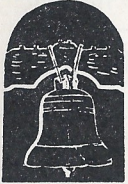


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THE FIRING LINE

Last issue you were requested to write Congressman Oren Harris and other members of his committee regarding the Delaney Bill (which would outlaw putting harmful substances in the nation's food). You did a marvelous job and the committee because of these letters and the testimony of the National Health Federation's Washington representative, was favorably impressed.

Oren Harris as chairman of the committee, has a life-and-death hold on legislation referred to his committee. Harris has introduced a bill of his own, at the request of those who feel we should not allow any more poisons to be added to our food, but it is all right to allow us to continue to consume the 150 substances now being incorporated into our present food supply. All one hundred and fifty of these substances have been challenged by world scientists.

Chairman Harris is very close to George Larrick who heads the Food and Drug Administration, so we need now to alert every congressman to do all in his power to get the Delaney Bill, H.R. 7798, reported out of committee with a do pass. **SO TAKE YOUR PEN OR PENCIL AND WRITE YOUR OWN CONGRESSMAN.** You can address him: House Office Building, Washington, D.C. If you do not know the name of your Congressman you can get it from the local newspaper or your postmaster.

It is vital you do this at once. If you care to while writing, ask him to take favorable action on H.R. 10046 regarding fluoridation, and also on H.R. 783 on insecticides. These two bills are re-

produced in this issue of the *Bulletin*.

"The Pen is Mightier than the Sword." Before you retire tonight, write a letter to your Congressman! He is not concerned with how well you write, or how good a letter you compose. He wants to know what you think and what you would like to have him do for you.

Cancer Quack Hearing

The July-August issue of the *Bulletin* will be given over to the presentation made on behalf of the National Health Federation and that of Dr. Andrew C. Ivy of Chicago on behalf of medical and research freedom. Dr. Ivy is one of the two great cancer experts in the United States.

Dr. Ivy is being crucified by organized medicine because he has dared to research a cancer cure called Krebiozen and because he has dared to ask that they conduct with him, impartial research to establish or disprove the value of Krebiozen in cancer therapy.

At least ten thousand extra copies of this particular issue should be distributed by our members and other interested parties. These will sell at the regular prices, as listed on the back cover. Orders should be in by July 15, so we will know how many extra copies to order.

THE FIGHT IS ON!

The California Senate Interim Committee on Public Health (Weinberger Bill) met in San Francisco for three days this past week, May 6-7-8.

The A.M.A. and Federal Food and Drug Administration are so worried they sent their biggest guns to testify in a

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A Letter to Eisenhower

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Dwight D. Eisenhower
President of the United States
White House
Washington, D. C.

Honorable Sir:

Upon my return from Europe two weeks ago it was called to my attention that you and your very fine wife, upon request, lent the good offices of the Presidency to the fund raising campaign of the American Cancer Society.

Our organization appreciates your willingness to do everything possible, which in your judgment is good, for your fellowman. We do believe, however, that before you lend the influence of your office to the American Cancer Society for the purpose of raising funds another year that you should insist that this society render a complete financial statement showing the disposition of the funds raised during the preceding year.

From the American Society's own literature one is impressed with the fact that they spend only about 5 per cent of their funds for caring for indigent can-

cer patients and not more than 20 per cent of their funds for cancer research. This leaves a balance of approximately 75 per cent unaccounted for.

It seems to us the American people are entitled to know what becomes of this 75 per cent of the more than thirty millions raised each year by this society.

It is our opinion that Federal legislation should be enacted to compel all national organizations engaged in the raising of funds for health purposes to give a full and complete accounting to the government, and thus to the public, before initiating the yearly drive for new funds.

The recent exposures of what has been happening to union trust funds because those administering the funds were not required to give an accounting to the donors of the funds, should suggest that similar conditions may exist in organizations which are raising tremendous funds for health projects and who do not now, or never have had to, render an accounting of the expenditure of such funds.

The recently announced withdrawal of

the American Cancer Society from Community Chests and United Funds drives, because these groups had served notice on them that they must render a financial accounting and be willing to have their books audited by these fund raising groups in the same manner as is required of all other charity organizations participating in the funds raised by the Community Chests and United Fund drives, would indicate that they are afraid of the exposure which would result were such an audit to be made.

Will you please give this letter your earnest consideration and with all good wishes, I am

Sincerely,

FRED J. HART, *President*
National Health Federation
2454 Van Ness Ave.
San Francisco 9, Calif.

A Surprised Congressman

It had to happen sooner or later. So it happened Tuesday, April 15, before the Sub-Committee of the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce hearing on the question of food additives.

National Health Federation's Vice-President Willard Gleeson was on the stand as a witness. Congressman Elmore R. Torn, a member of the Committee, requested Mr. Gleeson to state his name and for whom he was speaking. Mr. Gleeson replied he was speaking as an officer of the National Health Federation which consists of thousands of the people who must eat the poison additives placed in food.

Congressman Torn and other commit-

tee members seemed unable to believe their ears, that the people finally had awakened and built an organization to look after their health interests. So surprised was the Congressman that he requested Mr. Gleeson to repeat his answer. In his second answer Mr. Gleeson stated members of N.H.F. have no products to sell to which to add additives, were interested solely in the effects these additives had on the people who consume them.

Mr. Gleeson closed his testimony with the following terse and to-the-point statement: "In this modern age of adaptation and high-speed transportation, industry can distribute products to the people in a pure and vital state, without dangerous additives, by adapting processes and products to the people's needs, whereas the people cannot adapt their bodies to poison additives."

