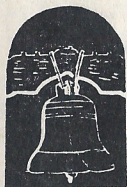


National Health Federation



BULLETIN

WASHINGTON NOTES.....	Page 2
N.H.F. SENATE PRESENTATION.....	Page 3
A. C. IVY, M.D.—THE MAN.....	Page 5
A. C. IVY VERSUS THE BIG LIE.....	Page 7
WITH THE LADIES.....	Page 9
OHIO HEALTH FEDERATION QUOTES.....	Page 16
NEW DANGERS IN EATING CHICKEN.....	Page 18

AMERICANS / CRUSADING FOR
HEALTH LIBERTY

From the Editor's Desk

As advertised in the last issue of the Bulletin, this issue is given over in large measure to reporting the briefs submitted by the National Health Federation and Dr. Andrew C. Ivy, M.D. to the California Senate Committee appointed to study the matter of California Cancer Quackery.

It Will Be Worth While

The September-October issue will be given over in large measure to showing the manner in which the Medical and Drug organizations hoodwink the people and by legislative and other questionable ways, endeavor to keep the sick people of the nation under their control to use as pawns in the building up of a great economic and political empire. Whatever appears is not to be taken as an indictment of Doctors as individuals, but is to be taken as an expose of the evils of their organizations, over which they as individuals have no control. Order extra copies in advance. Prices: 15¢ per copy, 8 copies for \$1.00, 40 copies for \$5.00, 100 copies for \$10.00.

It Is Your Convention

We desire to urge each of you living east of the Mississippi to make every effort to attend the Eastern Convention of the National Health Federation, October 9 to 12, at Cleveland. One of the speakers will be Morris Bealle of Washington, D.C. Morris is in Europe making a first hand study of health matters as they are handled over there. This will give you an opportunity to hear the evidence first hand. Other speakers with just as timely messages will be on the program.

N.H.F. Eastern Convention, Cleveland, Ohio, October 9-12. Make your reservations at once.

N.H.F. Washington Notes

Four bills to carry out the program of the National Health Federation have been drawn up and been introduced or are ready to be introduced at the proper time. All of the preliminary spade work had been done. At the present time on one or two of the items we are trying to ascertain whether it is better to put the bills in at this session or wait and put them in at the opening of the next session in January.

The Health Food Additive bills are all in committee and are being worked on by the committee. Whether the committee will report out the Delaney Bill with a do pass or a combination of all the bills, no one is in a position to say at this time. Those of you who have written to your Congressman or to Congressman Delaney have done a good job and whatever comes out will be the better for your having written. We cannot always get all that we desire, but working for what we desire causes the result to be more in keeping with what we feel such legislation should be.

The petitions which so many of the N.H.F. chapters and members have been getting signed have had a very good effect, because in getting signatures the one with the petition has to do an educating job on Food Additives to get each signature.

The Washington office suggests that in each county of the nation during the Election Campaign, N.H.F. Chapters and other organizations interested in the health field hold joint meetings and invite their state and national legislators

(Continued on Page 10)

The NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION BULLETIN

VOLUME IV
NUMBERS 7-8

Adventures on Health Frontiers
Published Monthly

JULY-AUGUST
1958

National Health Federation's Presentation to California Senate Interim Committee

By FRED J. HART

Senator Thompson, Mr. Connelly and distinguished members of the Committee, I count it a rare privilege to have been invited to appear before you and present the case of the National Health Federation, as such may be connected with the purposes for which this Committee was created.

I am very proud indeed of the action of the Senate when in its deliberate judgment it decided that new type and far reaching legislation, such as the Weinberger Bill appeared to be, called for an honest searching for the truth and appointed such a Committee for that purpose.

I say I am proud because along with Vince Garrod of Santa Clara County and six other agricultural leaders it was my privilege to have had a large part to do with the origination and adoption of the Federal Plan of Apportionment as we have it in California today, whereby the Senate represents the counties while the Assembly is apportioned on the basis of population thus representing the masses.

I am very pleased at the fair and hon-

est conduct of this Committee to date as well as the willingness of the Committee to hear both sides of the matters in question. May I assure you that I hold no animosity toward those who disagree with what I believe and know in my own mind to be the truth.

I shall be as frank and honest in my answers to the Committee's questions as I know how to be and I shall endeavor during this presentation to treat the Committee as I would like a witness to treat me if I were a member of the Committee, for I am confident the Committee members will accord me the same courtesy and consideration as they would desire to have accorded to them if they were a witness in my stead.

Why National Health Federation?

*At this point I would like to tell you briefly how the National Health Federation came to be organized. I think you will then better understand our plan of operation and objective. Our special concern as an organization is with our precious heritage of freedom of choice as

guaranteed by the Constitution. Our forefathers set up a limited form of government under the Constitution, with maximum freedom of choice left to the individual citizen. Immigrants flocked to America in search of freedom of opportunity. Most European countries were suffering from too much government. There were so many restrictions the farmer had a hard time farming; the businessman found it difficult to carry on trade; and the manufacturer was hampered by governmental red tape and restrictions. America was a land of opportunity where a man could be free to enjoy the fruits of his own labor and good judgment. Uncounted millions of immigrants thronged to America to escape the heavy oppressive hand of their own governments. Here in America where government was limited to its proper function of protecting life and property, we have the highest standard of living in the world. What a man may achieve here is limited only by his ability and ambition. Because we are free we have prospered. The United States is one of the few countries in the world which has to limit the number of immigrants. Many countries must maintain a powerful border guard to prevent their citizens from leaving their oppressive governments.

But in recent years our government has been reaching far beyond its proper function of protecting life and property. Today our government is expanding at a fearful rate, taking more and more of our income to support itself, and taking more and more choices away from its citizens. Our basic freedoms are being whittled away a choice at a time.

In the field of health, governmental bureaucracy has been whittling away at

our basic freedom and God-given right to decide for ourselves what substances we shall take into our bodies and how we shall treat our bodies. That is one of the basic reasons why the National Health Federation was organized. Our members are individuals from every occupation and profession. We are united in our common concern for the spirit of freedom and fair play.

*We are indebted to Ted Parkinson, the able president of the Utah State Health Federation for these three paragraphs of this introduction.

What N.H.F. Is

The National Health Federation is a non-profit, non-membership liability organization and was incorporated to represent, protect, and promote the best interests of the sick of the Nation, and those progressive doctors regardless of classification whose first interest in life is the healing of their patients; and to that end are courageous enough to use any harmless remedy, method or modality which their experience indicates as efficacious. And...

To carry on the investigation, correlation, protection, and promotion of progressive research, theories, methods, products, modalities, and activities in all branches of the Healing Art; and to strive vigorously against any or all trends or movements which would deny freedom of choice on the part of the doctor and the patient, or establish a monopoly in the broad field of healing and research connected therewith.

