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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7
9:00 A.M. REGISTRATION — Lincoln Building Lobby
10:00 A.M. THE FAMILY — Colorado Room

Chairman, Paul Wallin, Stanford University
Harry M. Mower and Ernest R. Mower, Northwestern University
“The Social Psychology of Marriage”
Discussion: Jessie Bernard, Pennsylvania State College
Richard T. Lapham, Stanford University
William J. Goode, Wayne University
“The Social Psychology of Divorce”
Discussion: Edwin M. Lemert, University of California, Los Angeles
Frank Miyamoto, University of Washington

RURAL SOCIOLOGY: Rural Social Structure and Personality —
Lincoln Room — (Joint Session with the Rural Sociological Society)

Chairman, John Ureem, Michigan State College
Olive Dudley Duncan, Pennsylvania State College
“Deleminating the Stratification Structure of a Rural Community”
William H. Sewell, University of Wisconsin
“A Field Study of the Impact of Social Structure on the Personality of the Rural Child”
Discussion: Llewellyn Z. Gross, University of Buffalo
A. R. Marcus, Ohio State University

RACIAL AND CULTURAL RELATIONS — Centennial Room

Chairman, Gordon H. Barke, University of Colorado
John S. Bensanz, Wayne University
“Inter-American Families on the Isthmus of Panama”
Emory S. Bogardus, University of Southern California
“Measuring Changes in Ethnic Reactions”
Dorothy Swain Thomas, University of Pennsylvania
“Selective Factors in the Migration of Japanese Americans from the Relocation Centers”
Discussion: Paul Honigshinem, Michigan State College
Arnold M. Rose, University of Minnesota
Robert W. O'Brien, University of Washington
1:15 P.M. **CRIMINOLOGY — Colorado Room**

Chairman, MARSHALL B. CLAYTON, University of Wisconsin

MILTON L. BARSON, Cornell University
"Juvenile Delinquency and American Values"

ALBERT J. REIS, Jr., University of Chicago
"Delinquency as the Failure of Personal and Social Controls"

EDWIN H. SUTHERLAND, Indiana University, and
MARTIN H. NEUMMeyer, University of Southern California
"Appraisal of Sheldon's Varieties of Delinquent Youth"

Discussion: JOSEPH H. GREENBERG, University of Colorado
JOSEPH N. SYMONS, Utah State Agricultural College

**INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY: Sociological Aspects of Labor Force Analysis — Centennial Room**

Chairman, SEYMOUR L. WOLFEIN, Bureau of Labor Statistics

PHILIP M. HAUER, University of Chicago
"The Role of the Sociologist in the Field of Labor Force Analysis"

A. J. JAFFE, Bureau of the Census
"Labor Force Analysis in the United States"

IRENE R. TAUSSIG, Princeton University
"Family, Migration, and the Differentiation of the Labor Force in Japan, 1920-1950"

Discussion: KINGSLEY DAVIS, Columbia University

3:30 P.M. **THEORY AND METHOD: The Adequacy of Role Theory — Centennial Room**

Chairman, EDWARD L. ROSE, University of Colorado

NORMAN HELMAR, Cornell University
"Role Theory and Field Theory in Group Dynamics"

DAVID McKENZIE, University of Chicago
"Concept Formation in Institutionalized Schizophrenics as a Clue to the Function of the Self in Regulating Behavior"

NELSON FOOTE, Cornell University
"Expansion of the Concept of Identification as the Basis for a Situational Theory of Motivation"

Discussion: PHILIP SELZNER, Rand Corporation
LOUISA HOLT, Menninger Foundation
REINHARD BENYER, University of California

**SOCIOLGY AND SOCIAL WORK — Lincoln Room**

Chairman, ERNEST GREENWOOD, Welfare Council of Metropolitan Los Angeles

KIMBALL YOUNG, Northwestern University
"The Contribution of Social Psychology to Social Work Theory and Practice"

OTTO POLLAK, University of Pennsylvania
"Relationships between Social Science and Child Guidance Work"

