

Industry Needs Public's O. K., Says Capitalist

Head of Standard Oil, Native Iowan, Tells Committee Labor Wants Only Justice.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Col. Robert W. Stewart of Chicago, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, provided a refreshing surprise to official Washington when he appeared here before the La Follette committee investigating the oil industry.

Members of the committee who had anticipated an encounter with a hard-boiled corporation czar radiating dollar marks and with a mind running in an inflexible capitalistic groove, surprised their surprise to find Colonel Stewart a man with progressive ideas regarding the conduct of big business and with humanitarian views of the relationship between capital and labor.

Although a dominating figure in the oil industry for some years, he was not so well known here as the Rockefeller and others, and his rise to fame and fortune from an Iowa farm via the humble country law office and later the legislature of South Dakota had not been heralded to the members of the La Follette committee. Hence their surprise when they discovered that this man from the midwest had ideas for the welfare of workers.

Says New Policy Needed. They expressed surprise when they heard him advocating the principle that industry had first of all to set its house in order in this country by embarking on a definite economic policy which would command the respect of the American people.

"I am not an alarmist," Colonel Stewart declared, "but I believe that American industry is on trial today before the people and at this moment the people are not disposed to render a favorable verdict. There are two things which industry must first do before it can begin to move.

First, it must establish a definite policy which will have the respect and support of the American people; and second, educate the public to the fact that anything that harms industry, harms the people as a whole.

Defines Living Wage. "It is suicidal to attempt to beat down wages and salaries to the bare level of the cost of living. When I say 'living,' I mean the kind of living that permits a thrifty man to build his own home and properly to clothe, feed and educate his children."

With respect to labor, Colonel Stewart says that his experience with democracy and industry in his plants has justified his faith that the workman wants only justice and equity and an opportunity to be heard; that in return he is willing to grant justice and equity to the employer.

If a point of contact were established and maintained between all employers and their employees; if the "human element" could be a living thing in industry, Colonel Stewart has been convinced, in the light of his own experience, that labor unrest would end.

Native of Iowa. Colonel Stewart was born on an Iowa farm. He worked his way through college in Iowa, and through a law course at Yale. Then he went to Pierre, S. D., in 1890. He remained there 17 years. Before very long he was state's attorney in Hughes county and later the people sent him as a republican to the state senate, where he became chairman of the judiciary and appropriations committees. He moved to Chicago in 1920.

Bishop to Give Lectures at Church of Dr. Grant. New York, Feb. 3.—Announcement Friday that Bishop Manning of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New York, would deliver a series of lectures at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine on "A Revival of Personal Religion" was viewed as the latest development in the controversy between the bishop and Rev. Dr. Percy Stockey Grant, rector of the Church of the Ascension.

Although the announcement made no mention of the controversy, which broke out when Bishop Manning called on the rector to resign or recant a sermon questioning the deity of Christ, the lectures will cover some of the questions in dispute between the two churches.

Business Activities. Newspaper Suspended. Table Rock—The Liberty Journal, which has been published at Liberty for 40 years, suspended publication. The editor, F. L. Eberhart, has purchased the Corland News. If unable to sell the Liberty Journal he will move it to Corland. Lack of patronage is assigned as the cause of the suspension.

