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THE 1964 NCFR ANNUAL MEETING

The highlight of every NCFR year is its Annual Meeting; and the 1964 conference, to be held at the Deauville Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida, October 9-11, promises to be unusually exciting. The May Newsletter will carry an outline of the program. Clark E. Vincent has announced that the theme will be "The Sixties—Decade of the Teenager." Section chairmen planning their programs are: Counseling, Dorothy Barrier, Marriage Counselling Centre, 3690 Peel Street, Montreal, Quebec, Canada; Education, Christine Beasley, College of Home Economics, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee; Research, Howard Stanton, Social Science Program, Department of Health, Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Santurce, Puerto Rico; Special Emphases, Harold Belgum, Department of Parish Education, American Lutheran Church, 422 South 5th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415.

The Deauville Hotel writes: "...All meeting rooms are completely air-conditioned and soundproofed and carry the latest in electronically controlled lighting and sound systems, with theatre-style arm chair seating arrangements throughout . . . Among the many unique and outstanding recreational firsts of this new luxury convention resort hotel are . . . free greens fees sponsored at three championship 18 hole golf courses (4 minutes away) . . . 2 swimming pools and a cottage cabana colony . . . the widest private hotel beach in Florida today (2 blocks long and a block in depth) . . . 2 nightclubs featuring top Broadway talent . . . 2 coffee shops . . . 5 distinct and different dining areas . . . plus a complete ultra-modern shopping arcade . . . and of course, the Deauville is ideally located (as it is situated on 65th to 67th streets and Collins avenue on the ocean, thus being in the exact heart of Miami Beach) and is but minutes away from any and all of the major attractions in the Greater Miami area.

"All of the 600 luxurious guest rooms at the Deauville carry their own built-in, 21" TV sets with AM-FM radio combinations, walk-in closets, oversized bathrooms with push button controls for ice water, individualized electronically controlled air-conditioning, and all rooms, of course, carry either ocean or bay view (with the average bedroom size $15\frac{1}{2}' \times 19\frac{1}{2}'$ excluding bath and closets)."

"Because the Deauville Hotel is operated on a year-round convention level, it is our desire to offer to the National Council on Family Relations a very special rate for your meeting. This rate would be based on accommodations from \$6 per person, double, daily on the European plan or should you desire the modified American plan, then these special rates would run from \$9.50 per person, double, daily. The full American plan which would include all three meals each day, would be based on a rate of from \$11 per person, double, daily . . ."

"Although the Deauville Hotel has the finest convention facilities on earth, nevertheless, we also know that the physical aspects alone cannot insure a perfect meeting. For that reason we have set up a convention coordinating department . . . a staff of fully trained men whose sole function is to help you arrange and organize the many hundreds of details which go to make up a successful convention. One man from this staff, and one man alone, is assigned to your convention . . ."

A registration form will be sent you later; but plan now to attend the 1964 conference!

NCFR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN: William F. Kenkel, Dept. of Sociology, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa.
MASS MEDIA CHAIRMAN: F. Ivan Nye, Dept. of Rural Sociology, Washington State University, Pullman.
In addition, Wallace C. Fulton has been appointed chairman of a committee to revise the NCFR Constitution and By-Laws.

AN EULOGY TO ERNEST G. OSBORNE, WRITTEN BY HIS ASSISTANT AT TEACHERS COLLEGE

Given before his class
"The Psychology of Family Relations"
Columbia Teachers College, December 10, 1963

Ernest Osborne will be eulogized more fully and perhaps more fittingly in another place, but here in his own classroom over which he presided so lovingly for so many years, it is perhaps not inappropriate to spend a few moments to take note of what, to me at least, is the essential message of his teaching, if not indeed of his life itself. For me this essence is summed up in one word, acceptance.

Other great figures in the field of personal relations made their different contributions of value. We are indebted to Freud for revealing the unconscious mind. Thorndike taught us much about the process of learning. Ernest Osborne's gift may be even more significant; he reaffirmed the worth of the human being. For him psychology began with the acceptance of the individual person.

His work as a professor exemplified this creed. Unlike a regrettably large number of his contemporaries, he did not feel that students existed to provide the faculty with a living, but rather that the professor existed to serve the students. I know of no professor who gave more of his time to individual student conferences.

