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# The Why and What of the National Health Federation

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#### Why the National Health Federation Is Growing

N.H.F. is growing in members, prestige and influence in the healing arts field. This great National Federation is passing through the period of growing pains attendant upon the establishment of a national association with broad aims and purposes.

N.H.F. is growing in stature because there is a national and local need for a forum which provides a means by which thousands of people can express their thoughts and ideas in their efforts to have and to hold their civic rights to improve and to protect their health in the use of all kinds of health procedures and products; provided, however, that no one is falsely misled in any respect in regard to the efficacy of the procedures or products.

In every county, city and state of the United States, there is a need for freedom in health matters, in the right to have and use so-called health food products, natural foods as distinguished from highly processed foods, or fruit and vegetables which have not been subjected to all kinds of chemical sprays,

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some of which have been found to be dangerous to health.

There is a need for the right of the American people to know the difference between dietary food supplements, such as foods for special dietary uses, and synthetic vitamins sold and used as drugs and medicines.

There is a need for the people to have the right to have equal space in the newspapers, radio programs, television and all news media to present their side of the questions involved in the physical and mental health care and procedures in this country.

There is a need to have the right to sell, buy and use so-called naural foods without being subjected to public ridicule, slander and libelous statements by public officials and other national associations engaged in the healing arts professions.

There is a need for the right of a farmer to produce fresh fruits and vegetables on his farm without the use of chemical sprays, insecticides and fungicides and to label his products accordingly.

There is a need for the people to have the right to fight publicly for fresh water instead of fluoridated water, without the fear and embarrassment of public ridicule.

There is the need for the American people to have the right to believe and to state publicly that they believe that food crops grown on soil-depleted land are not so nutritious as food grown on farm land which is not soil-depleted.

There is a need for people to have the right to purchase whole milk which has not been pasteurized, homogenized or sterilized.

There is a need for the people to have the right to buy food products, fruits and vegetables and other healthful products at a so-called health food store without the stigma of being publicly called food quacks, nutritional quacks or gullible.

#### Legislative Representative

The Washington Legislative Representative and the Washington Office serve as the spokesmen in the halls of Congress. It is in this office that matters of congressional legislation are presented and studied.

The Washington Representative, working closely with your Washington General Counsel, keeps a close eye on proposed legislation that would affect the rights of the people to use their chosen kind of health care and health products.

N.H.F., through the efforts of the Washington Office and Washington General Counsel, works for new legislation in the health field, works for needed amendments to old legislation and opposes unreasonable and unnecessary restrictive legislation.

The Washington Legislative Represen-

tative provides the forum for the expression in Congress of the aims and purposes of freedom in health matters. He assists in drafting bills for Congress and is suggesting amendments and changes where necessary.

The Washington Office will need in the foreseeable future an enlarged staff to handle the great volume of legislation and correspondence related thereto.

N.H.F. has been successful in influencing members of Congress to give serious consideration to all sides of the healing arts problems.

#### Washington General Counsel

In order to carry out the aims and purposes of the National Health Federation, it is necessary to have a Washington General Counsel to study the legal effects of legislation and proposed legislation.

This requires a close study of federal and state court decisions interpreting the federal and state food and drug laws and all applicable laws affecting health, protecting health or restricting unreasonably the rights of the people to pursue or use their own kind of health measures or products.

Your Washington Counsel frequently defends in federal and state courts civil and criminal cases against those who use healing arts methods other than allopathic or who sell or use products or devices which the Government alleges are misbranded under the applicable food and drug laws.

Every month your Washington General Counsel writes articles for the purpose of explaining to the people their legal rights to defend their products, devices or health procedures.

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There is no questioning that Congress passes good laws relating to the protection of the people. However, sometimes the government regulatory agencies enforce the laws in courts by using more restrictive interpretations than Congress intended. For example, it seems clear that Congress does not have the constitutional right to tell the American people what they shall or shall not eat. Congress intended only to prevent the sale and use of dangerous or deleterious foods and drugs, and to prevent fraud on the public in food and health matters.

#### N.H.F. Is Strongly Opposed to Medical and Nutritional Quackery

The National Health Federation is now, and always has been, opposed to medical or nutritional quackery or fraud of any kind in the healing arts field. However, N.H.F. is also opposed to public libel and slander of large groups of people, organizations or professions, just because, from time to time, there appear some so-called "quacks" in the health professions or health food business.

N.H.F. believes that those who are guilty of fraudulent practices in any business or profession should be prosecuted according to law.

However, N.H.F. does not believe that "the barn should be burned down to get rid of the rats." Just clean out the rats.

#### Everyone Charged with Food or Drug Violation Should be Defended in Court by Competent Counsel

N.H.F. has always had a policy of urging anyone who has been charged with food and drug violations or with practicing medicine without a license to have competent counsel to defend him. The food and drug laws and the healing arts professional licenses are highly technical.

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#### The N.H.F. Aims and Purposes Will Be Translated into Executive, Legislative and Judicial Action

N.H.F. officials, legislative and counsel will work with the executive, legislative and judicial branches of federal and state government to convey the story of those who believe in the natural approach to health care. It has been rewarding to know the governmental officials in the legislatures and courts who have been helpful to our freedom cause after they have once learned of the practical reasons for this approach.

New friends are being won in the U.S. Senate and House of Representatives every month by N.H.F.

Recently, at a hearing in the U.S. House of Representatives, several Congressmen asked your Washington Representative and Washington Counsel to explain the nature of homeopathy, osteopathy and chiropractic. N.H.F. can help the Congressional representatives to understand these professions, their service to millions of people, and their benefit to the health and welfare of the American people.

Congress should appropriate funds to help to finance schools and students of these professions along with such appropriations for medical schools and students. Your Washington Legislative Representative and Washington Counsel urged such appropriation for chiropractic especially. The AMA announced publicly that funds for the chiropractic colleges should be "dried up" so as to abolish this profession. The American people need this profession and the others mentioned. N.H.F. will do what it can to support such professions in the Congress, legislature and in the courts.

**N.H.F. will work for a program** to help the public protect themselves against "health charlatans." However, N.H.F.

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will work to protect the public's right of access to health professions, notwithstanding that some individuals have been guilty of abusing their professional licenses and proper standard of ethics. It is recognized that, just because some doctors of medicine, through ignorance, carelessness or fraud, have been responsible for permanent injuries or death of their patients, N.H.F. does not believe that the medical profession should be abolished, slandered or libeled.

**N.H.F. will work with groups** concerned with efforts to safeguard the public against useless cures, fraudulent mechanical gadgets, quack foods, drugs and devices, or worthless treatment.

However, N.H.F. will work just as hard to protect the good name of those who use nutritional foods, concentrated foods, vitamin-mineral products, dietary food supplements, and foods for special dietary uses. These products are **food** not **drugs**. The products should be available to everyone for nutritional and dietary purposes. They should not be sold, advertised or used to cure, prevent, mitigate, treat or diagnose any specific disease of man. If such therapeutic claims are made for such food products, they become **drugs** under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

**N.H.F. will work for the right** of anyone to say, if he so believes, that the American people, in many cases, are overfed and undernourished. The U.S. District Courts have recognized this situation.

#### The Second National Congress on Medical Quackery Will Be Held October 25-26 in Washington, D.C. (Sheraton-Park Hotel)

The Congress will be sponsored jointly by the American Medical Association and the Federal Food and Drug Administration. The National Health Federation will send representatives to this Congress on Medical Quackery, if permitted to do so. This Congress is partly financed by federal taxpayers out of government funds, appropriated by Congress. Nevertheless, AMA reserves the right with authority from FDA to determine who can or cannot attend this public taxpayers' meeting.

While it is recognized that there is some quackery in the practice of medicine, it is also recognized that there is some quackery in the nonallopathic professions, too. We do not recommend the abolishment of the medical profession because of some medical quackery, and by the same token, we do not recommend the abolishment of such professions as chiropractic, osteopathy, homeopathy, electric and physical therapy or nutritional guidance.

#### N.H.F. Will Help to Educate the Public

N.H.F. will use every legal and practical means to educate the public as to the unfairness and unreasonableness of the AMA-FDA campaign to degrade nonallopathic professions generally, the health food stores and the natural approach to health care. Yes, N.H.F. will join AMA-FDA in its fight to stop fraud and quackery where it appears in any healing profession.

Strict enforcement of the food and drug laws dealing with dietary food supplements and health foods is proper. However, unreasonable action to abolish or dry up the source of such health food products is not proper.

Until the medical schools take the advice of the AMA and give extensive courses on health and its relation to and dependence upon good, balanced nutrition, the American people will continue to be in ignorance, concerning the

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# Statement of the National Health Federation

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Presented before the Subcommittee on Public Health and Safety of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce on H.R. 3408, a Bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide judicial review of agency orders concerning biological products.

By Clinton R. Miller, Assistant to the President of the N.H.F.

The National Health Federation endorses H.R. 3408 by Representative Libonati of Illinois. We compliment him for its introduction. We respectfully urge this Subcommittee to give the Bill a favorable report. We are pleased that this busy Subcommittee has scheduled Hearings on Mr. Libonat's Bill at this time.

In the June issue of Science, which is put out by the American Association for the Advancement of Science, there is a thoughtful article by Eleanor Langer which asks this question:

"...at least one question of profound importance to science is left standing. The question, not fully answerable, is whether the procedures that have been developed to protect science against frauds may not also make it difficult for

seriousness of the prevalence of dietary deficiency diseases. In the meantime, N.H.F. will work with all for the right of all to have all the dietary food supplements and natural foods available without harrassment.

In conclusion, your National Health Federation wishes to convey to all its respect for the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare and particularly the Commissioner of Foods and Drugs. We recognize that the Congressional purpose and aims of this federal agency is good for the American people. However, we recognize that there have been times when it appeared that some over-zealous officials subjected themselves and their thinking to some unrea-

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unorthodox, but non-fraudulent, propositions to get a fair hearing..."

The files of the National Health Federation indicate that the answer is yes. It is EXCEEDINGLY DIFFICULT, if not impossible to get a fair hearing in matters of health before our Federal health agencies for unorthodox but nonfraudulent approaches to health which, of course, includes newly discovered biological products.

This is complicated by the fact that with the discovery of some biological products, there is a threatened displacement of traditional and often expensive therapies that have become deeply entrenched in our medical economic system. Hundreds of millions of dollars are potentially involved in uprooting some (Continued next page)

sonable influence and pressure of the medical and drug interests, and this N.H.F. will work to expose.

There is a good future for the health of the American people. N.H.F. will help to work for legitimate and legal freedom in all health matters.

Your Washington Counsel urges everyone who believes in this cause for freedom in health matters to join, and to urge others to join, with the officials and thousands of members of the National Health Federation to increase the strength, prestige and influence of the organization.

> Charles Orlando Pratt, Washington General Counsel

product is certainly a potential factor that should be anticipated by lawmakers.

#### No American Should Be Forced to Take That Which He Believes to Be Harmful. No American Should Be Prevented From Taking That Which He Believes is Healthful.

It is incredible that agency action has been and is being used to keep American citizens from buying and getting products which they believe to be helpful to their health, but it is true.

There is no way to measure how many die in America each year because they were denied access to a product that they wanted but could not get because agencies have assumed excessive responsibility to regulate and limit our choices in matters of health. There is no way to measure how many American citizens are forced by agency action to take products which they believe to be harmful to their body.

The greatest tyranny in America today is tyranny in matters of health. Every agency action, should as an absolute minimum be subject to judicial review.

#### The Scales of Justice are Heavily Tipped

It is not necessary for officers in Federal agencies to be bribed for them to be naturally inclined to tip the scale very heavily in favor of the orthodox approach. It is safe to conform. It is risky to stick out one's neck. The "consensus of medical opinion" is the yardstick that rules the day. It is unfortunate but true that really important breakthroughs in medicine most often do not come in the laboratories that are financially prospering from orthodox treatments. The political-medical-economic interests are safe in their orthodoxy, omic interests to suppress, if unable to financially control, a new biological orthodox approaches. The temptation that is faced by political-medical-econ-

even if American citizens are not.

#### Americans Strangled to Death With "Red Tape"

It is sobering to contemplate the preventable suffering injury and death that may be occurring in America, NOT, in this instance, by substances which are harmful to health, but because newly discovered beneficial products are NOT being licensed, manufactured, sold, or advertised because of agency use of "red tape."

A hostile agency can stall, entangle and so harass a manufacturer of an unorthodox product that he will either give up and go to another country, or make his living in a less noble way.

#### Judicial Review is a Minimum Starting Point

As a practical matter, judicial review from agency action is open only to financial giants. It offers no protection to the poorly financed genius. This, however, should not prevent us from making sure that a door is kept open in case nature is kind enough to bless the inventive genius with rich relatives or friends.

My point here is that justice delayed, or made too costly is justice twice denied.

At this point, we should like to request permission to have included in the record, a timely article from the May issue of Nation's Business entitled "Growing Issue: High Cost of Justice." It is not specifically concerned with appealing a case from a health agency, but it points out the general problem of the unfair destructive power that even an industrial giant faces when the government prosecutes. A favorite agency weapon is adverse publicity to destroy the defendant's business in a "Trial by Press Release" even though the individual may eventually "win" the case.

