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Are We In For the Needle?

The newspapers have been full of comes the announcement that the vaccine accounts of the Asiatic Flu. Most reports say it is not severe. The American Medical Association says the only remedy is to stay in bed, live on a semi-liquid diet (as liquid as practical) and take Aspirin. The disease is mild and there is no presently known remedy. The Drug Houses, however, have been filling the papers with news of a vaccine now in preparation.

The Army has invested a large sum of the public funds in an order for a huge quantity of this vaccine. The Drug Houses, according to the papers, are stock-piling it pending an outbreak of the disease in the United States.

It is well to note that though science has been working for years to develop a vaccine against the common cold and flu, no successful vaccine has yet been developed.

Now come the "miracle men" and in less than four months they claim they have a vaccine to prevent this new type of flu. Have they? There is only one way to find out and that is to try it on you.

There is only one way for the Drug Houses to get their money back and that is to sell the vaccine to the public. Now supply has been built up and is ready for use by the public, so watch for a newspaper campaign urging the public to protect themselves from this new type of flu by being vaccinated.

Unless tactics are changed, the newspapers and radio will be filled with reports of ever increasing outbreaks here in America. How else can the Drug Monopoly get their money back? We could be wrong, and we sincerely hope we are.

Hoxsey Cases

As the Bulletin goes to press the news is that all three of Harry Hoxsey's suits against the government are proceeding according to schedule and that all looks hopeful.

We should all be very much in prayer that victory shall crown his efforts in this regard, for the lives of thousands of people are at stake. Something must be done to stop our government from continuing in its illegal activities in the field of health. A Hoxsey victory would accomplish this.

A REGULAR MEMBERSHIP OR A SUBSCRIPTION TO THE BULLETIN WILL MAKE A GOOD GIFT FOR A FRIEND

SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, 1957

Medical Experts Scoff at Asian Flu

By JOHN F. ALLEN

S. F. Examiner, Saturday, Sept. 28, 1957

The official and public excitement over the current epidemic of Asian influenza is out of all proportion to the importance of what is essentially a very mild disease. The flu vaccine—still in short supply—offers an unknown degree of protection to no more than half of those who get it—and the prevention may well prove worse than the disease.

On the other hand there is always the possibility that the virus responsible for the current epidemic may mutate into a much more virulent strain—in which case the present vaccine may be valueless.

Opinions, Guesses

These opinions and guesses are those of a panel of experts who gathered last night at the request of the San Francisco Medical Society to assess the status of the flu.

Included were Dr. Karl F. Meyer, emeritus director of the University of California's Hooper Foundation and one of the world's foremost experts on epidemic diseases; Dr. Lowell Rantz, Stanford professor of medicine; Dr. Henry Brainerd, University of California professor of medicine; Dr. Henry Bruyn, U. C. assistant professor of medicine, and Dr. Ellis Sox, San Francisco's health director.

They were concerned over what they termed the public's near hysteria over the Asian flu and the fact that every doctor is being besieged by his patients for shots he does not have.

Doctor's Suggestion

It was Doctor Rantz who suggested that the general public would be better

off to forego shots even when they are available.

"As the disease exists now," he said,
"you could take any million people and
vaccinate them and there would be a
bigher percentage of them disabled and
dead than among a similar million unvaccinated."

Doctor Sox put it another way, pointing out that at best the vaccine would decrease the chance of any given number of people getting the disease by so little as to be nearly meaningless.

Probable Percentages

In the first place, Doctor Sox noted, probably only 20 per cent of the population will be hit; this means that 80 out of 100 people will not get the flu. Since the vaccine is only 50 per cent effective, then if the vaccine is given to the entire 100, only 10 of the 20 destined to get flu will be protected.

All the doctors present agreed that Asian flu is hardly a disease that warrants mass vaccination.

Proper Usage

However, they also agreed that it should be properly used for hospital staffs, in Army camps and perhaps in other places where men and women are kept close together and where the illness of many might affect essential services. The disease itself is mild and runs its course in five days to a week, bringing with it no more than high temperatures, head and body aches and a general feeling of weakness.

It is no worse in its effect, the doctors NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION BULLETIN agreed, than other flu epidemics which have swept over the country or the world time after time in the last few decades.

Why Hysteria?

Why, then, the hysteria and excitement?

Doctor Meyer blamed the fact on a deliberate campaign to sell the vaccine which is being manufactured by six pharmaceutical houses, under the guidance of the United States Public Health Service.

Doctor Meyer noted that the Public Health Service has been mass vaccination minded ever since it permitted itself to become involved in the release of the Salk polio vaccine before that vaccine had been proved safe.

Exotic Name

The other experts agreed that such pressure from the Government and the drug houses had a great deal to do with playing up the epidemic out of proportion to its importance, and some added that the exotic name of the disease had helped.

One suggested—with a degree of seriousness—that people were proud of having Asian flu and that if it could be intimated that it was some sort of venereal disease, the scare and demand for vaccine would promptly end.

The experts also guessed that many of the cases listed as Asian flu were no more than standard winter respiratory ailments.

Only Real Proof

Only laboratory tests, usually completed after the patient is well, can definitely prove the presence of Asian flu.

The record shows, according to Doctor Meyer, that there have been in the United States only 12 deaths among people suffering from Asian flu, and all agreed that these people were almost certainly killed by a complicating disease.

The only real danger that all saw was the possibility that the Asian virus may mutate into a more dangerous and deadly type.

In this case there still is no real argument for mass vaccination; the new strain of virus may not be touched by the present vaccine.

