

# Nobody's Business

By GEE MCGEE

## How To Cure A Cold In A Night.

I believe Old Satan is going to have various and sundry ways to punish his boarders. He will possibly have plenty fire and brimstone for the entertainment of those persons who have lived moderately wicked lives, but the real world-sinners will no doubt be afflicted (the minute they land in Hades) with "bad" colds, and that's enough to prove that this place of torment is properly named.

If there's anything worse than a cold—and all colds are "bad" colds—I have never had it—and I've had nearly everything except cancer and twins. I caught a cold at our recent county fair—and that's all I caught, but that was enough. The kind of cold I had would permit you to breathe only once thru your left nostril every 48 hours. My eyes were red and crying all the time. I was hoarse, possessed of a headache, one ear went dead on me and I had forty-seven other

different pains.

Everybody that saw me with 2 handkerchiefs in each hand gave me a remedy between blows and sneezes, and I considered all of them prayerfully. I was anxious to get well—as Hoover prosperity had forced me to drop a right smart of my life insurance and I wasn't in any financial fix to go away, so I decided to take all of these treatments on Tuesday night, and here's how I cured my cold:

- 1—Took hot bath.
- 2—Bathed feet in mustard water.
- 3—Rubbed chest with Wick's salve.
- 4—Sprayed throat with Ibregren.
- 5—Greased neck with Mentholatum.
- 6—Inhaled plenty tar-oil.
- 7—Took a CC pill.
- 8—Swallowed 2 aspirin tablets.
- 9—Took dose soda and salts.
- 10—Drank a hot lemonade.
- 11—Took 4 Rhinitis tablets.
- 12—Squirted Analgesic balm up nostrils.
- 13—Put on pair woolen socks.
- 14—Donned heavy outing night-shirt.
- 15—Put onion poultice on chest.
- 16—Placed electric pad over knees.
- 17—Rubbed forehead with snake oil.
- 18—Took stiff drink of Scotch (?)
- 19—Took another one (?)
- 20—Pulled 4 blankets up over me.
- 21—Went to sleep.
- 22—Woke up next morning.
- 23—Worse than ever.
- 24—Got well a week later.

flat rock news. Billie Rizer, son of Dr. Rizer and his first wife, has accepted a job in Washington, D. C., in the bureau of fishers. He will be remembered as the young boy who made the valley dictory speech when our high school closed last May. Billie wishes you and your fishes much success.

The ladies aid society is figuring with a shrub house to plant out some shrubs around the front of rebober, and if they can make \$8 more at their next oyster supper, they will have plenty money to set out 4 arbor vites, 1 spirea, 2 nandeeners and 1 cedar tree. It will make our church look mighty pretty, and your corry spondent is willing to donate something from his next pig for same.

Please correct a statement you made last week in my column when you said that herman green had put his property in his wife's name to dodge the gauner note he gave last year. you should of said that Mrs. Green bought a nice track of land from Mr. Herman Green on a recent date and paid him cash for same, but included what he owed her for money borrowed back yonder from her which she inherited from a rich uncle.

measles broke out in our midst last week and some mumps is reported in several sections. nobody had the flu so far except the ericksons, and they ketched it when they went to georgy to spend a week end with her mother. Dr. early rizer says that he does not look for much sickness until his patience commences to eat more hog meal. he stated that he made a livid onner count of liver puddin and souse cheese and chitterlings. (p. s. they do not agree with me either.

a man who works for the "pay-while-you-ride" company came down last week and leveled on 2 nice fords. it seems that the boys forgot to pay while they were riding, so they will hafta to walk for a while. very few fambles have stopped riding, however, in sympathy with 6-cent cotton. ma says if there aint no otter mobeels in heaven that it won't be heaven to certain folks who owes her for butter and milk.

well, mr. editor, i will rite or foam some more news in tomorrow, but will give you this in a nutshell: mr. smith is up again. mrs. redd is down again. miss jennie veevee young is still single and that report was false. rev. allen will preach saturday as usual. the weather has turned cold at last. green vegger tables is still scarce, due to drowth ansforth.