Editors note: Lack of space makes it impossible to print the balance of the testimony.

## National Health Federation Progress Report For the Legislative Period of the 87th Congress Jan. 1, 1962-Jan. 1, 1963 and 88th Congress Jan. 1, 1963-Aug. 1963

#### By Clinton R .Miller

Laws Amended

1. Ammendment of the "Vaccination Assistance Act of 1962. The N.H.F. enggineered the following significant amendment to H.R. 10541 (S-2910):

#### **1st National Health Federation** Amendment Now Federal Law.

"...Nothing in this section shall be construed to require any State or any political subdivision or instrumentality of a State to have an intensive community vaccination program which would require any person who objects to immunization to be immunized or to have any child or ward of his immunized."

The above quote is the exact wording which is now permanently in the Federal law, which, when passed, became known as Public Law 87-868.

#### This Amendment Sets a Federal Precedent for Health Freedom

The vaccination Assistance Act of 1962 was designed to introduce and extend as far as possible, the concept of compulsory vaccination and mass medication on a Federal level. By our amendment, we were not only able to frustrate the major intent of the proposed legislation but in addition, we were able to completely reverse the emphasis to score an exactly opposite effect.

#### **Intent** of Congress

This is the first time that Congress has passed legislation that has stated their intent in unmistakable language which

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Major Accomplishments-Two Federal is to allow freedom from compulsion in matters of health.

> By this amendment, Congress has set a Federal precedent that the police power of the State shall be limited, even with communicable diseases, to the power to quarantine, which is an obviously proper function of the State in communciable diseases.

> It specifically and clearly expresses that Congress does not intend tax money to be spent to support compulsory medication.

> The amendment further extends the previous high-water-mark right guaranteed by some states to refuse immunization on religious grounds to now include "any person who objects."

#### A Giant Step Forward in Freedom

These four words " any person who objects" establish a new Federal precedent, and furnish a model to be copied by all State legislatures. It should be noted that this amendment did not prohibit or forbid States from acts of compulsory mass medication. This battle must be won in each state. It has provided a powerful weapon to get such laws passed in the states by setting a Federal precedent, and valuable committee hearings to serve as reference material. Our freedoms have been lost through this route, and they can be regained the same way.

The importance of this amendment as a reference base from which we may extend freedom in matters of health is apparent when we consider that if the

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Federal Government acknowledges limits to its power to force medication in communicable virulant, and fatal diseases, it follows logically that it should be under at least the same, or probably greater, limitations concerning all noncommunicable diseases. This means that in areas of choice of diet, Dr., etc., a reference point for freedom has been established by the National Health Federation on a Federal level and in Federal law which has tremendous ramifications.

#### Rep. Younger Wins Health Freedom Victory

The Congressman most responsible for achieving this amendment was Representative J. Arthur Younger (R) San Mateo, California. He was ably aided by Rep. Walter Rogers (D) of Pampa Texas, and Rep. (now Senator) Peter H. Dominick (R) of Englewood, Colorado.

#### Secretary Ribicoff Helps

Abraham Ribicoff, (now a Senator from Conn.), who at that time was Secretary of Health Education and Welfare kept the Public Health Service and other health agencies, which were under his jurisdiction, from opposing our amendment. He firmly stated that it was not his intent to ask for a compulsory immunization program. Without opposition. then, the amendment was accepted and the National Health Federation was recognized as having "become-of-age" in Washington. The action was respectfully noted in all the major drug, public health and medical news letters and journals. The N.H.F. was taken out of government and industry files marked "nuisance" and placed under a more accurate classification. "The major national force defending health freedoms."

#### N.H.F. Testimony Dominates Hearings

One third of the entire printed hearings (pp. 80 to 120) was N.H.F. testimony. Printed postcards from our members included for detachment in the July-August '62 Bulletin flooded Congress, appropriate committees and Sec. of HEW Ribicoff.

Thousands of dedicated N.H.F. members tasted the sweet fruits of their sacrifice and faith in the N.H.F. when President Kennedy, on October 23, 1962, signed H.R. 10541 into Public Law 87-868 with the N.H.F.'s amendment specifically prohibiting any Federal coercion in the vaccination program. It was a clean, satisfying, history-making victory!

#### Our Second Amendment

2. The second National Health Federation amendment which is now permanently in our Nation's laws is as follows:

#### 2nd National Health Federation Amendment Now Federal Law.

"...Such regulations shall provide that...the manufacturer, or the sponsor of the investigation requiring that the experts using such drugs for investigational purposes certify to such manufacturer or sponsor that they will inform any human beings to whom such drugs, or any controls used in connection therewith, are being administered, or their representatives, that such drugs are being used for investigational purposes and will obtain the consent of such human beings or their representatives..."

#### AMA—Drug Trust Amendment to N.H.F. Amendment

This is immediately followed by an amendment to our amendment engineered by the AMA and Drug Trust which cut the heart out of the N.H.F.'s protection clause. It continues:

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#### AMA-Drug Trust Amendment to N.H.F. Amendment

"...except where they deem it not feasible or in their professional judgment, contrary to the best interests of such human beings. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to require any clinical investigator to submit directly to the Secretary reports on the investigational use of drugs."

These amendments were added to S-1552 (H.R. 11581) which, when passed became known as public law 87-781. **The Loophole is Bigger Than the Law** 

What the law now says is that a person may not be used as a human guinea pig without his knowledge or consent unless in his Doctor's judgment he should be one. The choice is left to the doctor, not the patient. It is a ridiculous, insulting, humiliating, incredible declaration by Congress that any U.S. Citizen can be used as a human guinea pig at any time by an "expert" without telling the citizen, or asking his consent. Furthermore, it encourages the "clinical investigator" to keep quiet about such tests. The law seems to say that the citizen exists for the benefit and convenience of the doctor.

#### Half a Victory is Better than None

In spite of a full recognition that such an amendment to our amendment frustrated its intent, it was a major accomplishment to have the amendment introduced and retained in the bill.

# History of Power Struggle Behind the Scenes

It is no secret that the Congressman most responsible for the inclusion of the N.H.F. consent-of-human-guinea-pig amendment was Representative Samuel N. Friedel (D., Md.). He took the action because he believed that it was proper and ethical. At the time the N.H.F. presented its human-guines pig testimony

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before the committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, Rep. Friedel, a high ranking member, stated that he intended to introduce an amendment to protect a citizen from being used experimentally without his knowledge or consent. He was joined by Rep. John E. Moss (D., Calif.), Rep. John D. Dingell (D., Mich.), Rep. David King (D., Utah), Walter S. Baring (D., Nev.), and others. Tremendous pressure was brought to get him to withdraw his amendment. Favorable national publicity, however, had been given to the testimony of the National Health Federation, and top newspaper editorials strongly supported our view.

#### John Lear and "Saturday Review"

Then, John Lear, Science Editor of Saturday Review wrote the feature article for the October 6, 1962 issue, entitled "Human Guinea Pigs and the Law," In this timely article, Mr. Lear gave the history of the Nuremberg Rules which are now international common law governing medical experiments on human beings. He argued convincingly for inclusion of language into the Kefauver-Harris drug law providing for "the patient's right to be informed of the nature of his medical treatment." He then added, "The American Medical Association professes a rule against experiments without permission of the experimental subject. There can be no reasonable objection to writing that rule into law."

#### Senate—House Conference Retains N.H.F. Amendment

Despite the "professed" AMA rule against involuntary human experimentation, they moved behind the scenes with the powerful drug lobbies to bitterly oppose our amendment. Senator Javits, New York Senator, had raised the same question in Senate debate unknown to the N.H.F. The Kefauver (Senate) version was reported out without the N.H.F.

amendment, and passed 78-0. The Harris (House) version contained our amendment. In the Senate-House conference to resolve this and other differences in the two bills, incredible pressure was brought to bear to have the Friedel amendment omitted. Representatives Friedel, Moss, Dingell, King and Baring stood fast. They promised a fight on the floor if it wasn't left in. Not able to remove our amendment, AMA-Drug Trust quickly offered their amendment to it and promised a fight if it wasn't accepted. The thalidomide incident had given the legislation tremendous momentum. Rather than risk another slowdown, the congressional leadership accepted both amendments. Neither side was satisfied. but both had won a major point. The elements of a compromise were filled, and the bill passed. On October 10, it was signed into Public Law 87-781.

#### "We've Just Begun to Fight"

The N.H.F. will work until it has the AMA-Drug Trust Amendment removed from the bill. Once the matter is openly debated in Congress we are sure of winning. The AMA-Drug lobby engineered their amendment the only way they could—in the shadows and secrecy of a "conference" committee.

The AMA would not dare to appear officially to oppose our amendment because, as Mr. Lear points out, they "profess a rule against experiments without permission of the experimental subject." Now we know that what they "profess" is 180 degrees from what they lobbied into our law. All that remains is to bring this nasty duplicity to the attention of Congress, and it will close the crippling loophole.

#### Fish Die by Thousands of Poison Spray

WOODLAND, July 31.—The grim predictions of poisoned wild life in Rachael Carson's book, "The Silent Spring," have become a reality along Tule Canal, a Yolo County tributary of the Sacramento River.

An estimated 10,000 fish were killed over the last weekend as a result of the spraying with chemical poisons of a single 70 acre beet field to control cut worms.

The field was sprayed with Endrin, a commercial agricultural pest control, from the air and flooded. It was then drained into Tule Creek.

The first indication of trouble came Saturday night at twilight when frenzied fish by the hundreds leaped from the water, seemed to explode in midair then dropped back and floated downstream belly up.

A State Department of Agriculture bioanalyst took one look and said, "It's their bladders popping."

He explained that the chemical worm killer caused the fishes' bladders to swell until they literally exploded. The poison affected sluggish catfish and fighting striped bass in the same manner.

#### Eleventh Fall Roundup-Don't Miss It

The Federated Organic Clubs of Michigan will hold their 11th Fall Roundup at the Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids, Mich., beginning at one o'clock on Friday, September 13 and continuing through September 13, 14 and 15.

There will be noted speakers, tours, organic meals—a wonderful chance for the exchange of ideas.

The public is most cordially invited. Rachael Carson has so stirred up the "outsiders" that we feel many of them will want to attend this roundup and learn at firsthand what is happening to our food and water supply.

# From the Secretary's Desk

#### By Howard Long, Executive Secretary

#### Insurance

I am happy to inform you that a final report is being prepared for presentation to the Board of Governors at the Convention in Cleveland for their consideration and recommendation on September 25. If all goes as expected, the company and the plan can then be approved at the annual meeting and coverage made available to our members in January. It will provide comprehensive medical coverage for individuals or families at excellent rates in adjustable amounts.

#### Convention

You have undoubtedly heard a lot by now (and will read more in this issue) about our convention activities. I would like each of you to consider the question carefully. If you can possibly attend our Ohio Convention you will hear of amazing plans and progress OF WHICH YOU ARE AN INTEGRAL PART. There is strength in unity and unity can best be accomplished by exchange of ideas and mutual education in specific areas. We need you at the Convention and I am sure you will profit greatly by making the special effort necessary to be there. An excellent program of varied (educational) material has been prepared and there will be excellent displays. See you there?

#### Another Thank You

It is pleasing to be associated with an organization where I have to repeatedly say thank you instead of please. Again 1 want to express my appreciation to the membership—this time for the S&H Green Stamps and others we are receiving for the letter stuffer. This piece of machinery means a lot to the office, and if things continue as they have been, we will have our 700 books before we know it. If you haven't gotten in on this program yet, please reconsider. If each person sent a half book we could get the much-needed stuffer and another piece of equipment. This means smoother, less costly functioning in the office and greater production. Will you close your eyes and put that book of yours in an envelope for us?

#### **Building for the Future**

Thus far this year we have had three one-day conventions. The response in each area has been surprising and gratifving. At these "personal appearance" affairs N.H.F. is properly understood by hundreds and the populace joins our ranks. We are planning affairs for this year in Philadelphia, New York and San Diego. If the results there match those of San Francisco, Phoenix and Salt Lake City, we can only say that next year will be a busy one. If and when we "convention" in your area, support us in advance by urging ethical manufacturers and retailers to take table space, and promote attendance through your civic groups, clubs and churches-and don't forget that neighbor. Help us to help you-and America-by assuring good attendance and support of these shows. The programs are carefully prepared and of an excellent nature.

#### The Public Health Service estimates

that at least 1,368,000 Americans are harmed, and many die every year through drug "misadventures"—taking wrong or unproved medicine. None were harmed by taking health foods.

#### Santa Rosa Jury Finds Dr. Yuen 'Not Guilty'

Dr. Chew Fish Yuen was acquitted of all charges last night following a masterful closing argument by his San Francisco lawyer.

The Municipal Court jury of seven men and five women returned its verdict shortly before 10 p.m., after  $4\frac{1}{2}$  hours of deliberation.

Dr. Yuen, 43-year-old Ukiah and Santa Rose chiropractor-herbalist, was accused of two counts of misbranding drugs, illegally advertising drugs and practicing medicine without a license.