Something to Watch

This threat of a mutated virus is something that must be watched but is neither a cause for hysteria nor an excuse for mass vaccination, the experts agreed.

The consensus advice to the average citizen:

Don't worry about getting vaccinated; you're probably better off without it.

Keep up your general health with good food and rest.

If you get the flu, take to your bed and treat the symptoms.

Don't enter a hospital unless there are complications; there's much more chance of picking up a complicating disease in a hospital than there is at home.

Don't worry—it's no worse than a bad cold.

N.H.F. Editor's note: It looks as though the medical men are awakening to what the Federal Public Health Service and drug houses are up to.

An Oakland, Calif. hospital thought it would be forehanded and inoculate all its nurses for Asian flu—so they'd be able to function when the epidemic gets here. Result: the management has learned how to run a hospital with half the nurses out with flu shors.

We Apologize

"The evil that men do lives after them, the good is oft interred with their bones." That is what a great writer thought and life seems to indicate he knew what he was talking about.

We Suffer

If an editor wants to find out whether his material is read, all he has to do is make a mistake or get off beat and he soon finds out. His good deeds and words are so often not mentioned.

We Offer an Excuse

With all of our work we have, for the past ten months, had to assume the duties of editing a second monthly magazine. This may have worn our editorial pencil down to the wood, so that we failed to edit one of the articles appearing in the last issue. We speak of the reference to Roosevelt. It should not have appeared in our reproduction of the article in question. Our only real excuse is we have too much to do and we failed to edit the material carefully enough.

We Are Sorry

We try to keep personalities and personal politics out of the material in the Bulletin, because what the Federation is interested in is health freedom and not persons or politics as such. We will be more careful in the future.

We Have Paid the Penalty

We feel so badly to think we pulled such a boner, we have fined ourselves an entire year's salary. Accordingly we have handed the Federation treasurer the sum of one dollar. That is the exact amount we get for acting as President, Executive Director and editor.

Now if each of you would like to fine himself or herself one dollar for belong-

ing to an organization which makes us overwork, the treasurer will be happy to receive your fine.

WARNING!

The National Dietary Foods Association in a recent bulletin sent the following message to its more than one thousand dietary health food store members:

"One of our New York dealers from Buffalo writes me that the Food and Drug Inspectors spent over four hours in his store the other day looking over labels and literature, and after checking the whole store they looked through his back room for anything they might find. They told him they were going to get going in earnest very soon and they now have spotters out with concealed recorders to take down everything that a clerk in the store tells his customer. 'This means,' said he, 'that our people better be sure of what they are telling a customer for they may never know when a food and drug man is the customer or is standing nearby taking down everything.' So it goes."

Every individual who believes in proper eating and in drugless methods of taking care of his body, should consider this activity on the part of the Food and Drug Administration a direct attack on his right to be well and to use what methods he believes to be best for him.

The Food and Drug Administration as presently constituted is no longer interested in your protection, but rather, willing or unwillingly, is operating under a policy which is detrimental to the well being of all Americans. This policy can be changed only through organized efforts.

Tolerance

The National Health Federation is not organized to represent or present any one point of view. It is organized to bring the truth to the people on matters of health. It is organized to bring viewpoints in the health field to the attention of its members. The fact that the Federation Bulletin carries articles presenting different viewpoints does not mean that such are the viewpoints of the membership as a whole. The Bulletin has carried articles explaining different cancer treatments, but that does not mean we, as a Federation, necessarily endorse them. We present them to the end that our members may understand each type of treatment.

We shall endeavor to be as careful as we can to see that all viewpoints or other information are legitimate, so far as we are able to judge. When the Federation has grown a little more we will be able to have a statistical research department and then we can investigate all items thoroughly.

Let us all be tolerant of the other person's viewpoint. Many things in a newspaper are not to our liking, but we still buy the paper. So it is in life, we must learn to overlook the things we do not like and select out of it the things we agree with or that agree with us. Most of us have Motes in our eyes, and you know what the Bible says on that subject.

WHO

The next issue of the Bulletin will be devoted to giving information regarding the World Health Organization and some of its activities. It is very important that our members know what this organization is attempting to do.

You Can Help Us

Will you send us any clippings or other authentic information you may have on this subject?

We do appreciate the way our members help out by sending in news items and other information on various subjects relating to the field of health. In this manner you have a real part in the editing and publishing of the Bulletin and the Herald of Health.

You are wonderful folks and every day we are impressed with the fine Christian character of the members of the Feder-

Morris Bealle Makes Good Impression

We are very happy to be able to report that the National Health Federation was able to present Morris Bealle of Capsule News (Author of the Drug Story) to two Southern California audiences. One in Santa Ana and the other one in Los Angeles. We were also able to have him on the Dan Lundberg Show, T.V. Channel 13.

Morris made a very fine impression and brought first hand information about things in the health field which are taking place in Washington, D.C.

The audiences were very appreciative of the fine work Mr. Bealle is doing with his weekly News Letter "Capsule News."

Anti-Fluoridation Victory

Early in July the Supreme Court of Canada ruled that fluoridation of the public water supplies could not be FORCED on the people in ANY community, by ANY authority, at ANY level of government. The Supreme Court's

ruling means that the WILL OF THE PEOPLE is still supreme. A comparative small number of people have created a great force of public opinion against compulsory fluoridation.

Weinberger Enters Race For Attorney General

Republican Assemblyman Caspar W. Weinberger, of San Francisco, who spearheaded the legislative investigation of liquor control under the State Board of Equalization, has entered the race for Attorney General in the June, 1958, primaries.

