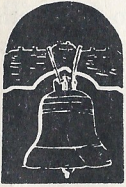


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**AMERICANS CRUSADING FOR  
HEALTH LIBERTY**

# Fourth Annual Meeting

By the time you have read this item, a great annual meeting will have come and gone. It is hard to believe that this great organization is only four years old this January 15th.

Space will not allow us to report the details of the annual meeting. We assure you it was an intellectual feast for those who want to know how to EAT TO LIVE.

The March-April issue will bring you the details of the business transacted. It will also bring you the entire program as adopted by the members.

## *Washington Office*

The Washington Office will open its doors on February first on a permanent basis. Harold Edwards, who is to be in charge of the Washington Office and your president will arrive at Washington on January 15th. Our first undertaking will be to locate and set up the office. In the meanwhile our legislative representative is busy getting the Federation's legislative program under way.

## *Is Something New*

So far as we have been able to ascertain, this is the first time in history the American people have had a united and powerful voice at Washington, D.C. to look after their health interests. Are you not proud to have had a part in bringing this to pass?

## *For Legislative and Regulatory Matters*

The fact the Federation has a Washington office does not mean the members are to write their problems direct to that office. If this were to be done the Washington office would get very little work

done. The Washington office is established to handle legislative problems submitted to it by the main office, in keeping with the program adopted by the Federation at its annual meeting. The main office in San Francisco will continue to handle the members' problems, as in the past.

## *Who Will Pay the Bill?*

That is the question. In the last issue we stated that one half of the expense of this new venture would have to come from donations or pledges by the members. We are banking on a 100 per cent response. On another page you will see a copy of three or four of the bills now ready to be introduced. Four more are being drawn in proper form for introduction. Certainly the securing of favorable consideration by Congress on these matters is well worth whatever sacrifice it takes. SEND IN YOUR DONATION AT AN EARLY DATE OR SEND IN YOUR PLEDGE, SO WE WILL KNOW WHAT WE CAN DEPEND ON. At this writing we have about \$6,000 of the \$20,200 in sight and it is not yet the first of the year—so let's show the enemy we mean business by over-subscribing the amount needed.

## **A TIP FROM A FARMER**

"I see your church convention," said an old farmer to the preacher, "that you discussed the subject: 'How to Get People to Attend Church.' I have never heard a single address at a farmers' convention on how to get the cattle to come to the rack. We spend our time discussing the best kind of feed."—Selected by Jay Sudenga.

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## What to Fear, Doctor?

BY DON MATCHAN

Over the signature of Dr. Lloyd F. Richards, D.D.S., M.P.H., chief of the Division of Dental Health, California Department of Public Health, has come a "memorandum" endeavoring to discredit the endeavors of National Health Federation.

Dated July 29, 1958, the four-page mimeographed publication was distributed to local health officers throughout the state—with public monies, of course.

A North Dakota friend used to say, "A farmer doesn't shoot at dead crows," and I was reminded of this thought upon reading Dr. Richards' epistle. We lack space to reproduce it in entirety, suffice to report these quotes:

"This organization, formed in California in 1955, now has spread nationwide. It seems to be a focus of anti-medical and anti-public health activity all over the country and provides facilities for gathering and dissemination of such propaganda.

"There is evidence that intensive effort is being made by 'fringe groups' to establish state branches or associations of this organization in many states at

the present time. There is to be a national meeting in Cleveland in November. It is an active organization. Its high-sounding purposes will appeal to many people who are unaware or uninformed of the ramifications or the possible results of such purposes."

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Dr. Richards then quotes the published purpose of National Health Federation as follows: "To carry on the investigation, correlation, protection and promotion of progressive research, theories, methods, modalities, products 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 patient, or establish a monopoly in the broad field of healing and research connected therewith."

Dr. Richards is concerned about "the possible results of such purposes." Why? Can there be any more noble purpose than to promote investigation into any and all types of therapy which may enable human beings to live longer, more useful and happy lives?

Dr. Richards is irritated because many members of National Health Federation have been in the forefront to defeat attempts to fluoridate public drinking water. There is just too much evidence that the possible effects, over a period of years, of fluoridated water *may be harmful to at least some people* to permit any thinking person to endorse fluoridation simply on the say-so of a handful of dentists and doctors "at the top."

And there is just too much evidence that human beings can benefit from the therapy practiced, not only by the "regular" or osteopathy, homeopathy, eclectic, naturopathy, chiropractic, to permit any one branch to dictate to the field—and more important, to a very patient public.

In short, there should be room for all! Not only in the right to practice within the scope of education and license, but also in tax-supported clinics and hospitals.

This, in brief, is part of what National Health Federation stands for. It is the reason that, as Dr. Richards points out, it is "spreading nationwide." There's no other organization with a similar mission, no one else to fill the vacuum. NHF is not "against" allopathic doctors or any other kind of ethical, honest practitioners. It is against legislative measures giving one branch of the healing art life-and-death control over the other, shall we say competitive, branches.

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The writer wishes that many more doctors from all branches of medicine, and many more citizens from all walks of life could have attended the recent NHF convention in Cleveland, Ohio. Insight would have been gained revealing

the humanitarian purposes and the altruistic motives of this organization.

Personally, I was proud to be a small part of a group paying tribute to the selfless efforts of a man the stature of Representative James J. Delaney of New York. To Mr. Delaney, first, must go credit for the recently-enacted additives bill which, though not as effective an instrument as his own proposed bill, nonetheless offers a far greater degree of protection from use of harmful chemicals in food than did the old law.