The Constitution of the United States guarantees Freedom of Speech, Freedom of the Press, and Freedom of Religion. It implies Freedom of Health. But, we

(Continued on Page 19)

Andrew Conway Ivy, M.D.

An Introduction

By DON MATCHAN

"I don't want the truth buried under false or superficial evidence."

The compulsions within the man who spoke these words are the same which have caused him to hold fast to principle, to remain incorruptible under the unremitting pressures of the ruling clique of the world's most powerful medical organization — and one in which he occupied a top spot until he refused to become party to a compromise of moral and ethical issues—the American Medical Association.

Author of the statement is Dr. Andrew Conway Ivy, world-famous physiologist, doctor of medicine, scientist. A man who has earned the respect and admiration of his professional colleagues, and who deserves the eternal gratitude of the unknown millions.

He is the man, chosen in 1947 as representative of world medicine at the Nuremberg Trials of doctors indicted for cruel and inhuman treatment of prisoners of war on the pretext that medical knowledge would be furthered. His role at the trials: to lay down the code under which nations will be guided in the future as relating to medical-ethical, scientific, and medical-legal conduct. (It is well to remember, as you read this story, that this is the stature of the man Ivy, whom certain men within his profession have sought to brand as a fraud, a quack, a cheap opportunist.)

This is the man who was awarded in 1953 the Pope Pius XIII citation for great services to humanity — a nominee

of the Most Rev. Bernard J. Sheil, D.D., Auxiliary Bishop, Chicago, founder of the Catholic Youth Organization. Dr. Ivy happens to be a Methodist.

This is the man who was presented with a Presidential Citation for his contribution to the war effort at the close of World War II; the man who holds degrees of medical doctor, doctor of philosophy, doctor of science as well as several honorary law degrees. He has taught more than 5,000 students; had an active part in preparation of more than 1,300 medical projects written for scientific journals; co-authored a classic volume on peptic ulcer; discovered most of the body's hormones; crusaded against the quota system (limiting the number of medical students on the basis of race and religion); launched research projects culminating in an improved method of artificial respiration; held the world's first symposium on medical problems confronting the human being when he attempts to reach the stars; pushed for broader education for medics.

He's a life member of the American College of Physicians; held membership on 10 research committees; as director, organized the Naval Medical Research Institute in Bethesda, Md., during World War 2; is past President of American Physiological Society; past president of American Gastro Enterologico Association; former chairman of the Section on Pathology and Physiology of American Medical Association; former member of the Council on Physical Medicine and

Rehabilitation of the AMA; holder of the distinguished service medal from the American College of Physical Therapy; director-at-large (1947-51) of the American Cancer Society; first executive director of the National Advisory Council whose function was advising the National Institute on how to spend money appropriated by Congress for research.

This, then, is the pedigree. And what follows, in certain instances, will "make your hair curl" — that is, if you're an ordinary red-blooded American who believes in fair play, who believes that human beings are more important than dollars. But let the facts speak for themselves!

Dr. Ivy and his associate, Dr. Stevan Durovic, 53-year-old discoverer of the anticancer agent Krebiozen, spent a night and day in San Francisco where Ivy testified in opposition to a state cancer commission during a hearing before the California Senate Committee on Public Health. Your editor was privileged to spend several hours in company with the two scientists, for the purpose of passing on to HERALD OF HEALTH readers salient facts in connection with the dramatic story of Krebiozen, as well as the almost unbelievable events which have impeded its acceptance in conventional medical quarters.

This article is a composite of interviews with Dr. Ivy, excerpts of his testimony before the Senate committee, and a brief summary of the just-published "A Matter of Life or Death," written by Medical Writer Herbert Bailey, author of "Krebiozen — Key to Cancer?" The

book (\$4.95, published by G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York) is must reading for every person looking for information about the control of cancer. It should be read by every doctor, every school teacher, every clergyman, every editor, every holder of public office — and, yes — by every citizen who wants to be informed and who believes he has a stake in the preservation of personal liberty and intellectual freedom.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The foregoing is the introduction of a series of three articles which graphically set forth the truth about Dr. Ivy and his relation to the Krebiozen controversy. These articles are from the pen of Don Matchan, dynamic editor of the HERALD OF HEALTH, and will appear in the July, August and September issues of that magazine. If you are not a subscriber, we urge you to immediately send the sum of \$1.00 to the Herald of Health Publishing Company, covering the cost of these three issues. *The July issue is off the press, so do not delay.* The address, 2454 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, Calif.

Dr. I. S. Ravdin of Philadelphia, who was a member of the team that performed ileitis surgery on President Eisenhower, says that x-rays and surgery so far have failed in curing cancer. Further hope, he says, lies in chemistry, chemistry includes vitamins."—May issue Prevention Magazine (Page 23).

A man is like a motor, there is something wrong with him—when he knocks continually.—*Saw Dust Trail.*

Attention distributors of Health products. You will find no better place to display and sell your products than at the Eastern Convention of The National Health Federation. Write to Harold Edwards c/o Ohio Health Federation, 2100 Payne Ave., Cleveland, Ohio, for prices and reservations for space.

Dr. A. C. Ivy vs. "Big Lie" Strategy

By JOYCE W. STACPOOLE

Doctor Andrew Conway Ivy appeared on 7 May 1958 to testify before the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health Hearings to Study and Analyze the Facts Concerned with Fraudulent, Dangerous and Deceptive Practices in the Field and Treatment of Disease. With Senator John F. Thompson as chairman, this committee is concerned specifically with determining the possible needs for special legislation defining the field of cancer treatment in California. The committee was formed to study the questions raised by the recently defeated Assembly Bill No. 2359, notoriously known as the Weinberger Cancer Board Bill and proposed by one Caspar Weinberger, recently defeated in the California primary for nomination as Republican candidate for Attorney General.

Assembly Bill No. 2359 proposed the establishment of a political board to evaluate various forms of cancer therapy falling outside the province of surgery and radiation. The bill was sponsored by the American Cancer Society and the California Medical Association. Since both of these organizations had publicly gone on record as condemning any form of cancer therapy except surgery and radiation, the practical intent of this bill was to limit by legislative fiat cancer therapy in California to surgery and radiation. Influenced by an outraged public, the members of the California Senate killed this bill in committee last year, and the politically knowledgeable have attributed the political defeat of its

author, Caspar Weinberger, to this proposed legislation.

In qualifying himself as an expert, Doctor Ivy stated: "I was the representative at the Nuremberg trials of the doctors concerned with committing medical atrocities. I was the expert there on the subject of medical science, medical ethics and medical jurisprudence. I represented world medicine there. I was selected by the Secretary of War, the Secretary of State, and on the recommendation from the Board of Trustees of the American Medical Association . . . so I'm competent in the field of medical ethics."

