# By A. B. CHAPIN THINGS THAT MAKE YOU SORE REGLAR EPIDENIC OF GRIP GOIN' ROUND — EVERY BODY'S GETTIN IT! AWFUL WEATHER, AINT IT? YOU GOTTA COLD TOO, AINTCHA? WELL , ALL I GOTTA SAY IS, BE CAREFUL! FYOUR THROAT FEELS LIKE A COUPLA SKID CHAINS AN' YOU ACHE ALL OVER -THEN YOU'VE GOT IT - SURE !!! HARDLY ANY BODY ESCAPES - THI FIRST THING Y'KNOW, IT GETS TO YOUR LARNYX THEN YOUR BROWNYX-WATCH OUT IT'S VERY ALL CATCH IT / - AND SO ON, UNTIL YOUR "RAIN CROW" FRIEND MAKE! YOU SO SORE THAT YOU HAVE TO RESTRAIN YOUR SELF TO KEEP FROM COMMITTING MURDER !!! THIS KIND O' WEATHE NEWMONNIA THEN, GOOD NIGHT !!

#### MARBLE

Mr. J. B. Hall left Tuesday A. M., for Asheville, where the maintenance department of the Southern railway are having a safety meeting.

Mrs. G. W. Neal was taken to the French Broad Hospital, in Asheville last Sunday for an operation. Mrs. Neal is suffering from cancer. At this writing it is not known whether the operation is successful or not.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett of Proctor, N. C., have moved here. We are always glad to have new families moving in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Smith of Mars Hill, N. C., spent Sunday afternoon and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith.

Mr. R. T. Kilpatrick who has been very ill is some what improved in

Miss Elva DeHart is visiting her sister Mrs. Carl Breedlove at Needmore, N. C., this week.

Rev. Mr. A. B. Smith filled his appointment at Grandview, N. C., last

Mr. Van V. Johnson, who teaches at Ranger, spent the week-end with his parents.

#### **LETITIA**

The roads through this section are very bad owing to the frequent rains.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Taylor of Turtletown, Tenn., spent last week with relatives here.

ht is the champion wood carver of this section. He has carved a perfectly natural looking pond frog, and a sheep, and has made

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two walking sticks, one having the head of a cow and the other the head of an African negro. We think if there should be a contest in work of this kind he would be sure to win the

Mr. W. W. Barton and family spent Sunday with Mr. Willie Walker and family.

Mesdames Lou Payne and Mary Lane of Gastonia are visiting their father, L. P. Payne.

school at Collis, Friday, January 28.

Mr. D. T. McNabb made a business trip to Murphy one day last week.

Messrs. Isaac and Henry Taylor aught a live fox one night last week and they expect to have a fox race

Mr. T. D. Hickey reports that his brother, Harrison Hickey, who has been ill for some time is improving.

Mr. J. P. Decker is putting down a saw mill for W. W. Barton.

Mr. R. O. Taylor and family are home, he having closed his school at Shearer School House, January 21.

Our Sunday school is still going. Everybody come next Sunday afternoon. Our pastor Rev. C. F. Conly is also expected to fill his appointment at this time.

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"So far as we know, no other farm section or country in the world has ever been able to stand such an enormous and steady drain of its money life-blood for food and grain as has South, without complete farm bankruptcy and collapse for the last

fifty or sixty years.
Our farm pockets have had just as big holes at the bottom as they have had at the top, so to speak. As fast as our money for cotton, or other cash crop, went in at the top of the pocket, just so fast did it slip through that hole at the bottom for bread and meat and grain.

A lot of our good folks are looking to Washington for government help, which probably won't come. No use to look that far away. The source of most of our trouble is right at home. It's the empty corn crib and oat bin, the empty hog pen and smoke-house, the lack of hay and forage in barn or stack, milking tin cans of condensed milk instead of a good cow; few eggs, few chickens, and eating New Jersey, Michigan or California grown vegetables and fruits via the tin can route instead of from the home orchard and

Some food items we necessarily must buy, coffee, salt, sugar, etc., but there is absolutely no sense in the way we do on this food question. It's so foolish and unnecessary, this per bag farming," as someone cailed it. Some of our farm folks are more guilty than others on this particular brand of poverty - producing foolish-ness, but every one of us is guilty in

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### No Laughing Matter



Lita Grey Chaplin (above) and her famous comedian husband are at maritial odds. Suits and coun-ter suits over money and the cus-tody of their two children have taken the smile from Charlie's face. Mr. Chaplin suffered a nervous collapse while in New York.

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