

## TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The American Sociological Society will hold its Twenty-second Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C., December 27-30, with headquarters at the Hotel Raleigh. Meeting in Washington during the same time are the American Economic Association, the American Historical Association, the American Political Science Association, the American Statistical Association, the American Association for Labor Legislation, the American Farm Economic Association, and the National Community Center Association. Programs of these organizations may be secured by writing their secretaries:

Frederick S. Deibler, American Economic Association, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.

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J. R. Hayden, American Political Science Association, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Willford I. King, American Statistical Association, Commerce Building, 236 Wooster Street, New York, New York.

John B. Andrews, American Association of Labor Legislation, 131 East Twenty-third Street, New York, New York.

Leroy E. Bowman, National Community Center Association, Fayerweather Hall, Columbia University, New York, New York.

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### TENTATIVE PROGRAM

All meetings except the business sessions are open to the public, and, unless otherwise indicated, are held at the Hotel Raleigh. Tickets for luncheons and dinners should be secured at time of registration.

#### CENTRAL TOPIC, "RELATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO THE GROUP"

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27

9:00 A.M. Registration.

10:00-12:00 A.M. **Division on Social Research.** Hornell Hart, Bryn Mawr College, presiding. Ten-minute reports on research projects. *The Ballroom.*

"Application of the Statistical Method to the Study of Wealth and Welfare of Farm Families," J. A. Dickey, University of Arkansas.

"Application of the Case-History Method to the Study of the Wealth and Welfare of Farm Families," Ruth Haeffner, Iowa Child Welfare Research Station.

"Principles of Expenditure of Farm Incomes," C. C. Zimmerman, University of Minnesota."

"Special Interest Groups in Rural Society," J. H. Kolb, University of Wisconsin.

"A Co-operative Study of the Northwest Central Region of the United States," F. Stuart Chapin, University of Minnesota.

"Taboos of the Saxons of Transylvania," Rudolph M. Binder, New York University.

"Personality Study of the Social Modification of the Possession Habits at the Pre-school Level," Ruth R. Pearson, Chicago.

"The Rôle of Religion in the Disassociated Family," Niles Carpenter, University of Buffalo.

"Trend of Expenditures at Family Welfare Agencies," Neva R. Deardorff, Welfare Council, New York City.

12:30-3:00 P.M. Luncheon Meetings.

**Round table on "The Technique of Statistical Analysis of Sociological Problems,"** Ralph G. Hurlin, Russell Sage Foundation, presiding.

**Committee on Sections.**

**Section on the Family.** Ernest R. Groves, University of North Carolina, presiding.

"The Influence of the Nursery School on Family Life in the City," Edna N. White, Merrill-Palmer School, Detroit.

"The Influence of the Nursery School on Family Life in the Village," Mary Schofield, Peterboro Nursery School.

**Section on the Community,** in Joint session with the National Community Center Association. Arthur Evans Wood, University of Michigan, President, National Community Center Association, presiding.

"The Slum, a Project for Study," Nels Anderson, Columbia University.

"Principles of Community Organization," W. W. Whitehouse, Albion College.

"The Relation of the Local Community to the Principal Factors of Public Opinion," W. S. Bittner, Indiana University.

Discussion: Malcolm Willey, University of Minnesota; J. H. Montgomery, Cooperative Education Association Richmond, Virginia; Elwood Street, The Community Council, St. Louis; C. C. North, Ohio State University.

3:00-5:00 P.M. **Division on Social Biology.** E. B. Reuter, University of Iowa, presiding.

"The Physical Foundation of Behavior," C. M. Child, University of Chicago.

"Organic Plasticity versus Organic Responsiveness in the Socialization of the Individual," Frank H. Hankins, Smith College.

"The American-born Oriental and the Family Group," William C. Smith, Research Institute, Honolulu.

"The Personality of Mixed Bloods," E. B. Reuter.