In opposing the proposed limitations on the freedom of choice of doctor and treatment, Ivy continued: "If these persons are licensed to practice medicine and . . . use something not on the approved list, they would lose their license to practice medicine in the State of California . . . I'm against such regimentation in the field of the treatment of cancer patients, or in the field of any other treatment . . ."

Later in his testimony, Ivy reiterated and enlarged upon his statement: "Any committee with such authoritative power as spelled out there (proposed cancer legislation) can, of course, in the course of time, be subject to corruption. It is a matter of history that any group that is set up with powers which are not directly subject to the electoral body is sooner or later subject to corruption. That is true of political organizations as well as

religious organizations and medical organizations."

Questioning the possibility of corruptibility in such organizations, Chairman Thompson queried: "Isn't 'corruption' rather a strong word? Wouldn't you sooner say 'prejudice'?"

"No, I wouldn't think so," replied Ivy. *Economics of Cancer Therapy.* After reviewing in the course of the hearing the possible motivation of avarice on the part of proponents of forms of cancer therapy exclusive of surgery and radiation, the committee obtained the following general summary through Ivy's direct testimony: "(Cancer patients) won't take the word of the D.O. or M.D. that nothing can be done for them. They look for the last straw . . ." For surgery and/or radiation, most cancer patients, Ivy pointed out, "have spent all the way from \$5,000 up to \$100,000 before they have reached this hopeless stage, and then are abandoned and written off, and that is a tragic situation insofar as our management of terminal cancer patients in our country is today."

Testifying on the cost of Krebiozen, an agent for cancer that Ivy contends deserves scientific study, he pointed out: "No avarice was manifested, because it (Krebiozen) was all given away, and contributions were not accepted up until about three years ago, when we reached the bottom of the barrel of our supply of money, and then we asked the patients, which is entirely legal and under the regulations of the Federal Food and Drug and Cosmetic Act, to contribute on the basis of their ability to contribute towards the cost of production and distribution of Krebiozen. Since then about

sixty per cent of our patients have been unable to contribute anything, and I presume that about one per cent of the patients are able to contribute the full cost. Where is the fraud? Where is the avarice?"

(Although not brought out in the present hearing because of the failure of Mr. Harry Hoxsey to appear before the committee, it is established that the maximum cost of the Hoxsey treatment is \$460, though those unable to pay receive it for nothing.)

Popular Clamor for Medical Therapy of Cancer. Despite the millions of dollars of publicly donated funds spent by such organizations as the American Cancer Society to propagandize the alleged virtues of surgery and radiation in cancer and to condemn any other forms of cancer therapy, there is a popular clamor and even insistence for these other forms of therapy. This was manifest by the fact that the Weinberger Cancer Board Bill when before the California legislature drew more mail from the public than all other legislative proposals combined and the majority of the letters opposed any legislative attempt, however adroit, to restrict therapy in California to surgery and/or radiation.

Discussing this phenomenon, Ivy pointed out: "Then we have a group of patients which have to be recognized. They consist of those who refuse surgery, x-ray or hormones. Now, why do they do this? I know, because I have questioned a lot of them. They refuse surgery because they have seen four or five cases of cancer in their own family, and they have developed a cancer and

(Continued on Page 12)

FOR THE LADIES

By Joice

Hats Off to Escondido Women

Willard Gleeson's plea at the San Diego meeting for funds to staff the Washington office evoked immediate response from women of the Escondido Chapter who will stage a Health Freedom Rummage Sale in October to enable the Washington office to continue its legislative program. Mrs. Phil Arena and Mrs. James McEachen are co-chairmen, Mrs. Joyce Russell will handle publicity.

We hope this heartwarming effort will be duplicated throughout the country by other NHF women. Willard Gleeson is effectively fighting for our health in Washington, but he can be infinitely more effective with an adequate staff to assist him.

The militant Escondido women have accepted the challenge to fight side-by-side with him in safeguarding the health of this nation. They recognize the importance of the Washington office in keeping all NHF members informed of the political health picture as well as its function in combating the forces opposed to NHF principles.

Are there other NHF women who will pick up the gauntlet and fight for national health?

* * *

Confucius Say . . .

The Chinese are recognized masters of soy bean cuisine. But they never eat soy bean products without first thoroughly soaking the beans, which is the secret of successful soy cookery. Here is a recipe for soy bean milk which illustrates the soaking process.

Soak soy beans in several changes of water in the refrigerator. This is to extract a water-soluble enzyme that blocks the digestion of the soy bean protein or any other protein eaten with it. (Bread made with untreated soy flour is often found "heavy on the stomach" and quite indigestible for some people.) Liquefy the soaked beans in a blender and pour the cream into the bag of the juice press and extract the milk. This soy milk can be used for any purpose like ordinary milk.

The liquefied beans direct from the blender can be used in bread making as 10% of the flour (in dry soy bean weight).

New Margarine Reduces Cholesterol Level

During the recent AMA convention in San Francisco a team of doctors from Central State Hospital in Indianapolis reported a new table margarine that will reduce the levels of cholesterol in the blood.

The margarine is made from non-hydrogenated corn oil and is rich in linoleic acid, the factor that helps rid the body of cholesterol.

When the margarine was used during a nine week test in pan frying, flavoring vegetables and as a spread on bread, the linoleic acid in the diet of the 301 test patients rose from 7 to 22 per cent.

The door to success swings on the hinges of opposition.

One cannot move for GOD, or a good cause, without producing friction.

Washington Notes

(Continued from Page 2)

and candidates for office to attend and get acquainted with their constituents, learn what they want and answer their questions regarding legislative matters.

San Diego County Health Federation is having such a meeting in conjunction with the Organic Group and the Natural Health Foundation. **GO AND DO THOU LIKEWISE.**

The Washington Office is seriously handicapped in its work by lack of funds. If you believe it a good thing to have a Washington Office, why not make a donation toward the expense.

Send your donations to National Health Federation, 2454 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, California.

N.H.F. is Here to Protect Them

One of our members has suggested that every health food store should belong to the National Health Federation as their business depends on Health Freedom.

This member also suggests that those trading with Health Food Stores should insist that they belong to the National Health Federation and urge their customers to join.

If we all join together we can protect each other, help each other, and have fellowship one with the other, and that would be good for the public health and their business.

Attention distributors of Health products. You will find no better place to display and sell your products than at the Eastern Convention of The National Health Federation. Write to Harold Edwards c/o Ohio Health Federation, 2100 Payne Ave., Cleveland, Ohio, for prices and reservations for space.

From Their Letterheads

OHIO HEALTH FEDERATION

A NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION AFFILIATE

2108 Payne Ave. - Cleveland 14, Ohio - TOWER 1-7084

UTAH HEALTH FEDERATION

A NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION AFFILIATE

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

Harvey W. Wiley Chapter

of the

NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

(Editor's Note: The foregoing are reproduced to illustrate how the different groups designate themselves as units of N.H.F.)

