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AROUND THE COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Pecan nut casebearer eggs have been found in and around Sterling City but they are very scattered. We have looked several times ourselves with no luck but several tree owners have found them.

The first to find eggs was Foster Sims Price. He called us and we went down and looked with him and John Brock. Several eggs were found on one tree in the front yard and a couple of eggs on a tree in the back on Friday evening.

On Sunday, John Brock found eggs on a couple of his trees. This morning, Tuesday, we looked on some of John's other trees and did not find any eggs. They may be rather scattered this year or it may be that it is the beginning and they have not moved to all areas yet.

The casebearer eggs are small greenish-white eggs on the brown end of the tiny nut. Casebearer moths lay the eggs on the end of the nut where it hatches into the larvae, or worm, in about 4 or 5 days. The larvae migrate to the buds below the nuts where they feed for a day or two. After this they move back up to the nut and enter it, usually at the base, and feed inside and grow to maturity there.

Trees should be sprayed just as soon as eggs are found. Recommendations call for the use of malathion, DDT or toxaphene. Three pounds of malathion or DDT per 100 gallons of water, or 5 pounds of toxaphene per 100 gallons of water. If DDT is used, you should add 6 pounds of wettable sulfur to control the mite. Malathion or toxaphene are effective against the mite and sulfur is not necessary. A good practice in this area is to add 2 pounds of 36% zinc sulphate to the spray to control rosette, a nutritional disease common to this area.

Next week, the District 4-H Club camp for boys will be held at the Texas A&M Adjunct at Junction. Boys from the 22 counties of this district are eligible to participate in the camp.

So far, we have no notice from any boys in this county that they are going to go to camp. Since it is the first week after the end of school, many of them want to enjoy staying at home a while.

Last week's rain came a little late for help for those planning to aerial spray mesquite. Garlyn Hoffman visited in Sterling County the last week in April and we made some checks on the mesquite prospects then.

He advised not spraying unless we had a good rain the latter part of April and another by the middle of May. We got the May rain but not the early rain so we are still short as far as mesquite is concerned. This condition prevails all over the state and not just in this area. The majority of the state is short of moisture and ranchers are not being advised to spray mesquite.

Other methods of control can still be carried out however. Basal treatment of mesquite will still work. Prickly pear can be sprayed with 2,4,5-T with prospects for good results since we do have some top moisture.

May 31 is the last date to sign up for participation in the feed grain program according to the local ASC office. Under the program, eligible farmers can put into the program a portion of their feed grain acreage and receive payment in cash of grain from CCC stocks. Payment rates are based on past production. New land is not eligible for participation in the program.

## Norman Durham to Do Navy Research

An Oklahoma State University bacteriology professor, Harold Durham, grandson of Mrs. D. C. Durham of Sterling City, has been awarded a \$10,589 contract by the Navy for research which someday may help curb the appetite of bacteria for jet fuels.

Dr. Norman Durham, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Durham of Eastland, will use the funds from the Office of Naval Research to support a two-year study of how bacteria crack open the nucleuses of benzene compounds found in jet fuels and other combustible mixtures.

He'll also investigate the possibility of curbing the microbes' appetites by testing some of the benzene compounds the bacteria don't seem to find so tasty.

The Navy and other branches of the military are interested in controlling bacterial appetites for a number of reasons, Durham says.

First the bacteria can cause the fuel to lose its combustibility if they split enough of the benzene rings of nucleuses, and secondly their feasting produces by products which clog filters and strainers in both aircraft and fuel storage facilities.

Durham says the bacteria themselves don't complicate aircraft performance or consume much fuel, but their products produce an effect somewhat "like pouring sugar in an auto's gas tank."

Part of the trouble the bacteria produce results from their ability to cause water and the kerosene liquids in jet fuels to mix to a certain degree.

It's hard to keep a certain amount of water from getting in storage tanks or in the planes themselves, so this can get to be a rather serious problem.

Many organisms consume benzene compounds, but Durham will study only the two groups of microbes which cause the most trouble.