Editor's note: We are finding in Washington that Congressmen are pleased that the people have an organization to work and fight for health rights, etc.

The Board of Governors of N.H.F. reserves the right to reject the applications of individuals and/or organizations wishing to affiliate with the Federation. This reservation is necessary because it would be fatal to the health cause to have affiliated organizations which were political in nature, or were working at cross purposes with the Federation in the health field, or were communistic or subversive.

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Back and Very Thankful

By FRED J. HART

To get a much needed rest and to attend to some research business in Germany, I took a three months trip to the Mediterranean and Europe. Space will not permit my recounting the many interesting things I saw or the experiences I had. This account will cover briefly the matters having to do with health.

In Europe

It was my good fortune to have been able to spend three full days and evenings with Dr. Borris Rajewsky, his family and associates at the Max Planch Bio-Physical Institute at Frankfurt, Germany. It is at this institute the Electronic Medical Foundation is having its research done. The work is under the personal direction of Dr. Rajewsky, the head of the institute and one of the outstanding scientists in the world.

I am more than pleased with the progress being made and I am sure if we continue the work, that such fundamental facts will be demonstrated as will cause to be ushered in a new era of early and correct diagnosis, as well as efficient treatments, which are now being denied the sick folks of America because of the opposition of the American Medical Association, aided and abetted by Federal Food and Drug officials.

In England

It was cold as it was in other parts of Europe. They have UNUSUAL weather over there as well as over here.

It was my good fortune in England to have Dr. Atkinson Reddell take me un-

der his wing, take me to his wonderful Sanitarium (that's what we call it over here) spend three days taking me from place to place for interviews with people interested in the field of Electronics in Medicine, and above all, seeing to it that I was warm and comfortable.

I find in England that Doctors are still free in most respects. A Doctor in England is not restricted in his treating of a patient, so long as he does not use methods, modalities or drugs that are known to be harmful or that he is not trained to use. Another good feature in England is that the Medical Doctors are not allowed, as they are here, to use the law to harass and put out of business Doctors who use other methods than the regular medicals do.

The long arm of (guess who) is now attempting to enslave the English people. While I was there a Fluoridation campaign was being launched but I am happy to say it is being resisted with the true English spirit. The National Health Federation is doing what it can to help them in their opposition to this curse.

IN AMERICA—GOD BLESS HER

It was good to see the Statue of Liberty. It was good to know that we were coming back to a country, where in most instances, one may say what one thinks and not have to be careful who hears. Except for five or six countries in Europe this is not true. We must fight to stop all movements which would take this freedom from us. In this connection, we, the people, must take a greater in-

terest in these mental health bills and the programs which are being initiated under them.

Four Days at Washington

The Washington Office was opened the last week in February — that is N.H.F. Vice President Willard Gleeson arrived in Washington at that time to go about setting up an office and doing what he could to get the N.H.F. program under way.

When the Board of Trustees of N.H.F. decided to recommend the opening of a Washington Office and selected Willard Gleeson as the one who would make the sacrifice, I felt they had picked the best man in the United States, save one, to do the job. The other man we could not get. After spending four days with Gleeson in Washington I am sure the Board chose the right man. I have known Bill Gleeson for over 35 years and I know of his many interests, so I know what a sacrifice he is making to do the job.

A Busy Three Months

On May 20 Bill Gleeson will have been in Washington three months. To the date this article is being written, he has renewed his acquaintances with men of prominence in Washington, both in and out of Congress. He has assured them that the National Health Federation Office in Washington is being set up so that N.H.F. can be of service to them in health matters to the end that all health laws and regulations may be in the interest of the people and that such laws and/or regulations shall be enforced impartially for the good of all the people.

Bill to Curb Slander

Since the Washington Office has been opened, a bill has been introduced which when enacted into law would amend the

Administrative Procedure Act in keeping with the Herbert Hoover governmental reorganization recommendation. This bill would put a stop to the present practice of Federal governmental departments or employees destroying a man or company's reputation by unjust, unfair and slanderous publicity before hearing or trial. Hoover's Committee found this practice so widespread, it felt Congress should act to correct the situation. This bill is in keeping with the program of work adopted by N.H.F. at the last two annual meetings. The bill is reproduced on another page of this issue. WRITE TO YOUR TWO SENATORS TO SUPPORT THIS BILL. Their address is: Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C.

N.H.F. Serves Notice

Gleeson has made appearances before the Treasury Department regarding the American Cancer Society and before the Post Office Department regarding the mistreatment of one of the Federation's members, with the result the case is being reopened and the wrongs will be righted. Notice has been served on these departments of government that N.H.F. is a vital force and is the voice of the people in matters of health. A voice that is growing stronger with each passing day. A voice and a power which will demand and get justice for the American people in matters relating to health.

Meets With Leaders

In this short time, Gleeson has held several conferences with the leaders of organizations in Washington who are interested in one or more of the objectives of the National Health Federation. The purpose of these conferences is: 1) To explain just what N.H.F. is, and 2) To

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FOR THE LADIES

By Joice

Beginning with this issue of the Bulletin we plan to devote an entire page to items which we believe may be of special interest to our feminine readers. Please let us have your reactions to this initial attempt as well as suggestions regarding subjects which you might wish discussed on this page.

