

AUDITION SIDE #2 Miss Gulch, Uncle Henry, Dorothy, Aunt Em

MISS GULCH: Mr. Gale! Mr. Gale! I want to see you and your wife right away! It's about Dorothy

UNCLE HENRY: Dorothy? Well, what has Dorothy done?

MISS GULCH: What's she done? I'm all but lame from the bite on my leg!

UNCLE HENRY: You mean she bit you?

MISS GULCH: No, her dog!

UNCLE HENRY: Oh, she bit her dog, eh?

MISS GULCH: No! That dog's a menace to the community. I'm taking him to the sheriff and make sure he's destroyed.

DOROTHY: Destroyed? Toto? Oh, you can't! You mustn't! Aunt Em! Uncle Henry! You won't let her, will you?

UNCLE HENRY: Of course, we won't. Will we, Em?

DOROTHY: Please, Aunt Em, Toto didn't mean to. He didn't know he was doing anything wrong. I'm the one that ought to be punished. I let him go in her garden. You can send me to bed without supper!

MISS GULCH: If you don't hand over that dog, I'll bring a damage suit that'll take your whole farm! There's a law protecting folks from dogs that bite!

AUNT EM: How would it be if she keeps him tied up? He's really gentle, with gentle people, that is.

MISS GULCH: Well, that's for the sheriff to decide. Here's his order allowing me to take him. Unless you want to go against the law.

AUNT EM: Now, we can't go against the law, Dorothy. I'm afraid poor Toto will have to go.

MISS GULCH: Now you're seeing reason.

DOROTHY: I won't let you take him! You go away, you! Oooh! I'll bite you myself!

AUNT EM: Dorothy!

DOROTHY: Uncle Henry, Auntie Em, don't let 'em take Toto! Don't let her take him, please!

AUNT EM: Put him in the basket, Henry.

DOROTHY: Oh, don't, Uncle Henry. Please! Please don't!

UNCLE HENRY: We can't be against the law, Dorothy.

DOROTHY: You're nothing but a wicked old witch! (EXIT)

AUNT EM: Almira Gulch, just because you own half the county doesn't mean you have the power to run the rest of us! For 23 years, I've been dying to tell you what I thought of you! And now...well... being a Christian woman, I can't say it!