The 40-year-old legislator, now serving his third term in the Assembly, appeared before the candidates and fact-finding committee of the unofficial California Republican Assembly at Long Beach last Saturday and his official announcement of candidacy was not unexpected.

Editor's Note: This is the man who, if he had had his way, would have condemned many hopeless cancer victims to death by denying them the right to have treatments — other than x-ray — surgery and radium. A member asks, "What chance would cancer victims have with him as attorney general?"

Senate Interim Committee on Weinberger Cancer Bill

The Senate Interim Committee which was appointed, as a result of the Weinberger Cancer bill, to make a two years' study of the Cancer situation in California is as follows:

Senator John F. Thompson, R., Chairman, Rt. 3, Box 408, San Jose, Calif.

Senator John Wilson Beard, D., El

Centro, Calif.

Senator James F. Busch, R., 700 Spring St., Ukiah, Calif.

Senator Fred H. Kraft, R., 612 Spreckles Bldg., San Diego, Calif.

Senator Richard Richards, D., State Building, Los Angeles, Calif.

This committee has a fund of thirty thousand dollars with which to make an honest and thorough investigation and bring in recommendations, based on that study, for the legislature to consider at its next regular session in 1959.

Those desiring to appear before this committee should get in touch with the Chairman or whichever of the Senators happens to be from his or her county. The National Health Federation is at this time trying to ascertain the organizational setup, the plans and contemplated start of the investigational work of the committee.

It is of the utmost importance that the finances of the Federation be such as to allow for the employment of a proper man to handle the presentation of the people's case in this extremely important matter. These Senators are all able and very conscientious men and have a real desire to learn the truth. It is up to the people to get the truth to them.

Heart Experts Urge New Studies on Diet

New York, Aug. 15, (UP)—An American Heart Association committee said today that there was not enough evidence to suport a theory that what a person eats may cause hardening of the arteries, a condition underlying most heart attacks and strokes.

But the association's nutrition committee said, there is enough evidence to

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justify an immediate and thorough investigation of diet as a contributing factor in coronary and cerebral artery diseases.

"One of the first things that occurs to lay individuals about chronic disease is a possible change in diet," the committee said in a report prepared in conjunction with the American Society for the Study of Arteriosclerosis.

Good News to California Cancer Victims

By the time you receive this Bulletin, the Hoxsey Cancer Treatment will be available to Californians, at the Fremont Clinical Service, 5625 Melrose Ave., Los Angeles, California.

The clinic, made of marble and tile throughout, is housed in a beautiful two-story building, in a good section of the city. There are dozens of treating rooms, complete diagnostic equipment and everything required for the comfort, care and convenience of the patient.

Doctors, nurses and technicians, trained in the Hoxsey methods, will always be on hand, ready to render the best possible service offered by the system. Other ailments are also treated by various specialists on the clinic's staff.

Now Is the Time!

Now is the time for all right thinking people, interested in the right of a cancer victim to seek health wherever it may be found, when orthodox methods (so called) have been used and failed, to band themselves together into a strong, vital organization, for the purpose of defending this new venture against those who would and will attempt to destroy it.

The California Branch of the Ameri-

can Cancer Society will no doubt be used to spearhead the drive against this work. Those who contribute to it should insist, this year when they give, that not one cent of the gift shall be used, in any manner, to impede this great work.

The National Health Federation

N.H.F. will do everything within its power to protect the right of California cancer victims to secure the treatment of their choice within the state borders.

To do this the Federation must have the active support of its membership, as well as that of many more members.

The fight is on—we must not fail—we will not fail, if we Pray and Work and Give.

AMA Says Antibiotics Are No Good for Asian Flu

Chicago, Sept. 6, (INS).—The American Medical Association reported today that once Asian flu is contracted there is very little that can be done to treat the ailment.

The best treatment, said the A. M. A. is bedrest, sufficient liquid intake, and agents to reduce fever.

In an article appearing in the Sept. 7 A. M. A. Journal, the association's council on drugs also warned that antibiotics and sulfa drugs should not be used to treat Asian flu.

The article explained that antibiotics and sulfa drugs do not affect most viruses, including those causing the present outbreak of Asian flu.

It urged that the so-called miracle drugs be saved for patients who suffer complications such as pneumonia, which is a bacterial infection and can be treated with antibiotics or sulfa drugs.

Boy, 7, Dies; Polio Victim

Detroit's second polio death this year, that of seven-year-old Louis Cisneros, 1246 Twenty-fourth, was reported yesterday by Dr. Joseph G. Molner, commissioner of health.

Unlike the city's first fatal polio victim two weeks ago, Louis had received all three shots of the Salk vaccine said his mother, Amparo.

Mrs. Cisneros first discovered the boy had the disease on Monday. He was taken to Herman Kiefer Hospital and died two days later.

Molner reported the total number of cases to date is 94 with two deaths, compared with 62 cases and no deaths for the same period last year. — (Detroit News).

Michigan Better Wake Up

On Sunday, August 4, there was a 2-column front page smear article in the Detroit News, written by Merle Oliver, staff correspondent, The Detroit News. We quote the first few paragraphs:

"Grand Rapids, Aug. 3.—Witch doctors who commit murder are under study by a group representing the Michigan State Medical Society.

Under investigation are fakers who say they cure cancer with such things as red pills, powder, salves, buzzers, bells, colored lights and electric shocks, raw red cabbage, a diet of grapes, or shots in the arm.

They cause the death of many cancer patients by keeping them from genuine treatment until it is too late, says Dr. William A. Hyland, of Grand Rapids, chairman of the cancer quackery subcommittee of the Cancer Co-ordinating Committee of Michigan.