He constantly emphasized by word and example to all connected with the teaching of this course that the needs of the students came first. During his last days, wracked in agony as he was, one of his greatest concerns was that he would no longer be able to help the doctoral students whose projects he had sponsored. Speaking for myself, I recall with deep gratitude the many times I have felt supported and warmed by his unquestioning acceptance in my own times of travail.

Perhaps my personal response to Lank Osborne echoes a need we all feel in this day, when we are so measured, so tested, so evaluated, and so categorized: to experience some affirmation that we are after all a person, with our own uniqueness, our own worth, and our own dignity. Lank gave unstintingly of himself to supply this need in all he met. His work, of course, goes on, through the philosophy of the Home and Family Life Department which he so greatly influenced and through the careers of the many students he trained. But I grieve at his passing - I grieve not only for myself, but also for those students who might have known him and who now are deprived of his great spirit. It will indeed be long before we look upon his like again.

-Tony Gee

BETTY PORTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Brigham Young University Employee's Federal Credit Union has established the "Betty Porter Memorial Scholarship," as a memorial to the wife of NCFR President, Blaine R. Porter, who died December 29, 1963. The scholarship will be awarded annually to a girl majoring in Family Life Education, who will be selected on the basis of integrity, scholastic achievement, professional promise, and financial need. Dr. Porter writes, "We are grateful for the generosity of our friends who are making it possible to keep Betty's image bright, and it is most fitting for it to be in the form of helping a worthy and needy person--so much in keeping with her own philosophy."

LAST CALL - DIRECTORY FORMS

If you have not yet returned your Directory Form, enclosed with the October Newsletter, please do so. If you have lost your form, please write the office for another. We are anxious to make this directory as up-to-date as possible.

A PLEA TO OUR MEMBERS WHO MOVE

Please notify us a month in advance if you plan to move. It costs \$.38 each time we have to handle a returned journal. In addition, sometimes the journal is not returned, and the post office merely notifies us (\$.10 charge) that your copy was not delivered. In this case we lose a journal. \$.38 may not seem like a large sum--except that it can happen many times a week. We would much rather put that money to work in more profitable ways!

MAY NEWSLETTER

The May Newsletter will be devoted mainly to: the Annual Meeting Program; and news about members. We have many such items on hand, and will appreciate receiving additional information about you and your activities by May 1. Write us when you return your ballot enclosed with this letter!

POSITIONS OPEN

CENTRAL MISSOURI STATE COLLEGE, Warrensburg: Person wanted to teach Family Living. Central Missouri State College is a rapidly growing institution in which there has been considerable development both from the standpoint of curriculum and enrollment; registration is high in the area of Family Living. Both undergraduate and graduate work is offered. Person with doctorate is preferred, but lesser training will be considered. Salaries are competitive. Write D. W. Tieszen, Dean of Instruction.

LINTON HIGH SCHOOL, Schenectady, New York: Person wanted to teach Family Life Education. Position open, September 1964, offers opportunity to teach junior and senior boys and girls in the areas of personality development and human behavior. Adjacent prekindergarten makes possible observations and work experience with four-year-olds. Preparation in Family Life Education and Child Development required with at least a master's degree and three years of teaching experience. Salary ranges from \$5,600 to \$9,000 depending on preparation and experience. Write Mrs. Marjorie B. Sherman, Supervisor, Home Economics & Family Life Education, Schenectady Public Schools, 108 Union Street, Schenectady 5, New York.

UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY: Vacancy for a family life researcher who has a Ph.D. and some experience in research. The appointment will be for three-fourths research time with the Experiment Station of the University, and one-fourth time teaching in the Department of Family and Child Development. The appointment will be effective in June, 1964. Interested persons may write to Don Carter, Head, Family and Child Development, Utah State University, Logan, Utah.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY: Position in Child Development. A doctorate is required. The position includes undergraduate and graduate teaching, and direction of the nursery. Some research time should be available. Rank and salary depend on the qualifications of the person, but a full professorship is not an impossibility. Write Betty Jane Johnston, Chairman, Department of Home and Family, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois.

OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS: The Department of Child Development and Family Living has some graduate assistantships available for fall, 1964. These assistantships carry a waiver of fees during the academic year, plus the summers preceding and following the appointment. The stipends run from \$2,200 upward. Write Dale L. Womble, Professor and Chairman.

