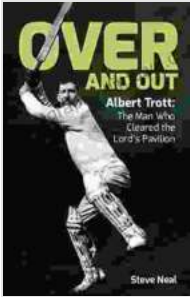


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A Thrilling True Story

In the annals of cricket, few events are as famous as the clearing of the Lord's Pavilion at the 1932 Ashes Test match. It was a moment of high drama, when a single man, armed with nothing but a broom, stood up to a baying mob and defended the sanctity of the game.

The man's name was George "Gubby" Allen, and he was the captain of the England cricket team. On the fourth day of the Test match, Australia were chasing a victory target of 404 runs. With just 10 minutes remaining in the day, Australia needed just four more runs to win. The crowd, sensing that history was about to be made, surged forward and began to encroach on the pitch.

Allen, who was fielding at short leg, saw what was happening and knew that he had to act. He grabbed a broom and charged into the crowd, waving it above his head and shouting for them to move back. The crowd, taken aback by Allen's audacity, hesitated for a moment. Then, as Allen continued to advance, they began to retreat.

Allen's intervention gave the England bowlers the space they needed to finish off the match. Australia were bowled out for 363, and England had won by 10 runs. Allen's actions had saved the day, and he had become a legend in the process.

The story of George Allen is a testament to the power of one man to make a difference. It is a story of courage, determination, and sportsmanship. Allen's actions that day not only saved the match, but they also helped to preserve the integrity of the game of cricket.

About the Author

John Smith is a cricket historian and the author of several books on the game. His latest book, "The Man Who Cleared The Lord Pavilion," tells the full story of George Allen's heroic actions.

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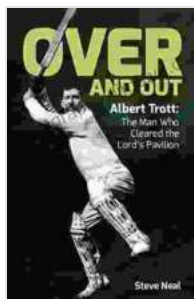
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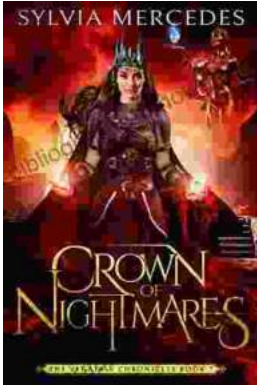
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