Findings of the study could have applications in many areas where microorganisms are used to break down compounds such as in sewage and petroleum products.

Durham joined the OSU staff in 1954 after receiving a PhD degree at the University of Texas in 1954, and an MS and BS at North Texas State in 1951 and 1949.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Mrs. G. G. Ainsworth  
Tommy Foster  
Mrs. Leroy Hunt  
Mrs. V. E. Davis  
Cynthia Mendez  
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include:  
M. D. Chumley  
Mrs. W. B. Atkinson  
Yolinda Martinez  
F. L. White  
David Drennan

## Bake Sale Saturday

Pony League Backers Having Bake Sale Saturday

There will be a bake sale in front of the vacant building just east of the postoffice on Saturday. The sale will benefit the Pony League equipment fund. Some equipment has already been bought and some more money needed.

Robert Sloan is coaching the pony leaguers and a number of boys are playing this year.

## Cancer Drive Lagging in Sterling County

"For the first time in over five years it appears that the Sterling County Cancer Crusade may not reach its goal," said Judge W.R. Brooks, Crusade Chairman of the Sterling County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

So far, Sterling County volunteer Crusaders have collected less than \$200 toward a \$500 goal.

If true this would stand as the second big blow to the unit. The loss of Miss Ethel Foster, President of the Sterling Unit, and long a West Texas stalwart on the Texas Division volunteer board, came as a loss not only to the unit, but to the entire district. In the past two or three years we have lost several of our best loved and most prominent citizens to this dreaded killer and even now others of our very own are slowly dying of cancer.

"In a year when Crusades in all our neighboring counties in the district appear to be enjoying truly remarkable progress in their Crusades, it comes as a real blow to our pride that we could not gain the support needed in Sterling County to furnish our minimum share of the funds needed to continue the ACS fight against Cancer."

"We can only hope that some of those who have not been reached, or even some who have, will recall what is at stake in this fight and give. Sterling has lost some wonderful people to this killer, already. Cancer won't stop there."

Any one wishing to make a contribution to the American Cancer Society Crusade may do so by mailing or bringing it to Judge Brooks at the court house or to Mary Helen Reed at the bank.

## Tommy Bynum Wins Prize On Naming Deer Contest

Little Tommy Bynum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy R. Bynum, won a prize in a national contest in naming a deer in the Billy and Ruth Book last Christmas. He suggested the name "Twinkle" and got a big set of toy construction toy blocks as a prize.

Tommy, who will be a first grade student next year, was elated when notified of winning the prize for naming Sam-ta's Littlest Deer.

The contest was held on a national scale and sponsored by Foxworth Hardware of San Angelo.

## Son to Probandt's

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Probandt on May 15 in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. It is the second child of the Probandts, who ranch south of town.

## LIONS CLUB

The Sterling Lions Club met Wednesday noon in the community center for the regular weekly luncheon. Guests present were Jim Bob Clark and a new member, Richard Reed.

Jim Coleman reported that the community center was to be repainted. The clubs of the town have donated \$125 for the purpose and the commissioners court agreed to pay up to \$175 to finish the job.

Candy sales were reported. C. T. Williams turned in \$31 on his sales, and all the left over candy was sold to members at the meeting.

The club voted to buy some balls for the little league for use this year.

## Announce Adoption of a Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Petty of Robert Lee announce the adoption of a daughter, named Kimberley Ruth, this week. The baby was born on May 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Petty live in Coke County now where he ranches and she teaches school in the Robert Lee school.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Petty of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Riley King of Sterling.

## Getting TCU Degree

Fort Worth—James Lynn Glass, Sterling City student, a candidate to receive a bachelor of arts degree in the spring commencement exercises at Texas Christian University Wednesday evening, May 31, when an alltime record of 639 students will be graduated. This is sharply up from 1960's total of 606, the previous high mark.

## LITTLE LEAGUE GAME IN SAN ANGELO SATURDAY

The Sterling Little League baseball team, coached by Leonard Wright, is scheduled to play The First National Bank of San Angelo Little League team there at 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon. This will be the first out-of-town game for the locals this season.