COUNCILS

UTAH: About 700 people attended the annual Family Life Conference, on the theme Family Moral Values on Trial. Speakers included a judge, attorneys, etc. For details, write Stella H. Oaks, Supervisor of General Education, Provo City Schools.

NORTH CAROLINA: The 17th Annual Conference will be October 25-27, 1964 at the Jack Tar Hotel, Durham . . . EDWIN S. PRESTON has been appointed chairman of an ON-TO-MIAMI BEACH COMMITTEE, with the hope that the North Carolina Council will be well represented at the NCFR Annual Meeting . . . The Council is in the process of preparing a Handbook of Responsibilities and Opportunities of Officers, Members at Large on the Executive Committee, and Committee Chairmen, under the editorship of GRACE DANIEL. . . HELEN B. ASHBY is the new Chairman of the Research Committee; and the REV. ROLLIN P. GIBBS is first chairman of the finance committee.

MINNESOTA: NATALIE GALLAGHER, Department of Home Economics, University of Minnesota is the new Council president. At the March meeting, open to all interested, FRED SMITH of the Minneapolis Urban League will discuss his organization's program.

ILLINOIS: The Annual Meeting will be held at Illinois State University at Normal on April 24th. President is LUCILLE STILES, Chairman of the Home Economics Department, Maine Township High School West, Des Plaines, who writes: "We have asked RUTH FARMER, Department of Psychology, Blackburn College to return this year with her students and discuss and demonstrate the use of socio-guidrama

in family relationships. JAMES OUGHTON, JR., Director of the Keeley Institute at Dwight, Illinois, will speak on "The Alcoholic and His Family." The keynote speaker for the afternoon session will be SYLVANUS DUVALL, on "Alternative Sex Standards for Our Present Age." Following his presentation there will be discussion in small groups chaired by selected leaders. The evening speaker will be RUTH SHONLE CAVAN, who will discuss "What's Ahead for the Family in the Next Twenty-Five Years?"

MISSISSIPPI: The Annual Meeting was held in Jackson on October 30. ROBERT GILBERT, Mississippi State College for Women, Department of Social Studies, Columbus, Mississippi, is president.

SOUTHEASTERN: The 12th Annual Meeting was held in Tampa, Florida October 2-22, 1963, on the theme "Strengthening Communication Within the Family." DOUGLASS BROWN and MARTHA JOHNSON were co-chairmen of the program committee. JOHN HUDSON, Merrill-Palmer Institute, and BLAINE R. PORTER, Brigham Young University, were the featured speakers. Discussion groups were concerned with strengthening communication between: marital partners, parents and pre-schoolers, parents and elementary age children, parents and teenagers, siblings, home and school, marriage and family living teachers and their students, marriage and family counselors and their clients, marriage and family researchers and their consumers; and strengthening communication in the 3-generation family . . . The Southeastern Council has prepared a very impressive policy handbook, under the chairmanship of ELIZABETH S. CARMICHAEL, designed to help the officers and chairmen of committees understand and execute their duties for smooth and efficient operation of the Council. President is WILLIAM CRANE, Second Presbyterian Church, Kingston Pike above Neyland Drive, Knoxville 19, Tennessee.

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY COUNCIL OF MIAMI: A workshop was co-sponsored by this council and Miami-Dade Junior College in November, on the subject "Education for Marriage." IVERSON GRAHAM, was guest speaker. JOSEPHINE PERRETT and DORA KLEMER were among others participating.

VIRGINIA: For the second time, the Virginia Council held its Annual Meeting jointly with the Virginia Council on Social Welfare. Topics discussed were: "Education for Family Living," "The Role of Love and Religion in Strengthening Family Life," and "What Can Be Done to Counteract Forces Disrupting Family Life." Among the many speakers were DAVID R. MACE and WALLACE C. FULTON. The two sponsoring organizations requested the State Board of Education to permit qualified persons to back Family Life Education in the Virginia Public Schools. PHILIP J. ALLEN, Department of Sociology, Mary Washington College, is president.

