PROGRAM

of the
THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING
of the
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Saturday and Sunday
December 4 and 5, 1943
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Registration. Registration desk, Hotel McAlpin, Colonial Room.

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

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.


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.


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

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


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 Stewart, University of Pittsburgh.
"Metropolitan Improvement," Heberle, Louisiana University.

Saturday, December 4, 3:00-5:00 P.M.
Community and Ecology. Rupert B. Vance, University of North Carolina, Chairman. Room F.

General Topic: Measurement of Standards and Levels of Living.
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.
"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.

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

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

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


Discussant: Margaret Jarman Hagood, U. S. Department of Agriculture.


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


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


"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.


Papers will be followed by open discussion.


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.


Meeting of the Executive Committee. Room C.

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