Organic Growers - Natural Hygienists Picnic

Seventy-five health minded people gathered for a picnic at Escondido Grape Day Park on June 29th.

A feature of the picnic was a large display of organic produce donated by local organic growers.

Three judges awarded prizes for the best produce, after which Phil Arena, pioneer organic grower, auctioned off every item of the display. The proceeds after expenses to go to the National Health Federation to help pay the expenses of the Washington Office.

Will Kinney of Vita Green Farms in Vista spoke on the subject: "Recent Developments in the Organic Movement."

Dr. James McEachen, operator of Hygienic Haven, spoke on the subject: "Our Vanishing Health Freedom and What to Do About It." He urged as a major effort to solve the problem, the formation of a local chapter of the National Health Federation. Such an organization, said he, can by combining all the existing health groups into one powerful force, be a means through which we can preserve our freedom to practice natural health living.

Pete Schmitt, manager of Dr. Jensen's Health Ranch, as chairman of the picnic committee, announced "there will be an organizational meeting on Friday, July 11th, to discuss and form a local unit of the National Health Federation."

Health Group Has Session at YMCA

The local chapter of the National Health Federation met at the YMCA with Harold Edwards, director of the Better Health Bureau of Cleveland, as speaker.

Mr. Edwards explained the aims of the National Federation and showed a film concerning the importance of good nutrition in relation to dental health.

Members voted to cancel the July session and to hold a 6:30 o'clock (Fast Time) picnic Aug. 8 at Dover City Park. Mr. Edwards and several other guest speakers from Cleveland will speak at the September session.

Organically grown strawberries, taken to last evening's meeting by William

Stocksdale of RD 4, New Philadelphia, were served for refreshments.

EDITOR'S NOTE—Local chapters of the National Health Federation can get publicity in their local newspapers, if they will report their activities to the news editor.

Seeks the Truth

Morris A. Bealle, editor of *Capsule News*, the truth hunting weekly news digest published out of Washington, D. C., is on a six-week tour of 14 European countries seeking to find the truth about health systems in foreign lands.

Mr. Bealle will cable a bulletin each week to *Capsule News* giving the highlights of his findings, and when he returns will continue for some months to give the details. One of the things he intends to investigate fully is the German health system. He has been informed that Germany is the most forward nation in the world on health matters, and that they—

(1) Ban the forced inoculation of man or beast;

(2) Ban the use of white bread which, in this country, has all the vitamins denatured out of it and a poison (nitrogen chloride) injected to make it look whiter and prettier on the dealers' shelves.

The more intelligent German medical doctors and college professors are beginning to work hand-in-hand with their opposite numbers in the drugless field.

Build a life as pure as crystal!

Build a spirit full of love!

Build a mind by noble thinking!

Build a faith in God above!

N.H.F. Eastern Convention, Cleveland, Ohio, October 9-12. Make your reservations at once.

JULY-AUGUST, 1958

NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION BULLETIN

Dr. Ivy

(Continued from Page 8)

they have outlived the patients who have been submitted to surgery, or, on the basis of their observations they claim that these people who have not been operated on or submitted to x-ray live longer than those who have. That is their impression. That is why they say this. I'm not saying that this is true or false; I'm telling you what I have observed."

(By way of background not brought forth by Ivy or others at this hearing, we may cite a comprehensive, though popularly ignored, study on the survival rates of cancer patients treated by surgery and/or radiation as contrasted to untreated patients. Professor Hardin B. Jones, of the University of California Medical School, on the basis of work supported by the U. S. Public Health Service, the Atomic Energy Commission, and the Guggenheim Foundation presented a paper before the New York Academy of Sciences in January 1956 on "Demographic Consideration of the Cancer Problem," reported in pages 298-333 of the Transactions of that society, Vol. 18, Ser. II, No. 4. Dr. Jones' concluding discussion in this lengthy statistical review includes the following remarks: "It has been suggested that the untreated cases are perhaps longer-lived than the treated cases, and the evidence is strong enough to warrant full attention to this part of the cancer problem, for not only is there complete uncertainty of the efficacy of cancer treatment today, but there is also the possibility that survival tendency is less with treatment. It is most likely that, in terms of life expectancy the chance of survival is no better

with than without treatment, and there is the possibility that treatment may make the survival time of cancer cases less.")

Attitude Toward Organized Medicine.

The tone of Dr. Ivy's testimony as it concerned the American Medical Association was one of scholarly if not objective restraint. In describing the official A.M.A. report on Krebiozen published in the Journal of the American Medical Association in October 1951, Ivy testified: "That's what I call superficial research. It was trumped-up research. The motives which caused this committee to trump-up this sort of evidence I do not know, and what I am telling you here under oath—I know that I'm under oath, and you don't have to tell me, because I have made this statement many times under oath, and, when presented, the evidence under oath has never been denied by any physician, by the one man who sent the American Medical Association these falsified cases at the prompting of the treasurer of the American Medical Association, not by any member of the American Medical Association."

More in sorrow than in anger, Dr. Ivy added: "It is a disgrace to a great and noble profession, to which Mrs. Ivy and I have contributed four sons. These reports should be corrected. The whole profession should be hanging their heads in shame to think that these reports have stood there and have not aroused the profession to condemn them."

It will be recalled that the Treasurer of the American Medical Association to whom Dr. Ivy refers is one Dr. J. J. Moore, whom Ivy elsewhere under oath accused of instigating a plot to ruin Krebiozen because of Ivy's refusal to sanc-

tion selling the rights in Krebiozen to a group in which Moore was interested. These charges have never, to our knowledge, been denied by American Medical Association; however, the continuing regard for the integrity of Dr. Ivy is manifest by the A.M.A. in the fact that several years after Ivy first made these charges the Journal of the American Medical Association, in a special issue on medical ethics (7 June 1958, p. 10), wrote of Ivy as an authority on medical ethics.

The Identity of Krebiozen. Twenty-four hours after Dr. Ivy presented his testimony, Professor Paul Kirk of the University of California and Dr. Arthur Furst of Stanford University were called to testify as to the chemical composition of samples of Krebiozen supplied them by the California Medical Association. Both of these chemists testified that Krebiozen was nothing more than plain mineral oil. This adverse testimony was given wide newspaper, radio and TV publicity while Dr. Ivy was returning from California and unavailable for defensive comment.

For this reason the following direct testimony from Dr. Ivy made BEFORE Doctors Kirk and Furst testified, and never mentioned by them nor in the associated news stories, is cited in fairness to Dr. Ivy: "In that connection it has been said that when you take an ampule of Krebiozen and extract it you can't find anything in it except mineral oil; that is because there is only a hundredth of a milligram there, ten micrograms present, and when we extracted Krebiozen from the mineral oil we used four thousand ampules."

