarming people, Americans."

Darius learns abt B's robbery from Teyser?

we can generally find some law

Not as out - & - out titanic,

Weed: 6 lines added

"What are you on about?"

Proxy: "You can't run me like a toy."

Owen contemply suicide @ spilway: Darius had been to him. (judges)

3mo bunch are clueless. (Darius, abt lack of unions @ F+P)

There are times when I feel all beat to hell, Hugh. (Hugh)

Tripping them up. (from a piece of land (Hugh to Harry))

Pale words

wild wind (ground blizzards)

splendiferous

Enterprise was - fever, mental epidemic for H.P., When, ND, So Deal...
pay ya' money - That fixes my money.

letter for how to get + build a n't. Duff h' holds wrote
People who did' have (a dome) going into winter of '33-'4,
went into 1934-5 w/ jobs & hopes. new visions of themselves.
juggling

' world seemed to be a matter of choosing up sides, so she was perfectly
willing to.

She cd ck them under table.

Rockily Jockey

Meg outraged me & passes w/ baby.

? Jeanine / pen Kit?
... He was taller than average, & thinner than
... thin except b. head

Nob. O cd' wait. "Usually it really knows."

Poohy good. (Pretty good)

Wed begin → "See it yet?" "Starting to."

- corps like placed w/ themselves.

Who's genius who...

spectrum: white sketches; blueprints; browns & grays of dredging;
green of grass o' dam

Conrad Sangster - C'mon, Con.

That won't bad, - that won't good.

Herbert G damn & cover himly

' scuspin / scrim

younglass: run am' enjoy concept down on... (dry soil sorts out)
' skin of dam

Française: enamored (skin?)

at least we hav' gone to scat'sation.

day by ate by month, - dam upore.

10 yrs to learn to farm a piece of land (Hugh & Hoots)

Fale words.

silver wind (ground blizzard)

Bucking: 25 pp. needed, Nov. 23-Dec. 17 '95

more o Owen's 1st bk @ damsite

Hugh & Meg sorting out P attitudes

Owen & Rosellen in Bayeman

transition to Neil & Bruce

Owen & others (Blue Room etc.)

expand Meg's visit to Blue Eagle

Bruce & diving

marriages

portrait of dam work

Depression (had just found its name)

Darius' arrival

threat Darius bgn'd same P story chapter? (Doris make)

more o Plentywood politics

some predicament that logically leads into Crawford's death

1936: have a composite tone to the ch.

separate a graft book (but no Janybody to write it, and
scattered)

Crawford's son lost of mind capacity

Darius hit @ Owen - he got away with it

Die family moment - Darius went to jail

newspaper pointed

"Crawford house" = house was beat sound, & gave it a glaze

Slats

wiggle first slot; too short

not good

A lot of bolt, not much of either

"I like either, or I'll have both." (Doris)

living shabby - what we have to live shabby

propaganda

a hammer showing each hammer later time (up/in truck scene)

5
3
4
3

It was as if some dam had never killed anybody before. (reaction) ^{misfit crew's}
- use in sheriff/blackback?

I mean?

"Can't, can you? 'way up high built?" - "Don't care."

Moseller, long-had young driver, ... who has kept a dangerous driving record ^{on him so fast he had}
Shit no, he hot' signed up, she knew. ^{were aware.}

ambulance - Ma will be pissed off

On other hand, such as it was, some LP had never shown

Say please, w/ sugar on it.

Verbal in an upper

~~I~~ I let you... promise not to come back?

his hellhole of a closet

~~A~~ Highway trap to dam

They hung together, ones that we left. Closed ranks.

"This always a wind." (He didn't help her @ her if she was a fool.)

~~shy~~ mouthed little nerve

poor little old devil

She / rammed around...

~~I~~ prints a gearshift knob (~~At had~~ everybody b. world's, on it) ^{were}
scrub loose

Owen's spacious forehead of good capacity

Darius: hit @ Owen - take some away from him,

Die facing moment - Darius says o Prince?

~~no~~ cycle arrested

"Owen's not home." ~~I~~ heard how that sounded, & gave S a glare.

