

it hardly. So, the doctor would go round every place when they sick, every day. Sometimes he would get home just about daylight. He come by our house one morning. I was the only one up. Rest of 'em still in bed. He says, "I am going to tell you how to make cough medicine." I said, "I'll be glad to learn." He said, "You go down here and get you some dogwood switches, and that dogwood, you know, tree, you know get the bark. Then, you get you some cherry roots or just the sprout. Then you get you some mullen, the roots and beat it up. Then you get the roots and the bark of the (not clear) tree. Put this all together and boil it for a long time. Just boil it down till it is thick. Put a little sugar in it." That is the best cough syrup. It sure is good for cough. I've made lots of it. He always said to take the bark from the east side of the tree. He said the most juice was on the east side.

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Now you go down here in the bottom by the river and get a muskrat and kill 'im and spread out the hide. Then take the mustache, the whiskers, and tie 'em in a poke and hang inside the house out of the way and forget about it, and you will never be sick. That's what I done and never been sick.

Mary: Now, you know crow, you get a yellow crow and cook it and let the kids eat it and it helps to cure whooping cough. (not clear)--and the rest of them that we doctored, we never did, they are growing now more than they ever did. And we (not clear)

Ralph: You never did believe him. You just have to take my