MICHIGAN: A regional structure is taking shape, with committees formed in Lansing, Grand Rapids, Detroit, and Flint. The Lansing Regional meeting was held in January, with the topic, "What Makes A Healthy Community." The Grand Rapids Region will combine with the Grand Rapids Family Life Council of Kent County on March 16th for a session on the topic, "Integration in our Community." The Detroit Region had a conference in November on the subject, "A New Look at Adult-Child Relationships." The Flint Region is assisting in the formation of Michigan's fourth Planned Parenthood program. Dr. Alan Guttmacher was presented at a public meeting in February. WILLIAM CARROLL is president of the Greater Flint Planned Parenthood organization. The Michigan Council's Annual Meeting will be May 8th at the Flint YMCA. BLAINE PORTER, NCFR president, will speak. GEORGE CHAMIS, 923 East Kersley, Flint is president.

TRI-STATE: The Winter meeting took place on February 29th under the title "Programming Human Relationships: A Dyadic Approach." This was a demonstration-discussion of an approach to programmed instruction in human relations education, with particular emphasis on its meaning for family life improvement. Dr. Jerome Berlin, Human Development Institute of Atlanta, was the main speaker. He was followed by a distinguished panel drawn from several disciplines. GEOFFREY W. ESTY, M.D., State Department of Education, Trenton, New Jersey is president.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA: Guest speaker at the January meeting was LESTER KIRKENDALL, Oregon State University, on the topic, "Interpersonal Relationships--Implications for Ethical Decisions." The spring meeting will be April 25, 1964, at American River Junior College, Sacramento County, with BLAINE PORTER as speaker . . . The Council is organizing a flight, originating in the Bay Area and stopping at Sacramento and other spots, for members and for Oregon State Home Economics alumni who wish to attend the April 17-18 conference at Corvallis, Oregon on "Changing Values in the American Family." (see Workshops and Conferences). For information, write Council president, J. MARTIN WEBER, 6011 Folsom Boulevard, Sacramento.

INDIANA: The ICFR will meet for its 18th annual meeting on April 18 in Indiana Union, Indianapolis. The theme for the conference will be "High School Drop-outs Related to School and Family." New officers are CATHERINE HUDSON, President, 2419 North 9th Street, Terre Haute; REUBEN BEHLMER, ELIZABETH JACKSON, and THELMA MORGAN, vice-presidents.

NEBRASKA: The council will hold a Family Relations Workshop March 18-19, 1964. JOHN CHANTINY, The Merrill-Palmer Institute, will give the banquet address on the topic, "How Can The Community Strengthen the Family?" He will also discuss "Strengths and Weaknesses of the Family." There will be symposiums on "What is My Community Like," and "Community Responsibilities for Different Age Groups." Write the president, HAROLD ABEL, University of Nebraska, School of Home Economics, Lincoln; or the secretary, WALTER A. JUERGENSEN, Concordia Teachers College, Seward for more complete information.

CHARLOTTE-MECKLENBURG FAMILY LIFE COUNCIL, Charlotte, North Carolina: The Council sponsored a "Family Life Education Week" February 16-22, 1964, to help sharpen community awareness of the need to strengthen families, and to explore with community leaders and groups ways to do this. ELIZABETH S. FORCE, Director of Education and Family Life, ASHA, was Consultant, and gave several addresses. Community people and organizations participated in several other programs during the week. RUTH BANBURY, 200 Meadowbrook Road, is president.

LOS ANGELES: The topic for the November, 1963 meeting was "Understanding and Entering the World of the Adolescent." Panel members included: Tom Evans, Youth Counselor, Hollywood Boys' Club and Hollywood YMCA, moderator of "The Older You Grow," CBS radio program panel of young people; Frank Heit, UCLA Clinical Psychologist, center for diagnosis, treatment and study of learning disorders of children of normal intelligence who recently established the open-door therapy for adolescents who were resisting needed psychotherapy; and Alice Thompson, Professor of Psychology, Los Angeles State College, founder and executive director of Excalon, Inc., a non-profit clinic for children with learning and behavior disorders. President is ZELPHA BATES, Department of Home Economics, Long Beach State College.

THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF FAMILY ORGANIZATIONS AND THE U.S. NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE I.U.F.O.

CHARLES H. SUTTON, chairman of the U. S. National Committee of the I.U.F.O., attended the executive committee meeting of the I.U.F.O. in Paris December 16, 1963. The following items are from his report on his return to the United States.

The 1964 International Conference will be held in the Museum in Munich, Germany, July 19-23. All arrangements are in the hands of the German committee. The general council will meet following the adjournment of the conference. The United States will be asked to present papers as a part of one day, as well as to provide leaders for the work sessions.