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A Tulane University medical researcher reported in a news dispatch from New Orleans that X-rays administered by doctors to pregnant women causes a rise in leukemia among young children. Twice as much leukemia was found in children of X-rayed mothers as in children whose mothers received no radiation.

The appalling thing about this particular news item was the comment that about one in every five expectant mothers received radiation as a matter of "routine" examination. Nearly one-third of the other kinds of malignancy occurring among the surveyed children came from mothers who had had diagnostic radiation.

Dr. Charles C. Sprague, assistant professor of medicine, commented that X-rays are "probably" being over-used on pregnant women in this country generally.

The Louisiana doctors who were questioned regarding their use of radiation concurred that it was a "routine" matter for an expectant mother to have a series of four or five films taken. This adds up to a total of 12 to 20 Roentgens, or about what the average person receives by the time he is 40 years old.

The danger of radiation did not jump into prominence with this report. It has been common knowledge since the atom bombing of Hiroshima. In fact, it would be difficult to read a daily newspaper that does not carry an article on the pros and cons of bombing tests, the efforts to manufacture a "clean" bomb, the statement of an eminent scientist urging elimination of bomb testing—all based on the danger of radiation to human life.

Yet, despite these overwhelming public warnings, which any literate person cannot escape, the Louisiana doctors "routinely" subject pregnant women to radiation.

Since an M.D. degree requires a certain amount of literacy, doctors cannot be excused on grounds of ignorance. The only logical conclusion is that they are indifferent to human life or completely lacking in moral responsibility.

Our complex civilization does not present enough hazards. We must now maim our children before they are even born.

H. R. 783

85th Congress, 1st Session

A BILL

To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to undertake continuing studies of the effects of insecticides, herbicides, and fungicides upon fish and wildlife for the purpose of preventing losses of those invaluable natural resources following spraying, and to provide basic data on the various chemical controls so that forests, croplands, and marshes can be sprayed with minimum loss of fish and wildlife.

By Mr. Metcalf, January 3, 1957.

Referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

If We Pray, Work and Give

as the Lord leads in matters relating to the program of the National Health Federation, we are confident the Lord will honor our efforts as we work together for the health and welfare of all the people in these United States.

Some can pray better than others. Some can work better than others and have more time. Some can give better than others. The Lord knows, and we think, leads each to do that which he is best able to do. We know he blesses those who do the best they can with what they have. The scripture records that the widow who cast in her mite, did more than all the rest. God can bless the little and make it mighty.

N.H.F. Needs

We need more supporters of the Washington office in a financial way. To date we have only 60 per cent of the needed funds to maintain that office either pledged or given outright. That office can only be maintained to the extent we have the funds each month to pay the bill. The day we do not have the funds to pay the bill, that day we will have to close the office. Such a move in our estimation would be a great disaster to the well being of the people of the United States.

The A.M.A. is concentrating its guns on California, hence the next session of the State Legislature will be a real battle ground. This means we must double our membership in California, as well as throughout the Nation.

New Take Off the Blindfold Pamphlets

Following the suggestions of members we have developed new copy and we believe made the literature more effective. We urge our members to send for these

and distribute them to folks who should belong to the Federation and who do not know about it. If a member is unable to pay for the Blindfold pamphlets, we will of course be very happy to furnish them without cost.

Dues

About two thousand of our members have not paid their 1958 dues. The dues are \$3.00 for 1958 regular members and \$5.00 for active members.

H. R. 10046

In the House of Representatives January 16, 1958 Mr. Burdick introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

A BILL

To prohibit officers and employees of the United States, Territories of the United States, and the District of Columbia from treating water supplies with fluoride compounds, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That no officer or employee of the United States, the District of Columbia, or any Territory of the United States, or other person acting for the United States, the District of Columbia, or any Territory of the United States, shall treat any public water supply with any fluoride compound, or make any water so treated available for human consumption on any real property owned, leased, or otherwise controlled by the United States, the District of Columbia, or any Territory of the United States.

(*Editor's Note:*) A letter or card to your Congressman will be very helpful.

A Good Letter

Oren Harris, Chairman
House Interstate and
Foreign Commerce Committee
Washington, D. C.

Dear Congressman Harris:

The chances are 1 to 2 that both you and I will develop cancer before we die, according to the Cancer Society.

The Delaney Bill, HR-7798, if supported, will at least put a stop to the use of some 150 chemical additives now being used in our food and water. The International Union Against Cancer has pegged most of these chemicals as known carcinogens, or contributing to cancer.

With over 40,000,000 cancer victims, don't you too agree it is time to stop pitting human suffering against possible trade advantages?

The Delaney Bill (HR-7798) is the only pending bill that completely protects the peoples' rights vs. trade interests.

Please support this bill, as is, and report it for favorable action on the House floor.

It's later than you think! Please don't fail to support this Bill.

Sincerely yours,

Betty Morales and J. T. Clark
Organic-Ville
Los Angeles, Calif.

Editor's Note: This is a copy of a letter sent in response to the Federations request for letters to Congressman Harris. We are reproducing it, because it sets forth the case in clear language. If you have not written, please do so at once, as the vested interests do not want the Delaney Bill to become a law.

It Is Hard For Us

One of the hardest things we are called upon to do is to ask folks for money. It has always been that way; but as one of the members of the Board of Governors of the Federation pointed out—this is the members organization. Its program is their program and many want to share in it, by helping pay the bills.