A subcommittee report describes the quack as "a sly, shrewd character, wholly without scruples or a moral sense."

The article is too long to reproduce in its entirely, but here are a few important paragraphs:

"The aim of the cancer quackery subcommittee is to gather information and propose legislation which will control the activities of cancer quacks and possibly put many of them out of business . . . "

"Among the proposals which may be made after the subcommittee completes its study would be one to establish a state cancer commission.

Duties of the commission would include investigation of any cancer treatment and the making public of information about the treatment.

Individuals or institutions that treat cancer would be registered and licenses could be revoked for failure to comply with regulations.

A Commission of this kind set up in California has succeeded in putting several cancer quacks out of business, Dr. Hyland said."

It Just Ain't So

Dr. Hyland has been misinformed. The Weinberger Bill did attempt to set up a Medical Monopoly Commission, but when the people of California woke up to what was going on they quickly informed the legislature that they wanted no part of it. The bill was pigeon-holed and an interim committee appointed to make a two-year study of the situation to ascertain whether or not any additional legislation than that which is, and has been, on the books covering this subject. is needed.

The proponents of the Weinberger bill admitted to the Senate Committee

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that they had planned to include other diseases in the bill. In this manner they exposed the real reason for the bill to-wit: the control of all health treatments by the medical monopoly.

The proponents of the bill also admitted that the Weinberger bill was pilot legislation and it was planned to have such commissions set up in every state of the Union.

July-August Issue Popular

The July-August issue proved to be a very popular issue. In that issue we tried to set forth a series of facts regarding the American Cancer Society and the National Health Council.

We expected it to be popular, so we had the printer run an extra one thousand copies. These sold out immediately so we had a second edition run off. This second edition is now exhausted and we have orders still coming in, so we are now making a third run. This will be the last run and while they last they will sell for 15ϕ each or \$5.00 for 50 and \$8.00 for one hundred.

We Won't Waste Your Money

In every organization one of the problems is to keep the members reminded of when they should pay their dues.

We have tried to avoid this condition in the National Health Federation setup, by making the dues payable on the first of each year.

To achieve this purpose we have operated on the following plan: One—All members joining before September first in any one year are given a paid-up membership for the year in which they pay. Thus their dues would become due and payable on the first of the following

year; and,

Two—All persons who join or pay their dues after September 1st of any year will receive a bonus of four months. By that we mean they will be given a membership card for the entire year of 1958, etc.

Following this type of procedure in two or three years we will have all memberships coming due on the first of each year. This may seem a bit unfair to some, but in the long run it will equalize itself and all will have been treated the same.

Those who have not paid their 1957 dues to date can now do so and receive their full 1958 membership card. Take a look at your membership card and if it does not have the date 1958 on it your dues are now due and payable.

Doctor Reports Cure of Polio

Brussels, Sept. 9, (Reuters)—A Belgian doctor said today he had developed a simple new electronic treatment for polio which could cure even acute cases within hours, provided treatment began within 49 hours of the attack.

The physician, Dr. Albert Adam, has just returned from a two-month governmental mission to the Belgian Congo where he set up medical centers for the new treatment in main cities.

He said six people brought into Leopoldville Hospital in the Congo with acute polio all were cured within hours, and one, "a little girl of seven, treated overnight for a virulent case, was already playing in the morning."

"Provided the treatment begins within 48 hours after the outbreak, the patient is sure to be saved and cured within hours," Dr. Adam said. — The Detroit News, Sept. 9, 1957.

Potential Cancer Peril in Some Food Chemicals

(From Labor, August 25, 1957)

A top government cancer expert warned this past week that some food dyes, even though now certified as harmless, may be proved to cause cancer in man. This testimony highlighted new hearings before a House subcommittee on bills to strengthen Federal regulation over food additives.

Food dyes are now widely used in bakery products, candy, soft drinks, on the skin of fruit and elsewhere. So too are a growing number of other food additives.

Dr. C. W. Heuper of the government's National Cancer Institute noted that "an appreciable number of chemicals has been shown to cause cancer in man" and warned that some of these are very similar to those introduced into our food supply.

For example, he said, a considerable number of dye workers producing a certain dye have come down with cancer of the bladder. "Several certified food dyes contain this dye as part of their chemical molecule," he added.

In addition, said Dr. Hueper, three certified food dyes have been shown to cause a cancer-type disease in rats. Another such dye, fed to dogs, broke down into a new chemical which causes bladder cancer in dogs and man, he declared.

Dr. Hueper noted that these facts don't prove the dyes cause cancer in man. However, he stressed that there's a very large list of chemicals, including some used as food additives, whose safety in relation to cancer just isn't known yet.

"From the evidence we have," he said, "we must assume that some of these agents will eventually be found to cause cancer in man."

Dr. Hueper urged that any chemical that's even a potential cancer-producer should be rigorously excluded from the nation's food supply.

Similar views came from the American Cancer Society, who urged in a letter to the subcommittee that Congress require cancer testing of food additives on animals and impose a complete ban on any additive found to cause cancer in humans or animals.

Bills to accomplish these aims have been introduced by Congressman James J. Delaney (Dem., N. Y.) and Congresswoman Leonor K. Sullivan (Dem., Mo.) The House subcommittee is also considering some weaker bills, backed by the chemical and food industries.

Chlorination vs. Fluoridation

Chlorination is a safety measure because it prevents the spread of contagion.

