PRELIMINARY PROGRAM OF THE TWENTY-FIRST
ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN
SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY, ST. LOUIS,
DECEMBER 28–31

GENERAL TOPIC: “THE PROGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY”

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28

9:00 A.M. Registration.

10:00–12:00 A.M. Division on Social Research, Charles E. Gehlke, Western Reserve University, presiding. Ten-minute reports on research projects.

12:30–3:00 P.M. Luncheon meetings.

Committee on Sections.
Discussion: M. J. Karpf, Training School for Jewish Social Work.

3:00–5:00 P.M. Division on Human Ecology, Robert E. Park, University of Chicago, presiding.

6:00–7:30 P.M. Dinner Meeting of the Section on the Community, in joint session with the National Community Center Association. “Shall We Kill the Community Movement?” Walter Burr, Kansas State Agricultural College.
Discussion: Dwight Sanderson, Cornell University.

8:00–10:00 P.M. Division on Social Psychology, Luther L. Bernard presiding.
“The Measurement of Personal and Social Attitudes,” Kimball Young, University of Wisconsin.

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9:00 A.M. Business Meeting of the Society for the reports of representatives and committees.

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

Section on Rural Sociology, in charge of E. L. Morgan, University of Missouri.
Report of the Committee on Research, C. C. Taylor, North Carolina State College of Agriculture, Chairman.
“Methods of Social Research,” Bruce L. Melvin, Cornell University.
Discussion: C. R. Hoffer, Michigan State College of Agriculture; C. C. Zimmerman, University of Minnesota.
Section on Community Organization, in joint session with the National Community Center Association, in charge of A. E. Wood, University of Michigan.
“Cultural Adjustments in the Polish Community of Buffalo,” Niles Carpenter, University of Buffalo.
“Evolution of Community Activities,” M. C. Elmer, University of Pittsburgh.
“Community Life Histories,” Emory S. Bogardus, University of Southern California.
Section on The Family, in charge of Mrs. W. F. Dummer, Chicago.
Reports on Studies of the Family.
Section on the Sociology of Religion, in charge of Justin W. Nixon, Rochester, N.Y.
Reports on Research in Progress.

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

Section on Rural Sociology.
Section on the Sociology of Religion, in charge of Earle E. Eubank, University of Cincinnati.
Section on the Teaching of Social Science in the Schools, in charge of Charles A. Ellwood, University of Missouri.

"A Twelfth-Grade Course in Sociology for High-School Students," J. O. Hertzler, University of Nebraska; C. J. Bushnell, Toledo University.

Section on The Family, in joint session with the American Home Economics Association Committee on the Economic and Social Problems of the Home. Chase Going Woodhouse, chairman.

"The Effect of the Outside Work of Married Women upon the Home."

3:00–5:00 P.M. Division on Social Biology, Carl Kelsey, University of Pennsylvania, presiding.


Papers on subjects to be later announced, Carl Kelsey, and H. G. Duncan, University of Southern California.

5:00 P.M. Meeting of the Executive Committee.

6:00–7:30 P.M. Dinner Meeting of the Section on the Community, in joint session with the National Community Center Association. "Political Assumptions and Underlying Ideals of Community Propagandists," Arthur Evans Wood, University of Michigan.

"Community Influence on the Individual in the City," C. C. North, Ohio State University.

"The Fascisti Attitude toward Local Community Control," A Fascist.

8:00–10:00 P.M. Joint Session with the American Economic Association.

Presidential addresses by Edwin W. Kemmerer, Princeton University, and John Lewis Gillin, University of Wisconsin.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30

9:00 A.M. Business meeting for reports of committees.

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

Section on Rural Sociology.

Report of Committee on the Teaching of Rural Sociology, C. E. Lively, Ohio State University, Chairman. Discussion: J. H. Kolb, University of Wisconsin; Walter Burr, Kansas State College of Agriculture.

Report of Committee on Extension Work, B. L. Hummel, University of Missouri, Chairman. Discussion: S. H. Hobbs, Jr., University of North Carolina; T. B. Manny, Hendrix College.

Section on Community Organization.

"Districting of the City and Community Organization in St. Louis," Ellwood Street, The Community Council of St. Louis.


“Sociology and Educational Measurements,” Emory S. Bogardus, University of Southern California.

Section on The Family, in charge of Mrs. W. F. Dummer, Chicago.
“The Parent-Child Relationship,” Kimball Young, University of Wisconsin.

“Co-operation with Religious Research.”

12:30–3:00 P.M. Luncheon Meetings.

Section on Rural Sociology. In joint session with the American Farm Economics Association.
Report of Joint Committee on Relations of Social and Economic Factors in Rural Progress: Dwight Sanderson, Cornell University.

Section on Educational Sociology, W. R. Smith, University of Kansas, presiding.
Report upon the Status of Educational Sociology in Teacher Training Institutes, from members present.

Section on The Family.
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3:00–5:00 P.M. Division on Historical Sociology, Harry Elmer Barnes, Smith College, presiding.

“English Sociology,” Harry Elmer Barnes.

“German Sociology,” Carl Brinkmann, University of Heidelberg.

“Sociology in Argentina,” L. L. Bernard.

“Russian Sociology,” Pitirim A. Sorokin, University of Minnesota.

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

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31

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

10:00–12:00 A.M. Division on Methods of Research, Floyd N. House, University of Virginia, presiding.

“General Methodology,” Floyd N. House.


ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK

The Association will hold its annual meeting at St. Louis, with sessions Tuesday afternoon and evening, December 28, and Friday afternoon, December 31. Further information may be secured by writing Edith Abbott, University of Chicago.

Headquarters.—The headquarters for the annual meeting will be the Missouri Hotel, Locust and Eleventh streets. Rates for rooms are as follows: rooms without bath, for one occupant, $2.00 and up; for two occupants, $3.00 and up per day; rooms with private bath, for one occupant, $2.50 and up; for two occupants, $4.00 and up per day. Reservations may be made through the manager, Mr. Walter Eckles.

Reduced Railroad Rates.—Arrangements have been made with the various passenger associations to grant reduced rates of one and one-half fare for the round trip to all members of the American Sociological Society and allied associations, as well as members of their families, provided 250 are in attendance and present certificates. Full fare one way is paid for the going journey, and half-fare rate for the return trip is secured only upon the following conditions:

Tickets at the rate of the one-way adult fare for the going journey may be obtained only on December 24–30, inclusive. Be sure that in purchasing your ticket you request a Convention Certificate. Do not make the mistake of asking for a receipt. 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 may 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.

On your arrival at the meeting, present your certificate to the indorsing officer, F. S. Deibler, secretary of the American Economic Association, Bureau of Registration, Statler Hotel, as the reduced fare for the return journey will not apply until you are properly identified.

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 4, 1927, to a return ticket via the same route over which you made the going journey, at one-half of the regular one-way adult tariff from place of the meeting to the point at which your certificate was issued.