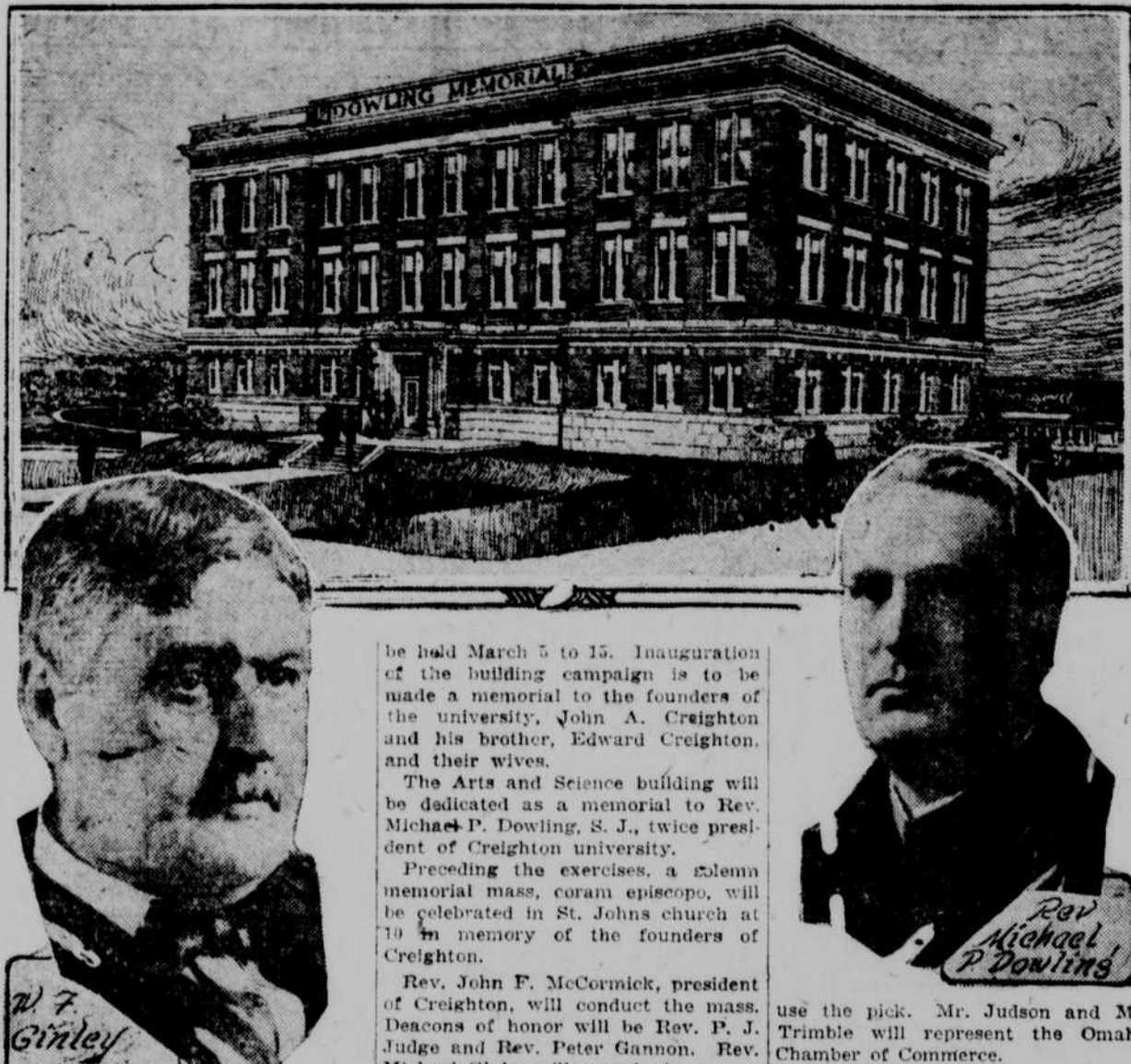
Open Gravel Pit. North Loup—Gilmore & Sigs, general contractors of this place, removed their engines and other machinery to Scottsbluff, where they have taken a contract to supply the town with sufficient gravel. Several promising beds of gravel have been located and prospecting is being done. It is believed that by raising the gravel from the water by a sufficient amount of the centrifugal pump, a sufficient amount of the sand will be washed out to make the remaining gravel purer. A sufficient amount of sand to any that can be obtained from abroad, thus saving the town a heavy expense in freight charges.

Buyer Grocery Store. Humboldt—Thomas Harris, successor of Frank Kramer in the grocery business and now in possession of the store. The store was established by N. C. Campbell, who recently sold out to Frank Kramer at Falls City.