In effect, the jury ruled the "brew" Dr. Yuen was dispensing to his patients was not a drug, as defined by California law, therefore he was not administering drugs or practicing medicine.

Dr. Yuen's lawyer, Morris Grupp,, San Francisco, was brilliant throughout the 2½-week trial, especially on cross-examination, and yesterday gave a masterful final argument in behalf of Dr. Yuen.

Mr. Grupp won the case, but he also was prepared for defeat. All through the trial he made numerous objections, sometimes cleverly maneuvering the judge into almost impossible situations—all preparatory for appeal to higher courts.

Judge A. F. Scheidecker handed the case to the jury at 4 p.m. and it returned at 10 a.m. after taking time out for dinner and for more instructions.

Assistant District Attorney Kiernan Hyland, a forceful prosecutor, said afterward he thought Dr. Yuen's family background (115 years in the herb business) was too much to overcome.

This, he said, was in addition to the fact Dr. Yuen had been practicing in Santa Rosa and Ukiah openly for more than 11 years.

#### Warning Is Urged On Old Painkiller

WASHINGTON—The Food and Drug Administration's bureau of medicine has recommended a warning be posted against excessive and prolonged use of one of the oldest painkillers known to man.

The painkiller—phenacetin—is a principal ingredient of the aspirin—phenacetin—caffeine (APC compounds taken by tens of millions of Americans to relieve headaches and other pains.

Dr. Howard Weinstein, head of the bureau's division of medical review, said Wednesday that a review of cases involving people who took phenacetin excessively indicates a relationship with kidney disease.

The action was the second time Dr. Weinstein had requested that such a warning be posted. Last year, the drug administration refused and asked Dr. Weinstein to gather more information.

Over 100 manufacturers use phenacetin in their products, Dr. Weinstein said. But two of the major manufacturers earlier this year quietly removed the ingredients from their products. Those were Whitehall Laboratories, makers of Anacin, and Bristol-Myers Co., makers of Excedrin.

From The Boston Globe, June 27, 1963.

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# Washington Krebiozen Report CONGRESS STARTS ACTION

Senator Paul H. Douglas (D) of Illinois, together with ten other co-sponsoring Sentors introduced Senate and House Joint Resolutions to authorize and direct the National Institutes of Health to undertake immediately a fair, impartial and controlled test of Krebiozen. It directs the Food and Drug Administration to withhold action on Krebiozen's application until the test is completed and authorizes \$250,000 for the test.

The Senators took their action just six days after the FDA banned Krebiozen from interstate distribution on July 12th. As of August 1st, the Senators had been joined by 12 Representatives who had introduced identical House Joint Resolutions. See the legislative workshop for the Congressmen's names.

The FDA argued falsely that it was required "by law" to stop distribution of any drug shipped interstate for investigational use that had not filed a "proper" application by June 7th. It was their own law. While Drs. Durovic and Ivy met the deadline of June 7th, approximately 2,100 of 2,500 drug applications DID NOT! It is important to know that the June 7th date deadline was **not** set by Congress. It was arbitrarily made by FDA. It can be, and is, extended just as arbitrarily.

#### Only 400 of 2,500 Applications Met June 7th Deadline

In a feature article, "Chemical Week" of June 22nd (note the date) stated, "Still coming in at a 100 day rate last week were reports to the FDA on the status of drugs under clinical testing. Only 400 reports—20% of the expected total—met FDA's June 7th deadline, and

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this poor showing reflects industry's difficulties in living with the new rules." However, FDA did not even scold any of the 2,100 late applicants. They had promised to ban Krebiozen if it didn't meet their deadline. Indeed, there seemed to be neither concern nor embarrassment at the obvious double standard. Dr. Francis Kelsey in a speech given as late as June 28th accounted for only 1,600 of the 2,500 applications. 900 applications had still not met the deadline.

If FDA's directive had read that there was a mandatory June 7th deadline for Krebiozen, but not for all other 2,499 drug applicants, it would have been a very apparent harassment of Krebiozen. Yet, this is precisely what they have done in the administration of the law.

Twenty-two Senators and Representatives have introduced the following Joint Resolution to give fresh instructions to FDA from Congress. The INTENT of Congress is clearly spelled out, and a joint resolution has the force of law.

#### Krebiozen Senate Joint Resolution 101 and House Joint Resolutions 563; 564; 567; 570; 573; 574; 577; 578; 588; 589; 598; 601

Whereas hundreds of cancer patients now being treated with the drug Krebiozen believe their lives depend upon the continued use of the drug; and

Whereas Dr. Andrew C. Ivy, chief sponsor of the drug Krebiozen, and former head of the University of Illinois medical schools, is widely known for his work in cancer research as a former director of the American Cancer Society, as the contributor of a dozen or more papers on cancer research to leading

medical journals, and as one of the foremost pathologists and medical and cancer research experts in the country today; and

Whereas the National Cancer Institute has investigated and tested thousands of substances for the control of cancer; and

Whereas many of these substances, unlike Krebiozen, have had extreme toxic effects, such as 5-Fluorouracil (5-FU) and 5-Fluorodeoxyuridine (5-FUDR); and

Whereas the nontoxicity of the drug Krebiozen has not been disputed, and such drug has been used on over 4,000 human subjects for periods of up to 12 years, and reports as to its effects have been submitted by about 3,000 physicians; and

Whereas the clinical evidence submitted with respect to the drug Krebiozin, by Dr. Andrew C. Ivy to the National Cancer Institute indicates that in varying kinds of tumors there has been an actual regression of the tumors in some cases, and relief of pain in many of these cases and in many others; and

Whereas the foregoing facts more than justify a fair test and a determination of the efficacy of the drug Krebiozen: Therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the National Institutes of Health be authorized and directed to undertake immediately a fair, impartial, and controlled test, under the direction of competent clinical investigators, of the safety and efficacy of Krebiozen and to make to the Congress quarterly reports on the progress of such a test; and that the Food and Drug Administration withhold action on any investigational drug application before it on Krebiozen until the completion of such test, and that for the purpose of conducting the test there is

hereby authorized to be appropriated to the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare the sum of \$250,000.

#### San Francisco N.H.F. Moves Ahead

The newly formed San Francisco N.H.F. Chapter is forging ahead under a full head of enthusiasm. The chapter was formed in May in the offices and under the leadership of Dr. Bernard Townsend, who passed the future leadership along to Mr. Louis Martucci, the elected Chapter President. The other capable and dedicated officers are Mr. Joseph Robichaud, Vice-President; Mrs. Betty Kiddoo, Secretary; Mr. Jack Stitts, Treasurer, and Miss Emily Tonks, Recording Secretary.

The next second-Monday-of-the-month meeting was all but an overflow session with the collection of door prize money plus income from memberships. At the third meeting, in a conference room of the Bayview Federal Savings & Loan Association, Dr. Jas. E. Hart, a wellknown Oakland biochemist, was the humorous and informative speaker. There are plans to form other chapters so that people in outlying areas may become more active.

All interested are invited to save their second Mondays and to let us know at SK 1-0767 if they would like to be on our list for the Chapter's **Vita-News**, which gives the coming program—and more—each month.

**Editor's Note:** We welcome these folk into the fellowship of the National Health Federation and wish them God speed.

One large manufacturing concern asked purchasers to fill out a card saying what dominant thing made them buy the product.

One man answered: "My wife."

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# NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION SEVENTH ANNUAL MID-WEST CONVENTION

September 25-26-27-28, 1963

#### HOTEL SHERATON CLEVELAND

**CLEVELAND, OHIO** 

Only Eight Years of Age and already the largest and most influential Health Organization in America. Why is this so? The answer: "It is an organization of the people who have an interest in their health and that of their children." It is their voice crying out against present abuses and advising all and sundry that these abuses must stop. **This is still** AMERICA AND THE PEOPLE STILL RULE. Under the leadership of the National Health Federation the people intend to see to it that their interests in the field of health are protected, and that the sick folk of this nation shall not be used as pawns in the political and economic schemes of those who would destroy America and prey upon its sick.

The Federation invites you to attend its Seventh Midwest Convention and learn firsthand about its work, what lies ahead and what you can do to keep in good health. The speakers have been chosen with care, to the end that the facts you will hear may be accepted by you as fundamental and true.

The program of this convention is designed to bring to those who attend practical information, which if applied, will produce good health and more abundant living.

You need not be a member of the National Health Federation to attend any or all of the meetings. This convention is educational in nature. The speakers are all authorities in their respective fields and the information they impart will be both practical and helpful. For the sake of your health and that of your children we urge you to attend.

The program will be presented as set forth in this pamphlet. Each speaker will discuss the subject assigned to him. All speakers will start and stop on time. All features other than lectures will also run absolutely on schedule. The program schedules plenty of recesses to allow the audience to relax as well as visit exhibits.

# Seventh Annual Mid-West Convention

#### NATIONAL HEALTH FEDERATION

**CLEVELAND, OHIO** 

SEPTEMBER 25, 26, 27, 28-1963

#### Wednesday-September 25

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#### Noon

:00 p.m. to	1:30 p.m.	Visit with exhibitors
:30 p.m. to	2:00 p.m.	N.H.F. Washington General Counsel's Report
Enter State		by Charles Orlando Pratt
:00 p.m. to	2:15 p.m.	Questions and Answers
:15 p.m. to	2:45 p.m.	N.H.F. Washington Activities Report
		by Clinton Miller, Director of Washington Office
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3:00 p.m. to		Recess
3:30 p.m. to		Naturopathy, Its Work and Problems-by Dr. Ross Skaken
4:00 p.m. to		Questions and Answers
4:15 p.m. to	4:45 p.m.	Environmental Effect of Pesticides
	-	Dr. Theron G. Randolph
4:45 p.m. to	5:00 p.m.	Questions and Answers
5:00 p.m. to		Recess
7:00 p.m. to		Your Nutritional Needs—by Doris Hill
7:30 p.m. to		Catherine Elwood and her films on European Spas
8:45 p.m. to		N.H.F. announcements
		Thursday—September 26, 1963
9:00 a.m. to	10.00 a m	Registration and visiting exhibitors
10:00 a.m. to		Roundtable on Nutrition—Catherine Elwood, moderator
11:00 a.m. to		Recess to visit exhibitors
11:30 a.m. to		Roundtable on Legal Matters-Charles O. Pratt, moderator
Adjourn for		
1:30 p.m. to		Visit exhibitors
2:00 p.m. to		How the Public Can Lobby More Successfully
		by Clinton Miller, Director of N.H.F. Washington Office
2:30 p.m. to	2:45 p.m.	Questions and Answers
2:45 p.m. to		You are Controlled—by Howard C. Long
3:15 p.m. to		Questions and Answers
3:30 p.m. to	4:00 p.m.	Recess to visit exhibitors
4:00 p.m. to		Osteopathy Today—Its Trials and Triumphs
		By David Dobreer, D.O., California Osteopathic
		Physicians and Surgeons Association
4:30 p.m. to	4:45 p.m.	Questions and Answers
4:45 p.m. to	5:00 p.m.	N.H.F. Affairs
Adjourn for		
7:00 p.m. to	7:30 p.m.	The Healing Process of Natural Hygiene
		by Dr. Robert R. Gross, D.C., Ph.D.
7:30 p.m. to	8:30 p.m.	Pesticides (film)—by J. T. Clark
8:30 p.m. to	8:45 p.m.	Questions and Answers
8:45 p.m. to	9:00 p.m.	N.H.F. Affairs
		Friday—September 27, 1963
9:00 a.m. to	10:00 a.m.	Registration and visiting with exhibitors
10:00 a.m. to	11:00 a.m.	Roundtable on Legislative Problems-by Clinton Miller
11:00 a.m. to	11:30 a.m.	Recess to visit exhibitors
11:30 a.m. to	12:15 p.m.	Roundtable on Nutrition—conducted by Dr. Royal Lee
12:15 p.m. to	12:30 p.m.	President Hart will introduce Board Members
Adjourn for	lunch	-Luncheon for 300 Club (life members) at 12:45 p.m.
1:30 p.m. to	2:00 p.m.	N.H.F. Report on Major Legislative Amendments
		by Clinton Miller
2:00 p.m. to		Questions and Answers
2:15 p.m. to	2:45 p.m.	Organic Growing—by Paul Keene
2:45 p.m. to	3:00 p.m.	Questions and Answers
3:00 p.m. to		Recess to visit exhibitors
3:30 p.m. to	4:00 p.m.	How to Prevent Heart Attacks
1.00	4.15	By World Famous Authority Benjamin P. Sandler, M.D.
4:00 p.m. to		Questions and Answers
4:15 p.m. to	4:45 p.m.	The Menace of Tuberculosis
		By the Author Benjamin P. Sandler, M.D.
4:45 p.m. to		Questions and Answers
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7:00 p.m. to		Homeopathy in America Today—by James H. Stephens
7:30 p.m. to	8:30 p.m.	Krebiozen—by George W. Crane, M.D.

