

Cigarettes Said To Outrank Other Causes of Lung Cancer

New York - (UP) - Outdoor work, heavy drinking, and frequent respiratory illnesses are statistically significant in lung cancer but are far out-ranked by cigarette smoking, the newest study of the problem showed today.

Of 500 lung cancer victims whose personal and ancestral histories were minutely investigated, about one-fifth were outdoor workers, about one-seventh were heavy drinkers, and one-third were frequently ill of respiratory troubles. But more than nine-tenths were cigarette smokers and four-fifths had smoked two packs or more a day for years.

The study was made by Drs. Herbert L. Lombard and Leonid S. Sniegoff of Harvard University, Tufts College, and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. It took seven years and was designed to meet criticism of previous statistical studies of

relations between cigarette smoking and lung cancer. Such criticism has been made by the tobacco industry and some statisticians.

This new study showed that 80 per cent of the victims had smoked more than 9,125 packs of cigarettes, or two packs a day for 12½ years. But the average lifetime consumption of the group was about 15,000 packs, or 20 years at two packs a day.

It found that the younger patients were among 36 who had smoked less than 5,475 packs in their lifetimes. This was the sole exception to the study's finding that "the total number of packs smoked... is the important variable, and it makes no difference whether the total effect was accumulated over a short or a long period of time," the scientists said in reporting to a technical organ of the American Cancer Society.

The younger patients had

smoked two packs a day for no longer than seven and a half years before developing lung cancer. The report said this "exception" suggested that persons who started smoking while young were slightly more liable to lung cancer than others. Only eight of the 500 were non-smokers and 19 others didn't smoke cigarettes. They smoked pipes or cigars.

Timothy V. Hartnett, chairman of the Tobacco Industry Research Committee, said he found the reporting "interesting in that it is one survey that shows factors other than smoking which are significantly related to the incidence of lung cancer."

He noted that Lombard and Sniegoff acknowledge that their statistics could not prove that cigarette smoking is a direct cause of lung cancer. This is the position of the Tobacco Industry Research Committee and of many scientists, he added.

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

A GROUP OF distinguished young doctors took it upon themselves to make a chemical analysis of women, and turned in this shattering report:

SYMBOL: WO.
AVERAGE WEIGHT: 118.
OCCURRENCE: Wherever man is found.
PHYSICAL PROPERTIES: Great attraction to gold, mink and precious stones. Violent reaction if left alone. Able to absorb incredible amounts of expensive food matter. Turn green when placed beside better-looking specimens. Useful as an equalizer in the distribution of wealth. Probably the most effective income-reducing agent known.



CAUTION: Highly explosive in inexperienced hands. Completely unpredictable; should be watched closely at all times.

Sign on a reducing salon in Beverly Hills: "The Thinner Sanctum."
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Harriman Urges More Foreign Aid

Washington - (UP) - Former New York Governor Averell Harriman urged Congress today to rewrite President Eisenhower's \$3,900,000,000 foreign aid program by providing twice as much money for overseas development loans.

Harriman, who once directed the foreign aid program, told the Senate Foreign Relations committee the President's request "does not measure up to the critical situation we face in the world today."

In his prepared statement, Harriman asked the committee to approve instead the plan proposed by its chairman, Sen. J. William Fulbright (D-Ark.). This would put \$1,500,000,000 a year into the development loan fund for the next five years. It also would eliminate the fund's dependence on year-to-year appropriations by congress.

Eisenhower asked \$700 million for the loan fund for the 1960 fiscal year starting July 1.

Apostolic Envoy To U. S. Arrives

New York - (UP) - The Most Rev. Egidio Vagnozzi, new apostolic delegate to the United States, arrives today en route to Washington to assume his new post.

The 53-year-old archbishop was an apostolic delegation official in Washington from 1932 until 1942, serving under Amleto Cardinal Cicognani, who was named to the Sacred College of Cardinals last fall and who now is in Rome.

Lead is eleven and one-third times heavier than water.

Woman, 64, Killed In Rear-End Crash

Pendleton - (UP) - Mrs. Isabella Craig French, 64, White Swan, Wash., was killed instantly Thursday when the car in which she was riding was struck from behind near here on old Highway 30.