## High School Principal To Texas A&M for Physics Course

Earl Seago, local high school principal will go to Texas A&M, College Station, the second six weeks under a National Science Foundation grant to study physics. This is the second year Mr. Seago has gone to A&M for a science grant study.

In case of fire call 8-4771.

## Senator Election Saturday

### MEMORIALS

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Longshore have made a contribution to the First Presbyterian Church Organ Fund in memory of Miss Serena Black, daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. Malcom Black.

### Former Pastor and Wife Honored

Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Hestir have been honored by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cope and Cathy who have given a complete chime attachment to the newly installed Baldwin organ at the First Presbyterian Church as a tribute to the Hestirs.

Dr. and Mrs. Hestir resided in Sterling City two different times while he was serving as pastor to the local church. They first became residents here in November of 1927, and were the first to occupy the then newly constructed Manse—the building of which they had supervised.

In 1932 the Hestirs moved to San Angelo when he assumed the duties of Home Mission Secretary of Brownwood Presbytery. The local church was still under his general supervision until he was called in 1944 to serve as regular pastor. It became necessary for him to resign his pastoral duties entirely, however, in 1950, due to ill health. After his retirement the Hestirs returned to their native state of Arkansas and have resided at Cabot since. Mrs. Hestir is the former Miss Nina Martin.

The new church edifice in Sterling City, which was constructed in 1955, had begun as a dream of the Hestirs, and it was during his pastorate that the first money for it was actually contributed. And so, while construction on the new building was underway, on March 6, 1955, the First Presbyterian Church of Sterling City chose to honor the Hestirs by electing him Pastor Emeritus.

Dr. and Mrs. Hestir have one son, Bluford B. Hestir, Jr. who lives in Atlanta, Georgia, and is head of the Television, Radio, and Audio-Visual work of the Presbyterian Church, U. S.

The wonderful influence for good that the Hestirs have spread throughout the surrounding area will forever be felt, and the local congregation join with the Copes in lauding their accomplishments.

### Graduating at Hardin College Academy

Milton Reed, son of Mrs. Carol Reed is graduating from Hardin College Academy at Searcy, Arkansas this spring. Milton, who was in school here with the graduating class of SHS, moved and has been in the high school academy at Searcy the past two years.

## To Elect A U. S. Senator

Over Texas Saturday, voters will go to the polls to select a United States Senator, one to fill out Lyndon Johnsons term. It is a runoff election of the special election held in April, when 71 persons had their names listed on the ballot.

Squared off for the runoff is the acting Senator, William Blakley, who has served twice as appointive Senator, and the Republican opponent, John Tower of Wichita Falls.

Tower led the first election as a Republican against a vast field of Democrats. Most observers give Blakley the edge in this runoff, since he is a Democrat.

The election boxes are at the usual places in Sterling County—the courthouse, W.H. Owens and the divide, Tommy Humble's at roomie, the Roy Foster (Bill Blair's) south of town and Nick Reed's up the Big Spring road.

Election judges are asked to call in their results to the News-Record as soon as possible after the polls close. The county's results will be posted on a poster in front of the NewsRecord, said Jack Douthitt, the local Texas Election Bureau reporter.

### School Library Receives Memorial Books

In memory of Mr. Jack Matthews: "The Black Stallion" by Walter Farley by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Milligan; "Go, Team, Go" by John R. Tunis, by the Noratadada Club.

In memory of Miss Ethel Foster: "Stars at Noon" by Jacqueline Cochran; "Smiling Rebel" by Harnett Kane, by Mr. and Mrs. O.T. Jones; "Modern American Poetry" edited by Louis Untermeyer, by Mrs. Mazie C. Wilson of San Angelo; and Helen Hunt Jackson's American classic, "Ramona" by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Milligan.

### Magazines Donated

Mrs. John R. Gibbs and Mrs. Foster S. Price have donated valuable copies of the following magazines to the high school library: "U. S. News and World Report," "Newsweek" and "Life."