2:45 nm to 3:00 nm Questions and Answers

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#### Saturday-September 28, 1963

9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.n	
	Registration and visit booths
0:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.n	n. Roundtable on Organic Growing—by Paul Keene
1:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.n	n. Recess to visit exhibitors
1:30 a.m. to 12:00 no	on Invitation to concern yourself with Tyranny
	by Clinton Miller
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1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.r.	n. Present and Future Activities of N.H.F.
	by President Fred J. Hart
1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.r.	n. Your Voice—by Howard C. Long
2:00 p.m. to 2:15 p.r	n. Questions and Answers
2:15 p.m. to 2:45 p.r.	n. Live Food vs. Dead—by V. Earl Irons
2:45 p.m. to 3:15 p.r	n. Recess to visit exhibitors
3:15 p.m. to 3:45 p.r.	
3:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.r	n. Questions and Answers
4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.r.	n. Special Message—by Beatrice Trum Hunter
djourn for dinner	
7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.r	n. —by Bob Hoffman
7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.r	
	n. Convention wind-up address by President Fred J. Hart
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Admittance to the convention sessions will require the showing of a registration badge or proper ticket. This badge or ticket will be given to each person when they register. The registration fee will be \$5.00 for the four days or \$2.00 for each day. The four-day \$5.00 fee covers all the meetings of the convention during the four days. The one-day fee covers all the meetings of the convention held during the day for which the fee is paid. If a person elects to attend only one session or lecture the minimum charge will be \$1.00. All meetings are open to the public at the rates quoted above.

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#### James Wassung Sends This Suggestion

Let the anti-fluoridationists have bills presented in the State legislatures authorizing the distribution by the State of free fluoride tablets to those who desire them. Let the fluoridationists know we are not against fluoride for those who want it. Let them have all they want of the best quality and in doses their doctors see fit. The psychology back of this action would have a stunning effect. The tussle of wills and all controversy as to the effects of fluoride would be sidetracked. Doctors could happily take over their true responsibility in process of usurpation by the government, and it would be a vote of confidence for the medical profession. Those of us who are against fluoridation can go our own way, but would not think of preventing or hampering in any way the distribution of fluoride to others. Cost to the taxpaver would be negligible compared with water fluoridation. No fluoride would ever be wasted.

We are happy to say that the folk in Seattle, who had a large hand in defeating fluoridation in that city, are launching out on just such a program. In this manner you will put on the defensive those who want to fluoridate the water.

#### N.H.F. Not in Opposition to N.F.A.

It has come to our attention that somewhere in these United States some N.H.F. members have, from time to time, discouraged folk who were minded to join a local chapter of N.F.A. This should not be, for the work of N.H.F. is entirely in a different field from that of N.F.A. In fact, members of N.H.F. should encourage folk to join and attend N.F.A. chapters. N.F.A. teaches folk to be health-minded, while N.H.F. protects folk in their right to be health-minded. Both are very important. A good rule always works both ways. If N.H.F. members should encourage folk to join local chapters of N.F.A., then, also, N.F.A. members should encourage folk to join N.H.F. Health-minded people and groups must work together.

#### In Memoriam

As we are preparing copy for this issue, word has just come to us of the passing of our first perpetual member, Miss Anne Winslow. When Miss Winslow sent her one thousand dollars and thus started this type of membership, she stated that she was dying of cancer and did not have long to live. Just two weeks prior to her death, her mother passed away. Miss Winslow's mother was a very prominent lady writer and philanthropic worker. The world will miss both of these admirable people.

We have also just learned of the passing of the wife of Roby Day. Mrs. Day had been in ill-health for a number of years. Many of our readers who have attended our conventions are acquainted with Roby. He was a member of the Board of Governors until the constant care of his wife led him to resign. Roby is one of God's noblemen, and our hearts go out to him in this hour of bereavement.

#### We Have One for You

If any one of you desires a complete copy of the AMA report on the Quack Congress held two years ago, we have a few copies on hand. We can let you have one for \$2.00. It is worth having.

Send your check to N.H.F., Box 686, Monrovia, California.

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# **Family Circle**

#### By Fred J. Hart

Vacation time is over and it is time to put on the harness and begin pulling together with others, to keep the National Health Federation crusade for good health and liberty moving forward. We have the enemy off balance and we must keep him that way.

#### Krebiozen

Last month we gave you eight pages on this subject. In this issue we bring you the good news that Senator Douglas of Illinois has introduced a joint Senate-House resolution No. 101 which, if passed, will keep the government from depriving cancer victims of this remedy until the entire matter is resolved. See legislative workshop for more details and for the part you should play in this drama. You can save lives if you follow the request contained in the workshop. It costs little to write a letter, but it gets results.

#### Liberty Stamps

The response to our liberty stamp drive has been better than last year, but it is far from what it ought to be. I wish I knew how to wake up all of our members, to the end that they would do what so many of you folk have done by sacrificial giving. If all would respond as you have done the funds needed to keep the Federation program moving ahead would be available.

The Washington Program alone continues to grow in size and influence and with this growth comes a corresponding increase in cost.

The main office is now working on one of the most momentous projects it has ever undertaken, which, when completed, will counteract the lies and prop-

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aganda being disseminated by those who would destroy the natural approaches to health and rob the public of freedom of choice in matters relating to health. We are not at liberty to reveal the details of this project at this time, as timing is of the utmost importance if this project is to be successful.

#### Life Memberships

Life memberships continue to come in, but at a much lower rate than they should. At the Cleveland Convention we shall hold a special luncheon for the Three Hundred Club (life members). This will be the first of such luncheons and I am looking forward to fellowshipping with other life members. Why not send in yours during September. If you cannot send it all in at once, send what you can and pay the balance in monthly installments.

#### I am looking forward-

to the day when the Federation membership will be sufficiently large to provide the funds needed to carry on the work of the Federation without having to be constantly asking for funds. I am confident that day will come and that it is not too far away. The Federation is now recognized on a national level as the real voice of the public in matters relating to health. Let's keep it that way.

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#### Natural Laws Offer Guide to Health

The medical profession deserves great respect. Those who have acquired an understanding of disease, body chemistry, anatomy and surgical techniques warrant our gratitude, for we simply cannot do without their knowledge when accidents and disease strike.

But medical science, good as it is, has been unable to solve many mysteries of natural law. As stated by Joseph L. Kaplowe, M.D., "When the laboratory can produce the petals of a rose, science will deserve the right to assume the superior attitude prevailing today. Scientific research must be subservient to natural law."

Some time ago a New York magazine did a piece about a man who has been called the nation's leading exponent of natural laws of health. The story provoked my curiosity, so I looked up this doctor, whose degree is in naturopathy, and asked if he could enumerate some of these laws.

"Perhaps the basic natural law is the one which says Nature cures," replied Dr. Max Warmbrand, 66, a gentle, bright-eyed man who has authored four books on health and nutrition. Although retired, he is still besieged by folk seeking his counsel.

"Healing is the prerogative of the organism and is brought about by the inherent curative powers of the body. But many people are impatient. They won't wait for nature.

"Another natural law concerns our need to prevent ills through sensible living. But many people give their bodies less care than they give their automobiles.

"Another natural law says measures employed in treating disease must do no harm. But, as we have seen in the press recently, some drugs and chemicals used today incur harmful side effects."

Did he have any suggestions for folk wishing to embark on a new health regime? "They should start avoiding modern foods, deficient in essential elements such as white flour and white sugar products.

"Then they should begin emphasizing man's natural foods—fruits and vegetables. Many have the notion they must eat meat and eggs for protein. But fruits and vegetables—preferably eaten raw or stewed—provide some of the finest protein available.

"It's difficult to change eating habits. And it takes time to cleanse and rebuild a body long subjected to an inadequate diet. But if more people recognized the importance of sound nutrition, along with the need for proper rest, exercise and relaxation, we'd need fewer hospitals and we'd see fewer instances of chronic illness among our elder population."

Although some may question certain of Dr. Warmbrand's views, there can be no denying the importance of natural law. Modern medicine can often work miracles in patching us up. But the intelligent individual doesn't wait until he's sick—he protects his precious physical endowment through daily observance of natural, common-sense habits of healthful living.

From New York Journal American, August 17, 1962.

To err is human. But when the eraser wears out before the pencil, you're overdoing it.

Almost every husband wishes his wife could make bread like his mother, while she wishes hubby could make dough like her father!

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#### As a Nation We're Not Very Healthy

Reading a federal Public Health Service report on the chronic ills of our country's population is enough to make anyone sick. It is based on interviews in 76,000 households, during a two-year period ending last June. The results are discouraging: Either the American people are chronic complainers or our national health leaves a lot of room for improvement.

Of about 176 million who live in this country but who are not in institutions, 19 million were found to have their activities limited by chronic disease or impairment; 55 million others, it is reported, suffer from chronic ailments that are not serious enough to restrict activity.

About four million are so limited by ailments that they cannot work, go to school or keep house, mostly for reasons of heart conditions, arthritis, paralysis, nervous conditions or impaired vision. About five million just have some "limitation of mobility." Of all of these 915,000 were found to be confined to the home. A large percentage of those who cannot work or go to school can blame it on asthma or hay fever.

When we have a war on our hands the American public always is surprised to learn how small a proportion of our young people are able to qualify physically for active service. But no sector of our nation can accept all the blame.

Taken altogether we have not managed to keep as many of us in perfect health as we should do in an era when medical science has contrived to give us the means for a longer and healthier life than our ancestors ever could consider possible.

From The Spokesman-Review, November 26, 1962.

#### Doctor's Criticism of AMA Leaders

Some doctors have delayed reporting cases of polio-like disease associated with the Sabin vaccine for fear they would blackball community polio clinics, says a top polio authority.

Dr. David Bodian, a member of the U.S. Surgeon General's Oral Polio Advisory Committee, said that delayed or reluctantly submitted reports "have made it impossible for the committee to evaluate a certain number of cases of paralytic polio-like illness occurring within 30 days" after the Sabin vaccine had been taken.

"The introduction of a new and incompletely evaluated product by means of crusade-like community-wide programs involves publicity in which any hint of lack of confidence is thought to be intolerable," the physician stated.

#### **Reactions Not Admitted**

"It appears that with vaccines, as well as with drugs, the attending physician is often unwilling to anticipate, understand or admit the occurrence of undesirable reactions."

Dr. Bodian's remarks appear in the April issue of the Johns Hopkins Hospital Bulletin. He is director of the department of anatomy there.—From Los Angeles Times, April 5, 1963

An insurance agent writing a policy for a cowpuncher asked if he'd ever had any accidents.

"No," replied the cowpuncher, "but a bronc kicked me a couple of times and a rattlesnake bit me."

"Don't you call those accidents?" the agent asked.

"No," the cowboy replied. "They did it on purpose."

#### Testimony of the National Health Federation to the Subcommittee on Reorganization and International Organizations of Senate Committee on Government Operations

#### By Clinton Miller

The National Health Federation wishes to compliment the Chairman, the Honorable Senator Abraham Ribicoff of Conn., and other members of this committee for their recognition of the seriousness of environmental hazards, and their acceptance of a responsibility to examine the role of the Federal Government as it deals with one of the greatest problems of our time: man's contamination of his environment.

The National Health Federation is a national organization of thousands of members who demand freedom of choice in matters of health where the exercise of that freedom does not endanger the health or safety of another and thereby deny him an equal freedom.

In the matter of air, water, and food contamination by pesticides, the misused freedom of one individual can seriously endanger the health or safety of another. We thereby feel that this is a proper area for governmental study and control.

We have requested that Mr. Francis Silver, an environmental consultant and engineer of Martinsburg, West Virginia, prepare our testimony for us. He has discovered a neglected gas toxicological principle and reveals an important error in the administration of the pesticide control act.

Before submitting his statement, however, we wish to relay to your committee an excellent suggestion that we received in this morning's mail by Betty Lee Morales, of 4207 West Third Street, Los Angeles 5, California. She has recently testified before a California Assembly Committee on the same problem that we are considering here. Her suggestion follows:

"When I was testifying before the Assembly Committee last week, the Chairman, Mr. Rumford, asked me if I thought there was a chance that the Federal Government would also put up some money to research biological controls if the state did.

"He was referring to AB-2785 introduced by Mr. Petris.

"Is there a chance that some federal funds might be available on a State-participation basis for farmers who wish to change over from chemical pesticides to biological control?

"Is there a chance that the N.H.F. can get the ball rolling?"

The above suggestion is self-explanatory, and we insert it here for the specific purpose of getting the "ball rolling."

#### Problems in Switching From Chemical to Biological Control

There are two tough financial problems involved in the switch-over from chemical pesticides to biological control which must be met.

1. Financing is needed for research to discover the best economically feasible, practical, and safe biological control.

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2. Farmers could be encouraged financially who try to make the change. Some partial or complete crop failures are anticipated and predicted during the transition.

#### \$422 Million Is Already Being Spent

In 1962, under the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service program, over \$422 million was paid by our Federal Government to farmers. Opponents to the present program charge that we are paying farmers **not** to raise food, and that we are encouraging dishonesty and slothful habits by rewarding most richly the citizen who works the least or cheats the most. The present program has been subject to extensive ridicule, and it has been suggested in jest that we include classes in our agricultural colleges on how not to raise cotton, corn, and wheat.