Representative Delaney deserved every bit of the recognition accorded him by his fellow citizens through the agency of National Health Federation. I would ask Dr. Richards if this gesture on the part of the Federation gives reason for inspiring the fear he apparently endeavors to incite?

At no time during the convention was there a suggestion of enmity toward any particular segment of the healing profession; there was no slandering, no name-calling. Assembled were high-type citizens from various parts of the USA. They listened attentively to speakers, outstanding in the fields of medicine, organiculture, nutrition, cancer and heart therapy natural ways to better health, health information.

The speakers were men and women of eminent standing and proficiency in their professions, of personal integrity, of dignity. Some were pioneers in the natural health movement, some were comparative newcomers. But without exception, they brought knowledge and the strength of added conviction to ordinary citizens determined to stand up for the right to be free to choose the type of therapy they wish, along with the doctor, and to use

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the facilities toward which they contribute tax dollars.

We shall endeavor, at all times, to maintain charity and understanding toward the Dr. Richards' everywhere who mistakenly ascribe vicious or evil intentions to the National Health Federation.

### A.M.A. Losing Prestige

Washington office of AMA is in midst of an unprecedented, drastic overhaul. Current issue of its weekly letter casually announces "resignation" of Dr. William J. Kennard, who had been acting director since last April, but says nothing about the office's future mission. While all the answers aren't known even to those in control—Manager F. J. L. Blasingame and board of trustees — certain facts stand out:

1. Brewing since last spring, as result of AMA's *steadily declining effectiveness on Capitol Hill*, the reorganization means headquarters in Chicago will take the lobbying reins and Washington office is to be reduced to a chore-performing field station.

2. Appointment of a lawyer, Paul R. M. Donelan, to manage the local office is an indicator that future lobbying will be entrusted more to legal than medical hands. Any and all initiative will be retained in Chicago, however; job locally will be mainly one of coordinating and house-keeping.

3. AMA leadership realizes enormity of task of effecting some semblance of a united front in 1959 in registering views with Congress on such controversial issues as social security coverage of physicians, subsidies to medical schools, Medicare benefits for military dependents and

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health insurance for Federal employees. Obviously the decision has been made to alter the lobbying pattern in hope that it will be more successful both in keeping dissidence to a minimum within the profession and in keeping fences in repair on Capitol Hill.

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N.H.F. EDITOR'S NOTE: The American people are on the march under the banner of the National Health Federation. They now have a voice in health matters and the A.M.A., which has so long dominated in all things relating to the health of the people is feeling the affect. GET YOUR FRIENDS TO JOIN WITH YOU IN THE RANKS OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION.

### Medical Society Rakes Union For Mass Salk Vaccine Inoculation Program

PHILADELPHIA.—The International Ladies Garment Workers union was severely criticized yesterday for its Salk vaccine inoculation program in Lackawanna county.

A resolution introduced at the 108th annual meeting of the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania stated that the union vaccinated "an indeterminate number of union members in our county with Salk vaccine without consulting our medical society."

"Physicians alien to our county were employed in the endeavor," the county society's resolution stated, adding that it

was opposed to mass industrial inoculations because "these procedures destroy the patient-doctor relationship and violate the traditional principles of the private practice of medicine."

The resolution urged the state society to "immediately adopt the strongest measures possible to terminate these socialistic inroads."

A batch of resolutions was aimed at the United Mine Workers Welfare fund which operates hospitals and clinics for union members. The doctors' group claims the miner may not freely choose his own physician. — *The Gazette and Daily*, York, Pa., October 15, 1958.

(Editor's Note: How inconsistent can they be? They endorse Mass Medication by fluoridation of the drinking water. They endorse Mass Polio vaccination by nurses and others. No Doctor patient relationship there, yet here they cry aloud for Doctor patient relationship.)

The irony of the entire matter is, the Medical Union is driving the country into socialized medicine, by their own vicious practices, high prices and arrogant dictatorial control of the nation's medical facilities.)

## A Worthy Tribute in a Worthy Manner

November 7, 1958.

The National Health Federation.

Gentlemen:

The enclosed check for \$100 is offered as a tribute to, and in memory of, Dr. Davida Herrick Tuckey, who passed away a few months ago.

Because she was ever eager to extend her skill and knowledge of the healing arts, and because she was so willing to

share and give of any knowledge and understanding, it seems only fitting that I send this to you whose work and aims were of such interest and concern to her.

In my loss of a fine physician and wonderful friend I can only offer my tribute in this form.

With every good wish for the successful fulfillment of your aims—and ideals,

Sincerely, LOUISE JENSEN

(Editor's Note: Such a practical way of expressing appreciation is very rare and I am sure those who knew and loved Doctor Davida are pleased.)

## Value of Proper Nutrition

"All diseases are caused by chemicals, and all diseases can be cured by chemicals. All the chemicals used by the body—except for the oxygen which we breathe and the water which we drink—are taken in through food. *If we only knew enough, all diseases could be prevented, and could be cured, through proper nutrition.*

. . . As tissues become damaged because they lack the chemicals of good nutrition, they tend to become old. They lack what I call 'tissue integrity.' There are people of 40 whose brains and arteries are senile. *If we can help the tissues repair themselves by correcting nutritional deficiencies, we can make old age wait."*

Dr. Tom Douglas Spies,  
at the 1957 Annual Meeting  
of the American Medical  
Association.