Install Photograph Gallery. Broken Bow—Carl Davis is equipping an up-to-date photographic studio here. Mr. Davis and his wife are graduates of the Illinois College of Photography.

Award Paving Contract. West Point—The city council of West Point awarded the paving contract to the Roberts Contracting company of Lincoln. This city will have 35 blocks. Brick pavement has been decided on.

Creighton to Start Work on Building



Creighton university will begin construction work on \$1,000,000 worth of new school buildings next Wednesday morning, February 7, when the first shovel of earth will be turned for the new Arts and Science building at Twenty-sixth and California streets. Further work on the building program will wait on the close of the Creighton building and endowment financial campaign, which will

be held March 5 to 15. Inauguration of the building campaign is to be made a memorial to the founders of the university, John A. Creighton and his brother, Edward Creighton, and their wives. The Arts and Science building will be dedicated as a memorial to Rev. Michael P. Dowling, S. J., twice president of Creighton university. Proceeding the exercises, a solemn memorial mass, coram episcopo, will be celebrated in St. John's church at 19th in memory of the founders of Creighton.

2 Tots Burned to Death on Farm

Babies Caught in Fire That Destroys House Near Jackson, Neb.

SIoux City, Ia., Feb. 3.—Two babies are dead as the result of a fire which swept a farm house eight miles west of Jackson, Neb., late yesterday afternoon. Kenneth O'Dell, 3 years of age, perished in the flames of the burning structure.

Marjorie O'Dell, 4 months old, died several hours later after being brought to a Sioux City hospital.

Lured Into Homes. Two men were lured into private homes in Sioux City yesterday by casual acquaintances and beaten and robbed.

John Harmon, Peterson, Ia., had come to Sioux City in search of a housekeeper. He was told that a woman living nearby desired such a position, so the man went to that address. There he entered a small room where he was confronted by a man.

The man attacked Harmon, striking him with the butt of the revolver and robbing him of \$25. He escaped by leaping through a window.

A short time later George Kurecl was found in the bottoms unconscious and suffering from a bad laceration of the scalp.

Kurecl told the police that he had accompanied a woman whom he knew slightly, to a house. There his acquaintance turned and knocked Kurecl down and robbed him of \$50 while unconscious.

Larson Again Heads C. of C. Secretaries' Association. J. David Larson, commissioner of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce, was re-elected president of the Nebraska Commercial Club Secretaries' association at the annual meeting of the organization at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday.

Will Johnson of Sidney, Neb., was re-elected secretary. C. L. Kelley, Nebraska City, was elected vice president and director, and H. A. Hahn of David City, director.

The association, which has been in session here for two days, closed its convention Saturday.

Eppley Offers \$4,000 Rent for String of Hostels. Lincoln, Feb. 3.—An offer of Eugene Eppley of \$4,000 a month rental for properties of the Nebraska Hotel company, including the Lincoln hotel of Lincoln and the Pontenelle of Omaha, until the properties should be sold, either to himself or some other person, was the outstanding feature of a hearing before Referee McClenahan, official in bankruptcy, Friday evening on the order directing

Deaths. Mrs. Elizabeth Green. West Point—Mrs. Elizabeth Green, 72, died at her home in this city. The body was taken to Creighton, her former home for burial.

John O'Neill. Albia—John O'Neill, 74, pioneer of Boone county, died here. He came to this county in 1874 from Wisconsin, locating on a farm. For the past year he has been a resident of this city, serving as a fair officer. He is survived by his wife and eight children.

Monroe Hinton. Beatrice—Monroe Hinton, 84, pioneer of Gage county, died at his home in Rockford. He had lived with his daughter, Mrs. Nannie Weaver, at that place for 20 years. Eight children survive.

