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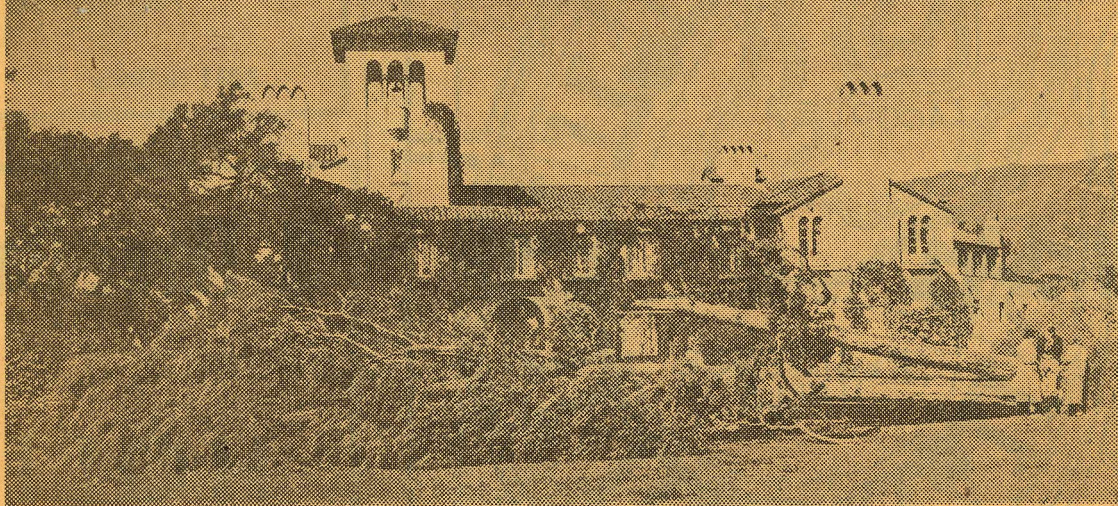
Dearsh -

This happened yesterday in a fierce gale -
It cutrendip right - It
looks as though it had had
very little root spread &
hold -

A nice letter for Mr
Beillard who looks forward
to see you -

Yours fond

Trix



THIS 75-FOOT tree, known as the "Casa Dorinda Cypress," which was used as the frontispiece on Maunsell Van Rensselaer's "Trees of Santa Barbara" was toppled at the Montecito School for Girls. The historic tree with five trunks received its title from the estate of Mrs. William H. Bliss.

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