Stats

~~keeping~~ the faces flat, too flat

that jag-off.

A little of both, not much of either.

"I like either, so I'll have both." (Rosellen)

living shabby. ... that we have to live shabby.

Jackalorum

^{timesworn} a timespin, showing each character later time (w/in truck scene.)

Boyzn: Yoruba

Two + sons @ once

You a doubly adept midwife. But you do! And bring one o' May Day).
Indeed of peasant capacity

Not much better than baby mice. same pink; squinty eyes

"They look like mice." "Eh?... Yes, they do like mice.

... he not scantly if not honestly.

and have to tell her... mouse-like

She had seen some man drunk as a shank o' main st of Roy not
a mo. ago

birds in rain... Can't o' a crutin... Don't know, bunch... & did,
drab; flowers

"Buggers think they're funny." (B'cuse, without reason). "Just 'cause a man

By Joseph

"You can't pack them around until they're grown, you'd better set ya mind

Bridie / Biddy

Do it out for yourself

wet nurse

Nevian pays their way (dug down) - This a man up some valley...

or a wife. That Not good, that."

High as drunk for 2nd time in 2 wks

... release. Where in the supposed to get here? one time she'd even
so much as (flinched)... they caught him at.

Swinging 'em right out of henhouse... classical style. Not just once, either
confidit in adm'n.
Scads.

radio reception

human material is problem.

Some s' glacier time!

What a holy confusion was (some mat'l of) family,

and this by yr side.

rust-bucket in shipbedg (Lang's father)

"Let my right hand forget her cunning." - cack-handed
spare & spirituous (common in theory?)

Boyzman: Yoremite

Darius: Geography. Goddamn geography, geog was waste of Amca,
great fat spaces ... stopped names on (Glasgow)
"Just canoodling, a little" were we taking
patient. up facins D. ^{much} ^{held} ^{bacring}
... river's unblinking monumental pool: ^{face} ⁱⁿ ^{pool}
→ The river's story (language has to carry 3 mo sections) ^{acter} ^{impossible} ^{before} tongue &
Meg turned savage o scHn
... while he & Darius worked plots.
in a mere year (Hugh w/ babies)
^(Hugh) & tried
He ^{had} to think when it wld have happened. (Darius & Meg)

Bible verse: Matt 7:36 a man's foes shall be they of his own' fold

Charlene / Shanl
Sciist!

Charlene o Darius: strange duck.

Hugh: throwing-away gestures ... "I don't know... I don't."
"Thi be a story-th!" - location
... cape icing

That's what looking and w/ oo wil get you.

→ 100 days @ 3pp./day
skip-thinking
rwst - backer

Ft. Peck bar: we all touching seen in - Blue Coyote?

Clear-eyed, oo said:

Do it decent-like, can't you?

"I'd give all I have, for that."

"As well you might."

, I tell you,

but what - godmn hell was a smitter?

Very damn nice.

sweet young lip (of nurse) sugarwhite (in uniform)

'94 Bucking work:

100 days @ 3 pp/day, Jan - June

3-4 interviews / correspondence

session(s) w/ Van Raasen?

listen to oral his. tapes, I might w?

July - Aug. in Montana?

- July 4, Polbridge?

- wk @ MHS

- wk or 2, Ft. Peck area

- Glasgow

- Schwindens?

- month in Boyeman?

- have ms scanned into computer?

Labor Day - home to Seattle

Sept. - put ms on computer

Jan. 3-7, '94.

possibilities: sheriff scenes

Siderius & Duff: grasshoppers?

- "I felt an obscure impulse to cry"
- "At y'd had yr season, y'd know I already told you..."
- This was Xmas when H had to be hit calm - eyes up
- alpacists
- Why does Eastone need to be hardest?
- unloaded on him
- ping of g'pns bouncing off federal car...

w/ due diligence, OC (listened to OC) ^{conclusively?}
Bruce didn't like looks of (some) candidates?