Before repeating anything "a little bird" has told you, you better make sure it was not a little cuckoo.

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## Practical Petitioning for Positive Protection

By ZELMA PACK CORDWELL

There is one pre-eminent motif running through the entire fabric of representative effort which crosses my desk in our petition work against poisonous additives in food and beverages. That motif, reduced to its simplest terms, is love and *active concern* for the welfare of one's fellowmen.

Whatever the variety of methods employed in unselfishly trying to better man's condition, and if those methods are to come into maximum fulfillment, an essential ingredient is self-denying love. And, that humaneness is the common incentive of everyone cooperating in securing signatures for our Congressional Petitions for protective legislation against harmful chemicals.

The diversity of this wind of love's manifestations is as varicolored and beautiful as a rainbow; as evidenced in the many inspiring letters which I am privileged to receive. Many of us dream of ways in which we hope to help correct the present practices which tend to alienate man from nature's fullest bounty. A few may some day know the joy of watching their dreams come to realization.

Toni Roothbert, wife of Albert Roothbert of New York City and Ridgefield, Conn., is one of those "successful dreamers"—with reason. She has, at different times, ordered a total of more than 600 petition units; not only for her own campaigning but for an organic gardening booth at the Annual New York Flower Show and for distribution to several organizations and individuals whom she convinced should join this important crusade.

Add to this splendid demonstration of brotherly love, *in action*, the 243 signatures she has personally secured on petitions so far. Then, you will agree that the fruition of Mrs. Roothbert's dream, as outlined in the extract from her letter quoted below, is a certainty—and will be no accident. I had asked her how she had obtained such good results. I think you may be interested in the remainder of her letter following her modest reply to my question:

"I think I did very little, because so many doors knocked did not open." (Very apparently, these refusals didn't dampen her determination to work for our cause!)

"It all came very simple. Twenty years ago I became interested in planting our own vegetable garden and was fascinated by building compost piles according to the Bio-Dynamic Method. In spite of trouble with help, I stuck to it during war time and by and by had the most wonderful results.

As we read more and more about poisonous sprays and soil and health injuring chemicals, I considered my garden with pride and happiness as an example of right living and grew more of the things we needed. I had become a member of N.F.A., and started to help educate people in that direction.

Then came the bombshell with government spraying of DT and I became so upset that I must have seem rather fanatical in my talks with friends and strangers.

Last March at the N.F.A. Convention in Memphis I received one of your units and decided that this was the most im-

portant move to make and to support. That is when I called you immediately on my return and since then have tried to send out petitions wherever I find hopeful signs for interest; and the beginning of your success shows me that it can be done.

I have just bought a small farm in Columbia County, N. Y., and will try to make a dream of mine come true. It should become a little center for right agricultural practices and healthy living. Inasmuch as we do not want to leave our home in Ridgefield, I cannot run it myself but will give a chance to people who are interested in the same things we are.

It comprises a little fertile valley with wooded hills on each side, protecting about 60 acres of rich, tillable land, 2 barns—one with 22 cow's stanchions; a simple but structurally good old farm house with two baths and enough rooms to supplement the income with some paying guests; a modern 4 room apartment over garage, either for farmer or, also guests.

The scene is all set for someone or a group of people who want to do organic gardening or farming as a supplement to their professions or even commercially, as I believe more and more people will become aware of the need of unadulterated food and come there and buy and learn.

There is a wonderful hillside to be developed and I would give land free to those interested in the cause who want to build cottages. Only 2½ hours from New York—nearest express R.R. Station, Hudson.

You know so many people, for working in this direction—maybe you have just the right ones waiting for such an op-

portunity. I feel so hopeful that our "holy war" will wake up many people and things will change. May this just become another little station on the road to health and real democracy for our people."

Postscript: "Hurray! Just received another 14 signatures from a friend in Virginia Beach. Will not bother you but send directly to San Francisco—have 80 new signatures."

Order petition units from N.H.F. Headquarters, 2454 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, Calif., 3¢ each, plus adequate postage.

### Tampered Food No Good

... Every time that a natural substance is removed from a food, every time an adulterant is added to a food, the balance in nature is disturbed . . . *The chemical and cellular processes within the body cells cannot react to the passing whims of chemists without disturbance in function.* It took thousands of years for the body to adjust itself to changing environment conditions. When these conditions are suddenly altered by the actions of men, the cells cannot make the adjustment—disease is the result.

Dr. Edward J. Ryan,  
Editor Dental Digest, Evanston, Ill.

### Help Needed

The Federation's main office will need additional volunteer helpers during January, February and March, for filing, stuffing envelopes and general work. We also need a good typist or stenographer one day each week to assist with the correspondence. This is a great opportunity to render a service to a worthy cause.

## Washington Legislative Program

The following bills are ready for introduction into Congress early in January:

### 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 losses of fish and wildlife.

### 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.

### 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 or any real property owned, leased, or otherwise controlled by the United States, the District of Columbia, or any Territory of the United States.

### A BILL

Amend Anti-Trust Laws by inserting therein as a public law for the protection of licensed Doctors from conspiracy and restraint of organized medicine by refusing the use of hospitals and other facilities to properly licensed Doctors, as follows:

That where Federal Funds or tax benefits are involved in the building or operation of hospitals or other facilities, it shall be a violation of the anti-trust laws subject to the penalties thereof for such hospitals or health facilities to bar use thereof to doctors licensed to practice medicine in all its branches by the state within which such hospitals or health facilities are located on grounds that said licensed doctors do or do not belong to a County, State or National Association.