Mrs. Callie B. Prentice. North Loup—Mrs. Callie B. Prentice, one of the early settlers of this part of the state, died at her home here. She was born at Brookfield, N. Y., on May 8, 1848, and while quite young, moved with her parents to Berlin, Wis., where she later became a teacher in various schools. In January, 1872, she was married to William A. Prentice and the new family moved out for Nebraska in 1873. Mrs. Prentice is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Angeline Abbey of Minnonsville and Mrs. Emma Fowler of this place, and one son, Asa Prentice, of Northville, Kan.

Mrs. Mary C. Kirby. Beatrice—Mrs. Mary C. Kirby, 44, wife of R. L. Kirby, old resident of Beatrice, died at her home here. Surviving are her husband and one daughter, Thelma.

Weddings. Smith-Sink. Shelton—Miss Nellie Maxine Smith of this city and Everett E. Sink of Fremont, Neb., were married in the Presbyterian church parsonage at Grand Island, Neb., last night. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott E. Smith of this city, and the groom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Henry Sink of Fremont. They will make their home in Grand Island, where the bride has a position in the Commercial State bank.

Shelton—George M. Gonzor, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gonzor, of this place, and Miss Marie Cecilia Hughes of Scottsbluff, Neb., were married at Central City. The groom is agent for the Standard Oil company here and they will make their home in this city.

Beatrice—John F. Krebsch and Mattie Wever, both of Virginia, were married by County Judge Messmore.

"77" FOR GRIP

Dr. Humphreys' "Seventy-seven" is for La Grippe, Influenza, Catarrh and for all kinds of Colds.

One dose at the beginning is worth a dozen later on, keep it handy, in your pocket, take at the first chill.

Medical Book, tells all, free. 20c and \$1 at Drug Stores, or sent on remittance or C.O.D. Parcel Post. Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Co., 168 William St., New York.

Alkali in Shampoos Bad for Washing Hair

Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is Mulsified coconut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It is very cheap and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get Mulsified at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Two or three teaspoons of Mulsified in a cup or glass with a little warm water is all that is required. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub the Mulsified coconut oil in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to manage. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulsified.

CREAM CLEARS A STUFFED-UP HEAD

Instantly Opens Every Air Passage—Clears Throat, Too

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed because of nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing and healing swollen, inflamed membranes and you get instant relief.

Try this. Get a small bottle of Pyle's Cream Balm at any drug store. Your clogged nostrils open right up; your head is clear; no more hawking or snuffing. County fifty. All the stiffness, dryness, struggling for breath is gone. You feel fine.

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Bowens THE VALUE GIVING STORE CLOSING OUT! SALE! CLOSING OUT!

There has been few times that we have advocated the use of comparative prices, because of its abuse by many, though in our Closing Out Sale we feel that it is perfectly proper because of the real reductions.

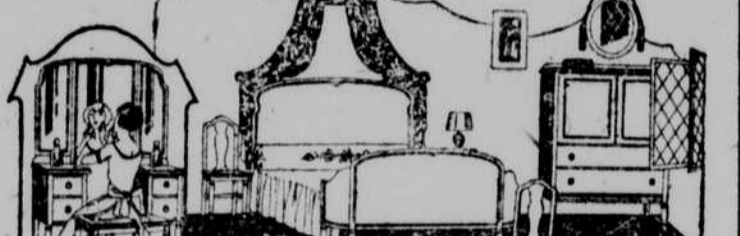
For the Living Room \$35.00 Golden Oak Library Tables for \$16.75 \$22.00 Mahogany Finish Martha Washington Sewing Cabinets for \$11.85 \$3.00 Pricelita Sewing Cabinets \$4.95 \$16.00 Mahogany Rockers \$9.60 \$40.00 Tapestry Rockers, mahogany frame, for \$22.50 \$25.50 Tapestry Fireside Rocker, \$37.50 \$25.00 Golden Oak Spanish Leather Rocker \$19.75 \$27.50 Mahogany and Cane 2-piece Living Room Suite \$148.50 \$217.50 Overstuffed Bed Davenport for \$110.00 \$185.00 Golden Oak 5-piece Duofold Suite \$98.50 \$59.50 Mahogany Davenport Table, \$26.50 \$91.50 Mahogany Console Table and \$54.00 \$27.00 Mahogany Walnut Rockers, \$17.50 \$56.00 Mahogany Library Case \$31.75 \$60.00 Golden Oak 4-Section Bookcase \$29.75 \$35.50 Mahogany Secretary \$49.50 \$27.50 Spinet \$32.50 \$85.00 Gray and Decorated Cretonne Upholstered Fiber Seats for \$32.75 \$32.00 Ivory Fiber Rocker \$17.75 \$45.00 Frosted Brown Fiber Library Table \$14.50

