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Patrolman 'Breaks Train of Thought' To Prevent Golden Gate Bridge Suicides

San Francisco—(U.P.)—A California highway patrolman who figures he has helped prevent more than 250 suicides from the Golden Gate Bridge said today the way to do it is to "break their train of thought."

Once he even threatened to shoot a would-be jumper. The man came down.

Each Different Problem
"Each one is a different problem and has to be handled differently," said Patrolman James A. Morgan. "But the one thing that always works is distracting the person from his purpose."

Morgan, 43, is a veteran of 18 years with the California Highway Department. He has worked in a patrol car out of the Golden Gate Bridge office for the past 10 years, and blocking suicide attempts is part of the routine.

Official records show that about 135 persons have taken a fatal 220-foot plunge from the world's longest suspension bridge into San Francisco Bay since 1937, when the bridge was opened. Morgan believes the figure is too low.

Doubtful Cases
"If there is any doubt about a case it isn't listed in the records," he said. "I've seen more than a hundred go over the side myself."

Morgan believes there is a definite pattern in Golden Gate suicides. Most of them occur between 11 p.m. and 3 a.m. The weather usually has been depressing. And, mysteriously, it is more than likely "three days

on either side of the wane of the moon."

"A person's resistance is lowest after 11 o'clock at night," the patrolman said. "On top of that, a lot of them come out after they've been drinking all evening to get courage to jump."

From his bridge-rail observations Morgan has concluded more men than women try to

dive off the bridge, and domestic trouble is the most common motive behind the attempt. This is followed by financial woe and illness.

Distract Them
"If you can distract them somehow from what they're trying to do you can usually save them," he said.

"This one guy comes out one night and I spot him on the rail in the center of the bridge. I tell him to get down and he says he won't. So I pull out my service revolver and point it at him and say 'If you don't come down I'll shoot you.'"

"The thought of being shot scares hell out of him. He forgets all about jumping in the bay."

Morgan's job has its dangerous moments. More than once he has engaged in perilous wrestling matches with people poised on the brink of death. "They've got superhuman strength when they're like that," he said.

Job Has Rewards
The job has its rewards, too. Once Morgan pulled back a 15-year-old girl who was pregnant and said she wanted to "get even" with her boy friend by killing herself.

"I told her that was exactly what the guy wanted—to get rid of her. I told her the best way to get even with him was to stay alive," the patrolman said.

The girl is happily married now and has four children. She sends Morgan a Christmas present every year.

Heart Operation Over, Boy To Start School on Monday

Applegate—Jimmy Christensen, 8, who has been released from a California hospital after recovering from a serious heart operation, has returned to his Applegate home. Jimmy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arion Christensen, state that he expects to return to the third grade at Applegate school next Monday.

The boy was hospitalized for a month after the operation, during which surgeons at St. John's hospital in Santa Monica, transplanted a blood vessel from his shoulder to the region of the heart in order that it might function properly. Mrs. Christensen reports that during Jimmy's stay in the hospital, five other patients from all parts of the United States underwent delicate heart surgery at St. John's hospital, where surgeons specialize in heart cases.

Neighbors Assist
Mrs. Christensen said Tuesday that during the family's stay in California neighbors cared for the stock on their cattle ranch, and that before their return, women of the neighborhood cleaned the house and put everything in readiness for their arrival. Earlier friends from various parts of the county had sponsored a community dance at which more than \$200 was collected and given to Jimmy for his "heart fund," and she said the entire family is deeply grateful to all who had helped them.

Jimmy has an older brother, 11, and a younger brother who is 3 years old.

Voluntary Mortgage Credit Program Starts

Portland—The voluntary home mortgage credit program of the federal Housing and Home Finance agency got under way yesterday. An office is being opened in the post office building here.

The program set up under the HHFA to assist prospective home buyers or builders in financing when other sources are unavailable, operates by facilitating the flow of mortgage money from areas or regions where such money is plentiful to others where it is scarce.

The Portland office is for Region 15, which covers the states of Oregon, Washington, northern Idaho and Alaska, with some exceptions.

Home buyers or builders who cannot get local financing can submit their applications to the VHMCP office, which will then circulate the application to lenders in other areas.

SUNDAY WORK OK
Warwick, Va.—(U.P.)—The city council gave up trying to enforce a law prohibiting "unnecessary" work on Sunday when no one could define what work is "necessary."



MILITARY PAY BOOST—Admiral Arthur Radford (left) Chairman of Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Defense Secy. Charles E. Wilson appear before a House Armed Services Subcommittee in support of Administration's proposed \$729,660,000 a year military pay boost. Wilson said that pay now is inadequate.

Around Hollywood

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Hollywood—(U.P.)—To most new actors, being compared to a big star is a fate worse than a dropped option, but Richard Egan beams when he's called the "New Clark Gable."

Even Gable is a younger carbon copy. The resemblance was startling when 20th Century-Fox tested Egan, its new glamour boy, for a role in a new Gable-Jane Russell epic.

"They didn't know whether I should be Gable's brother or his rival in the picture," said Egan today. "So they tested me in a mustache."

"When Gable saw me he said, 'Why, there's my younger brother.' It was uncanny. We even have the same broadness in the shoulders," said the actor flexing his shoulder muscles.

"The director said we looked like a twin act. 'I don't think it's detrimental to be compared to a big star,' he added."

"After all this guy has more appeal than any actor in the history of motion pictures."

The deep-voiced, broad-shouldered bachelor is the only Gable-type among the new leading men, most of whom are younger and own such names as Rock, Lance, Tab and Race. Now 23, Egan first got solid acting experience by teaching speech and drama at the University of San Francisco, studying at Stanford and working in 20 plays in that area.

Bills in Legislature

Salem—(U.P.)—The Oregon House has voted unanimous approval of a Senate-passed resolution backing President Eisenhower and the Congress for their stand on Formosa.

Salem—(U.P.)—The Oregon House has unanimously passed a Senate-approved resolution extending a formal invitation to former President Herbert Hoover to come to Newberg, Ore., Aug. 10, on his 81st birthday, when his former home, now restored, will be dedicated as a historical shrine.

Dead line Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday; 10 a.m. Monday for Monday; other days 5:30 previous day.



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