Chlorine in water usually evaporates before it reaches the human organism. It has an odor so that an overdose can be detected; all will disappear if the water stands or is boiled.

Fluorides are the more insiduous because they have no taste, odor or color. They concentrate when water is boiled and are cumulative.

Since fluorides are not used to prevent the spread of contagion, fluoridation is not a genuine public health measure.

Great thoughts, like great deeds, need no trumpet.

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What's in the Hoxsey Treatment?

By S. EDGAR BOND, B.L.M.D.

Editor of the Journal of Medical Physical Research

In the Journal of The American Medical Association in its issue of June 12, 1954, is the account of its "investigation" of the Hoxsey Cancer Clinic of Dallas, Texas.

This "investigation" was conducted from its swivel chairs in the Editorial office of Dearborn Street in Chicago, Ill. It smacks of those ancient editorials from the pen of Morris Fishbein who was booted out from writing and speaking on things controversial in medicine because his methods had become so obnoxious they were disturbing even to the politician in medical practitioners ranks surrounding the A. M. A. and Trustees.

The conclusions from that office was the Hoxsey Medicine was merely a "cough medicine" and the only ingredient worth considering was one drug Potassium Iodine. The conclusion it was a cough medicine was due, it said, to that drug being included in some cough medicines, as an expectorant.

From all this "swivel chair investigation" the *report* in part is as follows: "Any person possessing any modicum of knowledge of the pharmacological action of drugs should know that any combination of ingredients listed on the current label of the Hoxsey Tonic or in the statement filed over Mr. Hoxsey's signature in Federal Court in Dallas, Texas is without any therapeutic merit in the treatment of cancer. Any such person who would seriously contend that scientific medicine is under any obligations to investigate such a mixture or its promoter is either stupid or dishonest."

We are preparing in this article to qualify as being either "stupid or dishonest." Yet the AMA, which was Fishbein, from grandfather to Harry Hoxsey, have tried to put these men out of business but without success and that is due to its success in treating cancer.

Out of an experience of over fifty years we are preparing to analyze each ingredient which both experience and that of many eminent forefathers in the field of medical practice purveying natural medicines at the bedside has firmly established.

Sometimes "scientific medicine" is not scientific nor is it conclusive. We are not surprised Mr. Fishbein or any understudy applies to Potassium Iodine the property of an expectorant in cough medicines. It is an alterative. If given in continuous doses it is so potent as such it will create a rash or other skin lesions; evidence it does reach every cell of the body as an eliminant rather than merely an expectorant in a coryza.

In the article of June 12 the Journal pays great attention to the trial of Dr. Hoxsey in which he was given restricted orders on the proper labeling of the Clinics literature but from the evidence presented it did not prohibit him from using his remedies or sending the remedy by mail.

There was one part of that trial the Journal did not mention for it was proven "Dr." Fishbein had never attended medical school, neither had he ever visited a bedside as a medical practitioner. Just how he obtained the everpresent

M. D. to his name was not entirely revealed. Yet this was the man of medicine who closed up every Medical School in America except those he could control by medical politics. And now for years he has been telling the world how it should heal all diseases.

In addition "scientific medicine" in theory and practice is bound to the theory it takes a poison to "kill" disease and thus cannot see any virtue in natural medicines of botanical origin which build and strengthen nature's fighting forces and enables it to better resist diseases as well as cure diseases. Such do not kill the patient with an overdose but build vitality.

One glaring fault the Journal discovered was faulty spelling in the reported Court Records of the Cancer remedies of the Hoxsey Clinic.

This Editor does not think if he should leave out an l in Stillingia such would entirely establish either ignorance of the quality of the drug which is one concerned in the Hoxsey Clinic. Beside tests might prove more.

The following is the 16 oz. Hoxsey Tonic as analyzed by the AMA Laboratories. Each 5cc contains:

tories. Each 5cc contains:		
Potassium Iodine	50	Mg.
Licorice	20	Mg.
Red Clover	20	Mg.
Burdock Root	10	Mg.
Stillingia Root	10	Mg.
Berberis Root	10	Mg.
Poke Root	10	Mg.
Cascara Amarga	5	Mg.
Prickly Ash Bark		
Buckthorn Bark	20	Mg.

We submit the following analysis of each in its clinical and laboratory findings each discovered by the bedside use, and confirmed by recoveries from diseased conditions as evidence of its value in such diseases as cancer, both internal and external.

Potassium Iodine

Potassium Iodine is an alterant tonic influencing the glandular system, the serous and mucous membranes. It cures specific ulcerations, scrofulaes, opthalmias, goitres, severe pruritis, eczemas and warts. The Potassium side, (Pot Ash) is made from wood ashes as lye and is a strong alkali and brings with its chemical combination with Iodine these same qualities. With Iodine as a base there are formed many such combinations, many of which are included in various medications.

Trifolium Pratense - Red Clover

The common red clover is gathered when in perfect bloom and so used. It is a stimulating, alterant, influencing the capillary circulation to better distribution. Its use promotes healthy granulations in indolent ulcers, scaly and pimply skin. In the elderly person it influences the dry skin to more normal condition and induces better protective moisture and persperation.

Burdock Root—Arctium Lappa or Lappa Major—Roots or Seeds

The root is a soothing alterant, the seeds are the same but more active and somewhat oily. Eclectic physicians rely on this drug in blood dyscrasias and usually combine it with more stimulating or diffusive drugs if used in syphilitic cases. It is a persistent tonic alterative, relieves lymphatic congestions, inflamations of the skin and influences the alvine structures. It is of value in rheumatic conditions especially in the inflamatory stages of such diseases, aiding

in cleansing the system of its accumulations. Here the seed with its natural oils is of value.