It is believed that Doctors Kirk and

Furst used fewer than half a dozen ampules of Krebiozen for their highly publicized story. In a letter dated June 20, 1958, to the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health, Dr. Ivy wrote: "Messrs. Kirk and Furst were either so misled by their negative microchemical findings, or so secure when protected against a suit for libel when testifying before a legislative committee that they did not consider categorical evidence exists to prove that a powder called Krebiozen was deliberately added to No. 9 Light Mineral Oil and stirred in thoroughly with an electric stirrer before it
(Continued on Next Page)

Mark It Down

October 9-10-11-12

Plan to Attend

The National Health Federation
Eastern Convention

Where Will It Be?

Cleveland, Ohio, Hotel Hollenden

This is the First

This convention will be the first full scale convention the Federation has held. Let's make it an outstanding event.

The Program will be Worth While

The Ohio Health Federation has charge of staging the convention and is engaging the best speakers in the health field.

Make Your Reservations

The Hotel Hollenden has set aside 250 rooms at special low prices. Single \$6.00, Double \$8.00, Twin Beds \$10.00. Make your reservation at once to get in on these low prices. If you find later you cannot attend you may cancel your reservation. Don't put this important matter off.

For Further Information

Write to Harold Edwards, c/o Ohio Health Federation, 2108 Payne Ave., Cleveland 14, Ohio.

was put in appropriately labeled ampules.

"Both the testimony briefed by me under Section vii and by Messrs. Kirk and Furst under Section viii cannot be true . . ." Ivy pointed out. "In asking for and urging a determination of this question by Committee or Grand Jury action, I should like to add that I am sure the COMMITTEE did not intend to allow itself to depreciate a potentially valuable property by the use of the vicious and dastardly technic of the 'Big Lie'."

Pushing further, Ivy stated: "I ask and urge that . . . this be referred to the proper law enforcement agency of the State of California for a determination of the facts and presentation to a Grand Jury. If the Grand Jury should indict me I shall waive any immunity which protects a witness before a legislative committee and all rights obstructing extradition from the State of Illinois to the State of California."

Ivy the Man. The single characteristic of Dr. Andrew Conway Ivy that has impressed most observers, friend and foe alike, is the monumental integrity that cloaks the man. Fortified by brains and guts, this is an almost terrifying integrity in an age given to equivocation and expediency. As one listener commented to me during Ivy's testimony — "Ivy doesn't scare and he doesn't run." He is unashamedly a practicing American. "I am for the free choice of physician by a patient, and for the free choice by the physician of the treatment of that patient," he explained to the Committee.

He was explicit in his opposition to

what he called "an authoritarian committee making lists of what is good and what is bad in the practice of medicine, or in any other field of science or its application. We have had a good example of this insofar as our missile program is concerned," he said.

Speaking of such authoritarian committees, he pointed out further: "You don't get justice on the basis of scientific evidence, only on the basis of the opinion of experts, and the opinion of experts, in the history of medical science and science in general, has been notoriously bad."

His sense of honesty and fair play were amusingly illustrated as he described the consternation shown by certain official agencies when he suggested that they actually make an objective or truthful scientific study of the claims made by Harry Hoxsey. "And then when you tell the public," he explained, "what you have done they will realize that you have done what is right, and they will not rally to a persecuted underdog." Those to whom he made the proposal, Ivy added: "thought I was sort of off my rocker. Just like a lot of people today; if you show them the Declaration of Independence they'll read it and ask, 'What sort of a document is this?' About seventy per cent of the people in the United States will say it is a communist document."

* * *

In a regimented age that has become cynical and weary and that has too often and too completely struck a compromise with truth and sought an appeasement

with evil, the few Ivys stand out as giants. His is an unwearying and unyielding courage born of intellectual power and integrity. The unthinking courage of blind or unquestioning faith or stupidity, having as much potential for harm as for good, is not his. His is a courage inspired by the demands of integrity imposed by a crystalline clear and incisive intellect. It is a brand of courage that runs counter to the ethical passivity and superstition-born mores that in all ages comprises the barnyard mores of the faceless mob bowing in unquestioning conformity to police, priest or public opinion.

Those listening to his testimony, and admonished by Chairman Thompson against spontaneous outbreaks of applause, sensed the magnitude of what was transpiring. Here was a man with nothing to gain and all to lose—power, prestige, recognition and economic security—fighting against the passive stupidity or ignorance of the world and the active or militant stupidity of a portion of his profession. Beyond the possibility of the tangible rewards of public or professional approbation, above the imaginary incentives of the Norsemen's valhalla or the Christians' heaven or the Moslems' paradise, we saw a man impelled by the dictates of a sense of duty and integrity that a lifetime in the service of science had given him.

In Doctor Ivy we saw the measure of moral soundness and sanity that, fortified by intelligence, represent the minimum requirement for any society that is to survive in this complex age. Upon the integrities of science and the scientific method—a method that exacts destruction from those failing to adhere with

exactitude to truth or reality—depend such things as the success of our missile program. One deviation from the integrity of a physical law; one factual compromise in an electronic circuit; or one corruptible technician can mean the difference between a missile that works and one that fails, and that difference could spell our survival.

In what transpired during Dr. Ivy's testimony one seemed to sense, in many ways, that a slowly awakening public opinion has at last become intolerant toward the hollow authoritarian pontifications and untruths fostered by certain groups to impose by legislative fiat their dictates on a free people.

AMERICAN CAPSULE NEWS (May 24, 1958) reports:

"More light is shed on Russia's efforts to fluoridate every city water system in America when we read a book entitled 'THE AGE OF TREASON'. This was written by Dr. S. Swinburne Clymer and published by the Humanitarian Society of Quakertown, Pennsylvania. He points out that Sodium Fluoride possesses three outstanding qualities:

1. It gradually hardens the muscles.
2. It disorganizes the nervous system.
3. It softens the brain."

If you don't believe in cooperation, observe what happens when one of the wheels comes off the wagon.

YOU CAN HELP BY . . .

1. Paying Your DUES
2. Making a DONATION.
3. Getting a NEW MEMBER.

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

Quotes from Ohio Health Federation Literature

"Until the 'Medical Council' is composed of hard-working representatives of the *suffering public*, with doctors who live by private practice *rigidly excluded* (except as advisors) we shall still be decimated by the vested interest of the private side of the profession in disease!"

—GEORGE BERNARD SHAW

That was Shaw's warning in 1933. (See preface to "Doctor's Dilemma," by GBS.) The government of England did not act. Today that country has "*socialized medicine*;" while we in America are still trying to stem the *increasing* economic tide with inadequate, personal hospitalization insurance.

What is "hospitalization"? First, it is profitable or it wouldn't exist. Therefore *Blood money* is earned on the side! To provide even partially for our families today, we are FORCED to support the doctor, the hospital AND the *Private Insurance Companies* too!

What do these plans cover? No dental work. Anesthesia? Some of them. About half an operation. The doctor's home and office calls (up to \$7.50) are generally not covered.