Three other persons in the car, Mrs. Amanda Watlamat, 38, also White Swan, and her two children, Steven, 3, and Pamela, 2, were in serious condition in St. Anthony's hospital here.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

From PONDOSA: This tiny Eastern Oregon community, the nearest town to the NEW GEOGRAPHICAL CENTER of the United States, was sold at auction yesterday for \$33,925. The property, which was sold as individual units, included a sawmill, ten industrial buildings, a general store, a hotel and 53 homes, and 280 acres of land.

Its half dozen families and a few local ranchers viewed the demise of the community with remorse.

Why was PONDOSA sold? The answer is interesting. The timber in the area was CUT OUT and so the sawmilling MOVED ON.

IT'S an old story. In its day, it was a tragic story. Its day is rather recent. Three decades ago—even TWO decades ago—the story of the demise of PONDOSA would have sent shivers running up and down our spines here in the State of Jefferson, where TIMBER is our biggest basic resource.

We would then have looked forward forebodingly to the time when OUR timber would be cut out and the lumber industry would have moved on—if by then there was anywhere to move on to.

SOMETHING NEW has been added.

This new ingredient in our economy is intelligent conservation for use. Because of intelligent conservation, our timber is no longer something to be MINED, like the gold of our early days, and when mined FORGOTTEN.

Timber now is a CROP. It RENEWS itself—just like barley, or pears, or spuds or grass. Because it grows out of the ground and renews itself from year to year, it will always be here for us to use.

So the old fear is gone. Gone for good—so long as we use good conservation practices.

ANOTHER new ingredient has been added—FIBER.

By converting trees into fiber, vast new uses for our timber crop have been added. The fiber industry has glowingly optimistic prospects. Its possibilities are unlimited. They're even talking about disposable shirts to be made of paper. You'll wear 'em and throw 'em away. They're talking of disposable dresses to be made of tough, stretchable paper—and worn once and then discarded.

In the residue from the fiber industry there are valuable materials. Competent scientists tell us that a generation hence wood chemistry will equal petrochemistry. And so on.

IN conclusion—One word of caution. The fiber industry requires WATER. Water in vast quantities.

Here in Southern Oregon and Far Northern California, we must PROTECT OUR WATER as we protect our lives.

We mustn't let it get away from us.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars

To develop message for Saturday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