Cascara Amarga — Honduras Bark Picramnia, Etc.

This bark is little known by modern physicians yet it is one of the best stimulating alteratives we have in the botannical field. It is of especial value in gummy tumors, chronic eczemas, chronic catarrhs, gonorrheal rheumatism, secondary syphilis, localized tubercules and general blood disturbances. In fact, this drug seems to stimulate the kidneys and skin in such a manner as to eliminate the accumulated virus through these emuctories as it improves the appetite and digestion.

It has been long known the addition of Berberis aquifolium and Xanthoxyium adds to these properties due to their diffusive and stimulating properties.

Xanthoxylum Flaxineum — Prickly Ash

This drug made from the bark, seed or berries is a postive diffusive stimulant which produces better arterial and capillary circulations. This property is unlike that of capsicum, in that it is more lasting and more agreeable to the taste. It arouses the skin, is diffusive reaching to cold extremities, stimulates salivary and lymphatic glands, serous and mucous areas.

Of value by itself yet it is often combined with Phytolacca Root when it becomes even more effective in rheumatisms, scrofulaes, syphilis, congestions and paralysis. A vehicle made from ripe berries, possesses similar values but much milder in clinical values.

Phytolacca Decandra - Poke Berries

This plant is common to our woods and fields, easily recognized with its

stems of long black berries which are largely eaten by robins to condition them for their long flight south. Both berries and the green root are used. Phytolacca influences all the deep structures and relieves congested or inflamed areas. It is a stimulating, relaxing, alterant which influences all serous, mucous and glandular structures. It enables the physician to relieve the system of excess accumulations of fats and filth within and give to the patient more muscular solidity. It is a persistent remedy so is used in orchitis, mammary ovarian and scrofulous abscesses. It will avert body and cartilaginous swellings and is of great value in rheumatisms.

Stillingia Sylvatica

The root of this plant is used which also is a positive, stimulating, alterative especially adapted to chronic cases where its persistent properties are useful.

Its use with other and less stimulating drugs is urged for in large doses it is cathartic and even emetic and may leave within the bowels a burning sensation.

Like many of the foregoing drugs it is an alterant to the glandular system and is used in secondary syphilis, eczemas, ulcers, scrofulaes and malignant eruptions.

Rhamnus Frangula — Buckthorn

This is the European variety which is a mild, stimulating, laxative, cholagogue which in large doses becomes a cathartic of moderate impression. Its addition to any alterative medications gives persistent values toward easy elimination of toxic impurities in any system without any of the usual cathartic disturbing cramps. In such action it is a tonic laxative rather than that of drastic disturbances.

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Glycyrrhiza Glabra — Licorice

This root is usualy used as a vehicle to cover up any bitter, tonic, medications, but the profession have of late discovered it is more than a mere covering for bitter taste. It is a demulcent and gentle laxative yet somewhat stimulating to the entire internal and digestive mucous membranes. This is now emphasized as a valuable addition to any combination of drugs designed to use in inflamatory ulcerations and many other indications in digestive disturbances.

Is it a "Shot Gun" Prescription?

Perhaps one may be accused in such a combination as using a "shotgun" prescription. But when one analyzes it he finds each has its purpose and reaches diseases especially in cancers which are many sided from many angles as an eliminating alterative, blood builder and mildly stimulating factor in urging the system to eliminate its accumulations of its pathology and rebuild.

Modern Theory of Cancer

The difficulty of those administering remedies in cancers, and such allied conditions, is in not realizing cancer is first and always a systemic disease and failure to understand the manifestation we term a local cancer is not the entire cause or the systemic disturbances which are present as a result of such visable lesion.

We are attempting to cure cancers by more and more X-ray force, Radium and surgical elimination of the local manifestation when we should begin at the root causes and its elimination by means of systemic eliminants. If we do not change our methods of attacking cancers and our theories and attack it as a systemic disease, we will have an increasing number of cancer fatalities.

This Formulae Does Just That

And, in the opinion of ten capable medical investigators, does it better than any other method available if used conscientiously and persistently.

We do not expect to create a great revolution soon in modern day methods of theory and practice concerning the cancer problems, but we have the privilege of an American citizen to bring to our public and he who may read an expose of any wrong thinking in the medical world concerning the effectiveness of the above remedies, which are almost wholly botanical.

Each drug is one which gives positive elimination returns which we term alterative in action. It is seldom thought that these near nature drugs are possessed of antibiotic, that is, have bacteriocidal properties, especially when in the raw state, neither does the average physician realize these possess antiscorbutic properties as also diuretic and cathartic properties.

Should there be no other argument for their efficiency, these of their elimination properties should enable any one with reason to reach the conclusion there is in our formulae these needed properties in treating cancer. Also there is in it tonic properties which build in the system greater assimiliation and strength from foods consumed.

That this formulae does all of these in almost a miraculous way is attested to by ten medical men who had placed at their disposal many witnesses and authentic records by the many thousands.

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Police Gazette Crusading For Pure Food

In a previous issue we called attention to a series of articles run in the March, April and May issues on the subject of Poisoned Food. We are now happy to call your attention to another series in the Gazette. The articles are entitled "They're using a Rustproof to give cheese that sharp taste." Another, "Beware, Your Beer is Being Doctored," and in the August issue, "They Are Using Lice Powder to Flavor Your Ice Cream." We do not know the dates of the first two articles.

These articles are all documented and the series is continuing in each new issue.