They do not "fix" the fees . . . they only fix the amounts we can recover to pay the grossly inflated fees charged which are NOT fixed!

See article in April 1958 REDBOOK Magazine. This is part of the current campaign to bring the entire public into Blue Cross participation. Why?

Blue Cross is controlled by Blue Shield, and Blue Shield is controlled by the A.M.A.! If all the public were to come

under Blue Cross the world's greatest *monopoly* would exercise even tighter control! See June 7th Saturday Evening Post.

We accept that hospitalization plans are necessary, but do they have to be a *gravy train* for a SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP? Cannot legislative action be taken to insure FULL public coverage under the plans? . . . and at a price the public can afford to pay?

WE BELIEVE that until CONTROL is vested in the hands of the layman, that no such action is possible.

WE BELIEVE that it is no longer a question of "leave it alone" or "layman control"! No!

WE BELIEVE it is now a question of "Layman Control" — OR "*Socialized Medicine*"!

The AMERICAN way is the fair way! The fair way is to institute CONTROL over *monopolies* and *special interests*, thus assuring public welfare, public interest, and public good!

That is why the OHIO HEALTH FEDERATION has adopted as its basic fundamental aim:

"The *effective* supervision of the several medical and dental professions by the laity! (Point 1.)"

Cleveland Plain Dealer, May 3, 1957, (Page 4) — "The city is obtaining greater revenue from increased fees and stiffer collection policy at City Hospital!"

Is that the place to get revenue to operate a large city? Are we "over a barrel?" Do we have "to take it or leave it?" Today, if we are the *unfortunate victim*, we have to take it! Tomorrow could be a new day!

NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION BULLETIN

The Bible, the Great Book of Truth, Mark 5:25, 26 and Luke 8:43 says "She had suffered many things at the hands of many physicians and was nothing better!"

"Nature heals, and the doctor takes the fee!"—BEN FRANKLIN.

"The doctor likes us to think he has the public at heart. But isn't there a little self-interest back of it all? I think there is." — MARK TWAIN, Albany, New York, 1901.

It is possible to get very disgusted with the supposedly good government of the U.S.A. when you read the food laws of some other countries. Take Germany, for example. Their food laws prohibit implanting of stilbestrol in poultry. In the U.S.A. it is allowed. It is publicly stated in the German food law that "the basic policy is to keep the so-called 'staple foods' as close to their 'natural' state as possible." In the U.S. legislators are much more prone to listen to the whining voices of chemical industrialists looking for new markets for their products.

Smoking Linked to Death Rate

WASHINGTON, June 25—Cigarette smokers among 200,000 U.S. veterans studied had a 58 per cent greater death rate than non-smokers over a period of several years, the Public Health Service said today in an official report. In general, the survey results supported previous statistical studies linking smoking to earlier death. The report will be presented Tuesday to the 7th International Cancer Congress in London.

Cancer Notes

The Hoxsey Cancer Clinic, now a non-profit corporation, is operating in Portage, Pennsylvania, under direction of former Senator John J. Haluska. In a letter to the United Press, Senator Haluska informs that press service that the Clinic is, in keeping with the law, treating people, regardless of what state they come from. This is good news to many cancer sufferers in other eastern states. *Doctors Now Using Hoxsey Treatments*

Californians will be pleased to learn that in Southern California two capable doctors are now using the Hoxsey treatment as part of their regular practice. (In our opinion, this is the way it should be used.)

One is Dr. Thelma Arthur, D.O., with offices at 211 West Colorado Street, Monrovia, California. The other is Dr. Francis Altig, D.O., (formerly with the Fremont Clinic on Melrose Ave., L. A.). Dr. Altig is opening his office at 1036 So. Alvarado St., Los Angeles, California.

Like Dr. Altig, Dr. Arthur also was connected with the Fremont Clinic in Los Angeles. Dr. Arthur has just recently returned from a visit to the Hoxsey Cancer Clinic at Portage, Pennsylvania.

Both Dr. Altig and Dr. Arthur intend to use other types of Chemotherapy, such as Koch, Krebiozen and Mucoriacin whenever such appears to be indicated.

It is to be hoped that doctors throughout the United States will more and more start using, in addition to their regular procedures, such other remedies as apparently bring results.

In spite of all that is being said against Harry Hoxsey there is a great deal of

merit in his remedies. Even his worst enemies have to admit that his remedy does cure external cancer in many cases, and that internal cancer responds to his treatment sufficiently to warrant its use by doctors, whose license allows for its administration.

New Danger in Eating Chicken!

Every man, woman and child in America should know of the dangers that lurk in the flesh of a plump, juicy chicken.

Yet the Food and Drug Administration, which is supposed to protect the nation's food, has concealed the truth from the general public for fear of frightening them.

The Police Gazette is printing the shocking facts because you can protect yourself only if you know the truth. The truth will frighten you—but in the end it may save your life.

A new chemical used to fatten poultry has killed 35 million chickens—and, despite the fact that they were diseased, some FDA officials privately admit that many of those dead birds may have ended up on your dinner table.

And diseases that can kill poultry can kill you.

This is the latest, sickening, hushed-up scandal in America's four billion dollar poultry industry.

Poultry is now the third largest farm industry, providing a high proportion of our meat supply—and a great deal of this meat is being poisoned before it reaches consumers.

Millions of chickens are fattened with chemicals that top medical authorities have repeatedly warned are a grave men-

ace to the health of people who eat poultry.

The increase in cancer, heart disease, kidney trouble, high blood pressure, nervous disorders and other illnesses is known to be linked to the widespread and increasing use of chemicals in foods. But every attempt to outlaw the use of these dangerous chemicals is blocked in Congress by powerful chemical trusts and food interests, whose profits are at stake.

In the case of chicken, the situation has become incredibly bad. For more than ten years an increasing quantity of dangerous chemicals have been injected into poultry, or mixed with poultry feed, to fatten the birds prematurely.

Now, even the birds are dying by the millions of heart attacks soon after being given some of these chemically processed feeds.

This is a heinous crime, not only against the chickens, but against the entire American public upon whom the contaminated flesh is foisted.

A horrifying report, which the FDA had NOT made public, reveals this newest menace in the poultry scandal.

(Editor's Note: With the foregoing words the Police Gazette August issue introduces its readers to the truth, which your government should have given to you. The Police Gazette is rendering a great service to the American public in featuring in each monthly issue, facts regarding the American Food Supply. The address is 1790 Broadway, New York 19, N. Y. Per copy, 25 cents. Per year, \$2.50.)

We can easily forgive a child who is afraid of the dark; the real tragedy of life is when men are afraid of the light.

NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION BULLETIN

N.H.F. Presentation

(Continued from Page 4)

are losing this latter freedom. Bureaucratic regulations and medical monopolies are rapidly depriving Americans of their Freedom in all matters relating to Health.