### Secretary of Phi Epsilon Kappa

Don Carper, senior student at Texas Tech was elected secretary and athletic director of Phi Epsilon Kappa, national professional physical educators fraternity. Don was a 1955 graduate of Sterling High School. He also attended San Angelo College before transferring to Tech.

## Eighth Grade Graduation Held

The eighth grade graduation exercises were held here on Thursday night. The program was under the direction and supervision of J. R. Dillard, grade school principal.

Elaine Price played the professional and recessional. The invocation was given by Louise Alexander. The salutatory address was given by Troy Murrell. (He and Jane Copeland had tied for salutatorian honors, said Dillard). Nelwyn King read the history of the class. Jane Copeland read the class prophecy Shirley Price gave the valedictory address. Dillard addressed the group and handed out diplomas and the special awards to grade school students for attendance, etc. Butch Seago gave the bene-

diction. Musical numbers were played by Betty Barrett and Barbara Durham.

This graduates included—Louise Alexander, Betty Barrett, Jewel Bryce, Jane Copeland, Barbara Durham, Nelwyn King, Nora Medina, Shirley Price, Marsha Stewart, Karen Williams, Nancy Benge, Karla Jackson, Joyce Beard, Mary Morris, Lynda Wright, Bill Dees, Bill Foster, Tommy Foster, James Latham, Troy Murrell, Pat Potts, Butch Seago, Royce Sparks, Crisp Williams, Tommy Williams and Bernardo Fuentes.

The program was one of candlelighting, with the various members of the class participating.

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### Alumni Meeting Here June 3rd

At N. H. Reed's River Park

The Sterling Alumni Association will hold the annual meeting on Saturday, June 3 at N. H. Reed's river park. A barbecue supper will begin at 7:00 p.m. said Mrs. Ray Lane, president and the dance will start in the gym at 9 p.m.

Mrs. Lane is president and Mrs. Fowler McEntire is the vice-president. Mrs. Dayton Barrett is secretary treasurer and Mrs. Eschol Crook is the historian.

The barbecue committee is year is composed of Ewing F. McEntire, and Neal J. Reed. The nominating committee is made up of Finis Westbrook, Mrs. William Foster and Mrs. Joe Emery.

Mrs. J. R. Dillard will give the welcome and Elizabeth Cole will respond for the '61 seniors. Mrs. Chesley McDonald is in charge of the memorial service.

Acting as the invitation committee is Mrs. Forrest Foster, Mrs. J. I. Cope and Carolyn Payne. The decoration and gate committee is Dayton Barrett, Worth Durham and Roland Lowe. The decoration committee is made up of Mrs. Gene Alley, Mrs. Bill Brooks, and Mrs. Alvie Cole.

The barbecue committee is composed of Reynolds Foster, Martin Reed, Bubba Foster, and Jim Bob Clark. The clean up committee is John Copeland, Jr. and Dan Glass.

It is thought that a caterer will be handed the serving of the meal chore this year, said Mrs. Lane.

### Holiday May 30 MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY

Tuesday, May 30, is a national holiday, and is one of the holidays taken by Sterling City merchants. The U. S. post office will be closed and the usual merchants will take the day off.

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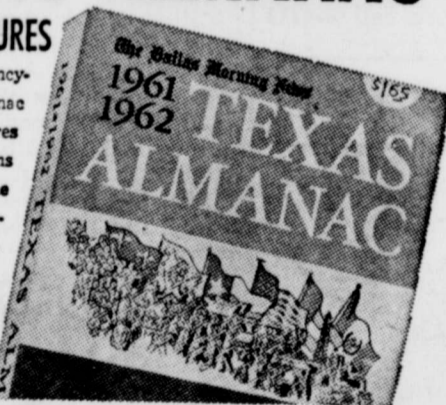
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**A BUSINESSMAN** wants to protect his employees. He turns to the American Cancer Society for life-saving pamphlets, films, danger-signal posters and speakers.

**A SCIENTIST** needs funds to support research on leukemia. He turns to the American Cancer Society which invests millions annually in cancer research.

