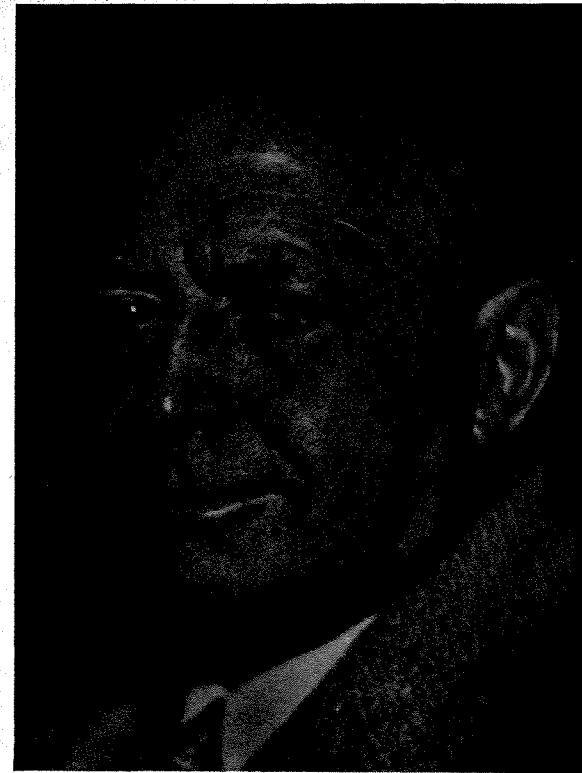


PROGRAM  
*of the*  
THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING  
*of the*  
AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY



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*Headquarters:* Hotel McAlpin, New York City  
Saturday and Sunday  
December 4 and 5, 1943

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## PROGRAM OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING

Hotel McAlpin, New York City, December 4 and 5, 1943

Saturday, December 4, 8:30 A.M.

Registration. Registration desk, Hotel McAlpin, Colonial Room.

Saturday, December 4, 9:00—10:00 A.M.

Business Meeting. Reports of committees and representatives of the Society. Colonial Room.

Saturday, December 4, 10:00-12:00 A.M.

Social Research. Raymond V. Bowers, National Headquarters, Selective Service System, Chairman. Room F.

"A Controlled Analysis of the Relationship of Guided Participation in Extra-Curricular Activities to the Scholastic Achievement and Social Adjustment of College Students," Reuben Hill, University of South Dakota.

"Techniques of Social Reform: An Analysis of the Dry Movement," Alfred McClung Lee, Wayne University.

"Reliability of the Idea-Centered Question in Interview Schedules," Morton B. King, Jr., Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

Papers will be followed by open discussion.

Social Theory. J. O. Hertzler, University of Nebraska, Chairman. Room C.

General Topic: Some Contributions of Social Theory to Post-War World Organization.

"The Minimal Institutional Essentials for World Organization," Cecil C. North, Ohio State University.

"Regionalism and a Permanent Peace," Harry E. Moore, University of Texas.

"World Planning: What is Involved?," J. O. Hertzler, University of Nebraska.

"Global Opinion and the Maintenance of Peace," Richard T. LaPiere, Stanford University.

Population. Calvin F. Schmid, University of Washington, Chairman. Colonial Room.

General Topic: International Implications of Recent Population Trends.

"Population Trends in the Soviet Union," Frank Lorimer, American University.

"Population Trends in Japan," Jesse F. Steiner, University of Washington.

Discussants: Henry Pratt Fairchild, New York University, and Bruno Lasker, Institute of Pacific Relations.

Social Psychology. Edgar A. Schuler, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Chairman. El Patio.

General Topic: The Social Psychology of Americans: Nationalist Versus Internationalist Implications.

"The Role of Intellectuals in Post-War Policy," Robert K. Merton, Columbia University.

"Attitudes of Farmers Toward the Post-War World," Carl C. Taylor, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

"Attitudes of Negroes Toward the Post-War World," E. Franklin Frazier, Howard University.

"Attitudes of Labor Toward the Post-War World," Mark Starr, International Ladies Garment Workers Union.

Discussant: Otto Klineberg, Columbia University.

**Saturday, December 4, 1:00-3:00 P.M.**

**Latin America.** Donald Young, Social Science Research Council, Presiding. El Patio.

Locality Group Structure in Latin America. T. Lynn Smith, U. S. Department of Agriculture (Brazil); Carl C. Taylor, U. S. Department of Agriculture (Argentine).

**General Session.** Post-War Society. Frank H. Hankins, Smith College, Presiding. Colonial Room.

"Population Changes and the Post-War World," Dudley Kirk, Princeton University.

"The Implications of Economic Planning for Social Organization," Robert S. Lynd, Columbia University.

"Minority Groups and the Post-War World," Robert M. MacIver, Columbia University.

"Some Psychological Cross-Currents That May Affect Peace Plans," F. Stuart Chapin, University of Minnesota.

**Saturday, December 4, 3:00-5:00 P.M.**

**Community and Ecology.** Rupert B. Vance, University of North Carolina, Chairman. Room F.

"The Ecology of Political Parties: A Case and A Critique," Rudolf Heberle, Louisiana State University.

"Geopolitics and the Theory of Regionalism," Werner J. Cahnman, Fisk University.

"Metropolitan Ecology and Rural Regionalism: A Needed Integration in Theory," James A. Quinn, University of Cincinnati.

"The Relation of Human Ecology to General Sociology," Milia Alihan, New York City.