The National Health Federation has been established to combat this evil.

Voice of the People

The National Health Federation proposes to serve as the voice of the people in matters pertaining to health since it has a popular grass-roots origin. Speaking for its thousands of members in all walks of life, it will demand rigid standards of food inspection; it will demand honest and impartial interpretation and enforcement of pure food laws designed to actually protect the health; it will demand freedom in the choice of doctor and healing method; it will demand freedom of the doctor to use whatever methods of treatment he deems best within the scope of his license without dictation from his professional association; it will demand an honest investigation in the fields of the so-called incurable diseases with the view of developing effective methods of treatment.

Without Bias and Prejudice

Not being affiliated with any commercial enterprise or profession, it can speak and work without bias or prejudice. It is not organized to promote or to criticize the methods of treatment of any of the healing professions. It is, however, unalterably opposed to the attempts of any one profession to monopolize the

Attention distributors of Health products. You will find no better place to display and sell your products than at the Eastern Convention of The National Health Federation. Write to Harold Edwards c/o Ohio Health Federation, 2100 Payne Ave., Cleveland, Ohio, for prices and reservations for space.

JULY-AUGUST, 1958

field of health and healing and in this connection often finds cause to criticize the American Medical Association, but such criticism is directed towards the A.M.A. as a political force. Such criticism does not constitute a criticism of the thousands of honest and conscientious medicine as a system of healing or of men and women who practice medicine.

For Protection of the Public

The Federation is in favor of whatever regulations are necessary for the protection of the health of the American people, but it is unalterably opposed to the use of such regulations in the interests of a few favored individuals or corporations and/or the use of such regulations to destroy honest competition in the field of health, or to deprive the people of freedom of choice in matters relating to health.

Favor Food and Drug Act Purpose

The Federation is heartily in favor of the purposes which motivated Harvey W. Wiley in securing the passage of the Food and Drug Act, but is violently opposed to the present maladministration of the Act and to present apparent attempts of Food and Drug officials to destroy all methods of healing except that which is represented by the American Medical Association. The foregoing applies to the Post Office Department and also to the Federal Trade Commission.

Stands Back of Honest Officials

The Federation is prepared to stand back of every government official who has the courage to stand against the wrongful use of governmental powers, or against the enactment of laws or regula-

tions not in the best interest of the sick folks of America. By the same token, it must oppose with all its might those government officials who, for a mess of economic or political pottage, sell the people's birthright to health freedom and use the powers of government for evil purposes..

The National Health Federation Believes

The National Health Federation believes the basic points for a Healing Arts Act to be as follows:

1. The scope of practice of all practitioners should be based upon the philosophy of each particular system of healing and the educational qualifications of the practitioner.

2. That all states should recognize and license the practice of Allopathic medicine and surgery, Osteopathic medicine and surgery, Chiropractic medicine, and Naturopathic medicine.

3. Each system of medicine should have its own examining, licensing and administrative board. The police power of investigation should not overlap from one board to the other. In other words, each profession should clean its own house.

4. In order to define adequately the various systems of medicine, namely: Osteopathic Medicine, Chiropractic Medicine, and Naturopathic Medicine, something must be and should be done which all of these years has never happened; Allopathic Medicine and surgery must be defined. Otherwise, how are the peace officers to know when one profession has stepped out of its scope of practice?

Therefore: Drugs should be defined as "any substance, oral, intramuscular or intravenous, which would be poisonous,

destructive to tissue or deleterious to the physiology of the human body."

5. Major surgery should be defined as "the entrance by surgical or mechanical means into any of the five body cavities, or a gross amputation."

Minor surgery should constitute all forms of surgical procedure other than that defined as Major Surgery in the foregoing paragraph.

6. The Osteopathic physician and surgeon should enjoy recognition of practice equal to that of the Allopathic physician and surgeon by reason of the fact that he is as well trained in medicine and surgery as the M.D., and in addition, has knowledge of osteopathic manipulation.

7. The scope of practice that the Chiropractic and the Naturopathic physicians should enjoy should be determined by the curriculum of their schools submitted for the purpose of showing how extensively and thoroughly they are trained.

Conclusion

We are very happy to give this information to this Committee because the National Health Federation is not opposed to the doctors of any sect, including the Allopaths, organizing for the protection of their own interests, but it is unalterably opposed to their using such organizations in the protection of their members to the detriment of the health and personal welfare of the public.

The Federation has stated previously that it is not opposed to the American Medical Association. But it is unalterably opposed to its continuing effort to destroy all phases of the healing art except its own.

The Federation is not opposed to the present system of building hospitals for

the use of the Allopathic doctors in the treating of their patients, but it is unalterably opposed to its continued domination of these hospitals and other medical facilities to the exclusion of other Allopaths on no grounds other than that they do not belong to the County Branch of the American Medical Association.

The National Health Federation is not opposed to each of the healing sects policing its own doctors to the end that the services of said doctors may at all times be in the best interests of the people.

The National Health Federation is not opposed to the State or Federal Government appropriating tax monies to be used in the training of individuals who are to minister to the health of the people, but it is unalterably opposed to the system now practiced which allocates all of such funds to the training of members of the Allopathic sect to the exclusion of the Osteopathic, Chiropractic and Naturopathic professions.

The National Health Federation is not opposed to the enactment of necessary regulations or the setting up of necessary Commissions where such are proven to be absolutely necessary, but it is unalterably opposed to such Commissions, which presumably are set up for the protection of the public in health matters, being dominated by members of the healing arts regardless of whether they belong to the Allopathic, Osteopathic, Chiropractic or Naturopathic sects. It is our firm conviction that such Boards should consist of laymen empowered to seek the advice of members of the healing professions when such advice is needed to arrive at a sound and just conclusion.

I want to assure this Committee and

the public that the National Health Federation intends to take whatever action is necessary to remedy these situations.

It is the opinion of the officers of the National Health Federation, the evidence so far presented to this Committee, favors as a solution to the cancer quack control problem in California, the strengthening of present laws and the providing of sufficient additional help to adequately cope with the problem, rather than the appointment of a commission or board.

The National Health Federation is convinced that the appointment of a Board or a Commission to determine what a regularly licensed doctor can or cannot do would be a definite step toward state medicine, and would in the end restrict duly licensed doctors in their ministering to cancer victims to such an extent as to be detrimental to the sick folks of California. In this connection I would like to call your attention to a recent news item which graphically illustrates what happens when a state legislature attempts to legislate how a disease condition must be diagnosed and treated (Wasserman test). News item, showing legalized testing procedure to be wrong in 54% of cases. (Copy filed with Committee.)

On behalf of the National Health Federation I would like to further call to the attention of this Committee a news item which indicates that the American Medical Association—its California and County branches—are unions, pure and simple, interested primarily in the economical and social welfare of their members and thus should not be accepted without question as spokesmen for the best interests of the sick. (News item—Strike Against California Medical Plan.) This item proves the Medical Association uses the

same tactics as regular unions use. (Copy filed with Committee.)