We Must Get More Members

The over-all expenses of the Federation must come out of membership dues, aided by such donations as may be sent in. The printing and mailing of the magazine and other literature consumes 60% of our present income. It is too important to the work and the future of the organization to cut down on it. In fact it needs to be expanded.

The Washington Office

This office is maintained entirely by donations of the members. To date we have only received in pledges and cash donations enough to cover between 55 and 60 per cent of the cost of keeping the office open for this year. The Washington Office already has accomplished more than has been done in the past two years. The maintenance of that office is an absolute necessity if the people are to be protected in health matters.

Each of us, as members, must do what we can toward getting folks to join, or give funds to this great work. The doors of the main office and the Washington Office can remain open, only so long as there are funds with which to pay the bills.

Many will read this who have overlooked paying their dues for 1958—if you happen to be one of those will you not please sit down right now and send in your 1958 dues?

Seven Doctors on Weinberger Team

Seven Palo Alto area physicians are among the 17 Santa Clara County doctors who have agreed to serve on a doctors' committee to elect Assemblyman Casper Weinberger of San Francisco, state attorney general, county chairman Robert Free of San Jose said today.

Free said the medical men were particularly pleased by the 40-year-old lawyer-legislator's bill to outlaw cancer quackery.

The Palo Altans are Dr. Max Bakalinsky, Dr. Robert E. Berner, Dr. Philip Heersema, Dr. Robert W. Jamplis, Dr. Robert A. Peers, Dr. Nathan Wasserman and Dr. J. W. Wear.

The question is: Does California want an Attorney General who is backed by Medical men who believe in State Medicine? For that is what the Weinberger bill actually was.

How Far Will They Go?

A Chicago physician, as reported in the *Chicago Daily News*, advocates revision of the law which now forbids operating on a patient who refuses it.

Dr. Frederick Stenn of Northwestern University stated that "The physician is duty bound to promote and prolong a patient's life" and expressed the hope that a test case in court would lead to rewriting the law which holds that a person's person is his own.

If such a statement had emanated from an Iron Curtain country, it would have been greeted in the United States as another step in the direction of complete totalitarianism. But when uttered in this country, presumably by a member of the

AMA, no censure follows. The prospect of delivering one's body into the hands of a doctor who would have the legal right to treat it as he chose does not appear to arouse the American public. Perhaps we are weary of bearing the responsibility of our own welfare.

A law which would give physicians complete control of one's physical welfare is certainly not congruent with democratic principles. It would, however, be a fine thing for the doctors and elevate them far above their present finite plane.

Infallibility, omnipotence and omniscience are attributes ascribed to a Supreme Being—not to members of the American Medical Association.

MAIL BAG

Dear Co-Worker:

Sorry I have delayed renewing my membership. Haven't been able to work. Applied for my social security last November. Just got it this month. Oh how I do need the money. But how on earth could a person make a better investment than to donate to such a lively organization as ours, to bring a better world to live in?

Or sometimes it seems we might say to preserve what we have left of one.

Sincerely,
Mrs. E.M.N., Texas.

Sir:

Thank you for letter of 7th. Wrote Washington address to place us on mail list for notices when to write congressmen again. We will plug your magazine and membership this summer. Until recently, we found only one organization whose works and attitudes we favored,

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and it almost blew up last summer, American Natural Hygiene Society. Now, however, I believe, they are going forward again under very able leadership. NHF is sprouting fast and pinpoints your efforts where they will do the most good—and be noticed. Wouldn't it be grand if all the various non-chemical, non-medical agencies for good could get to—
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H. R. 11782

In the House of Representatives March 31, 1958 Mr. Miller of California introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A BILL

To amend the Administrative Procedure Act with respect to public statements of Federal agencies which tend to discredit.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Section 10 (e) of the Administrative Procedure Act is amended by inserting at the end thereof the following new sentence: "Where the reviewing court determines that, in the course of the agency proceeding leading to the agency action being reviewed, the agency issued or released any public statement tending to discredit any party to the proceeding, the court shall regard such statement as constituting a prejudging of the issues and may set aside any agency action against such party, or enter other appropriate order.

(EDITOR'S NOTE:) This is a very important bill. Write to your own Congressman and ask him to do all within his power to get the House Judiciary Committee to report the bill favorably.

MAY - JUNE, 1958

Urgent!

Great care should be exercised in the sending out of literature and/or notices of National Health Federation meetings that there should be no accompanying literature unless it be on the subject of health. N.H.F. is a health rights organization and should not be mixed up with programs on matters relating to other fields of human endeavor. N.H.F. is not organized to do the work of such organizations.

The reason for this notice is that, recently a meeting was being called in Oakland to complete the organization of an East Bay Chapter of the Federation. The sending out of the notice was a voluntary action on the part of a very fine man. Evidently it did not occur to him that it would not be all right for him to include with the notice, literature on one of the things he believe in.

When the folks on the mailing list received the notice of the meeting they immediately contacted this office and said, how come? Since when has the National Health Federation gone into politics and economics. We at the office were as surprised as were our members.

This note is not written to criticize our good friend, but as a note of caution to be observed in the future.

Official notices of Federation meetings and activities should be confined to information regarding such activities, meetings and or the program of the organization.

HEALTH FREEDOM PICNIC

June 15th. Irvine Park near Santa Ana. Public invited. Speakers of National importance.

How Positive is Positive?

More evidence of the infallible fallibility of the medical profession was pointed out by a team of scientists at the University of California at Los Angeles.