8:00-10:00 P.M. **Division on Social Psychology.** Edward A. Ross, University of Wisconsin, presiding. *The Ballroom.*

"The Relation of the Farmer to Rural and Urban Groups," Dwight Sanderson, Cornell University.

"Collective Domination and Group Fear," L. L. Bernard, Tulane University.

"Physiological Tensions and Social Structure," L. K. Frank, Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial.

"'Group' and 'Institution' as Concepts in a Natural Science of Social Phenomena," Floyd H. Allport, Syracuse University.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28

9:00 A.M. **Business Meeting of the Society.** *The Ballroom.*

Reports of representatives to the Social Science Research Council, the Board of Directors for the Council of Social Studies, the Joint Commission on Social Studies in the Schools, the American Council of Learned Societies, the Dictionary of American Biography, the American Year Book.

10:00-12:00 A.M. Meetings of the Sections of the Society.

**Section on Rural Sociology.** W. A. Anderson, North Carolina State College, chairman, subcommittee on research, presiding. *The Ballroom.*

"New Forces in Research," C. J. Galpin, United States Department of Agriculture.

"Scope, Methodology, and Personnel in Research," J. H. Kolb, University of Wisconsin.

Informal Discussion—"The Next Steps in Research": Eben Mumford, Michigan State College; A. E. Willson, North Dakota Agricultural College; Wilson Gee, University of Virginia.

Report of subcommittee on population, Bruce L. Melvin, Cornell University.

**Section on the Family.** Ernest R. Groves, University of North Carolina, presiding. *The Gray Room.*

"Economic Aspects of Modern Family Life," Benjamin R. Andrews, Columbia University.

"The Family and Modern Literature," Lorine Pruette, New York University.

**Section on the Community,** in joint session with the National Community Center Association. Clarence A. Perry, Russell Sage Foundation, presiding. *The New Anteroom.*

"The Social Significance of Citizens Associations in Washington, D.C.; Report of a Seminar Study," Edward T. Devine, Dean of the Graduate School, American University, Washington, D.C.; Louise Beall, American University, Washington, D.C.

"Washington's Community Organizations. An Estimate," Frank Cuno, Former Commissioner of the District of Columbia.

Communities of the Foreign Born in Detroit, with Special Reference to the Mexicans," Arthur Evans Wood, University of Michigan.

"Cleveland Community Organization for Adult Education," Clarence O. Senior, Adult Education Association of Cleveland.

Discussion: Niles Carpenter, University of Buffalo; Eugene T. Lies, Playground and Recreation Association of America, Chicago; Mildred Chadsey, Western Reserve University; M. J. Karpf, Training School for Jewish Social Work, New York City.

**Section on the Sociology of Religion.** Arthur E. Holt, Chicago Theological Seminary, presiding. *The English Room.*

"The Religious Basis of the Ethical Code Movement," Edgar L. Heermance, Yale University. Discussion, Benson Y. Landis, Research Department of the Federal Council of Churches.

**Section on Sociology and Social Work.** M. J. Karpf, presiding.

"What Social Case Work Records Should Contain to Be Useful for Sociological Interpretation," Ernest W. Burgess, University of Chicago. Discussion.

12:30-3:00 P.M. Luncheon Meetings.

**Section on Rural Sociology,** in joint session with The American Farm Economics Association. President J. I. Falconer, presiding.

"Population, Food Supply, and American Agriculture," O. E. Baker, United States Department of Agriculture. Informal discussion: P. K. Whelpton, Scripps Foundation, Miami University; G. F. Warren, Cornell University; H. C. Taylor, Institute of Land Economics, Northwestern University.

**Section on the Sociology of Religion.** Arthur E. Holt, presiding.

**Section on Sociology and Social Work.**

"Social Interaction in the Interview," Stuart A. Queen, University of Kansas.

**Section on the Teaching of Social Studies in the Schools.** E. H. Sutherland, University of Minnesota.

3:00-5:00 P.M. **Division on Methods of Research.** Kimball Young, University of Wisconsin, presiding. *The Ballroom.*

"A Study of Juvenile Delinquency," John A. Slawson.