DATE	TAURUS	GEMINI	CANCER	LEO	VIRGO
MAR. 21	1 Good	11 Excite	10 A	21 Friendly	27 Good
APR. 20	2 An	12 New	11 A	22 Vain	28 Name
MAY 21	3 New	13 Money	12 A	23 Talk	29 News
JUN 21	4 Better	14 Not	13 A	24 Antagonistic	30 Branches
JUL 21	5 Business	15 Channel	14 A	25 And	31 And
AUG 21	6 Attractive	16 Cross	15 A	26 Neglected	32 Focus
SEPT 21	7 Try	17 Wealth	16 A	27 Focal	33 New
OCT 21	8 Prospects	18 A	17 A	28 Good	34 Held
NOV 21	9 Opportunity	19 New	18 A	29 News	35 Held
DEC 21	10 A	20 Vain	19 A	30 Branches	36 The
JAN 20	11 Excite	21 Friendly	20 A	31 And	37 9/9
FEB 19	12 New	22 Vain	21 A	32 Focus	38 5/9
MAR 20	13 Money	23 Talk	22 A	33 New	39 2/9
APR 19	14 Not	24 Antagonistic	23 A	34 Held	40 The
MAY 20	15 Channel	25 And	24 A	35 Held	41 7/9
JUN 19	16 Cross	26 Neglected	25 A	36 The	42 3/9
JUL 19	17 Wealth	27 Focal	26 A	37 9/9	43 8/9
AUG 19	18 A	28 Good	27 A	38 5/9	44 6/9
SEPT 19	19 New	29 News	28 A	39 2/9	45 4/9
OCT 19	20 Vain	30 Branches	29 A	40 The	46 1/9
NOV 19	21 Friendly	31 And	30 A	41 7/9	47 5/9
DEC 19	22 Vain	32 Focus	31 A	42 3/9	48 2/9
JAN 18	23 Talk	33 New	32 A	43 8/9	49 6/9
FEB 18	24 Antagonistic	34 Held	33 A	44 4/9	50 3/9
MAR 19	25 And	35 Held	34 A	45 1/9	51 8/9
APR 18	26 Neglected	36 The	35 A	46 5/9	52 4/9
MAY 19	27 Focal	37 9/9	36 A	47 2/9	53 1/9
JUN 18	28 Good	38 5/9	37 A	48 8/9	54 6/9
JUL 18	29 News	39 2/9	38 A	49 4/9	55 3/9
AUG 18	30 Branches	40 The	39 A	50 1/9	56 8/9
SEPT 18	31 And	41 7/9	40 A	51 5/9	57 4/9
OCT 18	32 Focus	42 3/9	41 A	52 2/9	58 8/9
NOV 18	33 New	43 8/9	42 A	53 6/9	59 4/9
DEC 18	34 Held	44 4/9	43 A	54 3/9	60 8/9
JAN 17	35 Held	45 1/9	44 A	55 1/9	61 5/9
FEB 17	36 The	46 5/9	45 A	56 6/9	62 1/9
MAR 18	37 9/9	47 2/9	46 A	57 4/9	63 8/9
APR 17	38 5/9	48 8/9	47 A	58 3/9	64 4/9
MAY 18	39 2/9	49 4/9	48 A	59 1/9	65 8/9
JUN 17	40 The	50 1/9	49 A	60 6/9	66 4/9
JUL 17	41 7/9	51 8/9	50 A	61 3/9	67 1/9
AUG 17	42 3/9	52 4/9	51 A	62 8/9	68 6/9
SEPT 17	43 8/9	53 1/9	52 A	63 5/9	69 2/9
OCT 17	44 4/9	54 6/9	53 A	64 1/9	70 8/9
NOV 17	45 1/9	55 3/9	54 A	65 6/9	71 4/9
DEC 17	46 5/9	56 1/9	55 A	66 3/9	72 8/9
JAN 16	47 2/9	57 6/9	56 A	67 1/9	73 5/9
FEB 16	48 8/9	58 4/9	57 A	68 8/9	74 1/9
MAR 17	49 4/9	59 2/9	58 A	69 5/9	75 6/9
APR 16	50 1/9	60 8/9	59 A	70 3/9	76 1/9
MAY 17	51 8/9	61 4/9	60 A	71 8/9	77 6/9
JUN 16	52 4/9	62 1/9	61 A	72 5/9	78 2/9
JUL 16	53 1/9	63 8/9	62 A	73 1/9	79 8/9
AUG 16	54 6/9	64 4/9	63 A	74 6/9	80 4/9
SEPT 16	55 3/9	65 1/9	64 A	75 3/9	81 1/9
OCT 16	56 8/9	66 6/9	65 A	76 1/9	82 8/9
NOV 16	57 4/9	67 3/9	66 A	77 6/9	83 4/9
DEC 16	58 1/9	68 8/9	67 A	78 3/9	84 1/9
JAN 15	59 6/9	69 5/9	68 A	79 1/9	85 8/9
FEB 15	60 3/9	70 2/9	69 A	80 6/9	86 4/9
MAR 16	61 8/9	71 8/9	70 A	81 3/9	87 1/9
APR 15	62 4/9	72 5/9	71 A	82 8/9	88 6/9
MAY 16	63 1/9	73 2/9	72 A	83 5/9	89 2/9
JUN 15	64 6/9	74 8/9	73 A	84 3/9	90 8/9
JUL 15	65 3/9	75 4/9	74 A	85 1/9	91 5/9
AUG 15	66 8/9	76 1/9	75 A	86 6/9	92 1/9