**A PATIENT** needs dressings and weekly transportation to a treatment center. She turns to the American Cancer Society which makes these services available to her.

**The American Cancer Society**

is many things to many people — and is made up of many people — two million volunteer physicians, businessmen, union leaders, nurses, scientists, housewives, dedicated to one goal: saving lives from cancer. Through the Society's nation-wide research, education, and service programs, they hold out a lifeline to everyone threatened by cancer. You too can turn to the Society. Call your local Unit for more information on what it can do for you—And, in turn, you can do your part. You can guard your family by fighting cancer with a checkup and a check.

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1. Unusual bleeding or discharge
2. A lump or thickening in the breast or elsewhere
3. A sore that does not heal
4. Change in bowel or bladder habits
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By Congressman  
**O. C. FISHER**

A Federal aid to education bill appears likely to be approved at this session of the Congress. President Kennedy, in a special message to Congress asked for a \$2.6 billion program in the next five years. The Senate is now debating the issue. A House committee has approved a bill, and it will soon be debated.

This raises two major issues: First, is this federal intervention necessary, and, secondly, will it likely lead to federal control.

It is claimed by proponents that 600,000 classrooms are needed in the next 10 years.

Opponents answer by pointing out that 69,000 classrooms have been built each year for the past five years. At that rate 690,000 more will be built in the next 10 years—without federal aid.

It is contended that school expenditures must double in the next ten years. Can this be done without federal aid? The fact is that state and local outlays for support of schools have increased 2½ times since 1950.

It is maintained that teachers' salaries must increase. But without federal assistance such salaries have increased 72% since 1950.

It is also claimed that the pupil-teacher ratio must be reduced. The fact is that the pupil-teacher ratio dropped from 27-1 to 22-1 since 1938.

Thus, it appears very clearly that without Uncle Sam's help the states and local communities have been doing very well in financing their schools and can be expected to continue to do so.

If the Federal government begins a program of subsidizing teachers' salaries and classroom construction, naturally less effort will be made to meet the problem locally. And, just as sure as night follows day, once begun, a federal aid program will lead eventually to federal control. It will come in the form of riders attached to appropriation bills in the future.

**Cancer Meeting Monday**

The Sterling County Chapter of the American Cancer Society will meet at the community center Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Such announcement was made this week by Mrs. Lester Foster, secretary of the group.

**Notice of Board of Equalization**

In obedience to an ORDER of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Sterling County, State of Texas, will meet at its regular meeting place in the Court-house in the town of Sterling City, Texas at 9:00 o'clock A. M., on Monday, the 12th day of June, A.D. 1961, when they will sit as a Board of Equalization of Taxes for the year A.D. 1961, and will determine, fix, and equalize the values of any and all taxable property situated in Sterling County, Texas and all persons interested or having business with said Board of Equalization are hereby notified to be present.

Given under my hand and seal of office in Sterling City, Texas, this 8th day of May, A.D. 1961.