### OTHER BILLS

Bills are being drawn to 1—Make it illegal for health charity organizations to

conduct fund raising drives across state lines unless and until they have filed a complete financial report with the government and hold their books open to audit by some agency of the government. The public has a right to know what the money they give is used for and who gets it.

2—To require some Department of the F.B.I. to yearly inspect all Menal Institutions to ascertain whether any of the inmates have been committed illegally or are being held after they are of a sound mind.

3—To require where Federal money is appropriated for the training of individuals in the art of healing, or for the building of institutions for such purposes there shall be no discrimination as between the different schools of healing, regardless of whether they are medical or drugless.

4—To make it illegal to use Pesticides on our food or in our drink, until the method of use and the pesticides have been proved not to be harmful to animals or human. AND

5—To, in some manner, put a stop to the continued pollution of the air we breathe and the water we drink. This is a very vital, yet complex, matter and will take a great deal of thought and work to construct a bill which will adequately cover the situation, and at the same time will not create an evil greater than the one we are seeking to eliminate.

Pride is the stone over which many people stumble.

You and God make a majority in your community!

## N.H.F. Continues to Grow

Southern California Health Federation joins the ranks of statewide Health Federations, as part of the organizational structure of the National Health Federation. Here they are Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Utah, Washington, Oregon, Louisiana. Southern California Federation officers are Charles Crecelius, chairman of the Board of Governors; L. S. Sanderson, President; Andrew Dressler, Vice President, and Lillian Fredenhagen, Secretary and Treasurer. These are all very high quality loyal Americans and we are sure under their leadership, the new organization will grow, and grow, in numbers and influence.

Our next year goal is 10 more state federations. Two of these are under way. We are also hopeful that during next year we will be able to announce that British Columbia has joined the ranks as an active federation. Are you not proud and happy you have had a part in all this?

## Thanks to William Kullgren

Our good friend, William Kullgren of Atascadero, California, who publishes The Beacon Light Herald, wishing to do something to help the Federation with the expenses of the Washington office, has given the Federation 600 books "Is Cancer Curable." These books sell for one dollar delivered. There are 96 pages. The book contains a great deal about the Hoxsey treatment. There are also articles by Winrod about Hoxsey and others who are curing the sick. The complete Fitzgerald report is also included. It comes in an attractive binding. While they last the price is one dollar. Send your order to the National Health Federation, 2454 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco 9, Calif.

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# National Health Federation Organizational Setup

By FRED J. HART

The regular member is the bulwark of the organization. It is the regular members who form the local chapters. A local chapter may have ten or more members. A local chapter when formed elects a president, vice-president, secretary-treasurer and designates one of its members to represent the local chapter on the County Federation's Board of Directors. Example: If there are ten local chapters in a county and each elects a representative to the county board, the County Health Federation would have ten directors on its board plus at least seven directors-at-large. These Directors-at-large are elected each year by the Board of Directors of the County Organization, which as stated previously are representatives of the local chapters. The Directors-at-large may or may not be selected to represent different county health organizations.

### *County Health Federation*

In this manner the County Health Federation becomes a reality. Its first order of business is to elect a president, a vice-president, a secretary and treasurer. It is now a county-wide organization equipped to study health problems which are county-wide in their effect on the health of the people.

### *State Health Federation*

Each County Health Federation when its organization setup is completed will elect one of its members to represent it on the Board of Directors of the State Health Federation. To illustrate: If a state has twenty-five county organizations the state board will consist of these twenty-five county delegates who have come up

from the people. These delegates will then elect not more than fifteen Directors-at-large to hold office for 3 years. These Directors-at-large may or may not be representatives of some state-wide health organization. The twenty-five county delegates plus the fifteen Directors-at-large to hold office for three years. of the State Health Federation. Their first order of business is to elect a chairman of the board, a president, a vice-president, a secretary and a treasurer.

### *National Health Federation*

Each State Health Federation when completed will designate or elect one of its members to be its representative on the Board of the National Health Federation. To illustrate: If there are thirty State Health Federations the National Health Federation's governing board would be composed of thirty directors representing these thirty State Health Federations plus twenty-seven directors-at-large who may or may not represent some nation-wide health group. Nine of these Directors-at-large are to be elected each year for a three-year term.

### *Size and Importance of Local Chapters*

Local chapters of the National Health Federation are not designed to be large groups of members. It is best that they be kept in size from 10 to 25 in number. This keeps the chapter of a size where it can be entertained in the home of one of the members. In this manner, it is easier to get acquainted with each other. It is easier to have member participation in the program of the chapter. It serves to

train more people to lead and discuss health problems. When a chapter gets too large to meet in a member's home, it should divide itself into groups of 10 to 25 for the sake of meetings and once each four months have a joint meeting of its sub-chapters, or it could set up a new chapter with the excess members. At times, one local chapter could entertain another or a group of chapters with the program presented by the entertaining chapter. Local chapters should hold monthly meetings. The program of meetings with small groups such as is suggested for local chapters, could be social, have refreshments, review legislative matters, health matters, health literature, and such other matters as have to do with health and health liberty.

#### *County Federation Meetings*

The County Health Federation should hold at least four county-wide meetings per year. At such meetings they should have a good speaker on health matters and as an addition to the program, should have program contributions from some of the chapters. A county with one or more large cities should have a chapter in every section of the county plus extra chapters in proportion to about one chapter to each 500 population; thus a town of 1,000 population should have at least two chapters, a town of 10,000 could well have 15 to 20 chapters. If these chapters are scattered throughout the town, city or county, you can readily see what a wonderful educational medium it would be and on the other hand, what a power it would be in the local community, county, state, and nation. Every governmental employee and every elected office holder would know about it and would respond

to any right, reasonable and fair request, etc.

