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Subject: error /sbin/ip: 1: Syntax error: Unterminated quoted string

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Hi all,

I have a problem. I manually copied files to the host /var/lib/private/201 to copy the setting from one container to another.

Then, when trying 'vzctl start 201' I had an error, the same error as I have now and you can see below.

Now I cannot start the other container anymore, I haven't even touched. What can I do ? Thanks in advance!

PS: please check the output of 'vzctl start 101' (=VEid)

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login as: root
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root@192.168.0.236's password:
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Last login: Tue Oct 13 18:57:15 2009 from 192.168.0.189
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Linux zimbratest 2.6.24-24-openvz #1 SMP Sat Aug 22 04:13:57 UTC 2009 i686
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root@zimbratest:~# vzctl destroy 201
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Destroying VE private area: /var/lib/vz/private/201
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VE private area was destroyed
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root@zimbratest:~# sudo vzctl create 201 --ostemplate ubuntu-8.04-x86 --config vps.basic
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Creating VE private area (ubuntu-8.04-x86)
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Performing postcreate actions
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VE private area was created
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root@zimbratest:~# vzctl set 201 --nameserver 192.168.0.2 --nameserver 192.168.0.3 --save
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Saved parameters for VE 201
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root@zimbratest:~# vzctl set 201 --onboot yes --save
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Saved parameters for VE
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201
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root@zimbratest:~# vzctl set 201 --hostname wiki.ixx.iyy.be --save
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Saved parameters for VE
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201
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root@zimbratest:~# vzctl set 201 --numothersock 120 --save
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Saved parameters for
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VE 201
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root@zimbratest:~# vzctl set 201 --ipadd 192.168.0.233 --save
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Saved parameters for
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VE 201
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root@zimbratest:~# vzctl start 201
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Starting VE ...
VE is mounted
Adding IP address(es): 192.168.0.233
/sbin/ip: 1: Syntax error: Unterminated quoted string
arp send: unknown iface vps-net_add : No such device
vps-net_add WARNING: arp send -c 1 -w 1 -D -e 192.168.0.233 vps-net_add FAILED
arp send: unknown iface WARNING: : No such device
vps-net_add WARNING: arp send -c 1 -w 1 -D -e 192.168.0.233 WARNING: FAILED
arp send: unknown iface Device : No such device
vps-net_add WARNING: arp send -c 1 -w 1 -D -e 192.168.0.233 Device FAILED
arp send: unknown iface list : No such device
vps-net_add WARNING: arp send -c 1 -w 1 -D -e 192.168.0.233 list FAILED
arp send: unknown iface is : No such device
vps-net_add WARNING: arp send -c 1 -w 1 -D -e 192.168.0.233 is FAILED
arp send: unknown iface empty : No such device
vps-net_add WARNING: arp send -c 1 -w 1 -D -e 192.168.0.233 empty FAILED
cat: /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/vps-net_add/proxy_arp: No such file or directory
[: 42: 0: unexpected operator
cat: /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/WARNING:/proxy_arp: No such file or directory
[: 42: 0: unexpected operator
cat: /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/Device/proxy_arp: No such file or directory
[: 42: 0: unexpected operator
cat: /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/list/proxy_arp: No such file or directory
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vps-net_add ERROR: Unable to add route /sbin/ip route add 192.168.0.233 dev venet0
VE start failed
Stopping VE ...
VE was stopped
VE is unmounted
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root@zimbratest:~# arpsend: unknown iface Device : No such device
-bash: arpsend:: command not found
root@zimbratest:~# vzlist
VE not found
root@zimbratest:~# vzctl start 101
Starting VE ...
vzquota : (warning) Quota is running for id 101 already
VE is mounted
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