ELIZABETH HERSON, Jewish Family Service of New York City
"What Social Case Work Wants of Research"

**EDUCATIONAL SOCIOLOGY: Education for International Understanding — Colorado Room**

Chairman, LESLIE D. ZELKEN, Colorado State College of Education

GUSTAF ICEHESTER, University of Chicago
"Sociopsychological Sources of Misunderstandings in International Relations"

JOHN T. BLUE, Jr., Howard University
"Conceptual Errors Common in the Teaching of Sociology"

AUSTIN L. PORTERFIELD, Texas Christian University
"Reducing Indirection in Education for International Understanding"
7:00 P.M.  ANNUAL DINNER (Joint Meeting with the Rural Sociological Society and the National Council on Family Relations) — Lincoln Room

Chairman, CHANCELLOR ALBERT C. JACOBS, University of Denver

Welcoming Address, PRESIDENT ROBERT L. STEARNS, University of Colorado

Presidential Addresses:

"The Variables of Rural Sociology," C. HORACE HAMILTON, Rural Sociological Society

"Marshalling Support for Family Life Education," ERNEST OSBORN, National Council on Family Relations

"Some Neglected Problems in Social Psychology," LEONARD S. COTTRELL, Jr., American Sociological Society

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

9:00 A.M.  THEORY AND METHOD — Centennial Room

Chairman, GEORGE A. LUNDHOLM, University of Washington

A. D. WOODRUFF, Brigham Young University

"The Roles of the Value Concept in Behavior"

Discussion: STUART A. QUINN, Washington University

DAVID F. AMBERLE, Harvard University

STUART C. DOSS, University of Washington

"Classifying Human Values"

Discussion: HORST E. MARTIN, Duke University

JESSE BERNARD, Pennsylvania State College

POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY — Colorado Room

Chairman, RUDOLF HIRSCHEN, Louisiana State University

DINNO TOMASEK, Indiana University

"The Interrelations between Bolshevik Ideology and the Structure of Soviet Society"

SEBASTIAN DEGRAZIA, University of Chicago

"Authority and Rationality"

JOHN UREK, Michigan State College

"The Sociology of Power"

Discussion: ALEXANDER VIGNET, Stanford University

Others to be announced

SOCIOLGY AND PSYCHIATRY — Lincoln Room

Chairman, NEAL GROSS, University of Minnesota

CHARLES N. ELLIOTT, Phoenix Mental Health Center, National Institute of Mental Health, U. S. Public Health Service

"Community Attitudes Toward Mental Health Problems"

HERBERT Goldhammer, The Rand Corporation

"Statistical Studies in Social Psychiatry"

Discussion: SHIRLEY STEARNS, National Opinion Research Center

H. WARREN DUNHAM, Wayne University

11:00 A.M.  BUSINESS MEETING — Lincoln Room

1:15 P.M.  CRIMINOLOGY — Lincoln Room

Chairman, MARSHALL L. CLAIBORNE, University of Wisconsin

DONALD R. CRESSEY, University of California at Los Angeles

"The Criminal Violation of Financial Trust"

SOLOMON KORIN, The Chicago Area Project

"The Non-Delinquent in Delinquency Areas"

F. LOYD BIXBY and LLOYD W. MCCONCIE, Department of Institutions and Agencies, New Jersey

"A Social Psychological Analysis of Guided Group Interaction in Correctional Work"

Discussion: PETER LEJINS, University of Maryland

ARTHUR L. WOOD, University of Connecticut

COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC OPINION — Centennial Room

Chairman, CLYDE W. HART, National Opinion Research Center

MORRIS JANOWITZ, University of Chicago

"Problems in the Analysis of Communication and Opinion Data"

FRANCIS MOSCOSO, University of Illinois

"Use of Sample Surveys in the Study of Business Planning"

SAMUEL H. FLOWERMAN and MABEL WHITE RILEY, Rutgers University

"Group Relations as a Variable in Communications Research"