- "wasn't sure who his 'own'" had come from.
on face of it

from w'-skinning,

(Hugh) had Siderius w/ from bank. (pasty-faced guy in a tie ^{w/ in} what else ^{on top})
Banana oil.

He could see she was keyed up (so sitting; o some)

There. (Meg)

'for end of field at pickup, — S forced himself
w/ on those boys when last gun in Chi started going away.
Jokes w/ tail.

w/ + of no private amusement.

sugar-tit bird

tip of soil

that guy had not been a good idea.

"First off, I'm new on offici—"

put that up the damn map of

gov't trapper

never so slyly

idle rich - You can't catch a pal.

we → See God been tryng (to cope) w/ Duff men all her life &
for once, some perfect one, she wanted ('demolition made ^{easy})
one (son) and go, & she knew which.
All in all, it was a hell of an afternoon.

Gwen's parcel.

'next thing you know, we'll be living like people.
Brought by a stir of breeze
every possible stem of alfalfa
banana-oil: stink(y), stench, pervasive - burn clothes when done.
What can you do w/ people like this?

No sign of it yet on poor bastard, anyway.
Watch

6. 1/1d, - happens were an instant blessing.

- machineries of love. (He thought all...)

Emil Near

00 ^{unerring} us in ~~seep~~ picker @ society's scales.

- "He can be ^{deviliishly} gullibly solitary, our Gwen." (Mug to Chlene)

- Cline nibbled... & thought.

not a peacock ^{because} to his name.

She saw Hugh's arm drop from (its affective rest on 'pencepot)
For right now, that'll do.

ascends

Non Hell in future? (move to Eng Arts - Hells next door packing up)

- new's story addies back then unimaginable age

swim - swim of things

If Takes 1 to Ans 1.

So who hell ar you? Torn 7. Limbo last?

- voice right...

'Kid was green as a pool table

Darius had encouraged scorching crater before...

"You're storying again." (D to Piercy?)

video thoughts along w/ family dialogue

Burn of his self-taking away domestic care of "Harrower"

Gwen hit her upper-hand, palm right side of head (clearing off)

Jan. 10 - 14, '94

Pair of wind jammers. They deserve each other.

morning houseboat: ~~any~~ body can rock a boat on water. How are you? ^{dry land}

→ Owen's parcel: bucking out willows

→ Rosellen arrives, spring of '34? (My big sister)

→ more on women's bar-fight; ~~Dance~~, he roared... ^{women a bit} sulkily; men each ^{each}

→ Meg - Charlene conversation ~~do we fit control~~

Moogy

"Enough."

"No." "Not yet."

(Getting two family together) we use herding calls.

Moogy: Men. If only. Cowboys w/ so delicious in bed.

Bruce always thinks he can get away w/ it.

Bruce & Rhonda call Meg G'ma (because of Jackie)

Charlene wants Owen to climb past.

"Are you scared of Mark?" "Not as anybody I've ever traveled with."

They ate themselves silly.

Using water to move soil (Gatum; Seall hills; mining)

- hydraulic as a wonder.

That alpha seed of yours.

"People are just making a place for themselves."

It's going to take some sneaking past - M-T Down Co.

"What's mo o wall?" (daylight showing them

full of family dialogue)

use course of river to tell legend stories (Owen & Charlene, Callahan)

- use family usages as analogous to rivers?

- shift into this from sheriff's ^{up} ingre receipt?

Characters to launch in Missouri ch.

Interior thoughts along w/ family dialogue

Bruce & his risk-taking carry dramatic arc of Missouri ch?

Owen hit him over-handed, palm against side of head (bear cuff)

• dam #s

- Day by work month, cut-off wall,

• river's story gathers out of (time's) clouds

A do-^s want to

Don't let me crimp yr style.

Fri. - flood?

- official motion behind dam w/o fd control.

Progs - They're in w/ their diets

Bacon/Bacon

read about

• Blue

Blue Eagle (youth is full) - with blue eagle by Oct '23?

Our left & coming, starting?