Most organizations which wither and die do so because they strive to make their units too large and cumbersome. The National Health Federation's organizational setup is designed to overcome that weakness, and to make it impossible for any person, group or interest other than the members to gain control of the thinking or actions of the Federation.

### **Old Medication Begins Causing Cancer Cases**

LONDON—A cruel cancer time bomb is beginning to claim some human victims.

The bomb is radioactive medication containing thorium, which was given 30 or so years ago to thousands of people in many countries. Doctors didn't know then that such radioactive stuff could be dangerous.

Now some of those patients are developing cancers which are blamed directly on thorium.

No one knows how many thousands got the medicine. Or how many may develop cancers in the years to come. There are optimistic signs the number may fortunately be low.

The latest chapters in the thorium story were reported today to the seventh International Cancer Congress. — *Rock Island Argus*, Friday, July 11, 1958.

### **YOU CAN HELP BY . . .**

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

## **Health' Objectives**

EDITORIAL (Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, Calif.)

Last year at Columbia University, a Canadian by birth, Dr. Brock Chisholm delivered the Brampton lectures. Dr. Chisholm's conclusions respecting mental health have, prior to now, been given space in these columns.

This lecturer has a long and distinguished record. He was educated in Canada and England; became a major general in the Canadian Army; served as deputy ministr of health, Department of Health and Welfare of Canada; served as director general of the World Health Organization, and subsidiary of the United Nations; and is now president of the World Federation for Mental Health and vice-president of the World Association of World Federalists. In short, he is a man of parts.

Dr. Chisholm's position as revealed in his lectures ("Prescription for Survival," Columbia University Press; 92 pp.; \$2.50) can be summed up as follows: 1. *Human beings must make over human nature.* 2. *Drastic readjustments of personality must be brought about.* 3. *The concept of right and wrong must be eradicated.* 4. *There must be extensive changes in our economic system.*

Health, as Dr. Chisholm sees it, is quite a prescription. According to him we are unhealthy unless we live in "a state of complete physical, mental and social well-being, and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity." That gives us something to shoot at.

But let's get some more direct quotations from Dr. Chisholm. "No one can think clearly about the future of mankind

*without recognizing that some kind of world organization, some kind of world government or confederation, is both inevitable and desirable."*

This, then, is the general's grand base for world operation. Now let us see what he has to say about accomplishing his objectives.

"Any absolute, any imposed loyalty that cannot be changed, any certainty given to children that cannot be thought about, only accepted, any taboo hedged about with threat and fear and anxiety—these prevent our implementing the constitutions of the United Nations and its specialized agencies, because the United Nations can do only what the peoples of the world tell it to do."

Now let's see his modus respecting mental health: "It is to be expected that advances in physiology and psychology will give governments much more control than they now have even in totalitarian countries. *Ficke laid it down that education should aim at destroying free will, so that, after pupils have left school, they shall be incapable, throughout the rest of their lives, of acting or thinking otherwise than as their schoolmasters would have wished . . . Diets, injections and injections will combine, from an early age, to produce the sort of character and the sort of beliefs that the authorities consider desirable, and any serious criticism of the powers-that-be will become psychologically impossible."*

How about economics? Here is Dr. Chisholm again: ". . . the desirability, the necessity of very extensive changes

in our economic system, because our economic systems were all designed for ruthless competition, not for the kind of necessities we have prescribed in the Charter of the United Nations as a minimum requirement for the survival of the human race."

*There is much, much more, Dr. Chisholm is convinced and says so in unmistakable terms, that the world is sick; sick because more of the people in it foolishly persist in believing that there is a difference between right and wrong. Such persons, he says, must be treated psychiatrically. They must have their views amended. They must be taught to compromise, to adjust to surrender to what is best for them as it is ordained by the authorities.* Dr. Chisholm pictures a wonderful world for "the authorities" but not much left for human beings other than the robot existence first suggested by Aldous Huxley in his "Brave New World."

We are to be conditioned, mentally, physically, morally, so that we may survive in harmony. This brave new program is presently being promoted all over the United States and is masked behind the front of various and sundry MENTAL HEALTH organizations.

N.H.F. Editor's Note: The foregoing editorial has been reproduced to acquaint our readers with the dangers which lie ahead in the field of mental health. The views of this, the leader, of the movement are mirrored in the lives, writings and teaching of many of those who work under his leadership in this movement. Do you want this type of person to mold the mental thinking of your child? Do you want, as an adult, to be forced to be treated by a psychiatrist with this type of mentality, views and convictions? This

will happen, unless you and other Americans awake to the dangers inherent in this mental health push, which under the leadership of the World Federation for Mental Health, is now sweeping the nation.

The National Health Federation during 1959 is making this matter a first order of business. We invite all of those interested in proper mental health care to join with us in this crusade to save ourselves and our children from such a Devil spawned philosophy.

### Victoria the Beautiful

It was our pleasure on November 6th to be the guest of the health-minded people of Victoria, B.C. Under the leadership of Mrs. Lydia Arsens (former member of Parliament), Mrs. Ann Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy and others. Vancouver Island is building a potent health-minded organization. I was assured, while there, they would work this coming year toward the complete organization of a Vancouver Island Health Federation. I do appreciate the fine audience afforded me and the wonderful, thoughtful and kindly reception I was given.