It takes time for biological controls to take over. The Federal financial assistance during the transition would make a lot more sense and would be a target for far less criticism than does the present program. Today we have the paradox of our government claiming, on the one hand, that unless chemical pesticides are used we cannot raise enough food, and on the other hand, that we are raising too much.

The statement of Mr. Francis Silver follows:

Editor's note: This statement is so long and represents such a new and important viewpoint that we are reserving it for another issue of the Bulletin. Mr. Silver's testimony, which was introduced into the record at the request of Clinton Miller as the representative of N.H.F., has made a tremendous impact on all Sentors and congressmen who have so far come into contact with it.

# So Say All Health-minded Americans

Dear Senator Humphrey,

Our family wants to congratulate you on having started your investigation of the FDA. We pray that you may have the courage to continue until the whole agency is reorganized and rededicated to the high ideals conceived for it by the founder, Dr. Wiley.

Please try to find out why the FDA is always against any approach to better health that the AMA does not approve.

Why did the FDA team up with the AMA to stamp out all "unorthodox" healing arts, as in the disgraceful "Congress on Quackery"?

Why does the FDA spend so much time and money fighting harmless, but helpful, food supplements—and pay no attention to useless and cell-damaging cigarettes, alcohol, soft drinks, synthetic cheap foods, nutritionless breakfast cereals, etc? What is behind this selective persecution of one industry for the advantage of others?

Why do they condemn—by press release without recourse—health food stores and call people interested in better health "faddists"?

The thousands, like ourselves, who have improved our feeling of well-being and reduced our doctor, dental and drug bills by doing the things that the FDA opposes, have good reasons to question the motives of this agency.

A thorough investigation of this agency has been long overdue. By continuing your efforts unabated to the bottom of it all, you could be doing our country one of the greatest services of your career and endear your name to all true Americans.

We like the forthright way you are going about it all—keep up the good work. Respectfully yours,

Bruce L. Helvie, Gladys Helvie, Christine Rogers, James Rogers.

# **How Safe Are Food Additives and Spray Residues?**

By Karl B. Lutz, Pittsburg, Pa.

#### Editor, The Wall Street Journal:

Rachel Carson's book, Silent Spring, is a devastating exposure of the damage being done to our soil and our plant and animal life by the use of chemical sprays and fertilizers. It poses such a threat to the profits of the corporations making these products that they have prepared a well-financed barrage of propaganda to brainwash the American people against the facts presented by Miss Carson, a trained biologist. The article by Victor J. Hillery, printed in your issue of October 1, repeats much of this propaganda.

Space does not permit a detailed refutation of this industry-slanted article. It should be pointed out that most of the "authorities" quoted by Mr. Hillery have some financial interest in the chemical industry. Even Harvard's School of Public Health has received heavy financial assistance from one of our giant food corporations, which is a large user of food additives.

I would merely like to point out a few facts about coloring matter (mostly coaltar dyes) used in foods. These obviously add nothing of nutritional value, and may be used to fool the housewife by making a food look better than it is.

The Federal Government has been very lax in protecting the public against these dyes. For a long time a large number of them were in extensive use without having been subjected to any tests for safety.

Under the 1938 Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, 19 dyes were certified by the Food and Drug Administration as safe. Since then three of these have been decertified, leaving 16 approved for use in foods. But there is serious doubt about many of these.

In 1957 Dr. Arthur A. Nelson of the FDA reported that 10 of these, all in wide use, had produced cancers in rats when injected under the skin. Earl Ubell, science editor of the New York Herald Tribune, estimated that some people get twice as much by mouth as the rats got under the skin.

It must be admitted that such tests on rats are not always conclusive as to results on human beings, but they are generally accepted by biological scientists as giving a warning. In fact, the International Union Against Cancer has said that **not one** dye had been proved safe, and listed nine of the dyes commonly used in foods in the United States as "unsuitable or potentially dangerous, which should not be added to food or drink for man or animals." Is Mr. Hillery so bold as to say that this warning from an international group of scientists can be shrugged off?

Further proof of uncertainty in this field is the fact that Great Britain has banned these nine dyes condemned by the International Union. In such a lifeand-death matter it would seem that where there is any question of safety, the dyes should be banned until there is satisfactory proof of safety. But the powerful food industry has been able to defeat or delay regulations that would provide safety for the consumer. Certainly the consumer would lose nothing if all coal-tar dyes were banned from food.

Mr. Hillery's article would lead one to believe that we have the finest food (Continued next page)

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in the world. Sonetimes it takes an outside impartial expert to get a true perspective on a situation.

Dr. Franklin Bicknell, an English medical doctor who has studied the modern food problem, has said:

"Americans consume more chemicals in their food than any other nation. At the same time, American forecasts are the gloomiest in the world about the continued rise of cancer, high blood pressure, heart disease, congenital abnormalities, etc.—in fact all the degenerative diseases. The United States leads the civilized world in chemicalized food and in degenerative diseases.... The only possible explanation of the United States more than equally sharing with the civilized world the rise in such diseases is that her food, though the most aboundant, is also the most unwholesome."

Chemicals in Your Food, p. 7.

Returning to Rachel Carson, it is well known that her former book, **The Sea Around Us**, was a best-seller. She is therefore in a position that she need not kow-tow to any industry or vested interest. She is interested only in giving the public the facts.

Englishmen are much tastier than Americans! At least to the cannibals in Polynesia.

So said Lord Shackleton in the British House of Lords. After his peers had recovered their composure, he explained that Americans have eleven parts per million of DDT in their bodies and Englishmen have only two parts. Thus, the better-tasting Englishman.

Lord Douglas, also taking part in a debate on the dangers of chemicals, condemned the use of DDT, which he said was finding its way into milk and butter, and also hit at the use of arsenic on tobacco crops. From **Oil, Paint & Drug Reporter,** April 1, 1963.

#### Electric Wires in Brain Aid Epilepsy Surgery

Successful surgical treatment of epileptics previously considered inoperable is now possible by placing electric wires deep in brain centers.

Drs. Robert W. Rand, Paul H. Crandall and Richard Walter of the University of California, Los Angeles, Medical School have summarized their new techniques in this field in an exhibit presented at two medical meetings, the Harvey Cushing Society in Philadelphia and the American Neurological Association in Minneapolis.

The wires are implanted deep in the brain through tiny holes in the skull. They are left there for periods of several weeks without causing distress to the patient. Periodic studies of the patient, involving two-way communications with brain centers, are made.

Recordings of electrical activity from within the brain and electrical stimulation from outside help to focus on the cells responsible for the abnormal discharges characteristic of the disorder. Once these abnormally functioning cells are precisely located, their surgical removal may be feasible.

Eight patients have been studied in this manner. All eight had uncontrolled psychomotor epilepsy for an average period of 12 years. This is a severe form of the disorder characterized by amnesia as well as convulsions.

Seven of these patients have had the portion of their brain known as the temporal lobe removed. In only one instance has there been convulsion during an 18-month period following surgery. From **Science News Letter**, 83:281, May 4, 1963.

Be what nature intended you for, and you will succeed.—Sydney Smith.

# MORAL ISSUE Shall Your Freedom of Choice Be Monopolized? This Is SERIOUS!

Health is an individual's most priceless possession; in fact, it is a subject in which a violation of individual conscience has the most far-reaching and devastating effect. It is undesirable, unreasonable, un-American and intolerable to think of permitting the AMA to dominate all healing arts and be given final authority in all matters pertaining to your health. THE ENLARGED DEF-INITION OF THE TERM "MEDICINE" HAS BECOME THE TOOL BY WHICH THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND PRACTICES OF OTHER SCHOOLS OF THE HEALING ARTS HAVE BEEN CONFISCATED AND PLACED UN-DER ALLOPATHIC CONTROL OR DESTROYED.

However, the truth exists forever that the most severe critics of drugless medicine could be mistaken. Sir William Osler, M.D., conceded to be the foremost authority on drugs in his day, said, "We use drugs about which we know little, in a body about which we know less, to cure disease about which we know nothing at all." If this be true it becomes a moral obligation of both friend and foe to preserve the drugless professions with their philosophy and principles for the benefit of all people. No freedom is possible when the allopathic profession (M.D.) as a branch of the healing art, pursuant and under the policy of the AMA, assumes absolute healing art authority and imposes its will economically, politically, and socially upon society by calling in the State to fulfill its aspiration via legislation so broad in its wording that in effect it makes guilt or innocence turn upon the same pivot. Witness the Dr. Errington case: "...where, at 70 years of age, after 37 years of practice, besides being actually restrained of his liberty, the doctor has lost his 'liberty' in the sense the word means, constitutionally; he has lost the right to use his God-given power of mind and body in a lawful calling." The doctor's abiding plea and prayer is that neither God nor the public will permit such atrocity to remain unchallenged. "PLEASE THINK!"

For over ten years Dr. Errington, with the financial help of others, has fought a bitter battle against the AMA and its cohorts and against the stark specter of starvation because of his loss of liberty so that you might be able to have freedom of choice of natural healing or otherwise. In his behalf and yours and generations as yet unborn, thousands of dollars have been spent to perfect the legal issue of naturopathic medicine (N.D.) vs. allopathic medicine (M.D.) for consideration by the United States Supreme Court. The two must be separated for they are not the same; the philosophy of the one is contrary to the philosophy of the other. Every legal step has been exhausted, every requirement of law procedure from the lowest to the highest State Court, up to the Supreme Court of the United States: once in civil procedure and again in criminal procedure, but unerringly and with a faith undiminished in "the supreme law," i.e. Constitution of the U.S.A., he has at last achieved the de-

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sired results in being able to resort to the extraordinary remedy of habeas corpus direct to the United States Supreme Court.

This is YOUR opportunity to help the doctor to achieve the goal he so faithmully and valiantly fought for through heartbreaking years of fighting in order that the records show to the United States Supreme Court that here in America the AMA has actually in this particular case transgressed the freedom of the people, by the people and for the people. Your financial support now will help assure that the flag shall still float over the home of the free and the brave.

We are very grateful to all of you who have sent contributions and thank you for your interest indicated through the fine comments enclosed. However, there were too few who offered help. We are far short of the sum needed to complete this extraordinary step and most earnestly urge the readers of the N.H.F. Bulletin to think about this article, to study this situation and act in accordance with the need. We make this appeal -not only for ourselves but for all who believe in the drugless way of life. These funds we must raise NOW! If you believe in the emoluments and guarantees of the Constitution, then send your contribution to: Naturopathic Constitutional Rights Committee, 100 East 63rd Street, Kansas City 13, Mo. Thank you!

"God respecteth not the arithmetic of our prayers...how many they are; not the rhetoric of our prayers...how neat they are; nor the geometry of our prayers...how long they are; but the divinity of our prayers...how heartsprung they are." —**Haines** 

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#### **Colleagues Expel a Physician**

Santa Cruz, Calif., March 31, 1963 Dr. Alan Nittler, M.D., a health foods advocate and candidate for City Council here, was expelled by the Santa Cruz County Medical Society yesterday.

Dr. John Morris, society secretary, would only say that Dr. Nittler "is no longer a member."

Dr. Nittler said his expulsion resulted from the disagreement of his colleagues with his philosophy "that you can cure many diseases much better by using natural nutritional materials rather than drugs."

He refuses to prescribe many drugs, he said, because of their "dangerous side effects."

The county group's action automatically removes him from membership in the California and American Medical Associations, but he retains his license to practice.

Editor's note: The only crime this man has committed is that of attempting to get his patients well with means other than that approved by the drug industry. He used drugs only when the type of cases indicated their need. His years of experience had taught him that the surest way to health and its maintenance was working together with nature and not against it.

His punishment: public ridicule, expulsion from the County Medical Soccety, and the possible denial of the right to treat any of his patients in a hospital even though it was built with public funds and thus belongs to the people and not to the AMA.

The Federation is seeking federal legislation to stop this evil practice, which not only is not fair to the doctor, but is unfair to the taxpayer whose money builds the hospitals. These evils will only be corrected when the people unite and say this has got to stop. Get your neighbor to join the National Health Federation.

# March of Death

In today's press appeared a four-column picture of pickets parading before the White House in Washington. These pickets were dressed in black to signify death. The wearers of the black were either cancer victims or relatives of such.

These people have been kept alive because their doctors were able to get Krebiozen for them. Now that the Food and Drug Administration, have by ruthless action, forced the makers of this successful remedy to confine shipments to within the state of Illinois, hundreds of cancer victims deprived of their weekly supply are doomed to die, as they were before doctors secured Krebiozen for them. Each one of these helpless victims as they die because of the lack of this harmless drug, will actually have been murdered by governmental beaurocracy. HOW LONG WILL THE PEOPLE OF THIS GREAT NATION ALLOW SUCH ACTIONS TO CON-TINUE?