The following is an excerpt from the Lice Killer article. We recommend you get the entire article, if not the entire series.

"Nobody in his right mind would step up to a soda fountain and order a lice killer sundae topped with cleaning fluid. But millions of Americans unknowingly will do that this summer as they lap up more ice cream than ever has been eaten before.

Ice cream. It is a peculiarly American dish. It sounds, not even harmless, but helpful. It is nutritious, we think. It is made of cream and eggs and natural fruit flavors. So we assume.

But some very strange things indeed go into ice cream as it is made by some manufacturers. Some reputable ice cream makers still use only pure, health-giving ingredients. But for the man who's more interested in turning a quick dollar than in giving his customers a safe product there are many synthetic substitutes available.

And the poor consumer, you and I and the guy next door, has neither protection nor recourse. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has set standards on practically all our manufactured foods-except ice cream. An ice cream maker can put anything he wants into his product, and too many do. There is nothing to stop him, or to shield the child standing on a boardwalk at the seashore munching an ice cream cone.

The millions of Americans who so dearly love ice cream can be trapped by modern manufacturing methods. Eggs are great to emulsify a product, to pull the various ingredients together in a cohesive mass. But eggs are expensive.

So what do many ice cream makers do to cut costs? They use synthetic emulsifiers, which can contain chemicals like diethyl glycol.

What is diethyl glycol? Well, it is used as an anti-freeze in radiators, it is used to cool airplane engines and it removes paint very nicely.

In 1937, 105 men and women died as a result of taking an "elixir" containing diethyl glycol. The "elixir" was one of those wonder drugs, guaranteed to cure kidney disease, strep throat and gonor-

Since then chemical emulsifiers, several of which were related to poisonous glycols, have been outlawed in salad dressing, mayonnaise and bread. But they are still being used in ice cream, because of the lack of Federal Food and Drug standards."

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Post Office Department Versus Small Business

By Harry L. Breckenridge

Newspaper and radio commentators during the past year have carried accounts of a good many Congressional Investigations regarding all sorts of things and people.

Some of these investigations are no doubt justified, but many of them seem to be costing the American tax-payers a lot more money than the results would justify.

Congress however is not the only branch of the Federal Government afflicted with investigative virus.

In North Carolina the Post Office Department, which has been crying of late for higher postage rates to overcome its deficit, has been conducting an expensive investigation of one of the States smaller but fast growing businesses, an investigation carried on in such a high-handed manner as to almost remind one of Nazi or Communist court procedure.

Some three years ago Mr. David E. Oglesby of Kinston, N. C., a man with years of honorable business and banking experience, organized the Olgesby Chemical Company for the purpose of manufacturing and marketing an unusually effective cream liniment, the formula for which he had purchased from an elderly physician who had used it in his medical practice with great success for years.

More than 155,000 bottles of this liniment, known as LIX-PAIN, have been sold by mail, not counting sales by agents and drug stores, since the Company started business; every bottle bearing a Money Back Guarantee of satisfaction, yet not a

single user has asked for money back or registered a complaint of any sort.

On the contrary, Mr. Oglesby has over 2,000 unsolicited letters in his files from satisfied users who state that Lix-Pain is by far the best liniment they have ever used and more than 50 per cent of those who have ordered by mail have reordered some several times, while agents write of a large percentage of repeats.

Things seemed to be going nicely for the Oglesby Chemical Company. Sales were increasing, gradually but steadily, and the future seemed very bright.

Then out of a clear sky Mr. Oglesby received a registered letter from the Post Office Department accusing him of fraud in connection with the advertising of Lix-Pain, in — so the Department charges — claiming Lix-Pain to be "a cure for certain ailments." An answer was demanded in ten days, with a hearing scheduled in Washington, D. C., in twenty days.

Mr. Oglesby engaged a local Kinston attorney and together they went to Washington where they learned that defendants at Post Office Department hearings were not allowed to be represented by their local attorneys but must engage District of Columbia lawyers to handle their cases.

He then engaged one of the best qualified Washington attorneys, Mr. Frank J. Delaney, a man well versed in Post Office Department procedure to represent him.

Mr. Delany, unable to get the case dis-NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION BULLETIN missed for lack of evidence of any guilt, did finally succeed in getting the hearing transferred to North Carolina, as it would have been practically impossible for Mr. Oglesby's witnesses to have all gone to Washington for the hearing.

After considerable delay the North Carolina hearing was finally held, lasting three days, the first day in Raleigh and the following two days in Kinston. These sessions were conducted by Post Office Hearing Examiner, Edward Carlick, assisted by Post Office Prosecuting Attorney, Richard Farr, with two consultants and a stenographer.

This writer attended the hearing and must say that I have never attended any hearing or court trial where the defendant's rights were ignored as was the case at this hearing or where pertinent evidence was disregarded, as such evidence was time and again during this hearing. The entire hearing seemed as though it was being conducted, not with the idea of getting at the true facts as to whether or not the product really had the merits claimed for it, but rather for the sole purpose of getting a conviction regardless of facts; even regardless of the sworn testimony of several witnesses who appeared voluntarily to tell of the beneficial results they had experienced from the use of Lix-Pain, and the sworn testimony of three well-known physicians who testified as to the merits of the formula and the success they had met with in prescribing Lix-Pain.

In spite of the fact that a careful examination of Lix-Pain advertising and of the label used on the bottles would have proved conclusively that no claim that it would absolutely cure any disease was made for it, but only that it would give

relief from muscular aches and pains, yet the attorney for the Post Office Department seemed determined to make out a case of fraud against Mr. Oglesby.