Vancouver Island is one of the most beautiful spots on the Pacific Coast. The treasurer of N.H.F. appreciates the fact that the good people of Victoria paid the expenses of the entire trip. My heartfelt thanks to all of you, who by attending the lecture helped make my trip a success.

### Correction

Dr. Francis M. Altig's address is 1629 West Glenoaks Blvd, Glendale 1, California and not Glendale Blvd., as it appeared in the Nov.-Dec. issue of the Bulletin.

## What's in the Hoxsey Treatment?

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

Editor of the Journal of Medical Physical Research

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

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

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

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

is either stupid or dishonest."

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

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

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

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

There was one part of that trial the Journal did not mention for it was proven "Dr." Fishbein had never visited a bedside as a medical practitioner. Just



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

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

In the last analysis all medicines are proved, by actual use on patients. In jargon "Empirically."

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

Potassium Iodine .....	150 Mg.
Licorice .....	20 Mg.
Red Clover .....	20 Mg.
Burdock Root.....	10 Mg.
Stillingia Root .....	10 Mg.
Berberis Root.....	10 Mg.
Poke Root.....	10 Mg.
Cascara Amarga .....	5 Mg.
Prickly Ash Bark.....	5 Mg.
Buckthorn Bark .....	20 Mg.

Maximum dose: 4 teaspoonfuls per day.

*Black Pills*

Potassium Iodine .....	75 Mg.
Licorice .....	10 Mg.
Red Clover .....	10 Mg.
Burdock Root.....	5 Mg.
Stillingia Root.....	5 Mg.
Berberis Root.....	5 Mg.

Poke Root.....	5 Mg.
Cascara Amarga .....	5 Mg.
Prickly Ash Bark.....	2½ Mg.
Buckthorn Bark .....	10 Mg.

Maximum dose: 2 pills 4 times per day.

*Red Pills*

Potassium Iodide.....	15 Mg.
Red Clover.....	10 Mg.
Stillingia Root.....	5 Mg.
Berberis Root.....	5 Mg.
Poke Root.....	5 Mg.
Buckthorn Bark .....	10 Mg.
Pepsin one tenth Mg.....	1/10 Mg.

Maximum dose: 2 pills 4 times per day.

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

*Potassium Iodine*

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

*Trifolium Pratense — Red Clover*

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

and induces better protective moisture and perspiration.

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

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

*Cascara Amarga—Honduras Bark Picramnia, Etc.*

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

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

*Xanthoxylum Flaxineum — Prickly Ash*

This drug made from the bark, seed or berries is a positive diffusive stimulant which produces better arterial and capillary circulations. This property is unlike that of capsicum, in that it is more last-

ing and more agreeable to the taste. It arouses the skin, is diffusive reaching to cold extremities, stimulates salivary and lymphatic glands, serous and mucous areas.

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

*Phytolacca Decandra — Poke Berries*

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

*Stillingia Sylvatica*

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

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

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

ulcers, scrofulae and malignant eruptions.

#### *Rhamnus Frangula—Buckthorn*

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

#### *Glycyrrhiza Glabra—Licorice*

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

#### *Is it a "Shot Gun" Prescription?*

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

#### *Modern Theory of Cancer*

The difficulty of those administering remedies in cancers, and such allied conditions, is in not realizing *cancer is first and always a systemic disease* and

failure to understand the manifestation we term a local cancer is not the entire cause or the systemic disturbances which are present as a result of such visible lesion.

We are attempting to cure cancers by more and more X-ray force, Radium and surgical elimination of the local manifestation when we should begin at the root causes and its elimination by means of systemic eliminants. We must attack cancer as a systemic disease.

#### *This Formulae Does Just That*

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

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

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

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

greater assimilation and strength from foods consumed.

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

EDITOR'S NOTE: This article is being re-run in this issue of the Bulletin, in the hope, that Doctors who have the interest of their patients at heart will use the remedy in connection with whatever method they now use in the care of patients who are afflicted with this dread disease. This remedy should not interfere in any way with the use of a Doctors regular procedure, provided he is not already using any of the ingredients contained in the mixture.

Those who have used both the liquid and the pills have advised us they feel they have received better results when they used the liquid. This may be due to the fact that some people do not digest the coating on the pills, hence they pass through the system and have no affect.

This liquid can be mixed by any good herb man or druggist and therefore can be available to a Doctor, who is licensed to use drugs, no matter where his practice may be located. In administering this remedy, the same care should be used, as is used in the administering of any other drug. In addition to regular care a strict diet should be followed. All foods that produce uric acid should be avoided, as much as possible. Those who follow a diet, during treatment, similar to that followed by a Seventh Day Adventist appear to recover faster and better. The diet used with the Koch treatment is also very good, according to the experience of patients reporting to us.

## DO YOU KNOW

If one hundred groups would do what the folks at Escondido, California, did recently we would have the entire budget of the Washington Office, all wrapped up.

### What Those Folks Did?

Under the leadership of a committee headed by Joyce Russell, Valida Diehl, and Sylvia R. Arena, Susan de Souza, Grace Lowell, Nita Pricer, Laura Favia, Leona McCollum, Susan Scroggins, Jean Cook and Edith Richardson, assisted by their husbands, rummaged about and put on a RUMMAGE SALE November 8th and 9th. Allen McManus, the Cadillac-Pontiac dealer, donated his warehouse for the entire week. The sale netted \$215.00. If just 99 more communities will put on a sale—rummage-cake-pie—or what have you, our Washington budget would be in the bag. Everyone who attended or took part enjoyed every moment of it. The Garden Grove Chapter of California is planning a similar sale. WHO WILL BE THE NEXT?