The National Health Federation for the past four months has placed its Washington facilities at the disposal of these people who are fighting for their lives or the lives of their loved one. Clinton Miller has devoted full time to this matter and now urges each one of you to do your part by writing a card or letter or sending a telegram to each of the two Senators from your State. Address Senate Office Building, Washington D.C. and to your Congressman, House Office Building, Washington D.C. The message you should send should be something as follows(quote please), do all you can to secure the immediate passage of Senate Joint Resolution 101 by the Senate and the enactment of the same or a House Bill with the same wording. by the House.

This is a life and death matter. We are familiar with the Krebiozen matter, so we urge you to give this matter immediate attention. Sincerely Yours, (Unquote).

Please do not delay in getting your messages in the mail, as each passing day will record the death of soneone's loved one who need not die and who will have a chance to live, if S.J. 101 by Douglas is enacted.

See other pages and the Legislative work shop for more details.

#### WHO Article Ties Smoking to Cancer

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Aug. 4— Cigarettes can have as much killing power as bombs the magazine of the World Health Organization reported.

"Unless some of the foremost doctors of our time are wrong," the magazine asserted, "cigarettes are as lethal in their cumulative killing power as any bomb."

The report pointed out that the organization's study group on the epidemiology of lung cancer, which met in Geneva in 1959, found that "the sum total of the evidence available was most reasonably interpreted as indicating that cigarette smoking was a major cause of the disease."

From **The New York Times** Western Edition, August 5, 1963.

#### **Chiropractors Attention**

If you desire a printed book containing the AMA's own report of what they said they would do to you and what they thought of your profession, we have one hundred copies available. The cost, 50 cents per copy.

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# Who Murdered This Girl?

Our daughter, Phyllis Newman, was 28 years old. She was the mother of two little girls, five and seven years old. During the "flu" epidemic in 1957, Phyllis became a victim of it. Being young, healthy and strong, she soon recovered from the flu, but it left her with a hacking cough. The doctor said this would eventually leave her. Christmas was only a month away, and the cough persisted. After the holiday rush was over, Phyllis changed doctors. The new doctor was no better than the first one. She changed again, and the results were just as disappointing. Phyllis's cough was not getting better.

The week before Holy Week at Eastertime, Phyllis went to Doctor Number Three. Upon completing his initial examination, he told Phyllis's husband and me that she had a tumor between the breast bone. The medical term is "cancer of the thymus gland." By this time Phyllis had a lot of pain, and she steadily lost weight.

Phyllis entered a hospital the early part of May. After they completed all their tests, the verdict was the same as Doctor Number Three made: "cancer of the thymus gland." They could not determine how far the cancer had spread, but they strongly recommended surgery. We were at their mercy and so gave our consent.

I visited Phyllis every day. I was heartsick for her and for all the patients. A patient by the name of Mary, from Syracuse, New York, was Phyllis's roommate. She was 39 years old. Her husband had died four months before she entered the hospital. She had no living relatives. She had the same identical cancer as Phyllis.

Phyllis was operated on June 10, 1958. They opened and closed her. They told SEPTEMBER, 1963 us she had only a couple of months to live. They suggested radiation, and Phyllis had one month of radiation. It did not help her. The pain was worse, she lost more weight, and when she tried to swallow water it was like swallowing broken glass.

During the month that Phyllis was getting radiation we heard about Krebiozen. It was very difficult to get Doctor Number Three to order it and give it to her, but he finally did. Her radiation treatments were terminated and we started Krebiozen. We all saw a miracle! She responded immediately! I have a prescription blank upon which Doctor Number Three wrote of the merits of Krebiozen. Phyllis had an appointment with her surgeons at the hospital, September 9. Doctor Number Three told her to give the doctors his note telling how much Krebiozen helped her. On the note was written: "Free from pain. Weight gain. Blood count normal. Krebiozen has proved to be non-toxic." Phyllis was able to do light housework. She enjoyed her food, and we had every reason to believe she was going to get well.

We kept the appointment September 9. We purposely got there early to see Mary. Mary was bedridden—a skeleton whom I did not recognize, and the pain she had was unbearable, even though she was heavily sedated. Mary died a week later.

We finally got to see the surgeons and they examined Phyllis and took X-rays of her chest. They said: "WHAT WE SEE HERE IS A MIRACLE—the tumor has shrunk to almost nothing!" **AND THEN** Phyllis showed them the slip from Doctor Number Three. It was like waving a red flag in front of a bull. They said Krebiozen had nothing to do with

the improvement in Phyllis's condition. They said they might have made a wrong diagnosis and they wanted her back for more tests. Phyllis said, "No. I will stick to my doctor and Krebiozen."

By this time our faith in Number Three was solid. We trusted him without a question or doubt. Phyllis had Krebiozen for five weeks, two injections the first week, and then one injection a week after that. We were overjoyed with her progress! The week after Phyllis kept that September 9 appointment at the hospital, she had one more injection, and then the doctor was going to send in a report and order more Krebiozen.

Phyllis went back the next week, and the doctor said he did not order more Krebiozen because he was afraid she might become immune to it. But he said he would have it the following week. When Phyllis went back the following week he stalled again. He said, "You are doing so well, maybe we'd better wait another week." I was frantic! Phyllis had begun to slip. This was THREE WEEKS WITHOUT KREBIO-ZEN. We had such faith in the doctor and we didn't want to antagonize him so we decided to give him a chance to do this his way and wait it out another week! When we went back the fourth time, Phyllis was much worse. And the doctor said, "I don't think Krebiozen will help you this time. I want you to go back to the hospital." We both cried in his office. I am putting it mildly-believe me, we did more than just cry. We begged, we pleaded, we screamed. The doctor said to come back the next week -he would have it then; he said he would order it.

By this time I lost my faith in him, but I didn't know what to do next. Then I remembered a young scientist I had met at the hospital. I wondered if he could throw any light on my sad situa-

tion, because everything was going so well until we went to the hospital. I decided to go to the hospital and see this scientist. Fortunately he was in and I was able to talk to him. He remembered me and he remembered Phyllis. He said: "Give me a few days and I will try to find out what happened." Several days later the scientist called me. He said, "When your daughter showed the surgeons that slip of paper telling the merits of Krebiozen, they got after Doctor Number Three and forbade him to give her any more. He's stalling you because when your daughter gets worse, they want her back at the hospital."

I went to Doctor Number Three. I did not betray the scientist, but I begged the truth from him. He admitted that he could not give it any more. He said he would order more for me if I would inject it myself. I did exactly this—but WE WASTED SIX PRECIOUS WEEKS. Phyllis was without medication and she failed rapidly. She needed Krebiozen. She wanted Krebiozen. It was withheld from her for SIX WEEKS—and she died. She died November 16, 1958.

After the doctor ordered the last series of Krebiozen for Phyllis (for me to inject), I called Dr. Durovic by phone and asked him if she would respond again. He said he had Doctor Number Three's report and it was unfortunate that Krebiozen had been shut off for so long. He doubted that Phyllis would respond this time. But he assured me that when she died, it would be without pain if I would continue to use Krebiozen. And she did die without pain. Her end was peaceful. She was able to eat again and to drink without pain, but it was too late.

(Signed) Olga Schaeffer, 424 Lisbon Ave., Buffalo 15, N.Y. (Notarized) County of Erie, City of Buffalo Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of July, 1963.

William A. Heron, Notary Public Qualified in Erie Co., New York State. My commission expires March 30th, 1964.

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# Senator Douglas and Senator Hill Defend Medical Minorities

"The following is taken from the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD and is a part of a debate in the Senate during consideration of House Resolution 5888 which appropriated certain funds for projects of Health, Education, and Welfare. We quote here only that portion of the debate which has to do with Krebiozen and the right of medical pioneers or minorities.)

#### Mr. DOUGLAS. . . .

The questions which I should like to address to the Senator from Alabama refer to the drug Krebiozen.

I should like to begin by saying that I find, from page 36 of this bill, that there will shortly be an appropriation of \$145,114,000 for cancer research. Is that correct?

Mr. HILL. The Senator is correct.

Mr. DOUGLAS. On page 35 of the bill it is shown that for general research and services, National Institutes of Health, there will be furnished \$164,674,000, some of which probably will be used for research in the field of cancer.

So the Senator from Alabama has provided large amounts of money for research in the field of cancer. That is true, is it not?

Mr. HILL. Mr. President, I cannot say that the Senator from Alabama has provided all those funds. Many other Senators have participated.

Mr. DOUGLAS. The Senator from Alabama steered these requests to their pending successful appropriation.

Mr. HILL. I cannot claim even that much credit. I can say that I have been on the team which has sought to do the job.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Yes, indeed.

Since the distinguished Senator from Alabama bears the name of Lister, this means that he is the godson of the celebrated Joseph Lister, the founder of antiseptic surgery, under whom his beloved and skilled father studied at the halls of learning in London when Lister was a professor in one of the hospitals of London?

Mr. HILL. That is true.

Mr. DOUGLAS. The Senator is the godson of Joseph Lister?

Mr. HILL. I am not the godson. I bear his great and honored name.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Is it not true that Joseph Lister was nearly driven out of the medical profession by the British Medical Association because he said that surgery which was not antiseptic gave rise to infections and caused great mortality among the patients?

Mr. HILL. He was subjected to many attacks.

Mr. DOUGLAS. By the British Medical Association?

Mr. HILL. By men prominent in that association.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Is it not true that Lister was merely following the teachings of the great French physiologist, Louis Pasteur who discovered the germ theory of disease?

Mr. HILL. He applied the discoveries of Pasteur to surgery.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Is it not true that Pasteur was nearly driven from his chair at the University of Paris by the doctors and physiologists of France?

Mr. HILL. That is correct.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Looking back in history, is it not also true that Semmelweis —and in our country Oliver Wendell Holmes, Sr.—who discovered the cause of puerperal fever, resulting in death of

women in childbirth—the cause being the dirty hands of doctors—was nearly driven from the profession?

Mr. HILL. The truth is that poor Semmelweis was a martyr to the cause. He died, driven and hounded to his death.

Mr. DOUGLAS. He was driven to his death by the doctors?

Mr. HILL. That is true, because he insisted on washing his hands after he came out of the delivery room, before he delivered a second woman of a child.

Mr. DOUGLAS. It was thought that that was a reflection on the medical profession, who believed that their hands were always clean and could not have anything on them that would infect others.

#### Mr. HILL. Yes.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Is it not also true that Dr. Jenner, who developed the theory and practice of vaccination as a preventative, also was persecuted by the medical profession?

Mr. HILL. He was. He observed that the women in Scotland who milked cows and had cowpox largely secured an immunity from smallpox. That gave him the idea and he developed the vaccine which was the first vaccine we had against a dread disease.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Should not all the data from this test, including all procedures and results be made available not only to the sponsors of the drug but also to the entire scientific community?

Mr. HILL. I do not know what the practices are with reference to other drugs or what the reason may be for or against the proposal. I know of no reason why all the facts should not be made known.

Mr. DOUGLAS. The National Institutes of Health and the Food and Drug Administration should take cognizance of this exchange of questions and answers between the Senator from Illinois and the Senator from Alabama. The Senator from Alabama is the chief defender and sponsor of the National Institutes of Health, and certainly has been a strong force behind the Food and Drug Administration. I hope they listen to their master's voice, especially when he said, "The drug should be tested."

Mr. HILL. The Senator from Illinois is ascribing to me powers which do not exist. I have been very much interested in the work being done in the National Institutes of Health, and I have tried to help them. The Senator mentioned the American Medical Association. Only in the past several weeks the World Medical News, a publication of some very distinguished doctors and scientists, published a quotation from Dr. Hugh Hussy, former dean of Georgetown University Medical School, and now chairman of the council of scientific activities, in which Dr. Hussy said that, due to the medical research being conducted by the National Institutes, medical knowledge has been doubled in the past 10 years.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Mr. President, if the Senator will yield further, last year I delivered an address on the floor of the Senate, the chief substance of which concerned a statistical report made by Dr. Ivy on the clinical records of 4,200 cases. The number has since been increased to about 5,000. The clinical record showed objective improvement in 36 per cent of the cases; arrest of growth of tumor in about 54 per cent of the cases; and either no gain or retrogression in 10 per cent of the cases.

I have interviewed many people who have testified that they were on the point of death when they took Krebiozen and who have shown me their biopsy reports and medical records. They said that not only were they living, but that many of them were in excellent health, even

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though a great deal of time had passed.

I could detail many of these cases, but in consideration of the time element, I am forced not to do so.

But there has recently come into my possession a report made back in 1952 by a committee appointed by President George Stoddard of the University of Illinois, headed by Dr. Warren H. Cole. Their findings were, on the whole, adverse to Krebiozen, but an analysis of the material was printed in subsequent pages of the report, which I believe was never made available to the public.

I hold these findings in my hand. I will not say how I obtained a copy of them, but I have a copy of them. From page seven of the report I read the following statement:

"The clinical details of 15 cases were presented to the committee by Dr. Ivy and some of his associates (see app. A). Thirteen of these cases were presented in person. All of these cases showed subjective improvement of some type such as the relief of pain—"

Relief of pain is certainly subjective. Now let us notice the following, and I continue to read:

"Reduction in size of tumor, or retardation of growth, and the possible disappearance of the tumor in one case."