"Correlation of the Rate of Juvenile Delinquency with Certain Indexes of Community Organization," Clifford R. Shaw, Institute for Juvenile Research, Chicago.

"Time Series of Political Data." Stuart A. Rice, University of Pennsylvania.

"A New Attitude on Attitude Studies," Read Bain, Miami University.

"A Sociological Clinic for the Study of Juvenile Delinquency," Ernst T. Krueger and Walter C. Reckless, Vanderbilt University.

6:00-7:45 P.M. **Dinner Meeting of the Section on the Community,** in joint session with the National Community Center Association. Robert E. Park, University of Chicago, presiding.

"Community Influence of Libraries," W. C. Nason, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture.

"The Gradual Substitution of Occupational Areas for Neighborhoods in Urban Life," E. C. Lindeman, New York School of Social Work.

"The Rural Community Center on a Changing Frontier: an Inquiry into One Hundred Montana Organizations," J. Wheeler Barger, University of Montana.

8:00-10:00 P.M. **Joint Session for Presidential Addresses of the American Sociological Society, and the National Community Center Association.**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29

9:00 A.M. **Business Meeting** for reports of committees. *The Ballroom.*

Committees on Social Abstracts, Social Research, Teaching of Social Sciences, Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences, National Social Science Fraternity.

10:00-12:00 A.M. Meetings of the sections of the Society.

**Section on Rural Sociology.** T. B. Manny, United States Department of Agriculture, presiding. *The Ballroom.*

"The Status of Extension Work in Rural Sociology," W. H. Stacy, Iowa State College.

"Extension Needs in the Field of Rural Social Organization," H. C. Ramsower, Ohio State University.

Informal discussion: Eva Duthie, Cornell University; B. L. Hummel, University of Missouri; W. H. Coulson, County Agent, Vinton County, Ohio.

**Section on the Family.** *The Gray Room.*

"The Development of Diverse Patterns of Behavior among Children in the Same Family," Lawrence Guy Brown, Ohio Wesleyan University.

"A Study of Marriage Incompatibility and Its Treatment," Ernst T. Krueger, Vanderbilt University.

**Section on the Sociology of Religion,** in charge of Arthur E. Holt. *The English Room.*

"The Relation of Research and Promotion," B. Warren Brown, Director of Educational Research of the Presbyterian Church of the United States. Discussion.

**Section on Educational Sociology,** in joint session with the National Society for the Study of Educational Sociology. Ross L. Finney, University of Minnesota, presiding.

"Science, Sociology, and Education," Robert C. Angell, University of Michigan.

"Toward an Agreement as to the Content of Educational Sociology," Ross L. Finney.

"The Literature of Educational Sociology," C. D. Champlain, Pennsylvania State College.

12:30-3:00 P.M. Luncheon meetings.

**Round table on "The Technique of Social Surveys,"** Robert E. Park, University of Chicago, presiding.

**Section on Rural Sociology.** J. L. Hypes, Connecticut Agricultural College, chairman, subcommittee on teaching, presiding.

"The Status of Rural Sociology in Colleges and Universities," C. R. Hoffer, Michigan State College.

"An Analysis of the Content of Textbooks in Rural Sociology," Carle C. Zimmerman, University of Minnesota.

Informal discussion: C. E. Lively, Ohio State University; Fred R. Yoder, Washington State College; A. Z. Mann, Garrett Biblical Institute.

**Section on Educational Sociology.**

Reports of studies now being made in the field of Educational Sociology, A. O. Bowden, New Mexico State Teachers College; Nathan Miller, Carnegie Institute of Technology; O. Myking Mehus, Wittenberg College; and Others.