In a report to the California Medical Association Drs. Charles Carpenter, James Miller and Ruth Boak stated that more than 54 per cent of all patients with positive Wassermann tests do not have syphilis at all.

According to the scientists, false-positive Wassermanns occur in 72 per cent of pregnant women and may also occur in persons with undulant fever, tuberculosis, malaria, many types of cancer, narcotic addiction, alcoholism, pneumonia and the common cold. A false-positive may even occur in a person without any disease.

One member of the research team admitted that "a positive reaction with one of the standard Wassermann-type tests may merely mean that the patient is alive."

Therefore, numerous persons with a false-positive reaction who do not actually have syphilis have been treated and are being treated for the disease.

* * *

This same medical association assured the legislature a few years ago that the Wasserman test was the only test, and a certain way of treatment was the only way. The Legislature took them at their word and legislated that method of test and treatment.

Now this same association is trying the same thing on Cancer. They were wrong then and they are just as wrong now. They had the same selfish motives then as they have now.

Moral—The legislature should not and cannot practice medicine.

The Fight Is On

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last-ditch stand to secure by legislation an absolute monopoly in the control of cancer victims living within the State of California.

If successful in California, this type of control is to be spread to the other States of the Union. YOUR HEALTH LIBERTY HAS NEVER BEFORE BEEN SO SERIOUSLY THREATENED.

The National Health Federation, thanks to the fine cooperation of its members, has the enemies of health on the defensive. Let's keep them that way. To do so, we must double our efforts and membership and giving. It takes funds to carry on the work and to hire the proper help with which to do the job.

We are printing 2,000 extra copies of this issue of the Bulletin, which we hope our members will buy and give or mail to others. We are also bringing out a new, rewritten, issue of the "Take Off the Blindfold" pamphlet. We urge members to secure some of these and mail them out. The person to whom you mail the pamphlets need not be a friend or an acquaintance. We need to get our message into the hands of all true Americans.

The pamphlets cost one cent each and the Bulletin for less than 50 are 15 cents each, 50 for \$5, 100 for \$8, and 1,000 for \$75. If you cannot pay for the "Take Off the Blindfold" pamphlets, we will furnish them free, so long as you will mail out each one sent you.

We are in the right, we are on the march, the enemy is confused, let's keep moving forward!

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Thank You Mr. Larrick

Editorial

In a recent issue of TIME magazine a statement that your organization, the Federal Food and Drug Administration, had at long last ordered removed from ice cream the lice powder and other additives which manufacturers, for their own profit, have been mixing with it.

The National Health Federation is back of you one hundred per cent in this move to clean up ice cream, and we are hoping that it will be but the first step by your department toward forcing manufacturers of other products to cease and desist similar practices.

The National Health Federation is anxious for Congress to pass the Delaney bill which would give your department the power to do a real job toward providing the American people with wholesome and healthful food.

The members of our organization are not at all pleased with many of the past activities of the Federal Food and Drug Administration, and intend, through their elected representatives, to find — by a thorough investigation — the causative factors which have contributed to the mal-functioning of your department in the past. Having found the causes, Congress can then see to it that they are removed or corrected, and your department can again become a respected, trusted, and useful branch of our government.

Once it has become such, you can count on 100% cooperation and support by the National Health Federation.

In the meantime be assured that wherever, and whenever, you take an honest

and sincere stand against any item which is detrimental to the health of the American people, and sincerely attempt to, in keeping with the American way of life and the intent of Congress, enforce the law, the National Health Federation as an organization of the people will stand squarely behind you in any such endeavor.

In the columns of the *Bulletin* we have from time to time condemned certain actions of your department. It is with great pleasure we can at this time commend your department for an action taken in the interests of the people.

New York World-Telegram and Fluoridation

On April 3, 1958, the New York World-Telegram ran the following editorial addressed to the City of New York and its governing body. Quote:

Second Thoughts on Fluoridation

As staff writer Murray Davis discloses today, a survey by this newspaper shows that the Board of Estimate would be unable as of now to muster a majority vote favoring fluoridation of the city's water supply.

That some members should be dubious about wishing this mass medication on the public—at least not without a referendum—is understandable. They feel there are questions yet to be answered on the safety of fluorides.

For instance, Mr. Davis in an article yesterday quoted a warning that strontium 90 (radioactive fall-out from nuc-

lear explosions) and fluorides make a dangerous combination.

The warning was from Dr. James G. Kerwin, dentist of the Passaic, N. J., health department. He said that the fluoride added to water reduces the rate at which the body throws off strontium 90, thus exposing the body to "that much more internal radiation."

His advice: Go slow on fluoridation until this problem can be thoroughly researched.

In view of doubts such as that, the reported impasse in the Board of Estimate is not surprising. It could mean there won't even be a referendum on fluoridation any time soon unless the public demands it.

We doubt that any such demand will be forthcoming—not, at any rate, until the uncertainties have been cleared up. But in no case, as we've said before, should fluoridation be effected except by referendum.

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It is our opinion that this is the soundest piece of advice we have seen on the subject in a very long time. Why all the rush? Some thirty million Americans are now guinea pigs in this great experimental HOAX. That should be sufficient. There are easy ways to take care of the teeth with fluorides if such has value, so why endanger the lives and well being of other millions. It is sound advice to "Be not the first by whom the new is tried, nor yet the last to lay the old aside."

Editor, N.H.F. Bulletin.