Reduction of the size of tumor is not a subjective improvement; it is an objective improvement.

Retardation of growth is not a subjective improvement. It is at least holding one's own, and is objective.

The possible disappearance of a tumor in one case was certainly objective.

The committee apparently said these were subjective in order that they might brush them away. But they go on and say:

"Judged by this presentation alone, Krebiozen would appear to have beneficial effects."

But the committee went on to say:

"No opinion of any kind can be expressed concerning these patients until after a period of several months. It was a selected group, and there was no very good reason to assume that the final outcome would be different from that of the remainder of the series."

That was in September 1952. If my information is correct, the committee never asked to see those patients again.

I am also informed, as of July 1963, that eight of the 15 patients are still alive after 11 years. A study of these cases in the appendix indicates that a considerable portion of the 15 were in their 50's and 60's. Therefore, some would be expected to die under the ordinary operations of the mortality table, regardless of whether or not they had cancer.

I think it is up to the National Institutes of Health, and also to the Illinois commission which has been appointed to deal with this matter, headed by the President of the Illinois Medical Association, to examine the eight survivors who, 11 or 12 years ago, took Krebiozen when they were in a very difficult situation, to ascertain what their present condition is. All I am asking is that there be a test.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Is it not true that the teachings of Lister were brought to this country by the celebrated Dr. W. W. Keen, who, after the Civil War, went to Scotland and studied under Lister and then came back to practice in Philadelphia, and who was virtually driven out of practice in Philadelphia by the medical association and was only saved by some adventurous people on the board of the Pennsylvania General Hospital.

Mr. HILL. Dr. Keen was, according to history, the first American surgeon to use Lister's methods in Philadelphia.

Mr. DOUGLAS. As a young man, I spent an evening with Dr. W. W. Keen, who spoke of the persecution he had been subjected to by the leaders of the medical profession in the city of Philadelphia.

Mr. HILL. He was a very remarkable man. Keen's 14-volume work was almost a bible for surgery procedures.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Is it not true that Robert Koch, developer of 606, who did work on tuberculosis, suffered from persecution by the German medical association?

Mr. HILL. He did, as William Harvey, the discoverer of the circulation of the blood, had suffered.

Mr. DOUGLAS. So the medical profession in many instances sought to persecute and defeat the professional men who were later hailed as great discoverers?

Mr. HILL. There are a great number of instances of that kind.

Mr. DOUGLAS. In order that the position of the Senator from Illinois may be made clear, I do not claim that the drug Krebiozen is a cure for cancer. Neither has Dr. Ivy or Dr. Durovic, the discoverers of the drug, made such a claim. Dr. Ivy merely says that there should be a thorough test of the drug.

Would not the distinguished Senator from Alabama, the bearer of the proud name of Joseph Lister, agree that the way for the drug to be tested is to test it, rather than argue about it, and that the fair and proper way would be for the National Institutes of Health to undertake a fair, impartial, and controlled scientific test and investigation of the drug in the laboratory and in the hospitals?

Mr. HILL. The drug should be tested. Many thousands of drugs have been tested in the past. I believe this drug should be tested, as thousands of other drugs have been tested.

Mr. DOUGLAS. I thank the Senator.

That is all I have been claiming.

Is it not true that many drugs highly toxic in nature have been tested by the National Cancer Institute?

Mr. HILL. Undoubtedly the Food and Drug Administration and the Cancer Institute both have tested many such drugs.

Mr. DOUGLAS. That are toxic?

Mr. HILL. Toxic drugs. I think this drug ought to have the same tests, under the same procedures, that other drugs have had. In other words, I believe in equal justice.

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Mr. DOUGLAS. The great Senator from Tennessee is one of the Senators who have joined us in sponsoring Senate Resolution 101, which started with 11 sponsors, and which received three more this morning. A moment ago an additional sponsor was added, when the Senator from Texas [Mr. Yarborough] joined us. The Senator from Delaware [Mr. Williams] has also joined us, and he will have personal testimony to give on the subject tomorrow, I believe.

Mr. McNAMARA. I am not so much concerned with the individual as with the legislation passed under the leadership of the Senator from Tennessee.

Mr. DOUGLAS. It is fine legislation.

Mr. McNAMARA. The Senator from Tennessee is a fine legislator. However, I am talking about the legislation, and not about the Senator. We must keep in mind, if we are writing legislative history, that those for whom the Senator is speaking at this time have not performed in this matter as the other side has performed.

Mr. DOUGLAS. We are not asking for any exemption in any degree from the legislation. We are merely asking that the Food and Drug Administration and the National Institutes of Health be willing to test this drug in the same way

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it has tested thousands of other products and not multiply difficulties.

Mr. McNAMARA. The Senator from Illinois and I will have no difference of opinion on that point, if they meet the same qualifications that the others meet. I agree with the chairman of the committee that certain conditions should be met.

Mr. DOUGLAS. Why should not the requirements be set in advance instead of having certain people keep them in their pocket and bring them out one by one?

Mr. YARBOROUGH. Mr. President, will the Senator yield?

Mr. DOUGLAS. I yield.

Mr. YARBOROUGH. The distinguished Senator from Illinois has mentioned the fact that I have asked to be listed as a cosponsor of the resolution. That was done in response to a request from people in my State. I know responsible people there who have been treated with this drug and who have said that the treatment has been beneficial. I know some responsible and well educated people who say they owe their lives to the use of Krebiozen. Some of these people have medical doctors in their family who say so also. That is the reason why I have joined as a cosponsor.

I know it is said, "But the American Medical Association has pronounced Krebiozen to be a fraud." Perhaps it may be; I do not say that it is not. But the doctors in the past, as the review of the evidence showed, branded Jenner, Semmelweis, Oliver Wendell Holmes, Sr., Pasteur, Lister, Koch, and Keen as charlatans. I simply say that these matters are too important to be left to specialists or to the medical bureaucracy. Napoleon said that war is too important to be left to the generals. We go on the assumption in the Senate that foreign relations are too important to be left to the diplomats. It seems to me that this question is too important to leave purely to doctors, because a feud has developed between Dr. Ivy, a distinguished and outstanding physiologist in this country, on the one hand, and the American Medical Association on the other. I should like to read something about Dr. Ivy, whom I have known for many years.

First, he set up the Naval Medical Research Institute at Bethesda and served as its Director for nearly a year.

He was president of the American Physiological Society from 1939 to 1941.

He was selected by the American Medical Association's Board of Trustees to represent the Allied Governments at the trials of the German medical men after World War II.

He was vice president of the University of Illinois and was in charge of its medical schools.

Dr. Ivy has contributed a dozen or more papers on cancer research to leading medical journals—at least, he did before he sponsored Krebiozen. Since then, it has been almost impossible to have any journal publish his articles.

Dr. Ivy has discovered a number of the hormones of the human body.

Dr. Ivy was named executive director of the National Advisory Cancer Council and served from 1947 to 1951. He advised the U.S. Public Health Service on cancer research because of his wide knowledge and background.

He was a director of the American Cancer Society.

Dr. Ivy is one of the foremost pathologists and medical and cancer research experts in the country today.

I knew Dr. Ivy first when he was a colleague of mine at the University of Chicago, under the great physiologist Anton J. Carlson. It was our great regret that Northwestern University and the University of Illinois were able to (Continued next page)

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get him away from us. I am sorry to say that he was largely forced out of the University of Illinois and barred from the Chicago Medical Association because of his defense of Krebiozen.

I do not believe that the Government should be placed in the position of summarily rejecting, without a test, a product that this man spent many years of his life testing and which he believes to be effective, both subjectively in reducing pain, and objectively in reducing or affecting or managing malignant tumors.

Let me make it clear again that certain newspapers have misrepresented my position. I am not a doctor, a physiologist, or a cancer expert. I am not personally competent to deal with this subject. I simply say it is a subject which deserves a fair test in the laboratory and in the hospitals; it is not a subject to be fought out on the floor of the Senate or in other public forums. We must clear a lot of the ground before the medical politicians and bureaucrats will permit the work to get under way.

There are four political parties in this body: liberal Democrats, conservative Democrats, conservative Republicans, and liberal Republicans — four parties, not two. But there is a fifth party in the country which is more powerful than any of these four, or all four combined, and it is the bureaucracy. God forbid the day when the bureaucracy takes over and makes the laws and institutions of this country.

I hope we may count on the Senator from Alabama, the source of wisdom and the source of funds for the National Institutes of Health, to bring his great influence to bear to see to it that Dr. Ivy does not go the way of Semmelweis, and that we get a fair test.

Mr. HUMPHREY. Mr. President, will the Senator from Alabama yield?

Mr. HILL. I yield.

Mr. HUMPHREY. What the Senator from Illinois [Mr. Douglas] has said in reference to a fair test for any drug is surely within the national and public interest. A government that is interested in medical research ought to undertake such a test. I believe this has been fully substantiated by the argument today and by the statement of the Senator from Alabama.

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Mr. HUMPHREY. One further point. I read very carefully the report on the matter of the communication of research findings-on what we might call information activities by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. The Senator from Alabama may recall that the Food and Drug Administration recently announced that it wished to establish a drug clearinghouse as a means of improving the communication of medical information, particularly that in regard to drugs. I do not know whether the Food and Drug Administration submitted a specific project on that subject, but at least the report we have would indicate a need for reporting to Congress on this matter, because I note that the report states that next year the Department will expect a definitive report on the ways in which the service can assist in the implementation of the recommendations made in the Dwyer report, and also states that increasing attention must be paid to the problem of making more effective use of new scientific knowledge in the health sciences field. Certainly the hearings held by the committees of both Houses indicate the need for a drug information clearinghouse; and unless one is provided, we shall have increasing problems, in the entire field of new drug application, in finding new ways to make use of the side effects of drugs, and new ways to avail ourselves of the therapeutic value of new drugs.

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#### Doctors Criticized on Polio Vaccine Silence

Palo Alto, California—A venteran leader of the American Medical Association, Dr. Russel V. Lee of Palo Alto, yesterday charged that the AMA hierarchy is top-heavy with small-town doctors who fight progress.

"It is certain that many physicians do not subscribe to policies laid down by the AMA board," Dr. Lee told a symposium in Palo Alto.

"But as the organization is presently set up, they are never heard."

#### Symposium

The day-long symposium at Palo Alto High School, sponsored by the Palo Alto Medical Clinic, also featured the views of Dr. Edward R. Annis, president-elect of the AMA.

The AMA in turn was vigorously criticized by Nelson H. Cruikshank, director of the Social Security Department of the AFL-CIO.

Cruikshank charged that the organization had resorted to "a shameful distortion of facts" in its campaign to block congressional approval of the Kennedy "Medicare" program for care of persons over 65 through the Social Security payment system.

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The labor official argued that such "distortion" had undermined public con-

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fidence in the judgment of practicing physicians.

But Dr. Annis asked his critics: "Because some people need help, must we establish a system of State and Federal medicine for all people, just because they've had a birthday?"

In reply to statements that the AMA does not represent the medical rank and file, Dr. Annis declared that the organization represents 76 per cent of America's physicians, "while an official of the AFL-CIO said only yesterday that his union represents only 38 per cent of all eligible workmen."

Dr. Lee, an emeritus clinical professor of medicine at Stanford University and head of the Palo Alto Medical Clinic, has fought for drastic reforms in the AMA for more than a decade.

#### **Disneyland and Knotts Berry Farm**

In connection with the annual meeting and convention of the National Health Federation, which will be held at the Hotel Biltmore, Los Angeles, California, on January 1, 2, 3, and 4, 1964, we have chartered buses. to take delegates who so desire to Disneyland and Knotts Berry Farm. The buses will leave the Biltmore at 10 a.m. and return 4:30 p.m. The total fare will be \$3.50. All reservations must be in our hands not later than December 15, 1963. Reservations must be accompanied with the necessary funds to cover the cost of the reservation. There will be no refunds, unless the reservations are cancelled on or before December 15. This trip will be made only on New Years Day.

#### WASHINGTON REPORT

#### Legislative Workshop by Clinton R. Miller

Abbreviations used: H.R.-A bill in the House of Representatives. H. Res.-A resolution in the House of Representatives. H.J. Res.-A joint resolution in the House of Representatives. S-A bill in the Senate. S.J. Res.-A joint resolution in the Senate.