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**Raleigh Writer With United Press Bureau**  
Chapel Hill Weekly.

**Officer Must Keep Cool Head Working**  
Robert L. Thompson, university alumnus, brother of Mrs. Dougald MacMillan, and frequent visitor in Chapel Hill, has left the Raleigh News and Observer to become a member of the Washington staff of the United Press.

Mr. Thompson's newspaper experience includes service on papers in Atlanta, Greenville, S. C., Charlotte, Fayetteville, and Durham. He was married to Miss Bess Davenport, a fellow reporter on the News and Observer, in 1927. She will join him in Washington in a few weeks. He distinguished himself by his reporting of the textile troubles in Marion year before last. He was also in Gastonia as a correspondent when Ella May Wiggins was shot during anti-labor disorders. He was in the Marine corps in the World war and went to France.

It Pays To Advertise

## Grover Section Events Of Week

**Slight Damage By Fire At Minette Mill.** Mrs. Alton Bell Improving After Operation.

(Special to The Star.)

Grover, Dec. 1.—Rev. Rush Padgett, pastor of the Baptist church, conducted the sunrise service on Thanksgiving morning.

The Minette Mill warehouse caught fire sometime early Sunday morning. Many of the men in town volunteered to fight fire and the Kings Mountain fire trucks were called. The fire was all out by noon Sunday. The damage was not so great.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Beam and Mrs. John M. Beam spent the past week-end in Badin. Mrs. John M. Beam remained in Badin for an extended visit.

Mrs. Alton Bell is improving after undergoing a serious operation in the Gastonia sanatorium.

Mrs. Terah Pinkerton Ferree and daughter, Margaret Jeanne, and Miss Mary Frances Moss returned home Sunday from York, S. C. where they spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Towell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Collins spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Collins' parents of Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Bell spent the week-end here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Padgett had as their guest last week Mr. Padgett's mother of Lattimore.

Mrs. Jack Pinkelton is visiting home folks in Belmont.

Miss Mary Crisp has returned to Greenville, S. C. after spending awhile at home.

Dr. and Mrs. G. O. Moss of Cliffside were the supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moss Thanksgiving.

Mr. D. A. Moss, Miss Addie Moss, Dr. and Mrs. G. O. Moss of Cliffside attended the football game in Charlotte Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Eve Black who had the misfortune of breaking her hip recently is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Turner and daughter, Hazeline, of Earl, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Collins Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Hambricht spent Thanksgiving with friends in Cowpens.

Mr. and Mrs. Phiffer Bird and family spent Thanksgiving with Prof. and Mrs. Bird.

Mrs. C. E. Harris of Gaffney, S. C., has returned home after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Carl Jones and baby of Great Falls, S. C. has returned home after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Mary Westmoreland.

Mr. Tyree Keeter returned home Friday after spending a few days with Mr. Jack Furcron of Rock Hill, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. James Melton returned to their home in Albemarle Sunday after spending the week-end with Mrs. Melton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wofford Hambricht.

**Vicks Develops Plan for Better "Colds-Control"**

Made Possible by New Vicks Product Based on New Idea for Prevention of Colds.

TRIAL OFFER TO VICK USERS

A Plan for better "Control-of-Colds" in every home is now made possible by the perfection of a new formula by Vicks Chemists. Vicks Nose and Throat Drops are based on a new idea in "preventing" colds—and therefore aid and supplement Vicks VapoRub, the modern method of "treating" colds.

You have Vicks VapoRub—now get the new Vicks Nose Drops and follow the Vicks Plan for better "Control-of-Colds" in your family.

Used as directed, these two perfect allies will help reduce the number and severity of colds and thus reduce your "Colds-Tax" this winter. If results are not more than satisfactory, your druggist is authorized to refund you the price of the Vicks Nose Drops.

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# Cohen's Lead Again With The Unexpected

## AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE BIG SAVINGS ON YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING DURING OUR

# Christmas Sale

## Sale Starts Thursday, December 3rd, 9:00 A. M.

And will run until and including Christmas Eve. No article in the Store Reserved — Everything Must Go Our Policy is never to Carry over Goods from Season to Season — Get your Winter Wardrobe at After-Christmas Prices — This is an event you often hope for but Seldom Happens!