New Blood Clue Spots "All Diseases"

BALTIMORE, March 19.—The Baltimore News-Post reported in a copyrighted article today that a Johns Hopkins University medical research expert has discovered a method of diagnosing any illness from a blood sample.

The newspaper said the discovery of Dr. Winston Price, director of the division of medical ecology in the university's School of Hygiene and Public Health would answer the great dream of medicine—a differential diagnosis of all disease.

It said that it means that with a simple blood test, doctors could tell if a patient has cancer, stomach ulcers, a mental disease, tuberculosis or gallstones.

Cold Vaccine

Price won nationwide recognition last year for his discovery of a vaccine which would work against one variety of the common cold.

The newspaper said Price's discovery was based on his learning that certain particles in the blood plasma called "muccids" appear in certain patterns peculiar to each disease.

The patterns, according to Price, would probably be recognized accurately enough to permit diagnosis of a disease from a study of the mucids in the plasma—a process requiring about three days.

The News-Post stated that the researcher has made only a preliminary report, to be verified later. It was based on the study of blood from 166 persons with various diseases. (See next page.)

Various Diseases

Included in the 166, the article reported, were several cases of cancer, tuberculosis, some diseases affecting connective tissues difficult to diagnose, and even mental disease.

As a final check, the article continued, Price took nine samples of plasma—five from healthy persons and four from patients, each with a different disease.

He gave them unlabeled to technicians who had been working with him on the research project, and succeeded in classifying them correctly in nine out of nine instances.

MEDICAL DREAM COME TRUE—

Dr. Winston Price studies a blood slide. He has developed a method of diagnosing any illness from a blood sample.

"Day by day Doctor Albert Abram's theory and practice of electronics in medicine is being demonstrated as true."

We Could Not Treat a Hog That Way

March 13, 1958.

Attorney General William P. Rogers,
c/o U. S. Department of Justice,
Washington, D.C.
Honorable Sir:

Congratulations on plans for sweeping investigations in all government "departments and agencies."

The Associated Press (March 8th) quotes you . . . there is nothing in law that authorizes withholding information from the public or limiting the availability of records to the public."

In this connection may I refer you specifically to the last paragraph of my enclosed letter of January 8th to Dr. LeRoy E. Burney of U. S. Public Health Service. This letter was delivered to Dr. Burney by Senator George Smathers.

Still no reply . . . WHY? A second request has been ignored. It is very apparent there is something radically wrong.

In my opinion there is no branch of any governmental department in Washington that needs a thorough, honest investigation more than does the U. S. Public Health Service.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture would have STOPPED any vaccine fatal to hogs . . . but the U.S.P.H.S. keeps pushing the use of unproved and dangerous vaccines, while human deaths to them are a mere matter of statistics.

Again, we have many privately operated hospitals successfully treating internal cancer while our government owned hospitals refuse the treatment. My heart goes out to our War Veterans who unnecessarily die of internal cancer. The National Cancer Institute in Bethesda, Maryland, should wake up.

Is it a fact that two U. S. Congressmen brought "pressure" and stated "the public must not know the truth about Polio"?

Why is the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis given tax exempt status when it is reported their books are not open for inspection?

The U.S.P.H.S. and its operating branches should be thoroughly investigated, restaffed with MEN of integrity who know HEALTH . . . or . . . it should be COMPLETELY ABOLISHED for the good of mankind.

Respectfully yours,
DUON H. MILLER.

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MAIL BAG

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gether and unify plans! Yours for health truth.

PAUL BRENN, Cresco, Pa.
National Health Federation:

Enclosed find our check for the sum of one hundred dollars to be used for the Washington Office. This is from the Sheboygan Chapter of the Wisconsin Natural Health Association.

Yours truly,

Eugenia Schaeve, Treasurer.

For all of our N.H.F. members, we say thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Our prayer is that your example may cause other organizations to do likewise.

—Editor.

Editor of N.H.F. April 4, 1958

I was much impressed with the article in your March-April issue by Mrs. Joyce W. Stacpoole. She put up a strong defense for freedom of choice. However, I would like to call attention to the fact that in a democracy there is no freedom of choice. A democracy is a government by men while a Republic is a government by and for the people.

In a government by men, it is closely akin to dictatorship, many people today speak of our Republic as a Democracy, the children in school are brainwashed into calling it a Democracy—yet they will stand up and pledge allegiance to the Flag and to "the Republic for which it stands," and never ask why, if we live in a Democracy, why do we pledge allegiance to "the Republic."

On page 17 of this issue, Mrs. Stacpoole says, "The one defense a democracy has against abusive efficiency of a police state is truth; therefore, when a democracy is exposed to a man who

both fosters the legislative philosophy of the police state and ignores the truth, you have a double danger."

I am sure Mrs. Stacpoole meant a 'democratic Republic,' for that is what our form of government was originally set up to be. Though I will grant her we have almost become a 'democracy,' governed by a few bureaucrats in Washington. But I believe so long as we have people and organizations like Mrs. Stacpoole and N.H.F., who are fighting for truth, perhaps we can return this country to the democratic Republic it was supposed to be.

When Benjamin Franklin was asked at the Constitutional Hall in Philadelphia after our Constitution was brought into being, what we had, a democracy or a Republic, his reply was, "We have a Republic, if we can keep it."

I would appreciate it if you could find space for this letter, for I feel there are many who should be set straight on the subject.