Queen Anne Overstuffed Living Room Suite, at \$217.50



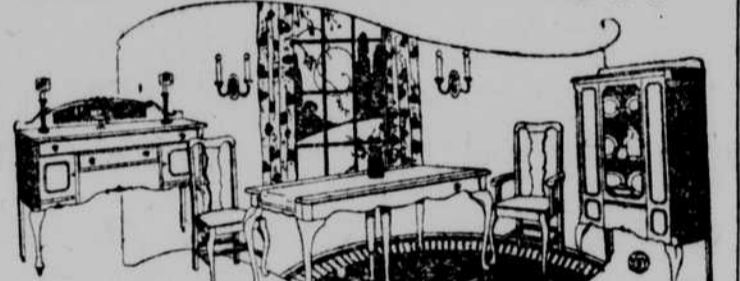
Just think of the living room furniture values now to be had during this sale. Judge from the representative value here described: A 2-piece set, full length davenport, an arm chair and rocker in place of fireside chair as shown, upholstered in the best manner possible and covered with high grade tapestry and offered at the exceptionally low price of \$217.50. The regular price was \$375.00. Many other styles in the near future it would pay you to see this one, and the price will be a revelation to you on account of its being so low for as high quality. Our Closing Out Price \$217.50.

3 Piece Walnut Bed Room Set, this sale \$98.75



A dream suite of irresistible beauty, comprising the bow end bed, chair, dresser and tall vanity dresser made in combination walnut. The case work in this suite throughout is superb, which is reflected at first sight. If you are contemplating the purchase of a bedroom suite in the near future it would pay you to see this one, and the price will be a revelation to you on account of its being so low for as high quality. Our Closing Out Price \$98.75.

Dining Suite of Priceless Worth, 8 Pieces Complete in Walnut \$137.85



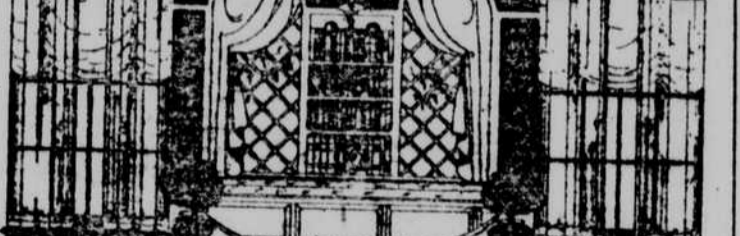
Such is the worth of this combination walnut living room suite that it is not amiss to say that once possessed, it will serve indefinitely, for each and every piece has been constructed with this one idea in mind. Queen Anne period design, including oblong table, buffet, one arm and a side chair. This same design suite has been selling regularly for \$216.50. Our Closing Out Sale price is \$137.85.

5 Piece Breakfast Suites, this sale \$17.85



Those who are in need of a breakfast room suite will find a good selection here all priced at exceptional low Closing Out Sale prices. We have ivory and blue, purple color with decorations and walnut finish with neat decorations and serving tables to match. The one here illustrated can be had either enameled and decorated or in the unfinished wood for those who care to do their own decorating and can be had, 5 pieces, for \$17.85.