Discussion: DONALD HORTON, University of Chicago
CURRENT RESEARCH (CONTRIBUTED PAPERS) — Colorado Room

Chairman, Robert E. L. Faris, University of Washington

JOHN JAMES, University of Oregon
“A Preliminary Study of the Size Determinant in Small Groups”

ROBERT F. BALE, FRED L. STRROEBECK, THEODORE MILLS, MARY ROSEBOROUGH, Harvard University
“Channels of Communication in Small Group Interaction”

KAREL F. SCHNEIDER, ANSEL STRAUSS, Indiana University
“Scale Analysis Applied to the Development of Children’s Concepts of Money”

JOSEPH A. CAVANAUGH, University of Washington
“Formulation and Testing of an Interactance Hypothesis”

LEONARD F. PEARLIN, DONALD D. STEWART, University of Oklahoma
“An Ecological Analysis of the Vote in the 1947 Prohibition Referendum in Oklahoma”

HOWARD BECKER, University of Wisconsin
“Social Disorganization, with Special Reference to Greek Society”

3:30 P.M. THEORY AND METHOD — Colorado Room

Chairman, Leonard S. Cottrell, Jr., Cornell University

TALOtt PARKS, Harvard University
“Recent Steps Toward Unification of Social Science Theory”

Panel Discussion: GEORGE P. MURROCK, Yale University
ARNOLD M. ROSE, University of Minnesota
HANS SPEIER, The Rand Corporation
PHILIP SELZNICK, University of California at Los Angeles
SAMUEL A. STouFFE, Harvard University

INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY — Lincoln Room

Chairman, Delbert C. Miller, University of Washington

DUANE L. GIBSON, fore the Committee on the Michigan Bell Telephone Study of Youth, Michigan State College
“Attitudes of Youth toward the World of Work”

ARNOLD M. ROSE, University of Minnesota
“Sources of Union Solidarity and Morale”

Panel and General Discussion: Promising Social Psychological Areas in Industrial and Occupational Sociology

LOWELL J. CAND, University of Michigan
W. FRED COTTRELL, Miami University
MELVILLE DALTON, University of Kansas
WILLIAM H. FORM, Michigan State College
ALVIN GOLDBERG, University of Buffalo
CARLO LATTUCCIO, San Francisco State College
PAUL MEADOWS, University of Nebraska
ELON MOORE, University of Oregon
RICHARD MYERS, Oberlin College

CURRENT RESEARCH (CONTRIBUTED PAPERS) — Centennial Room

Chairman, GWYNNE NETTLE, University of California, Santa Barbara College

JOEL SMITH, Northwestern University
“Mass Communication and the Maintenance of Motivation toward Mobility”

ROBERT BURCHLEY, STUART C. DORO, University of Washington
“On Subrelations: The Correlations of Wholes with Their Parts”

EDWIN M. LEMERT, University of California at Los Angeles
“The Natural History Concept as Applied to Social Problems”

ARCH COOPER, University of Washington
“Public Opinions and Problems of National Security in the State of Washington”

ROBERT J. HAVIGHURST, University of Chicago
“People’s Attitudes Toward the Roles of Older People”

JU SHI PAN, Chicago
“A Comparison of Factors in the Personal and Social Adjustment of Old People in Homes for the Aged and Old People Living Outside of Institutions”

7:30 P.M. AN AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL REVIEW: The Follies of 1950—Lincoln Room

(Report of a derelict Committee on Holding the Annual Meeting in the West, which was appointed at the first meeting of the Society in Baltimore in 1955. Out of respect for the late members of this Committee, its report is signed only by the author, Mr. Arch Napier of the University of New Mexico.)
8:00 P.M. CONTRIBUTIONS SOCIAL SCIENCE CAN MAKE TO THE POINT-FOUR PROGRAM (Joint Session with The Society for Applied Anthropology) — Lincoln Room

Chairman, Carl C. Taylor, Division of Farm Population and Rural Life

AZIZ L. TANNOUS, Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations
“Positive Role of the Social Scientist in the Point-Four Program, with Special Reference to the Middle East”

