

New Drug Said Good Remedy For Colds

CHICAGO, Nov. 24 (AP)—One of the antihistaminic drugs now on the market was used successfully in curing and preventing colds in tests made on volunteer patients, two researchers have disclosed.

The drug, known medically as neobetramine, is for public sale without prescription under the trade name Anahist. The researchers said their 100 per cent success for cures was possible only when the drug was given within 48 hours after the onset of a cold. It was of no value when a cold had reached the full-blown stage, they said.

Experiments
The experiments were conducted by Dr. Charles C. Sweet, medical director of Sing Sing prison and Dr. Joseph J. Armino, consultant on allergy at Sing Sing and Maryknoll convent and seminary, both of Ossining, N. Y. The volunteer patients were from the two institutions.

The researchers said: "Theoretically, it should be possible to abort the common cold if an antihistaminic drug could be given in adequate dosage during the first 48 hours of the disease." They said neobetramine appeared to be "safe and effective" for daily use over a long period.

Reporting the experiments in the December issue of Industrial Medicine and Surgery, the researchers said there were no cases of drowsiness or other ill effects when the drug was administered in doses of 100 milligrams a day over 160 days.

Warning
The council on pharmacy and chemistry of the American Medical Association, in a statement, warned against the indiscriminate use of antihistaminic substances which are now being promoted widely for the prevention and treatment of colds.

The council, without naming any specific antihistaminic substance, said: "Cases are already reported and records show that about one-third of those who take these drugs become drowsy or even fall asleep while at work or in operating cases while driving cars or operating machinery. Experience with these drugs is not yet long enough to know whether or not they are harmless when used over long periods of time."

Holy Sepulchre Fire Razed

DAMASCUS, Nov. 24 (AP)—A report from Amman, Hashemite Jordan, today said the main dome of the holy sepulchre at Jerusalem was destroyed by fire last night. The report did not give the cause of the fire. The sepulchre is located in old Jerusalem, which is held by Hashemite Jordan's Arab legion.



RED WING—An Amazon-like clan in the Sunburst tribe of "Indians" in Phoenix, Ariz. It is composed wholly of beautiful young women, according to the publicity man. Betty Heffin, definitely not the type Grandpa fought, brushes up on archery on the reservation.

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Cub Scouts Form Packs In Merrill

MERRILL — Three Cub Scout packs have been organized locally. A potluck dinner was held November 9, and at that time Roy Mattson was appointed club master, Ollie McMurtrey is den mother for pack 1; Mrs. Homer Everson and Mrs. Roy Mattson are den mothers for pack 2; and Mrs. R. C. Danosky and Mrs. Ralph Swisher are den mothers for pack 3.

Merrill Hebrews are sponsoring the Cub Scouts and meets are held each Friday after school at the homes of the den mothers. Attending the potluck dinner was Al Longe of Klamath Falls, who is active in the organization; and the following from Merrill: Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Skalleck, Dale and Donnie; Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy and James; Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Beasley and Tommy; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mattson, Dennis and Duane; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Loper, Earl, Luther, Bob, Lilly; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Everson, Douglas and Larry; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Swisher and family; Mrs. Dorothy Maupin and Buddy; Mrs. Homer Fields and Brian; Mrs. Hertha Bell and Larry; Mrs. Ellen Northrop and family; Dr. F. E. Trotman and Roger; Mrs. Barbara Danosky and family; J. D. McMurtrey; Tommy and Johnny O'Neil, and Ronald Eaton.

Unwed Duo Fights Over Infant

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 24 (AP)—A GI student contends in an amended acknowledgment that he is the father of a baby born out of wedlock gives him an equal right with the mother over its control.

LeRoy Hedge, 21, filed the action yesterday after his first suit for control of the child was denied by the court on the grounds that only the mother of a child born out of wedlock has custody rights over it. However, the court gave him 10 days to file an amended complaint. Hedge in his new action asks an order restraining Loretta Miller, 17, from offering the baby for adoption. He claimed she is threatening to give the infant, born a month ago, to strangers.

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Minister Addresses Kiwanians

"Our primary obligation is to God, but we have two other obligations to be aware of at this time of year," according to the Rev. O. LeRoy Walter, D. D. of the Presbyterian pastor from Portland.

"The first obligation is to give thanks to our God, and the second to broaden our concept of giving thanks," Dr. Walter continued. The Rev. Walter spoke yesterday on the Thanksgiving program of the Kiwanis club at the Willard hotel. He explained further how our obligations can be used to give us new and greater satisfaction out of life. "Each individual must work with his heart, his hands, and with his voice, to show our minds in the true American style," he said.

BEGGAR
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 24 (AP)—The court found Miss Louise Schmidt, 81, guilty of begging and sentenced her to 15 days in jail. Policewomen testified yesterday they found \$2133 sewn in her underclothing.

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