**Section on the Sociology of Religion.**

**Section on Sociology and Social Work.** M. J. Karpf, Training School for Jewish Social Work, presiding. *The Old Anteroom.*

"Some Sociological Suggestions for the Treatment of Family Discord by Social Workers," Ernest R. Groves, University of North Carolina. Discussion.

3:30-5:00 P.M. **Division on Human Ecology.** C. A. Dawson, McGill University, presiding. *The Ballroom.*

"The Influence of Migration upon Personality," Robert E. Park, University of Chicago.

"Personality as Determined by the Division of Labor," Everett C. Hughes, McGill University.

"The Hotel Dweller," Norman S. Hayner, University of Washington.

6:30 P.M. **Annual Dinner of the Society.**

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30

9:00 A.M. **Annual Business Meeting** of the American Sociological Society. *The Ballroom.*

10:00-12:00 A.M. **Division on Social Institutions.** Charles H. Cooley, University of Michigan, presiding. *The Ballroom.*

"Case Study of Small Institutions as a Method of Research," Charles H. Cooley.

"The Family," Ernest W. Burgess, University of Chicago.

"The Sect," Ellsworth Faris, University of Chicago.

"Types of Political Personalities," Harold D. Lasswell, University of Chicago.

12:30-3:00 P.M. **Luncheon Meeting.**

**Round table on "The Technique of the Case Method,"** Stuart A. Queen, University of Kansas, presiding.

*Headquarters.*—The headquarters for the annual meeting will be the Hotel Raleigh, Pennsylvania Avenue and Twelfth Street. Rates for rooms are as follows: single rooms without bath, \$3.00; with bath, \$4.00; double rooms, for two, three, or four persons, without bath, \$2.00 per person; with bath, \$2.50 per person. Reservations may be made by writing the Manager, Hotel Raleigh.

*Reduced Railroad Rates.*—Arrangements have been made with the New England, Central, Southeastern, Western, Southwestern, Trans-Continental, Trunk Line, and the Canadian (Eastern lines) Passenger Associations to grant reduced rates to all members of the American Sociological Society and the allied associations, as well as to members of their families, provided 250 are in attendance at the annual meeting and present certificates. Members wishing to take advantage of these reduced rates must comply with the following directions:

1. *Obtain a certificate when buying your going ticket.*—Do not make the mistake of asking for a "receipt." Tickets at the regular one-way tariff fare for the going journey may be obtained on the following dates only: December 23-29, inclusive. Present yourself at the railroad station for ticket and certificate at least thirty minutes before the departure of your train. Certificates are not kept at all stations. If not obtainable at your home station, the agent will inform you at what station they can be obtained. You can, in such case, purchase a local ticket to the station which has certificates in stock, where you can purchase a through ticket and at the same time ask for and obtain a certificate to the place of meeting.

2. *Leave your certificate at the registration desk (at the Washington Hotel) immediately upon your arrival at the meeting.*—The reduced fare for the return journey will not apply unless your certificate is validated by the railroad agent and signed by the indorsing officer, F. S. Deibler, secretary of the American Economic Association. A special agent of the railroad companies will be in attendance to validate certificates. If you arrive at the meeting and leave for home again prior to the special agent's arrival, or if you arrive at the meeting later than December 30, after the special agent has left, you cannot have your certificate validated, and consequently you will not obtain the benefit of the reduction on the home journey.

3. *Call for your validated certificate before purchasing your return ticket.*—If the 250 certificates are presented to the special agent, and your certificate is duly validated, you will be entitled, up to and including January 3, 1928, to a return ticket via the same route over which you made the going journey, at one-half of the regular one-way tariff fare from the place of meeting to the point at which your certificate was issued. Return tickets issued at the reduced fare will not be good on any limited train on which such reduced fare transportation is not honored. Members are responsible for ascertaining whether or not the particular road they intend to use is included in this agreement. Some passenger associations grant the special rate with the exception of certain roads. *No refund of fare will be made on account of failure to obtain proper certificate when purchasing ticket, nor on account of failure to present validated certificate when purchasing return ticket.*