## Unusual Values Every Day

EVERY COAT AND DRESS MUST GO AT

**1/2 Price**

\$8.88 COATS AND DRESSES

**\$4.44**

\$14.95 COATS AND DRESSES

**\$7.88**

\$24.50 COATS AND DRESSES

**\$12.88**

A full selection of styles and sizes, 14 to 52.

ONE SPECIAL GROUP OF

SILK DRESSES

**\$2.98**

Absolutely FREE, Dress patterns, with all Silk Dress materials.

Just What You Have Been Waiting For! GENUINE CURLEE SUITS DRASTICALLY REDUCED

Guaranteed All-Wool Blue Serge—a new suit if they fade—

**\$11.47**

All Sizes, 34 to 46.

One special group of All-Wool, Hard-Finished Worsteds. Suit that sold last week as high as \$18.88, now—

**\$11.87**

Plenty to Select From

Homespun, twists and tweeds—just what you need for Christmas. Curlee suits which sold up to \$27.50, now—

**\$17.87**

All-Wool Cheviot Top Coats, Tweeds and Camel Mixtures—

**\$9.87**

One Group All-Wool Overcoats—

Values to \$12.50

**\$6.97**



**Men's 220 Weight OVERALLS**

**49c**

All Day Saturday, December 5. Extra Quality—Triple Stitched.

**Men's Solid Leather WORK SHOES**

**98c**

Friday, 10:00 A. M.

**10-qt. Galvanized Buckets & Sauce Pans**

**10c** Each

Thursday 10:00 A. M.

**All-Wool Fur Trimmed Coats for Children**

**\$1.00**

Friday, 2:30 P. M.

**Ladies Full-Fashioned SILK HOSE**

First Quality.

**35c**

THURSDAY, 2:30 P. M. Limit 3 Pairs to a Customer.

**50c BROOMS**

**10c**

Friday, 10:00 A. M.

**36-Inch DRESS PRINTS**

**5c yd.**

Saturday, 10:00 A. M.

**Men's Extra Heavy, Two-Pocket Work Shirts**

**44c**

Genuine Defiance, Chambray and other good makes.

**LADIES' BRAND NEW NOVELTY DRESS AND SPORT SHOES**

Included are all our Friedman-Shelby Oxfords, values to \$4.00.

**\$1.84**

**Pumps, Straps, Ties and Oxfords**

**\$2.84**

**FLORSHEIM AND FRIENDLY FIVE SHOES**

**\$3.87**

Every Wanted Style. Sizes 5 to 12.

**\$6.87**

Widths AAA to EEEE



**LADIES' GALOSHES**

**69c**

**Boys' Leatherette Sheep Lined COATS**

**\$2.87**

**Men's Blanket Lined Overall JACKETS**

**\$1.37**

**CHILDREN'S RAIN COATS Hats To Match**

**\$1.97**

**12 Momme Pure Silk Pongee**

**19c Yd.**

35c Value

**36-Inch Travel Tweeds And Suitings**

**19c Yd.**

A 29c Value

**Fast Color, Genuine Punjab and Pepperell Prints**

**15c Yd.**

**SPOOL THREAD**

**2 for 5c**

**Boys' 220 Wt. Overalls**

**39c**

**Men's 16-In. High Top Boots**

**\$2.98**

Solid Leather

**ALL-WOOL TWEEDS**

**49c Yd.**

A 75c Value

**Extra Quality Solid Color And Printed Crepes**

**77c Yd.**

Value to \$1.50 Yd.

**MEN'S WOOL CAPS SURE - FIT**

**49c**

\$1.00 Value

**SOLID COLOR CREPES**

**47c yd.**

A 75c Value

**ROMPER and SHIRT CLOTH**

**10c yd.**

Guaranteed Fast Color.

**PRINTED CREPES**

**33c yd.**

A 50c Value.

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SALE STARTS PROMPTLY AT 9 O'CLOCK THURSDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3RD.