#### GOOD "GREEN LIGHT" BILLS

	GREEN LIGHT Bills with: Number Sponsor Description	COMMITTEE or SUBCOMMIT- TEE and Chairman and present status of the bill.	INSTRUCTIONS and SUGGES- TIONS	
	S. J. Res. 101, Douglas (D) III.; Kefauver (D) Tenn.; Bayh (D) Ind.; Case (R) N.J.; Wil- liams, Jr. (D) N.J.; Javits (R) N.Y.; Keating (R) N.Y.; Scott (R) Pa.; Pell (D) R.I.; Proxmire (D) Wis. Directs the Food and Drug Administration to with- hold action on Krebiozen's drug application until completion of a fair test by the National Institutes of Health. Author- izes \$250,000 for the test.	Senate Subcommittee on Health. Senator Lister Hill, Chairman. Members of the sub- committee are Senators Yar- borough (D) Texas, Williams (D) N.J., Pell (D) R.I., Javits (R) N.Y.; and Tower (R) Texas. It is significant that Senators Williams, Bell, and Javits are co-sponsors of the bill. 50% of the subcommittee have co- sponsored. Hearings will not be held until Senator Lister Hill agrees to them. The only Hill in the way of the bill is the distinguished Senator from Ala.	<ol> <li>Phone, person to person to Senator Hill and urge him to hold hearings, or report out the bill at once! WRITE if you don't phone.</li> <li>Call your own Senators person to person, and urge him to urge Senator Hill to take immediate action. KEEP CALLING OR WRITING UNTIL ACTION IS TAKENI REFUSE TO TALK TO ANYONE BUT YOUR SENATOR. THIS IS A MATTER OF LIFE OR DEATH. YOUR CALL TO YOUR SEN- ATOR MIGHT TURN THE TIDE.</li> </ol>	
KREBIOZEN	House Krebiozen Resolutions (identical to S. J. Res. 101), H.J. Res. 567, O'Neill, J.T. (D) Mass.; H.J. Res. 573, Lindsay (R) N.Y.; H.J. Res. 570, Hal- pern (R) N.Y.; H.J. Res. 577, Wydler (R) N.Y.; H.J. Res. 583, Pike (D) N.Y.; H.J. Res. 588, Multer (D) N.Y.; H.J. Res. 601, Rosenthal (D) N.Y.; H.J. Res. 578, Minish (D) N.J.; H.J. Res. 578, Minish (D) N.J.; H.J. Res. 578, Joelson (D) N.J. and H.J. Res. 564, Libonati (D) III.; H.J. Res. 574, Whalley (R) Pa. These H.J. Resolutions are identical with S.J. Resolutions 101 (above). These were intro- duced by Aug. 1. Others are expected by the time you read this.	House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Repre- sentative Oren Harris (D) Ark., Chairman. Rep. Kenneth Rob- erts of Alabama is the Chair- man of the Subcommittee on Health. The subcommittee will act first on the bill.	<ol> <li>Phone, person to person to Representative Roberts and urge him to hold hearings, or report out the bill at oncel Write if you don't phone.</li> <li>Call your own Representa- tive person to person or write and urge him to sponsor the Krebiozen joint resolution.</li> <li>Ask him to request Rep. Roberts take immediate action. KEEP CALLING OR WRITING UNTIL ACTION IS TAKENI REFUSE TO TALK TO ANYONE BUT YOUR REPRESENTATIVE. THIS IS A MATTER OF LIFE OR DEATH. YOUR CALL TO YOUR REPRESENTATIVE MIGHT TURN THE TIDE.</li> </ol>	
	H.R. 3408 Libonati (D., III.). When a biological product like Krebiozen is refused license by NIH, this bill would provide for judicial review of the agency order.	Good News! Hearings were held July 9th by House Sub- committee on Health. Rep. Roberts (D., Ala.) was Chair- man. NHF testified for the bill with Rep. Libonati. The Ad- ministration has no objection to the bill, but proposed crip- pling amendments. Committee now considers and accepts or rejects HEW's proposed amend- ments. No further action pres- ently scheduled.	Well Donell Congratulations!! Hundreds of cards detached from our May Bulletin helped get hearings. No one wrote or appeared against the bill. Now write your Representative and ask him to urge early commit- tee action and to vote for the bill (H.R. 3408) when it comes to the floor of the House.	

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AIR POLLUTION	S. 432, Air Pollution Control. Senator Ribicoff (D). The bill is co-sponsored by Senators Mansfield (D) Montana; Hum- phrey (D) Minnesota; Kuchel (R) Calif.; Randolph (D) West Virginia; Young (D) Ohio; Boggs (R) Delaware; Bartlett (D) Alaska; Bible (D) Nevada; Cannon (D) Nevada; Dodd (D) Connecticut; Inouye (D) Ha- waii; Long (D) Missouri; Mc- Gee (D) Wyoming; Morse (D) Oregon; Nelson (D) Wisconsin; Pell (D) Rhode Island; Wil- liams (D) New Jersey. Note 18 co-sponsors.	Senate Committee on Public Works. Senator Pat McNamara (D) Michigan, Chairman. Early hearings before this committee are very possible if enough public support is forthcoming. The ranking members of the committee are also co-sponsors of the bill—Senators Randolph, Young and Muskie. Senator Ribicoff will also hold hear- ings in his government opera- tions subcommittee, but his is not a legislative committee. It is the Public Works Commit- tee that must hold hearings in order to pass a law.	<ol> <li>Write to the sponsors. Compliment them and encour- age them to work for early hearings.</li> <li>Write to Senator McNa- mara. Urge early hearings be- fore his committee.</li> <li>Write your own Congress- men and urge them to work for early hearings. (They will forward your letters to the Committee.)</li> </ol>
TROL	H.R. 5849 Rep. Giaimo (D., Conn.). S. 736) TAX RELIEF for air and water pollution control expenditures. By Senator Ribi- coff, (D) Conn. Co-sponsored by Senators Bible (D) Nevada; Boggs (R) Delaware; Cannon (D) Nevada; Dodd (D) Con- necticut; Hart (D) Michigan; Humphrey (D) Minnesota; In- ouye (D) Hawaii; Kuchel (R) California; Long (D) Missouri; Magnuson (D) Washington; McGee (D) Wyoming; Randolph (D) West Virginia; Williams (D) New Jersey; Muskie (D) Maine; McIntyre (D) New Hampshire; Pell (D) Rhode Island.	House Committee on Ways and Means Wilbur D. Mills (D., Ark.) Chairman. House action must originate all tax legislation. No action taken yet or scheduled.	<ol> <li>Congratulate and encourage the sponsors of the bills.</li> <li>Write to Wilbur D. Mills and encourage early hearings on H.R. 5849.</li> <li>Write your own Representative and ask him to work in your behalf for early hearings.</li> <li>Once House action is taken, Senate will be easy.</li> </ol>
AIR AND WATER POLLUTION CONTROL	S. 649, Senator Muskie (D) Maine. To aid in preventing, controlling and abating pollu- tion of interstate waters. Co- sponsored by Senators Clark (D) Pennsylvania; Douglas (D) Illinois; Engle (D) California; Gruening (D) Alaska; Hart (D) Michigan; Humphrey (D) Min- nesota; Inouye (D) Hawaii; Long (D) Missouri; Magnuson (D) Washington; McCarthy (D) Minnesota; McGee (D) Wyo- ming; Moss (D) Utah; Neuber- ger (D) Oregon; Pell (D) Rhode Island; Randolph (D) West Vir- ginia; Ribicoff (D) Connecticut; Williams (D) New Jersey; Young (D) Chio.	Senate Committee on Public Works, Senator Pat McNamara (D., Mich.), Chairman. Senator Muskie is a ranking member as are Young and Gruening. Sen. Muskie is also the Chair- man of the special subcom- mittee which held open an executive hearing July 17-26. Hearings were held at the same time on S-649, S-737, S-1118 and S-1183.	<ol> <li>If you have a special inter- est in water and air pollution control, write to the special subcommittee on air and water pollution of the Committee on Public Works, c/o United States Senate and ask for a free copy of the June 17-26 hearings.</li> <li>Study the testimony and write any suggestions you have to the subcommittee c/o Senator Muskie.</li> </ol>
	S-737, to provide low-interest loans to small business for water- and air-pollution treat- ment works. By Senator Ribi- coff (D) Conn. Co-sponsored by same Senators as S-736 plus Senator Young (D) Ohio.	Same as above.	Same as above.
	S. 1118 Metcalf (D., Mont.), S. 1183 Newburger (D., Oreg.), Douglas (D., III.), Long (D., Mo.), Magnuson (D., Wash.), McIntyre (D., N.H.), Nelson (D., Wis.). Bills requiring de- tergents to comply with stand- ards of degradability.	Same as above.	Same as above.

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	H.R. 4057 Pike (D., N.Y.). Pro- hibits prejudging publicity and stops "trial by press release."	Committee on Judiciary Eman- uel Celler (D., N.Y.) Chairman. The Subcommittee on Adminis- trative Procedure has been dis- banded (July '63). Rep. Walter (D., Pa.) died of cancer, and his subcommittee has been dis- solved.	Take no action. The likelihood of action in the House without a subcommittee is very slim. Concentrate all attention on S. 1663 by Senators Long and Dirkson which contains pro- vision against trial-by-press-re- lease.
	S. 1663 Long (D., Mo.), Dirk- sen (R., III.) Omnibus bill cov- ering government agency re- forms. Includes safeguards against trial by publicity. Takes place of H.R. 9926 of 87th Congress. Contains Hoo- ver, American Bar Association, and Kennedy's Administrative conference of '61 and '62 rec- ommendations.	Senate Subcommittee on Ad- ministrative practice and pro- cedure. Edward V. Long (D., Mo.) Chairman and chief spon- sor of S. 1663. Senator Dirk- sen ranking and only minority member of 5-man subcommittee is co-sponsor. Other members are Hart (D., Mich.), Kennedy (D., Mass.) and Bayh (D., Ind.)	Write sponsors at once and compliment them for introduc- ing the bill. Write other mem- bers of the committee express- ing your approval. Hearings will not be held for over 6 months (early 1964) until agency comment has been made, so there is no need to press for hearings until this is done. It is important, how- ever to write approval and compliments to sponsors.
FUND DRIVES	H.R. 346 Herlong (D) Fla. To prevent charity funds graft by requiring full public disclosure of funds records. This is H.R. 9319 of last year reintroduced.	House Committee on Ways and Means. Tax bills are presently being considered and have priority.	No direct concerted action now.
YOUTH COUNSELOR	H.R. (#) Ashbrook (R) Ohio. This is to be a reintro- duction of Rep. Ashbrook's H.R. 10508 of last year. It requires all guidance and personality tests to be submitted to par- ents for their consent before being given. It will be rein- troduced soon.	To be referred to House Com- mittee on Education and Labor Administration. C. Powell (D) of New York, Chairman. Not introduced yet, hence no num- ber. A feud between Chair- man Powell and sponsor Ash- brock, a committee member, on another matter makes it unlikely we'll get early House action. We will try for a Sen- ate sponsor.	Rep. Ashbrook was responsible for a reduced budget for his Committee Chairman, Adam C. Powell. Their feud was bit- ter. It greatly reduces chances for hearings before Powell's committee. We will have to shift to Senate. Write to your Senator and encourage him to sponsor this bill.

#### BAD BILLS

	RED LIGHT BILLS NUMBER Sponsor Description	COMMITTEE or SUBCOMMIT- TEE and CHAIRMAN — with present status of bill and an- ticipated action.	INSTRUCTIONS and SUGGES- TIONS
HEALTH DICTATORSHIP	H.R. 728 Abraham Multer (D) N.Y. Makes U.S. President a Dictator of Health. This is H.R. 828 of last (87th) Congress reintroduced.	House Committee on Banking and Currency. Rep. Brent Spence (D) Kentucky, Chair- man. No action taken, antic- ipated or scheduled.	Watch this column. Write to House Dacument Room, Wash- ington, D.C. and ask for a free copy of H.R. 728. Then show this fantastic blueprint for a U.S. health dictatorship to your newspapers and unaware friends.
FLUORIDATION	S. 1208 Lister Hill (D) Ala. H.R. 5682 Harris (D) Ark. This is 5. 917 and H.R. 4742 of the 87th Session. These are identical bills which would give \$7,000, 000.00 in '64 and increase each year till \$17,000,000.00 in '68 to be used for promotion of fluoridation and other pur- poses.	S-1208 Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, Senator Lister Hill (D) Chair- man. H.R. 5482, House Com- mittee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Harris (D) Ark., Chairman. Reported favorably from Senate committee in June. Goes to Senate floor.	Immediately write your Sen- ators to oppose this bill (Sen- ate Bill 1208 by Lister Hill). This bill authorizes HEW to spend millions of dollars to promote fluoridation and other drugs as part of a system of mass medication. If we can keep it in the Senate like we did in '62, we won't have to kill it in the House.

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- Please make a note: Due to circumstances over which the Federation has no control, we have changed the location of our September Midwest Convention.
- The new location will be the famous Sheraton-Cleveland Hotel in Cleveland, Ohio. The exhibits and convention proper will be held in the new Grand Ballroom Exhibit and Convention Hall. ci
- The dates, September 25, 26, 27 and 28, will be the same as previously announced. 3.
- The one-day conventions held in San Francisco. Phoenix and Salt Lake City were outstanding successes and more of these will be held in the future. 4.
- is in our plans at this time to present to the convention one of the most important projects the Federation has ever undertaken and It is important that we have a large attendance at Cleveland as it one that is very vital. 5
  - Last, but not least, the Ninth Annual Meeting and Convention of the Federation will be held in Los Angeles, California, January 1, 2, 3, and 4, 1964. Mark your calendar. More about these two conventions later. .9
- 7. We added eight pages to this issue and yet there is not enough space.

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