Sincerely,

Margo Wuichet

The death rate from burns in the San Francisco Hospital has risen from about 50 per cent in the 1943-47 period to 70 per cent in the 1952-56 period according to the findings of Drs. Albert Clark and Harold Hanson of the University of California Surgical Service.

Cause of the rise is attributed to an increase in older persons treated for burns as well as to *antibiotic-resistant microbes which hasten infection.*

Customer: "My word, waiter, what kind of soup is this?"

Waiter: "It's bean soup."

Customer: "I don't care what its been, what is it now?"—*Saw Dust Trail.*

NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION BULLETIN

WARNING! — TYRANNY AHEAD!

By JOYCE STACPOOLE

The concept of a Republic established on a basis of reverence for individual freedom is a noble and elevating ideation. But such a concept per se is nothing. It becomes significant only when fostered, guarded and applied. And each ideology breeds within itself its exact opposite—in this instance complete abolition of freedom.

There are many avenues through which this can be accomplished, and in a government such as ours those with political aspirations are in the most effective position either to guard individual freedom or to destroy it completely.

You are all acquainted with our struggle last year to defeat the notorious cancer quack bill sponsored by Caspar Weinberger. Briefly, the enactment of this bill, as you know, would have prohibited an individual from choosing his own method of treatment and would have forced on him surgery and/or radiation.

Because of the dubious fame derived from his association with this bill, Mr. Weinberger now hopes to become the next Attorney General of the State of California.

We wonder how many of you heard Fulton Lewis, Jr.'s afternoon broadcast over the Mutual network Monday, April 28th, when he announced that the June 6th, 1956, edition of the *People's World* carried an article eulogizing Caspar W. Weinberger who at that time was running for re-election to the State Assembly. Lewis added that the *People's World* at that time was the west coast edition of the Communist *Daily Worker*, the

party organ in the United States.

Lewis reported this fact objectively. He made no personal comments or recommendations. Yet Weinberger chose to interpret factual reporting as libel and somehow or other Lewis' usual evening rebroadcast never took place.

We all know that Communistic endorsement of a political aspirant does not necessarily mean that the candidate holds with Communistic principles. But in view of Mr. Weinberger's past record we might well wonder if his desires to curtail personal freedom emanate from a Totalitarian attitude. It is indeed food for thought.

Then, as if these facts in themselves were not glaring enough, Mr. Weinberger openly magnified them by contacting the radio station and having the evening rebroadcast suppressed. Surely, there could be no more frank admission of his seeming compulsion to destroy personal freedom.

Evidently Mr. Weinberger has never heard of freedom of speech or press. He cannot content himself with prescribing what medical treatment for cancer Californians should receive. He must now censor their radio programs.

And this is the man who aspires to the Attorney Generalship of the State of California — a law enforcement office which would legalize his actions.

Should this office be held by a man who desires to dictate medical treatment? By a man who suppresses honest reporting? We know our thoughtful, intelligent readership will draw its own conclusions.

Back and Very Thankful

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work out coordinated action on matters having to do with the health of the American people. The result of these conferences to date, has been to more than double the working strength of the National Health Federation.

The Delaney Bill Hearing

Gleeson has, as you know, been working hard on this most important bill. The letter and post card response to the N.H.F. plea that you write to Chairman Oren Harris and other members of the committee put thousands of pieces of mail on the desk of these gentlemen and caused them to see that the people were aroused and wanted this bill in preference to the other bills which would stipulate "no more new poisons but O.K. on those now being used."

Your letters and messages caused the committee to hold immediate hearings on the Delaney Bill. The hearing room was filled with high priced lawyers and lobbyists who were there to represent those who profit from what they are now doing to America's food supply. When they were through with their testimony the chairman called for Willard Gleeson, Vice President of the National Health Federation, to take the stand on behalf of the American public. This he did and in spite of being rushed to the stand one day before schedule and without his prepared notes, he did a good job in support of the Delaney Bill. Though the chairman gave opportunity for other organizations to testify in behalf of the Bill, there was no one there for that purpose.

Where Were They?

Gleeson asks: Where was the repre-

sentative of the Natural Food Associates? Where was the representative of the Organic Farming Groups? Where was the representative of the Health Food Stores? Where was the representative of the National Chiropractors Association? Where was the representative of the Osteopathic Association? They were all conspicuous by their absence—during the hearing on the most vital and important Bill to come before Congress in this or any other session held during the past 20 years. EXCEPT FOR THE REPRESENTATIVE OF N.H.F. there was no voice raised in support of the bill or of Congressman Delaney who is working so hard to protect the health of the American people. CERTAINLY THIS GRAPHIC INCIDENT SHOULD CONVINCE ALL RIGHT THINKING PEOPLE OF THE NEED OF A STRONG NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION AND A PROPERLY EQUIPPED AND MANNED WASHINGTON OFFICE. Thanks from all of us for the great response you made to our request for letters, etc. The PEN can be mightier than the sword where legislation is concerned.

More To Be Said

Space will not allow for recounting many of the things that are being done at Washington. Strategy will not permit the telling of all plans and activities. In due time you will be advised. To do so now would defeat our efforts.