"Colorful Drapes for the Home"



It will not be so very long now until you will be in need of new draperies and curtains for spring. This is your opportunity to buy draperies here all priced at exceptional low Closing Out Sale prices. We have ivory and blue, purple color with decorations and walnut finish with neat decorations and serving tables to match. The one here illustrated can be had either enameled and decorated or in the unfinished wood for those who care to do their own decorating and can be had, 5 pieces, for \$17.85.

75c Fillet Net, yard \$20c \$2.50 and \$3.00 Panel Lace \$30c \$2.50 and \$3.00 Panel Lace \$50c \$4.00 and \$5.00 Panel Lace \$50c \$25.00 Duchesse Net \$15.00 \$20.00 Duchesse Net \$7.50 \$12.50 Duchesse Net \$5.00 \$12.50 Fillet Net Curtains \$7.95 \$23.25 Madras, yard \$2.95 \$5.50 Greenand Curtains \$3.25 \$25.00 Chenille Sunfast Portieres \$19.50 \$25c and \$35c Brass Extension Rods \$7c

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In grouping items for the different rooms for your convenience, we are unable to list near the total number of articles upon which we have reduced the prices, as every item in our entire stock is included.

For the Bed Room \$12.00 Sanitary Bed Springs \$5.00 \$14.00 Coll Bed Springs \$6.95 \$15.00 All-Cotton Filled Mattresses \$8.95 \$24.50 All-Cotton Filled Mattresses \$14.50 \$27.50 All-Cotton Filled Mattresses \$16.50 \$7.50 Pillows \$4.25 \$9.50 Pillows \$6.75 \$10.50 Wood Finished Simmons Beds \$10.50 \$17.50 Wood Finished Simmons Beds \$19.50 \$22.50 Brass Beds \$28.50 \$22.50 Mahogany 4-post Wood Beds \$32.50 \$38.50 Walnut Wood Bed \$23.50 \$35.50 Ivory Vanity Dresser, 18x40 mirror, for \$39.75 \$45.00 Mahogany Dressing Table \$49.75 \$25.00 Mahogany Chiffonier \$17.85 \$47.50 Ivory Chiffonier \$46.50 \$110.00 5-piece Walnut Bedroom Suite \$89.75 \$225.00 5-piece Walnut Suites \$195.00 \$416.00 8-piece Mahogany Bedroom Suite \$260.00 \$455.00 6-piece Gray Enamel Decorated Bedroom Suite \$284.00

45 other complete Bedroom Suites in the different woods and finishes at correspondingly low prices.

Miscellaneous \$125.00 Garland Furnaces \$115.00 \$60.00 Base Burners \$39.75 \$45.00 Heaters \$23.75 \$115.00 Electric Washing Machines for \$78.75 \$95.00 Gas Ranges \$43.75 \$65.00 Refrigerators \$37.50 \$65.00 Sewing Machines \$38.75 \$45.00 Sewing Machines \$23.75 \$12.50 Bed Spreads, choice of pink, blue or yellow \$7.98 \$10.00 White Bed Spreads, scalloped and cut corners \$6.98 \$8.00 White Bed Spreads, extra large \$5.98 \$4.00 White Bed Spreads, each \$2.48 \$2.00 18x30 Wear-Well Sheets, each \$1.59 \$4.00 48x36 Pillow Cases, each \$29c \$30c Turkish Towels, each \$12c \$20c Huck Towels, each \$10c \$4.00 Huck Towels, each \$5c \$4.00 Plaid Blankets, per pair \$1.95 \$7.00 Plaid Blankets, per pair \$3.25 \$15.00 to \$18.50 Softy All-Weather Blankets, per pair \$8.50

Hundreds of other items not mentioned in this advertisement such as Rugs, Linoleums and Carpets by the yard are reduced in many cases ONE-HALF.

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"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, feverishness, sneezing.

The second and third doses usually break up the cold and end all gripe misery. "Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist upon Pape's.

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