(Signed) W. W. Durham  
County Clerk, Sterling  
County, Texas

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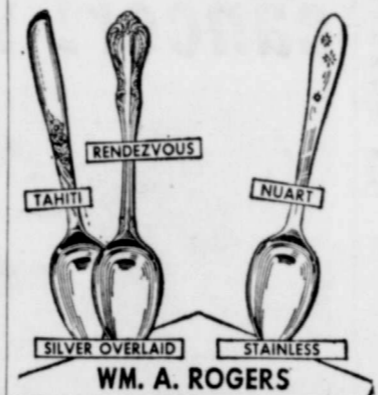
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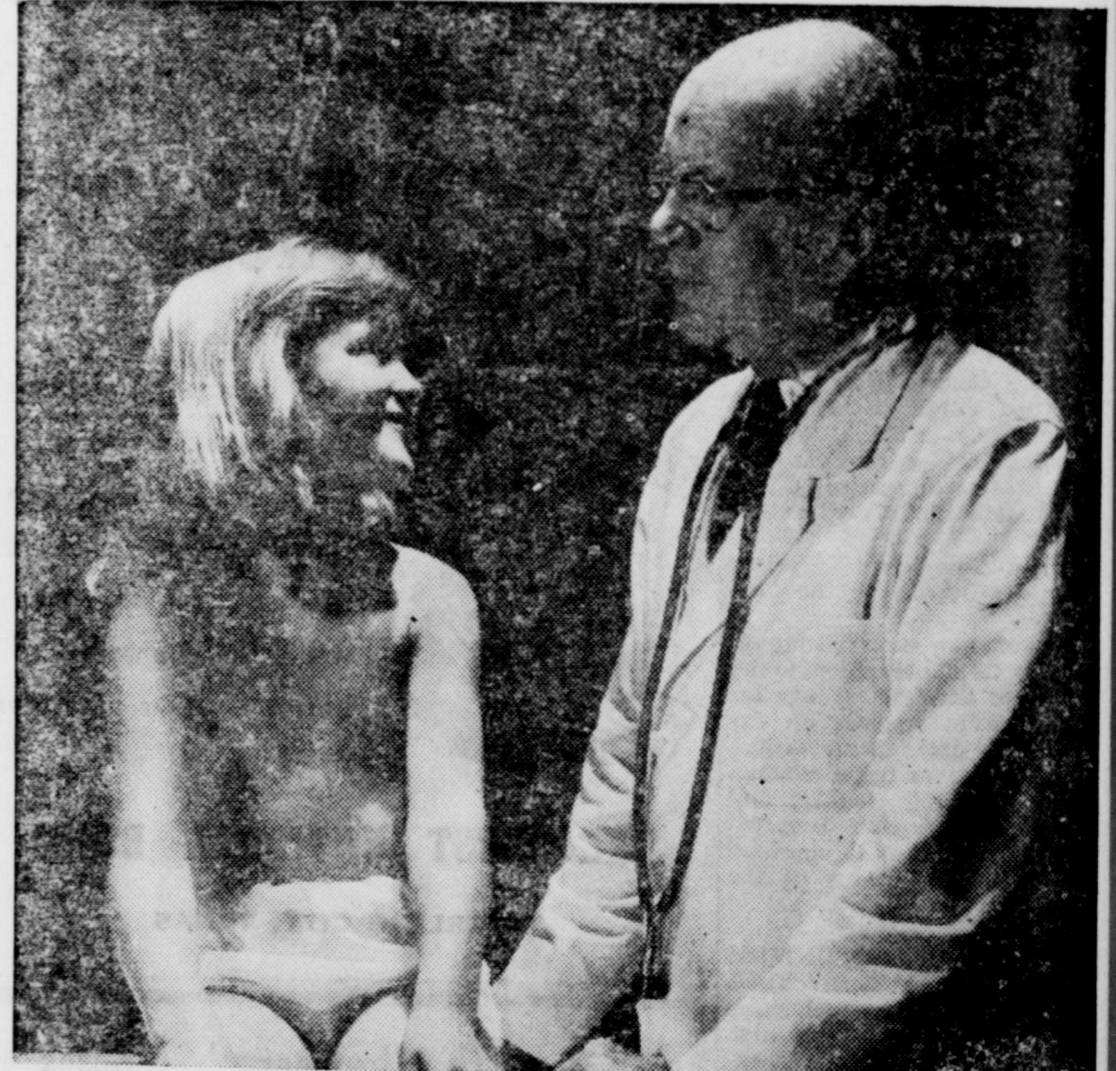
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New drugs are already in use, prolonging the lives of leukemia victims. Leukemia induced in laboratory animals has been cured.

Most important, there is growing evidence that leukemia—one of the foremost disease-killers of children—may be caused by a virus. Why is this so important? Because

it presents hope for the discovery of a leukemia vaccine—which might someday be the breakthrough leading to the control of all cancers.

The American Cancer Society is now giving one out of every six of its research dollars to leukemia-related research.

Your gift to the American Cancer Society makes this support possible. Your gift helps keep alive that giant word—*hope*.

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