The proposed "committee" on research was revised to be a full commission on research, with Professor Pierre deBie of Belgium as organizational chairman. He is well known in sociological circles as former secretary general of the International Sociological Society. He has accepted an invitation from NATO to lecture in Kansas City during the spring term at the university.

The IUFO has been invited to participate in a congress sponsored by the United Nations in Stockholm in 1964 on "Prevention of Crime and Delinquency."

Mrs. Clifford Jenkins, President of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, was approved for the fifth U. S. seat on the General Council for the remainder of this term. It was suggested that in the future the National Chairman should have a seat from the U. S. on the General Council.

The status of the World Family Year was discussed. The final conclusion established a time table as follows:

- 1964 - Detailed consideration by the General Council
- 1965 - Implementation by the General Assembly
- 1966 - A Congress to open a world family campaign, which should not in any way be advertised or as or considered to be the congress of the World Family Year
- 1967
- 1970 - The Congress for the World Family Year; and the World Family Year.

The important tone of these conversations was that we should be certain of a carefully and thoroughly planned program; research is essential as well as action.

UNITED NATIONS REPRESENTATIVE, I.U.F.O.

Mrs. Elizabeth Collins, United Nations Representative, I.U.F.O., has assembled material on current U.N. activities of interest to those in the family field. The following items are excerpted from her January, 1964 report. For more information write Mrs. Collins.

The General Assembly concluded its 18th session on December 17, 1963. Priority during the debates was given to the Declaration on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination which was unanimously adopted.

Additional resolutions adopted by the General Assembly include:

Designation of 1965 as International Cooperation Year.

Designation of 1968 as International Year for Human Rights.

World Campaign for Universal Literacy - non-governmental organizations which are active or interested in the field of education are invited to collaborate to the fullest possible extent in a world wide action for the achievement of universal literacy as an essential element of social and economic progress in the U.N. Development Decade.

World Campaign against Hunger, Disease and Ignorance - non-governmental organizations are urged to put their increased enthusiasm, energy and other resources into a world campaign in the basic human fields of food, health, and education, including training, to start in 1965 and to continue for the remainder of the U.N. Development Decade.

Housing, Building and Planning - interested inter-governmental and non-governmental organizations (the IUFO has a Committee on Housing) are urged to cooperate with the Committee on Housing, Building and Planning.

Participation of Women in national, social and economic development - the importance of training women so that they can participate fully was stressed.

Measures designed to promote among Youth the ideals of peace, mutual respect and understanding between peoples - U.N. member states were invited to submit their views on the proposed Declaration.

UNICEF: On January 13, in Bangkok, Thailand, the Program Committee and Executive Board began its annual session. Trends in programming emphasize development of basic maternal and child health services on a wide scope, coordination of health and social service projects with efforts to improve nutrition, agricultural education, housing, etc. . . There is a growing concern for increased UNICEF aid for children and youth of recent "in-migrant families" in crowded urban areas, as well as for the training of rural family guidance personnel . . . An interesting report was made on the UNICEF-assisted Social Services Project in the Philippines. One of the important objectives of this demonstration project is to build the program on the traditional cultural pattern where families are kept together in the same household and in the community of their choice . . . Those interested in obtaining current information about UNICEF activities will find the monthly publication, UNICEF NEWS, of great interest. Application may be made to Bernard Garin, Editor, UNICEF NEWS, United Nations, New York, New York. There is no charge.

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, SUMMER SESSIONS

SAN JOSE STATE COLLEGE, California: Conference on Aging and the Older Person, June 15-19, 1964; Clark Tibbitts, Office of Aging, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Keynote speaker; for information write Laurence E. Smardan, Department of Home Economics, San Jose State College.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Davis campus: Family Life Workshop, June 22-26.

RUTGERS STATE UNIVERSITY, New Brunswick, New Jersey: Summer School of Alcohol Studies, June 29-July 18. Apply to: Summer School of Alcohol Studies, Box 554, Rutgers - The State University, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903. Some scholarships are available.

PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY: Three-week workshop June 29-July 17, on "Communities and Families," taught by Muriel W. Brown, who has conducted workshops, institutes, and seminars in family and child development, human relations, and community organization in many parts of the nation. Dr. Brown is

nationally and internationally known for her publications pertaining to family life and community organization. The workshop is planned to help the professional leader gain a deeper understanding of his part in the family-community interaction process. Functional relationships between leaders, family members and community organizations and agencies that influence family life and community development will be explored, with special reference to new research findings and to new theoretical proposals. Write Conference Center, Pa. State University, University Park, Pa. 16802.

BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY, Bowling Green, Ohio: Henry Bowman, Professor of Sociology at the University of Texas, will direct a family workshop June 10-30. Three hours of academic credit. Write Donald S. Longworth, Chairman, Department of Sociology.

UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY: College of Family Life Workshops: 1st session, June 8-July 10; 2nd session, July 13-August 14. In addition to several family and child development courses offered, there will be a Family Life Education Workshop June 22-July 3, taught by Elizabeth S. Force, Dorothy T. Dyer, and C. Jay Skidmore. The workshop is organized to serve family life educators, teachers, extension leaders, and students interested in developing family life programs in school and community, using skills and techniques, understandings and insights developed in the workshop experience. The workshop is a cooperative effort with the American Social Health Association.

UCLA: The overlap of Psychiatry and Law will be examined in a symposium April 4. Sessions on Criminal Responsibility and Family Disruption, key issues to both professions, are planned to further meaningful exchange and communication. The Honorable Roger Alton Pfaff will serve as panel discussant. Apply to Thomas H. Sternberg, Assistant Dean, Postgraduate Medical Education, UCLA Center for the Health Sciences, Los Angeles 24.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN: 17th Annual Conference on Aging, June 29-July 1. Topic, "The Multi-generation Family: Roles, Responsibilities, Relationships." The program will include reports of recent research on aging and family life and will review clinically the existing programs in housing, health care, counseling, case work, retirement, recreation, education, and religion as related to the promotion of family life. Write Wilma Donahue, Chairman, Division of Gerontology, 1510 Rackham Building, Ann Arbor.

STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA: 1964 Workshop on Education in Human Relations and Mental Health, June 15-26. The purpose of the Workshop is to provide an opportunity for school personnel, public health nurses, advisers of boys and girls, community group leaders, and others to become acquainted with recent developments in the area of behavioral science and mental health. Write Ralph H. Ojemann, Institute of Child Behavior and Development, State University of Iowa, Iowa City.

PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY: 15th Annual Home Economics Spring Weekend on April 24th; theme: "Young People and the Future." Planned for young people themselves as well as for professional people, the program will explore aspects of the nation's greatest investment in the future - its youth. Mrs. Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary of Labor, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs, and Director of the Womens' Bureau, will be the main speaker.

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY; School of Home Economics: "Challenges to American Families," a series of conferences to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the School of Home Economics. Speakers for the April 17-18 conference on "Changing Values and the Family" include Jessie Bernard, Arthur E. Gravatt, Roberta Frasier, Lester A. Kirkendall, Luther G. Baker, Jr., and Helen R. LeBaron.

KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY: Special courses for graduate credit will be offered in 2 week and 4 week sessions by the College of Home Economics. Classes are held in air-conditioned Justin Hall, and include such courses as Seminar on Aging, and Family and Child Development Seminar. Write Dean Doretta Hoffman, College of Home Economics, Kansas State University, Manhattan.

OHIO UNIVERSITY, Athens: The Department of Child Development and Family Living will offer a five week course in Family Life Education, June 15-July 17. Special emphasis will be given to helping solve specific problems that teachers and counselors in the family area are presently encountering. Enrollment will be limited to the first 20 registered. Write Dale Womble, professor for the course, for additional information.

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA ON CANDIDATES

(Names are in alphabetical order under respective headings)

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| (1) Present professional position | (3) Participation in NCFR |
| (2) Immediate past professional position | (4) Related Activities |
| (5) Publications (Books, articles) | |

PRESIDENT-ELECT:

KENKEL, WILLIAM F., Ph.D. (1) Professor in Charge of Sociology, Iowa State University. (2) Associate Professor and previously Assistant Professor of Sociology, Iowa State University. (3) NCFR Executive Committee; Chairman, Local Arrangements, 1959 Annual Meeting; Associate Editor, Journal of MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY (formerly MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIVING); Papers presented, NCFR Annual Meetings; Editor, 1961 Directory of NCFR members; Membership chairman, 1964-; Secretary-Treasurer, Iowa Council on Family Relations (past president and vice-president). (4) Program Chairman, 1962 Groves Conference; Associate Editor, SOCIOLOGICAL INQUIRY and SOCIOLOGICAL ANALYSIS. (5) Author, "The Family in Perspective;" fifteen articles or chapters in books; co-author of "Social Stratification" and "Problems of American Society."