*"You don't have to tell how you live each day,*

*You don't have to say if you work or you play;*

*A tried, true barometer serves in its place—*

*However you live, it will show in your face.*

*If your life is unselfish, if for others you live,*

*For not what you get, but how much you give;*

*If you live close to God in His infinite grace—*

*You don't have to tell it, it shows in your face."*

*—Sent in by DOROTHY FLECKNER*

## Drug and Body Chemistry at War

NEW YORK—Science's efforts to dovetail the chemistry of drugs with the chemistry of the body have greatly increased the possibility of doctors doing unwitting harm with their medicines, according to Dr. Jesse D. Rising, associate professor of medicine and pharmacology at the University of Kansas.

Dr. Rising was speaking of "miracle drugs" which are scientifically designed to correct sickening errors in body chemistry. Often they do, but often they produce an unanticipated side effect which is worse than the original complaint.

It used to be, he continued, there were only two bad drug reactions. One was a toxic reaction—a poisoning. The other was an extreme sensitivity reaction.

"Recently a different group of reactions to medication has attracted attention, reactions that we cannot, in our present state of knowledge, place in either of these groups," he said. These reactions present the appearance of "actual disease states, mimicking diseases."

Why? How? In truth, science does not know. Therefore, in Rising's opinion, the physician "must always bear in mind that even good medicine is at best the lesser of two evils.

"The thoughtful physician will use drugs with the full realization that in doing so he is taking a calculated risk, weighing the chances for cure or relief against the ever-present possibility that harm will be done. He will not lightly prescribe medications, but will exert every effort to understand the sites and mechanisms of the actions of drugs and

the harmful effects that may result from their use. "Caution is especially necessary in the use of newer drugs."—Star-Beacon, Oct. 16, 1958.

## Symptoms of DDT Poisoning

An article in the *July issue of The American Mercury* entitled "Pesticides Poison Us," give the following symptoms of acute DDT poisoning: gastroenteritis, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pains, coughing, and sore throat. Others are joint pains, muscular weakness and fatigue, lung congestion, and pneumonia. With the chronic state come hypersensitive skin areas and numbness, tingling sensations, itching, and headaches, muscle switching, and nerve involvement interfering with walking. Symptoms manifesting in the brain are loss of memory, difficulty in concentrating, dizziness, mental depression, and emotional instability, not to mention laziness, anxiety, and apprehension.

## Membership Stamps

All members whose dues are paid for 1959 will, with this issue, receive a small envelope containing 1959 membership stamps. These stamps are good for 20% discount on all books distributed by The Lee Foundation for Nutritional Research, 2023 West Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, Wis., also Health Research, Mokelumne Hills, California, and Devin-Adair Co., 23 East 26th St., New York, N. Y. From time to time the books published by these firms will be listed in the Bulletin. IF YOU DO NOT FIND MEMBERSHIP STAMPS IN THIS ISSUE OF THE BULLETIN IT MEANS YOUR DUES ARE NOW DUE FOR 1959, or that our records are incorrect.

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## On the Fluoridation Front

Those who would subjugate the people by putting fluorides in drinking water are suffering setback after setback at the hands of the voters.

### *Ogden Voters Say No*

Proponents of fluoridation tried in vain to get the Ogden City Council to put in fluoridation without the consent of the people. After many meetings, an ordinance was adopted authorizing the fluoridation of city water. The people demanded to be allowed to vote on the matter and at a special election voted against fluoridation. The vote was 11,823 against and 10,748 in favor.

### *The City of Kearns Knows How*

On Hallowe'en day the citizens of Utah's fourth largest city received a notice they were to vote on whether to fluoridate or not to fluoridate on November 4th, about five days away. Along with the notice they received a pamphlet telling the advantages, but none of the disadvantages. The people were aroused, so were others in the state. A hasty call for help went forth and in four days the voters of Kearns were told the truth about putting this poison in the water. The final vote was 2,139 against fluoridation to 1,408 for the poison. This makes four cities in Utah to vote down fluoridation. Clinton R. Miller and his Utah State Anti-Fluoridation Committee, as well as the citizens of Utah are to be congratulated for these victories.

### *Vancouver, B.C., Learned the Truth and Reacted*

In Vancouver, B.C., last year the voters were taken by surprise and voted 53,284 in favor of putting poison in their

drinking water and 42,135 voted against it. Honest doctors, dentists and public leaders became aroused and for the past year gave the people the truth, with the result the people have just voted 40,117 against fluoridation and only 33,839 voted for it. The editor of the Vancouver Daily Province criticizes the City Council for letting the people have anything at all to say in the matter. Says he: "What right have the people to make decisions on such matters?" He says such decisions should be made by those that govern and the people should have no say in the matter. The time has come for the people to organize and to take an ever-increasing part in making decisions which have to do with health.

## At Members' Request

N.H.F. members have thought so highly of the article "Are We Living in a Fool's Paradise" we are reprinting it in pamphlet form. It will be an eight-page pamphlet with a place for address and stamp on cover, so to mail it will not need an envelope. It is our hope we can, with the co-operation of N.H.F. members, place one million of these in one million American homes during 1959. This article tells the entire story in a very constructive manner. Printing cost compels the Federation to charge the following rates: In lots of 25, sixty-five cents; in lots of 40, one dollar; in lots of 100 or more, \$2.00 per 100. These are of a size to go in a regular large envelope, if it is desired to include with letters. These pamphlets are now ready for distribution.