SEPT 15	67 4/9	77 6/9	76 A	87 4/9	93 8/9
OCT 15	68 1/9	78 3/9	77 A	88 2/9	94 5/9
NOV 15	69 6/9	79 8/9	78 A	89 1/9	95 1/9
DEC 15	70 3/9	80 5/9	79 A	90 6/9	96 6/9
JAN 14	71 8/9	81 2/9	80 A	91 4/9	97 2/9
FEB 14	72 4/9	82 8/9	81 A	92 1/9	98 8/9
MAR 15	73 1/9	83 5/9	82 A	93 6/9	99 4/9
APR 14	74 6/9	84 2/9	83 A	94 3/9	100 1/9
MAY 15	75 3/9	85 8/9	84 A	95 1/9	101 8/9
JUN 14	76 8/9	86 5/9	85 A	96 6/9	102 4/9
JUL 14	77 4/9	87 2/9	86 A	97 3/9	103 1/9
AUG 14	78 1/9	88 8/9	87 A	98 1/9	104 8/9
SEPT 14	79 6/9	89 5/9	88 A	99 6/9	105 4/9
OCT 14	80 3/9	90 2/9	89 A	100 3/9	106 1/9
NOV 14	81 8/9	91 8/9	90 A	101 8/9	107 6/9
DEC 14	82 4/9	92 5/9	91 A	102 4/9	108 2/9
JAN 13	83 1/9	93 1/9	92 A	103 8/9	109 8/9
FEB 13	84 6/9	94 6/9	93 A	104 4/9	110 4/9
MAR 14	85 3/9	95 3/9	94 A	105 1/9	111 1/9
APR 13	86 8/9	96 8/9	95 A	106 6/9	112 6/9
MAY 14	87 4/9	97 5/9	96 A	107 3/9	113 2/9
JUN 13	88 1/9	98 2/9	97 A	108 8/9	114 8/9
JUL 13	89 6/9	99 8/9	98 A	109 4/9	115 4/9
AUG 13	90 3/9	100 5/9	99 A	110 1/9	116 1/9
SEPT 13	91 8/9	101 2/9	100 A	111 6/9	117 6/9
OCT 13	92 4/9	102 8/9	101 A	112 3/9	118 2/9
NOV 13	93 1/9	103 5/9	102 A	113 8/9	119 8/9
DEC 13	94 6/9	104 2/9	103 A	114 4/9	120 4/9
JAN 12	95 3/9	105 8/9	104 A	115 1/9	121 1/9
FEB 12	96 8/9	106 5/9	105 A	116 6/9	122 6/9
MAR 13	97 4/9	107 2/9	106 A	117 3/9	123 2/9
APR 12	98 1/9	108 8/9	107 A	118 8/9	124 8/9
MAY 13	99 6/9	109 5/9	108 A	119 4/9	125 4/9
JUN 12	100 3/9	110 2/9	109 A	120 1/9	126 1/9
JUL 12	101 8/9	111 8/9	110 A	121 6/9	127 6/9
AUG 12	102 4/9	112 5/9	111 A	122 3/9	128 2/9
SEPT 12	103 1/9	113 1/9	112 A	123 8/9	129 8/9
OCT 12	104 6/9	114 6/9	113 A	124 4/9	130 4/9
NOV 12	105 3/9	115 3/9	114 A	125 1/9	131 1/9
DEC 12	106 8/9	116 8/9	115 A	126 6/9	132 6/9
JAN 11	107 4/9	117 5/9	116 A	127 3/9	133 2/9
FEB 11	108 1/9	118 2/9	117 A	128 8/9	134 8/9
MAR 12	109 6/9	119 8/9	118 A	129 4/9	135 4/9
APR 11	110 3/9	120 5/9	119 A	130 1/9	136 1/9
MAY 12	111 8/9	121 2/9	120 A	131 6/9	137 6/9
JUN 11	112 4/9	122 8/9	121 A	132 3/9	138 2/9
JUL 11	113 1/9	123 5/9	122 A	133 8/9	139 8/9
AUG 11	114 6/9	124 2/9	123 A	134 4/9	140 4/9
SEPT 11	115 3/9	125 8/9	124 A	135 1/9	141 1/9
OCT 11	116 8/9	126 5/9	125 A	136 6/9	142 6/9
NOV 11	117 4/9	127 2/9	126 A	137 3/9	143 2/9
DEC 11	118 1/9	128 8/9	127 A	138 8/9	144 8/9
JAN 10	119 6/9	129 5/9	128 A	139 4/9	145 4/9
FEB 10	120 3/9	130 2/9	129 A	140 1/9	146 1/9
MAR 11	121 8/9	131 8/9	130 A	141 6/9	147 6/9
APR 10	122 4/9	132 5/9	131 A	142 3/9	148 2/9
MAY 11	123 1/9	133 1/9	132 A	143 8/9	149 8/9
JUN 10	124 6/9	134 6/9	133 A	144 4/9	150 4/9
JUL 10	125 3/9	135 3/9	134 A	145 1/9	151 1/9
AUG 10	126 8/9	136 8/9	135 A	146 6/9	152 6/9
SEPT 10	127 4/9	137 5/9	136 A	147 3/9	153 2/9
OCT 10	128 1/9	138 2/9	137 A	148 8/9	154 8/9
NOV 10	129 6/9	139 8/9	138 A	149 4/9	155 4/9
DEC 10	130 3/9	140 5/9	139 A	150 1/9	156 1/9
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