Whales spring up

comes to wait. "If he (blue) comes this up, and the blue

continued - what's going to happen? I think it's just

that will allow

one of big/large ones, very tall, down inside

comes - goat Chey (Not recognize?)

Think like "water."

10 times they had bullet them - entire interior w/ water

Blue cd- have been bigger if he'd had fire

Rho, long

• winter (3-4) wait in... (advice, trapping work, saving)

Then winter

No (Chey) say I board

instead a work out

Two Geronimo

"That's a soft place you're asking."

"You're here ahead of - having."

This site - dam (Sed - you can't sink the water)

generalized survey

Stay down (5 targets to fit?)

"All right, Chey cat."

Yeah. Rags - friends is all we need today, you bet.

Jan. 19-21, '94

Bruce gets in trouble o. job: Owen cuffs him? - shoots saddle into tree top

3 pp family dialogue w/ interior thoughts

'US come from farm

Rosellen in stereo pool, typing checks

"Under my wings ev' thing prosper, song & got speckled bird,
jackanapes

Proxy: They all think w/ their clerks.

Bruce/Bruiser

whole shitarea

• Mass

Blue Eagle (possible book title) - NRA blue eagle by Oct '33?

Owen slept (during pln-laying?)

Wheeler springs up

Owen to Neil: "If he (Bruce) comes this up, push him b. river."

cottonwood - woodpile - size of haystacks / steamboat woodhows

start ball rolling

game of tag / ring around - now / tiddlydamn winds

Siberius - gov't Chevy (Neil recognizes?)

"Think like water."

10 lines
15 lines
to go
6 Panama they had bulled them - entire isthmus w/ water sliced

Bruce cd- have been happier if he'd had fins.

"Rhee, hon,"

winter ('33-4) went in... (chores, bapping word, acuity)

Viper winter

He (Owen) lay & burned.

without a word said.

Frank Greenman

"That's a daff price you're asking."

"You're here ahead of housing."

Think like dam. (Should have been thinking like water)

generalized envy

jiltney down (G largesse to #17)

"all right, Chevy cat."

Yeah. Jiggle-fannin' is all we need to do, you bet.

you're going to tell me.

~~more like~~

Jan. 24 - 28 '94 - 15 pp.

Charlene arrives

Grimwade (name for a person)

Meg's role @ Ft Peck; cooks @ clinic? hotel?

- Hugh had hoped they'd left some trouble behind them in Scotland.

Rosellen in stone pool

- business "college"

- typing checks

Dorion @ 1st lives in barracks was Meg cooks; Hugh begins walking her home

- trumpet - beams of sunlight

- arc of story: as dam comes together, Duffs come apart

→ take Mondays (thru end of Feb.) for rewriting & thinking

He was immune to tact. (common sense) - "What tell you, immune to..."

Bruce started case in shack that burnt up.

- never ^{be} a time like it in her life again.

→ Carteret ferry; Rhonda's grandmother - legend

They didn't so much die as simply could dwindle.

5 line gain

Wed. →
(start 130p/
Tues.)

fly cooks/Meg

Scotland & So Heaven

What compels love?

starchy

• kite of Owen (... tried herself to...)

honorary Saturday

Susan. Close to revere.

^{a bit} high-spirited, yes

You cd hang ~~on~~ ^{anywhere} if it'll hang on a hand-on.

she said, Yes regardless it before she even finished sentence.

"That floors me. A never thought..."

"Yeah. Nutter-yeller - you know how he goes on."

This one of that comes by for coffee & 00.

Owen wrapped him

pp.

The Missouri ch.: to be done, as of Jan 31, '94

1 1/2

opening: river

- keep it short?

Tues → 2

grasshopper poisoning

• Copper mine

4

Owen on Bluff

23

Charlene

pp. The Missouri ch. 1 to be done
6 clearing brush

4 Corps of river

2 saloon / bar

1 Plaza & Boule

3 May & Wheeler

PP. The Missouri ch.: To be done
4 Neil training

4/ Charlene arrives

2 Rhonda & Bruce

overview of dam work?

pp.

The Missouri ch. To be done

Rosellen & Neil

2 Bruce diving