**Sociometry.** Charles P. Loomis, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Chairman. Colonial Room.

General Topic: Measurement of Standards and Levels of Living.

"What Level of Living Indexes Measure," Margaret Jarman Hagood and Louis J. Ducoff, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Discussant: William H. Sewell, Oklahoma A. and M. College.

"Some Regional Variations in Levels and Standards of Living," Edgar A. Schuler, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Discussant: A. R. Mangus, Ohio State College.

"Parity Prices Versus Standards of Living as a Goal for Agricultural Improvement," Oris Wells, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Discussants: Dorothy Brady, U. S. Department of Labor, and Major Carle C. Zimmerman, Perrin Field, Sherman, Texas.

**The Family.** M. C. Elmer, University of Pittsburgh, Chairman. El Patio.

"Changing Culural Problems in American Family Life," Margaret Mead, American Museum of Natural History.

"Needed Legislation Relative to the Family," John S. Bradway, Duke University.

"How Can the Family Best Meet the Repercussion of the War," James H. S. Bossard, University of Pennsylvania.

**Saturday, December 4, 4:30 P.M.**

Meeting of the Executive Committee. Room C.

**Saturday, December 4, 5:00 P.M.**

Rural Sociological Society Meeting. W. A. Anderson, Cornell University, Presiding. Room D.

**Saturday, December 4, 8:00 P.M.**

**General Session.** George A. Lundberg, Bennington College, President. Colonial Room.

"Sociopathy and World Organization," Read Bain, Miami University.

"Sociologists and the Peace," George A. Lundberg, Bennington College.

"Structure and Dynamics of Social Organisms," Ely Culbertson, The World Federation, Inc.

**Sunday, December 5, 8:00 A.M.**

Breakfast Meeting—University of Chicago Group. Marine Grill.

**Sunday, December 5, 9:00-10:00 A.M.**

Business Meeting of the Society. Colonial Room.

**Sunday, December 5, 10:00-12:00 A.M.**

**General Session.** Edmund deS. Brunner, Columbia University, Presiding. Colonial Room.

Community Organization for War and Postwar Activities.

In Urban Areas—Mrs. Wladislava Frost, Area Supervisor, District of Columbia Office of Civilian Defense.

In Rural Areas—B. L. Hummel and Director John Hutcheson, Virginia State Extension Service.

**Sunday, December 5, 1:00-3:00 P.M.**

**Population.** Calvin F. Schmid, University of Washington, Chairman. Colonial Room.

General Topic: Methodology and Policy.

"A Classification of Metropolitan Counties with Respect to Retention of Wartime Population Increments," Philip M. Hauser, U. S. Bureau of the Census.

"The Outlook for Immigration After the War," E. P. Hutchinson, Immigration and Naturalization Service, U. S. Department of Justice.

"Some Programs Leading to a Positive Population Policy," T. J. Woolfer, Jr., Federal Security Agency.

Discussants: Paul H. Landis, Washington State College; Raymond F. Sletto, University of Minnesota; P. K. Whelpton, Scripps Foundation for Research in Population Problems.

**Sociological Measurement.** Harry Alpert, Office of War Information, Chairman. Room F.

"Foundations for the Scaling of Attributes," Louis Guttman, Cornell University.

Discussant: Margaret Jarman Hagood, U. S. Department of Agriculture  
"The Measurement of Morale," Arnold Rose, Special Service Division, War Department.

Discussant: Julian L. Woodward, Office of War Information.

"Statistical Measurements of Trends in Musical Tastes," John H. Mueller, University of Indiana.

Discussant: Adolph S. Tomars, College of the City of New York.

**Community and Ecology.** Rupert B. Vance, University of North Carolina, Chairman. El Patio.

"The Old New Orleans and the New: A Case for Ecology," Harlan W. Gilmore, Tulane University.

"The Urban Adjustments of Rural Migrants," Howard W. Beers, University of Kentucky.

"The Pacific Coast Community at War," Calvin F. Schmid, University of Washington.

General Discussion.

Sunday, December 5, 3:00-5:00 P.M.

**Social Research.** Raymond V. Bowers, National Headquarters, Selective Service System, Chairman. Room F.

General Topic: Statistics in the Government Service.

"Coordination of Government Statistical Programs," Stuart A. Rice, U. S. Bureau of the Budget.

"Problems and Progress in Sampling by Government Agencies," W. Edwards Deming, U. S. Bureau of the Census and U. S. Bureau of the Budget.

"The Operation of a Government Statistical Program," Kenneth H. McGill, National Headquarters, Selective Service System.

Papers will be followed by open discussion.

**Social Psychology.** Edgar A. Schuler, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Chairman. El Patio.

"Attitudes of Americans Regarding Selected Foreign Countries," Jerome Bruner, Office of Public Opinion Research, Princeton University.

"National Stereotypes and International Communication," Ruth Benedict, Columbia University.

"Sociological Elements in Attitudes Favoring Policies of Economic Restrictionism," C. Arnold Anderson, Iowa State College.

Discussant: Mark A. May, Director, Institute of Human Relations, Yale University.

**Criminology.** Thorsten Sellin, University of Pennsylvania, Chairman. Colonial Room.

"Crime and the Frontier Mores," Mabel Elliott, University of Kansas.

"The Deterrent Effect of Corporal Punishment for Crime," Robert G. Caldwell, University of Delaware.

Sunday, December 5, 4:30 P.M.

Meeting of the Executive Committee. Room C.

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