Ok so what has been going on in my life, over the past three weeks? Well, for one thing, I came down with this nasty-ass'd cold that has been going around this area. I personally think I got it from my plumber Steve*. He was over to talk boiler with me on Saturday, confessed that he had spent the last two weeks "sicker'n a dog" and this was his first day back. By 3pm Sunday afternoon I was reeling with a fever. So that wasn't a fun week. This week I have been consumed in getting our heating system setup.

We have two heating systems in our house for a reason. Natural gas and solid fuel. So, if we have trouble with one, or if the economic advantages are tilted in favor of one fuel over the other, we are set. What we really didn't count on was the backup system (gas) not being there for us when we needed it.

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