I would like also at this time, on behalf of the National Health Federation, to again reiterate that the American Medical Association and its affiliates through their accreditation plan for hospitals and medical facilities absolutely control the activities of such institutions to the detriment of the sick people of America and we urge that this Committee give serious consideration to the evidence sustaining the viewpoint which will be presented during these hearings. It is our firm conviction that if the lawmakers of California could find a way to break the stranglehold now held by the medical unions on our institutions of healing and learning, many of our health problems would speedily be solved.

In closing—on behalf of the Board of Governors and the members of the National Health Federation, I desire to thank this Committee for the kindness and courtesy extended to us during this presentation.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED J. HART, President
National Health Federation

- I wish to become a REGULAR MEMBER of the National Health Federation and am enclosing \$3.00 as dues for the current year, and as a subscription to the BULLETIN for the current year. Family membership \$4.
- I wish to become an ACTIVE MEMBER. I am enclosing \$5.00 as dues for the current year. Please send me a kit containing applications for enrolling regular members, including literature and instructions. I understand that I must procure the minimum of 10 regular members in order to qualify this preliminary membership and to be recognized as a qualified active member.
- I wish to become an ACTIVE MEMBER, but do not wish to form a chapter. I am enclosing \$5.00 as dues for the current year.
- I wish to become a SUSTAINING MEMBER and am enclosing \$..... (minimum fee, \$25.00) as membership dues.

Name

Address

Mail Direct to NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION, 2454 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco 9, Calif.
Doctors actively engaged in practice accepted only as active or sustaining members.

Help N.H.F. Grow

May we urge each of you to send and get some of our new "Take OFF that Blindfold" pamphlets and mail them to folks in your neighborhood. They cost the Federation one cent each. If you are able to we would appreciate your paying one cent each for them. If you are not able to, but will hand them out, we will furnish them without charge. You may mail them to anyone regardless of whether you know them or not. We are finding that many people who are not in the health movement are interested in belonging to an organization such as the National Health Federation. This is one way of getting the message to them.

Tomatoes for Cancer?

The historic "love apple" has been used in experiments in Sweden by Dr. Christian Lingen of the Wennergren Institute in Stockholm. He claims that the pigment of tomatoes (lycopene) increases the natural stamina of mice to germs and radioactive rays.

N.H.F. Continues to Grow

Some children grow so fast they develop what is known as growing pains. That is what is happening to the National Health Federation at this time.

So many organizations are becoming interested in affiliating with the Federation and so many states are interested in organizing on a state-wide basis, our limited staff is hard put to keep up with the demands.

The calls for officers of the Federation to attend meetings to explain the work of the Federation are also coming into the office in ever increasing numbers. Lack of funds for travel expense, plus lack of personnel makes it doubly hard to take care of these requests for help.

Since the last issue of the Bulletin, W. L. Gleeson and Hugo Bedau have attended over 18 meetings in the east and within the last three weeks attended meetings in Richmond, Virginia, New Orleans, Louisiana, Dallas, Texas, and San Diego, California.

Fred Hart and Don Matchan have attended meetings in Portland and Eugene, Oregon, Redlands, Pomona, Pasadena, a large picnic at Irvine Park near Santa Ana and a meeting at San Diego, California, plus a meeting of the Peninsula Chapter of the Federation at Redwood City.

Scheduled for August are meetings in Oregon, Washington and Vancouver, B.C. These three places or states desire to set up state federations as a part of the National Health Federation.

You belong to a great movement and can help with your prayers, membership dues and donations. CHECK THE ADDRESS ON THE FRONT OF YOUR

BULLETIN AND IF THE NUMERALS 1958 DO NOT APPEAR NEAR THE ADDRESS YOUR DUES FOR 1958 HAVE NOT BEEN PAID. If your dues are owing, please send them in at once, as the program of the Federation takes funds to keep it moving.

Dangers in Use of Tranquilizing Drugs

Dickel, H. A. & Dixon, H. H., J.A.M.A. 163:422-426.

Among 8,200 patients who had been given tranquilizing drugs for anxiety, there were 1,700 cases in which serious problems were created in essentially normal people, and 827 instances where emotional illness was aggravated. There were allergic phenomena in 96 patients, general toxic effects in 78, habituation in 72, sever liver disturbances in 31, other severe symptoms in 97, and death in 4. Two of the deaths were suicides.

The drugs are valuable to a certain degree when used wisely, but the physician must inform himself well if he is to use these tranquilizers, or any drugs, wisely. He must reorient his thinking about the indications for, and the limitations of, these drugs.—*Medical Digest*, April 1957.

New Doctors on Staff

The Fremont Christian Clinic announces that two new Doctors have been added to its staff. Both are experienced Medical Doctors and will be in charge of the Hoxsey treatment division of the Clinic. The names of these two new additions to the Staff are Doctor Dollard and Doctor Hawkes.

Published Monthly for Distribution to Members
Without Extra Charge by the

NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION

2454 Van Ness Avenue
SAN FRANCISCO 9, CALIFORNIA

Form 3547 Requested

Subscription: \$3 Per Year (to Non-members)

The subscription price of the National Health Federation
Bulletin is included in the membership dues.

PRICE FOR ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THIS ISSUE

15¢ each—8 for \$1.00—40 for \$5.00—100 for \$10.00

Late Bulletin

Word has just been received that the subcommittee which has been holding hearings on Food Additive Bills, has written its own bill. It is reported out over the name of Congressman Williams. The bill is designated H.R. 13254. A hurried examination reveals a complicated bill of questionable value. The National Health Federation office feels it has little chance of passage at this session of Congress.

N.H.F. must gird itself for battle, build its membership and finances, for the people of America must be protected in this important matter.

Write or wire your Congressman to vote against Food Additive Bill, H.R. 13254.

U. S. POSTAGE

2¢ PAID

San Francisco, California
PERMIT NO. 6897

BULLETIN BOARD

1. National Health Federation Eastern Convention—October 9 to 12, Cleveland, Ohio. More information inside this issue. Plan now to go. Make your Hotel reservations now. You can cancel later if you find you cannot go.

2. National Health Federation meetings will be held in Portland, Monday, August 11th; Seattle, Washington, Tuesday evening, August 12th; Tacoma, Thursday evening, August 14th, and later in the week at Vancouver, B.C. The purpose of the meetings being the organization of Federations and a Canadian Health Federation to be affiliated with N.H.F. Members will be notified by postcard as to time and place.

3. The National and International Convention of the Naturopathic Physicians will be held in Seattle, Washington, August 13, 14, 15. The National Health Federation is honored to have their president, Fred J. Hart, on the program at 10 a.m. on the 13th. The subject: "The Natural Approach to Health and Electronics."