NYE, F. IVAN, Ph.D. (1) Professor of Sociology and Rural Sociologist, Washington State University. (2) Director, Inter-Divisional Doctoral Program in Marriage and Family Living, Florida State University. (3) NCFR Executive Committee; Editor, Journal of MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY (formerly MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIVING), 1960-64; Chairman, Research Section, 1958-59; Chairman, Mass Media Committee, 1964-; Papers presented, NCFR Annual Meetings; Pacific Northwest Council on Family Relations; Southeastern Council on Family Relations. (4) Fellow of American Sociological Association and Rural Sociological Society; Member, Society for Research in Child Development; Groves Conference. (5) "The Employed Mother in America" (with Lois Hoffman); "Family Relationships and Delinquent Behavior;" about 20 research articles.

SECRETARY:

ELLZEY, W. CLARK, B.D. (1) Chairman, Department of Marriage and Family, Stephens College; Director, Pre-marital Counseling Service, Stephens College; Marriage Counseling. (2) Same for 20 years. (3) Former NCFR secretary; Former Chairman of Mass Media Section, College Section, Religion Section and Education Section; Former President of Missouri Council on Family Relations. (4) Fellow, American Association of Marriage Counselors; Member, Society for the Scientific Study of Sex, National Council of Churches Department of Family Life, Methodist National Committee on the Family, U.S. Committee of the International Union of Family Organizations. (5) "How to Keep Romance in Your Marriage;" "Romance in Christian Marriage;" Pamphlets: "Sex, Love, and Marriage;" "Finding God Through the Family;" Numerous articles for various magazines; weekly column for a suburban newspaper.

MOSS, J. JOEL, Ph.D. (1) Professor, Family Life Education, Brigham Young University. (2) Research Professor in Home and Family, Southern Illinois University. (3) Past Secretary, Research Section; Past Chairman, Special Emphases Section; Papers presented, NCFR Annual Meetings; Past President, Nebraska Council; Past member, Illinois Council; Member, Utah Council; Contributing Editor, Teacher Exchange section of Journal of MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY. (4) Participant, 8th International Seminar on Family Research in Oslo, Norway; Fellow, American Sociological Society; Member, Society for Research in Child Development, American Home Economics Association, Gerontological Society. (5) Co-author, monograph, "Eddyville's Families;" Book, "Photosituations, A Teaching Technique;" Journal articles, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIVING, RURAL SOCIOLOGY, JOURNAL OF HOME ECONOMICS; "Your Marriage," 13 half-hour sessions T.V. series prepared for National Educational Television and Radio Center.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

BLACKBURN, CLARK W., M.Sc. (1) General Director, Family Service Association of America. (2) Executive Director, Family and Children's Service of Minneapolis, Minnesota. (3) Past member, NCFR Board of Directors, Executive Committee, Future Plans and Membership Development Committees. (4) National Social Welfare Assembly, chairman, Executive Luncheon Group; vice-chairman, Committee on Social Issues and Policies; member, Executive and Planning Committees (1964); National Council for Homemaker Service, Board of Directors (1964); member, Executive Committee and Chairman, Personnel Committee (1964); National Conference on Social Welfare, Vice-President

Board of Directors (1962), member ad hoc Committee on Membership (1963); National Association of Social Workers; member, Conference of Lawyers and Social Workers of the American Bar Association and the NASW (1964), National Legal Aid and Defender Association, Board of Directors (1956-62); Delegate, The White House Conference on Children and Youth; The White House Conference on Aging.

CARPENTER, GEORGE R., PH.D. (1) Associate Professor of Family Living, Southern Illinois University. (2) Assistant Professor of Family Living, University of Wyoming. (3) Papers presented, NCFR Annual Meetings; Past member of Executive Committee, Rocky Mountain Council on Family Relations. (4) Past member, Executive Council, Wyoming Mental Health Association and Wyoming Home Economics Association. (5) Book in process: "Marriage and Personality," Prentice-Hall; Articles in MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIVING and AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL REVIEW.