Dear Mr. Hart: It has long been my desire and intention to participate more actively in the work which your splendid organization is doing.

After the two inspiring and profitable evenings spent listening to you upon your recent visit to Seattle, I resolved to quit procrastinating and get busy. So here goes!

Enclosed is my personal check for \$13.50, which please allocate as follows: Preliminary Active Membership....\$ 5.00 Contribution to the Wash.-or-Bust

Club ..... 5.00  
1-Yr. Sub. Herald of Health  
Magazine ..... 3.50

May I take this opportunity to say that it was deeply inspiring to me to observe you in action when here in Seattle to form the N.H.F. of Washington. Your refreshing Christian approach to the health problems of this country, coupled with your courage, ability, vision, and exceptional knowledge of matters relating to health and disease, convinced me that here was a MAN that would succeed in finally emancipating the American people from their present evil bondage to the medical, drug and chemical hierarchies and a MAN whom I would like to assist to the full limit of my physical, mental and financial ability.

That God will richly bless your magnificent efforts on behalf of the people of America, is my earnest prayer.

Very sincerely yours,  
S. P. S., So. Colby, Washington.

"Men occasionally stumble over the Truth, but most pick themselves up and hurry off as if nothing had happened."—Winston Churchill.

### Inner Security

Man grows in stature and makes his upward progress through the effort he exerts in his own behalf. When the necessity to struggle for better living conditions, more money, greater security, is removed Man will become a static creature and nature will reject him from the structure of racial advancement. Only the individual effort to advance through innate ability and trust in God can create real inner security for the individual and the human race.—Fred J. Hart.

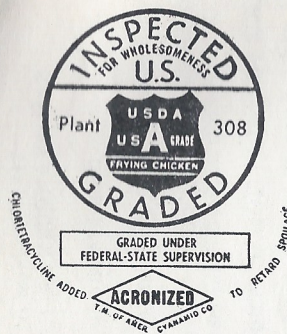
### New Healer Found

A new treatment that produces better healing of infected wounds has been reported by Veterans Administration. Surgeons at the Fort Howard, Maryland, VA Hospital have found that application of a substance from the tropical fruit, the Carica papaya, with other chemicals, gives a high rate of healing in infected surface wounds.

### Natural and Simple

"A Synopsis of Natural Healing Method and Simple Remedies" — compiled from hundreds of books, in a simple easy-to-use form. Price \$5.00 complete. Twenty per cent discount to N.H.F. members. Send \$4.00 and one N.H.F. membership stomp to Dr. E. E. Amend D. C., 1023 Mill Street, San Luis Obispo, California.

A Monrovia physician, Dr. Arden Hedge, states that there is absolutely no evidence to show that cancer can be caused by a blow or any other single injury and added that even some doctors are guilty of misinforming the public in this regard.



### ACRONIZED

This word appearing on poultry means it has been dipped in AUREOMYCIN, one of the most deadly of all the ANTI-BIOTICS. Because many people are allergic to it, the Food and Drug Administration requires this public warning.

#### An Implied Lie

Do you find the word AUREOMYCIN on the label? No, what you find in letters so small that you have to use a magnifying glass to read is the technical name for AUREOMYCIN: a name the public never heard. The word ACRONIZED means nothing to the public. The newspapers dare not explain it. Note the large letters about government inspection. This is to imply that the poultry bearing this tag has been specially inspected to guarantee this poultry is the very best money can buy. This is an implied lie to deceive the public. The bird bearing this tag is inspected no differently than all meat products are inspected by the Federal and State governments.

#### BEWARE

You should beware of all products so labeled. You should insist your merchant quit handling such products or take your business elsewhere. Almost monthly, med-

ical science is warning Doctors to be extremely careful in the use of Antibiotics, because of their dangerous side affects. Who is able to say what the long range use will do to a user.

#### N.H.F. Takes Action

The Federation has requested its new Washington attorney to take up this matter of deceptive labeling with Food and Drug Commissioner George Larrick.

If some small manufacturer of vitamins or food supplements would use such a deceptive label, the Food and Drug Administration would soon put him in jail, or out of business.

#### Why the Difference?

The difference is because the handlers of poultry are big business, and because the Antibiotic is produced by members of the drug trust. Food and Drug will have great pressure exerted on it to do nothing. N.H.F. must offset that pressure. We are assuring George Larrick our members will stand back of him one hundred per cent in this matter.

### Wonder Drug Danger Told

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—About 17 million Americans may suffer side effects—sometimes dangerous—from lifesaving penicillin and other antibiotics, a drug expert said.

Perhaps 10 per cent of the nation's population could become sensitive to these drugs, Dr. Henry Welch of the U. S. Food and Drug Administration told a scientific meeting of the American College of Physicians.

Antibiotics should not be used indiscriminately to treat minor infections, he said.—San Mateo Times, San Mateo, California, 4-30-58.

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## Happy New Year

We, the members of the staff of the National Health Federation, hereby pledge ourselves to work hard in your interest this coming year that it may be the best you have ever had. Do you want us to have the best we have ever had? You can make that possible by doing everything you can to make N.H.F. grow in numbers and power. Pray for us, the program, and the Washington Office and make an all out effort to write to your legislator, when word is sent out to do so.