Panel Discussion: CONRAD TAKER, Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations
GLEN L. TAGGART, Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations
JOHN USEEM, Michigan State College

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

9:00 A.M. DEMOGRAPHY AND HUMAN ECOLOGY — Colorado Room

Chairman, Dorothy Swaink Thomas, University of Pennsylvania

Kingsley Davis, Columbia University
“The Interdependence of Demography and Social Psychology from a Research Standpoint”

Calvin F. Schmid, University of Washington
“The Interdependence of Human Ecology and Social Psychology from a Research Standpoint”

Discussion: NOEL P. GIST, University of Missouri
AMOS H. HAWLEY, University of Michigan
WALTER T. MARTIN, University of Oregon
STEPHEN W. REED, Yale University

CURRENT RESEARCH (CONTRIBUTED PAPERS) — Centennial Room

Chairman, Austin L. Porterfield, Texas Christian University

Simone Marcus, Queens College
“Interracial Generational Status”

RALPH H. TURNER, University of California at Los Angeles
“Aggression and Personality”

CLARENCE SCHEAR, University of Washington
“The Measurement of Some Factors Related to Leadership in a Prison Community”

JULIUS A. JARNE, University of Washington
“Some Further Contributions to Guttman’s Theory of Scale Analysis”

JOSEPH H. GREENBERG, University of Colorado
“Sex Distribution and Occupational Choice”

PROBLEMS OF THE SMALL DEPARTMENT; TEACHING AND RESEARCH — Lincoln Room

Chairman, Harrington G. Breckinridge, George Peabody College

PAUL WALSER, Jr., University of New Mexico
“The Role of the Small Department”

WILLIAM C. SMITH, Linfield College
“Difficulties of the Small Department”

THEODORE K. NOSS, Adelphi College
“Coordinating Teaching with Research”

 Mildred R. MELL, Agnes Scott College
“Local Research”

FLOYD T. POLLOCK, Stephen F. Austin College
“Should Small Departments Attempt Research?”

Gwynne Nettler, University of California, Santa Barbara College
“Should Small Departments Have Majors?”

Paul R. Stenick, Joplin Junior College
“Special Problems in the Junior College”

Lester E. Hewitt, Ball State Teachers College
“Sociology as Only Part of a Department”

John H. BURMA, Grinnell College
“Advantages of the Small Department”

11:00 A.M. BUSINESS MEETING — Lincoln Room

2:15 P.M. COMMUNITY STUDIES: Social Psychological Studies in a Community Setting — Colorado Room

Chairman, John A. Clausen, National Institute of Mental Health

Jesse Bernard, Pennsylvania State College
“Social Psychological Aspects of Community Study: Some Neglected Problems”
EUL L. KOOS, University of Rochester
“Health and Welfare Relations in a Village Community”

Discussion: ROBERT E. L. FABE, University of Washington
RONALD FREEDMAN, University of Michigan

PROBLEMS OF THE SOCIOLOGICAL RESEARCH BUREAU —
Centennial Room

Chairman, PAUL F. LAZARSFELD, Columbia University

CHARLES Y. GOODE, Columbia University
“Administrative Problems of Research Bureaus”

SIMEON STOUTZER, Harvard University
“Problems of Training in Empirical Research”

JOHN DEAV, Cornell University
“Cooperation of Sociologists with Other Social Scientists in
the Frame of Research Bureaus”

LEO LOWENTHAL, U. S. Department of State
“The Government as Client of Research Bureaus”

Committee Meetings

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, 1950
September 6, 10:00 A.M. — Meeting
12:00 M. — Informal luncheon meeting
1:15 P.M. — Meeting
September 7, 4:30 P.M. — Meeting
September 8, 4:30 P.M. — Meeting (tentative)

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, 1951
September 9, 4:00 P.M. — Meeting

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE
and
REPRESENTATIVES
of the Committee

September 7, 12:00 M. — Special luncheon meeting