Yet this same Government Attorney, Mr. Farr, at the close of the hearing told this writer that he had suffered from pain in one of his shoulders the night before and had used Lix-Pain on the shoulder and the pain soon disappeared.

The stenographer's transcript of the hearing ran into 400 pages and in all this voluminous record there is not one iota of evidence to substantiate any claim of fraud in the advertising of the product.

On the contrary, the testimony of the physicians and of the one pharmacist the hearing examiner allowed to testify, as well as the several users of Lix-Pain who testified, tended to show that the medical value of the liniment is even greater than claimed on the label or in any of the advertising.

Nine other pharmacists who stood ready to testify were refused the opportunity to do so by Mr. Carlick, the hearing examiner, but he did finally reluctantly permit depositions from them to go into the record of the hearing.

At no time has Mr. Oglesby been able to find out who instigated the fraud action against him. He does recall however that some time ago one of the pharmaceutical houses wanted to buy the Lix-Pain name and formula, but he refused to sell, so there is at least the possibility of suspicion that this firm may have gotten someone to make a complaint in the hope that the Oglesby Company would be forced out of business and then be glad to sell. Or it might be that some other liniment manufacturer, fearing the growing popularity and competi-

tion of Lix-Pain, may have instigated the complaint through a third party.

The two possible sources of complaint just mentioned are of course only conjecture as the Post Office Department has refused to divulge the source of the complaint — if any — that caused the fraud action to be brought against the Oglesby Company.

One fact stands out crystal clear however; the hearing produced not one scintilla of evidence that the slightest misrepresentation had been made in any of the advertising of Lix-Pain.

An impartial observation throughout the hearing could lead only to the conclusion that, to use a trite phrase, the cards were stacked against Mr. Oglesby and his company from the start. WHY? That's the \$64,000 question that no-one has yet been able to answer.

The basic principle that the Post Office Department should do all in its power to protect the public against any attempt to defraud through the use of the United States mails is sound and right, but when the Post Office Department receives a complaint it should be investigated with as little expense as possible to both the government and the accused, and with the sole purpose of ascertaining the facts, not with the idea of convicting the accused regardless of the evidence.

In the case of the Oglesby Chemical Company all that would have been necessary would have been to send a competent investigator to Kinston and Mr. Oglesby would have gladly cooperated with him by giving him access to all advertising matter used in promoting the sale of his product together with his files

of orders and letters received from users of Lix-Pain.

This procedure was suggested to the hearing examiner by Dr. Robert C. Darnell, Director of the Mail Order Business Bureau, New Bedford, Mass., some time before the hearing took place but the suggestion was ignored. The Mail Order Bureau's slogan is "Promoting Ethical Business Practices By Mail" and they assist the Post Office Department in eliminating fraudulent practices through the mail. Mr. Oglesby and his Company were investigated by the Bureau in 1954 and found highly ethical.

Had the Post Office Department used the simple procedure suggested above, it would have proved conclusively that no foundation existed for any claim of fraud, and without putting either the government or Mr. Oglesby to any great expense.

Instead, this hearing has already cost Mr. Oglesby over \$5,000, not to mention the mental anguish of having his good name soiled with a fraud order, and it must have cost the government (i.e. the taxpayers) as much or more. And still the case drags on with Mr. Oglesby not yet knowing whether he will finally be exonerated or will have to appeal the case to a higher court.

The Select Small Business Committee of the Senate is now making an investigation of this case, in protecting small business and to see that JUSTICE prevails.

It's time the American people wake up and, by united action, put a stop to such unjust procedures.

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How Much Do You Care?

The National Health Federation has during the past year demonstrated its great value. The very demonstration of that value has brought to the organization added burdens. Added burdens mean greater financial outlays.

1. The Federation must finance the necessary help to work with the California Legislative Interim Committee, which is to study the California Cancer situation. Also the necessary help to work with the Congressional Committee set up to investigate the Federal Food and Drug Administration.

2. The Federation incurred indebtedness during the fight on the Weinberger bill, which together with the money owed as of December last year mean the Federation must raise by Christmas a sum equal to \$7,500 to retire this indebtedness. Last year a drive for funds was inaugurated to retire the then indebtedness. The drive netted approximately \$1,200.

May we suggest that you start now putting aside money to give the Federation this Christmas or sooner toward retiring the indebtedness of the Federation.

During the past five months approximately \$600.00 has been received toward the expense of the interim and Congressional Committee presentations.

3. The Federation must double its membership and it can do it if those who are interested will send out the literature. Thousands would join if they knew about the Federation.

Literature costs the Federation one cent for each pamphlet. Where a person can pay this sum it will be helpful, where they cannot the Federation will furnish the literature free.

- 4. The Federation needs a steady income apart from memberships to take care of needed promotional work and to establish a permanent legal division to the end there may be a full time attorney on the staff at all times. This attorney would be the one on whom the interim and Congressional committee work responsibility would rest. He would also be well acquainted with health problems and could advise and help members in regard to regulations and legal tangles in the health field.
- 5. One of our members realizing the value of the Federation work and the need now of funds to carry on has suggested the following plan. Said he, there are folks who can give something each month for a year or so, who cannot give much in a lump sum. The following pledge is as he worked it out. He says health freedom is worth fighting and working and paying for, so he has pledged One Dollar per month for the next 12 months.

If one thousand of our members would do as well it would insure the success of the Federations program.

On the other side of this page you will find three application blanks. We have moved one of them from the back cover, as members did not want to mutilate the cover and felt things of importance should appear there. Thanks to you who made the suggestions.

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