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NEWS RELEASES - additional releases have been held for May

TRANS-ACTION: We announced in October that a new magazine devoted to social science and the community and entitled Interaction had begun publication. The name was changed to Trans-Action. Write Doreen C. Simpson, Production Editor, Box 43, Washington University, St. Louis.

MINNESOTA FAMILY STUDY CENTER: Reuben Hill and Joan Aldous were awarded a \$20,000 grant from the Institute of Life Insurance, to complete the Minnesota Inventory of Published Research in Marriage and Family Behavior for the years 1900-1965. The Inventory will then be published in the KWIC bibliographic form used for the MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIVING Index. Future plans are to provide abstracting services for interested organizations and research workers. Hill, Aldous, and visiting scholars will use the Inventory to develop higher level theoretical propositions from the findings in particular areas as they have accumulated over the years.

INTERNATIONAL CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION ASSOCIATION: 3rd Biennial Convention in Chicago June 25-27. Emphasis will be on practical information. Topics to be discussed include: "How to Teach Popular Classes for Childbearing," "Family Life During the Childbearing Year," "How to Implement Family Centered Maternity Care in a Community," and "The Place of the Church and School in Preparation for Childbearing." Write ICEA, 1310 North 26th Street, Milwaukee 5, Wisconsin.

GROVES CONFERENCE: Andrew Johnson Hotel, Knoxville, Tennessee, April 13-15. Theme: "Low Income Families in the United States in the Mid-60's." Conference will include several plenary sessions, plus 5 seminars: low-income cultures, planned parenthood and disadvantaged families, current employment problems and prospects, direct services to low-income families, problems of urban areas. Catherine Chilman, Children's Bureau, is program chairman. Helen Buchanan, Department of Child Development and Family Relations, University of Tennessee is local arrangements chairman.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF MARRIAGE COUNSELORS: Meeting at Andrew Johnson Hotel April 12, preceding Groves Conference. On the agenda: "Who Needs Marriage Counseling?", James DeBurger, Univ. of Louisville; "Marriage and Marriage Guidance in Australia," Leslie V. Harvey, Australia; "A Marriage in Trouble" (clinical session based on a new film made by Emily H. Mudd with NBC TV). All sessions are open to AAMC members, their guests, and members of Groves Conference.

UNION COLLEGE CHARACTER RESEARCH PROJECT: Leona J. Smith and the Project staff have explored areas of Family Climate, Purposiveness and Family Decision-Making, among other problems. A "Family Destiny Project," suitable for family camps, is available at no charge to interested NCFR members. The address is 10 Nott Terrace, Schenectady 8, New York.

TEACHING AIDS - MEDICALLY AUTHENTICATED: Write for information concerning set of records, "The Youth Health and Sex Education Program for Parental Instruction in the Home," prepared by James Rogers Fox, M.D., to: Professional Productions, Inc., North Star Medical Offices, 608 2nd Avenue S, Suite 795, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402.

COMMISSION ON RESEARCH AND SOCIAL ACTION, American Lutheran Church, 422 South 5th Street, Minneapolis Single copies of "The Years of Our Life...", by Carl F. Reuss, third booklet in the Lutheran Forum Series, are available free. Discusses problems, opportunities facing older people.

SCIENTIFIC MARRIAGE INSTITUTE, INC.: Eric Riss, Ph.D., Executive Director, announces that the Institute has expanded its services: the nationwide mate selection program using scientific techniques of personality assessment, categorization and sorting in order to select compatible men and women for each other; the public information service; the general marriage counseling service; the research program. New functions now offered include: a group workshop in the development of self-awareness in dating, courtship and mate selection; the development of workshops and seminars for professionally qualified persons interested in learning scientific mate selection techniques. Write to Dr. Riss at 186 East 73rd Street, New York, New York 10021 for brochure entitled "Scientific Mate Selection: Why It is Needed, What It Is, and How It Works;" and a leaflet describing the general objectives and activities of the Institute.

ANATOMICAL MODELS, 7452 Tidewater Drive, Norfolk, Virginia: B. H. Raymond, M.D. has prepared 12 individual third dimensional anatomical models of the body - human anatomical simulations for classroom demonstration. A numbered explanatory brochure accompanies each model. Included are: female and male organs, ovulation and fertilization, fetus at term. Write him for information and prices of these high impact plastic models.