If N.H.F. prayers and efforts bear fruit there will shortly be introduced into Congress two bills. One bill would make it illegal for any hospital or medical facility, which receives tax benefits or funds from the Federal government to bar from practice in those hospitals or use of those facilities, any regular, fully licensed medi-

cal doctor who is in good standing with his licensing board on the grounds of membership or non-membership in a medical association. The other bill would make it illegal for any national organization soliciting funds for health purposes to make such solicitation until it had first rendered a full and complete account of the expenditure of the funds raised the preceding year or years, and made its books available for an audit by the Federal government in the same manner and to the same extent as is now required by Community Chests and United Fund Drives of those charity organizations participating in their drives. It is appalling when one realizes that all through the years these organizations have never had to give an account of their stewardship. How can we expect results from money donated and spent under such conditions? For further information, see our letter to President Eisenhower which appears on another page of this issue.

Homeward Bound

From Washington I flew to Cleveland, Ohio, to speak at a meeting of the organizing directors of The Ohio State Health Federation. While there I inspected the offices which they are in the process of opening. Ohio thus becomes the first State Health Federation to start actual work as a state organization. Ohio is off to a great start under the able leadership of Harold Edwards and his very able helpers.

N.H.F. Eastern Convention

While in Ohio, in cooperation with the Ohio State Health Federation, plans were laid to hold a four-day N.H.F. Convention at Cleveland, Ohio. Some of you will remember the successful one-

day convention held in Cleveland in November last year.

This year's convention will be held on October 9, 10, 11 and 12. These dates fall on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The convention proper will be confined to Friday and Saturday, with Sunday morning being used for an inspirational windup, with a one-hour religious service from 11 to 12 noon.

Make Your Reservations Now

The convention will be held at the Hollenback Hotel. The management has set aside 250 rooms with bath, double and singles, and has made a very low rate as hotel rates go these days. The rates will be \$6.00 per day for single room and \$8.00 per day for double room. May we urge you to at once make your reservation as when this supply of rooms is exhausted those not having reservations will have to hunt rooms elsewhere at higher rates. The address is: Hollenback Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio. You can make reservation now and if later you find you cannot attend you may cancel as long as the cancellation is sent in not less than one week before the date of the convention. Noted national speakers will be there. You are assured of one of the most educational, inspirational and helpful conventions you have ever attended.

Chicago Next

From Cleveland, early in the morning, I flew to Chicago to attend a meeting under the leadership of Mrs. Don Schuringa. This meeting was for the purpose of helping launch the new Illinois State Health Federation. There were about 300 in attendance. We thus can now add the Illinois State Health Federation to our growing list of State Health Federations being set up. I finished my final confer-

ence at one a.m. and one hour later was aboard the plane on my way to Salt Lake City to meet with the new officers and members of the Utah State Health Federation. This active organization is under the able leadership of Ted Parkinson. The meeting was well attended and I am sure is off to a good start. While in Salt Lake City I left with members who are heading the fight against Fluoridation a great deal of material. Since this meeting the State Federation representative and others attended a Salt Lake City Council meeting where the subject of Fluoridation was ably presented on behalf of the State and National Health Federation. Ted Parkinson, the able president of the Utah State Health Federation, sent our office a copy of his presentation and it is a masterpiece. I am now sure that the Utah State Health Federation can be added to our active State Federations. The State of Michigan is in the process of setting up a Michigan State Health Federation. N.H.F. GROWS, AND GROWS, and GROWS. Aren't you proud and happy to be a part of this truly American organization?

California, Here We come

Very early in the morning I was up and away for California and the office of the Federation. I took the trip for a rest, and God bless all of you and the folks in the office and those who came in and gave of their time. I was not bothered about any problems of the office. Of course, I knew that much of the work no one could do but myself so imagine my surprise and pleasure to return and find that the efficient officers and workers in the Federation office had taken care of practically all of it. It is wonderful to know that a work blessed by God can

always find someone who is able to do the work, when one of the workers is called away. We are now more sure than ever that the Federation is truly an organization of the people, for the people and by the people and that it will grow and fulfill its rightful place in the American scheme of things. Thanks to all of you from the bottom of my heart.

We Repeat

As this issue of the Bulletin is going to press the officers of the National Health Federation are busy preparing the presentation of the people's case to the California State Senate Interim Committee, which was appointed because of the Weinberger bill (so-called cancer Quack control law) but in the last analysis is nothing but a step toward State Medicine. In fact it is state medicine in its worst form.

The hearings will last three days. The next issue will feature the evidence presented on behalf of the people by N.H.F. It will be a good issue to buy extra copies to mail to folks who would like to know about the Federation and what it is doing for the people of America.

May we suggest that you send your orders in, for extra copies within the next thirty days so we can plan on the number to have the printer print. We feel that at least ten thousand of this particular issue should be purchased and distributed by our members. The price will be \$5.00 for fifty, \$8 for one hundred and \$75.00 for one thousand. These prices are just what we have to pay for the magazines delivered to you.

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2. N.H.F. WASHINGTON OFFICE. The Washington headquarters of N.H.F. have been formally established at 1900 F Street, N. W., Washington 6, D.C., Vice-President Willard L. Gleeson announces.

3. Brand new re-written "FREEDOM OF CHOICE" pamphlets have just been received from the printers. These cost one cent each in lots of 25 or more. Order some and mail to others. We must let folks know there is such an organization as the National Health Federation.

4. COLUMBUS, OHIO, has this month, by referendum vote, thrown out fluoridation of its water supply. Whenever the people get a chance, they turn thumbs down on the proposition of adding a deadly poison to their drinking water.

5. NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION National Convention—Cleveland, Ohio, October 9-10-11-12. Read about it on page 19, this issue.