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The birds and bees do it, too. Anyone who has watched the courtship dance of a bird or who has read the research on how a bee can inform his fellows about the location of nectar knows that the ability to communicate is not the monopoly of humans. But the range and scope of man's communicative capacity is so great that the difference between him and sub-human animals becomes not merely quantitative but qualitative.

Family Communication was chosen as the theme for the 1967 NCFR conference because of the extreme importance of the communication process on the establishment, maintenance, and well being of the group we call the family. Focus is thus on the family as a small group, or, in Burgess' terms, on the "unity of interacting personalities." What, when, and how family members communicate with one another are all within the scope of the conference. Included, too, are the "messages" that are daily sent and received between family members and persons outside the family and the effects that these messages have on the family.

I have recently talked with all of the section chairmen and have been pleased to learn of the interest in family communication reflected in the papers submitted to them. Counseling with parents of disturbed children, the communication of values in the family, and the communication of love are a few of the topics.

Vance Packard will give a plenary address dealing with the communication of family research findings to the general public. Dr. Arthur Bodin, of the Mental Research Institute, Palo Alto, has agreed to address a plenary session on "Disruptive Family Communication." Jim Walters is selecting the latest films to bring to the conference, the better to help us communicate with students and other audiences. Panels and other sessions are in the planning stage. Watch for the preliminary program in the May Newsletter.

The need for NCFR members to communicate with one another is recognized and the satisfaction of this need is accepted as one goal of the conference. The provision for leisurely luncheons and "open" times on the program are some of the means by which communication within our group, which represents many disciplines and interests, will be encouraged. As President Smith put it, "Our diversity should be the source of our greatest strength." It will be, too, if NCFR members continue to take an active part in their organization. We need you at the 1967 conference to communicate your interests in the family, your reactions to the interests of others, and your ideas on the future direction of NCFR.

Get the message? Then plan now to be at the San Francisco Hilton, August 16 to 19.

William F. Kenkel
President-Elect
General Program Chairman

1967 SECTION CHAIRMEN TO WHOM PAPERS MAY BE SUBMITTED

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CONCERNING THE SAN FRANCISCO HILTON

You will want to know about the hotel. NCFR has been offered the flat rates of \$16.00 for singles and \$21.00 for doubles and twins. There is free parking on your guest room floor, with easy access to your automobile. The San Francisco Hilton is located immediately adjacent to the Downtown Airlines Terminal, and there is continuous bus and taxi service to the San Francisco International Airport. There is a garden area on the 16th floor, with a heated swimming pool and a spacious sunbathing deck. And there is the whole glittering city of San Francisco for your enjoyment. We quote:

"The San Francisco Hilton, just two blocks from Union Square, puts the West's most beautiful and interesting city at your doorstep. Within minutes from your hotel, Union Square beckons the shopper with high-fashion apparel for every taste and need. Cable cars clang their way up steep grades, then descend for the scenic color of Fisherman's Wharf and the sparkling blue waters of San Francisco Bay. Picturesque Chinatown retains the exotic flavor of the distant Orient and offers endless selections of unusual gift items and souvenirs. Nearby North Beach has exciting night spots in a city renowned for its fun and entertainment. International gourmet dining, theater, opera, symphony, art galleries - all this is yours, with a special welcome from the Hilton, where experience and good taste combine to create a memorable visit to a superior convention city."

WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, ETC.

All colleges and universities who are holding summer workshops and seminars, especially in the areas of marriage and family life, are invited to announce them in the May Newsletter. Send announcements to the NCFR office, 1219 University Ave., S.E., Minneapolis, Minnesota 55414.

The University of Connecticut will present, during its regular 1967 graduate summer session, a six-week Family Life Institute with an emphasis on sex education. The Institute will be held in the Department of Child Development and Family Relations, and will be under the direction of Professor ELEANORE B. LUCKEY. The Institute will be devoted to six major topics: the philosophy of family life education, including ethics and values; the development of sexuality, in terms of child growth and development; the relations of educational needs to the development of the child; special concerns of the adolescent years; the content of sex education materials, from kindergarten through high school, and evaluation of the objectives and attainments of sex education methods; special programs and services in the community. The Institute's regular academic program will include a special lecture series sponsored by the G.D. Searle Reference and Resource Program. Participants in the Institute, being held June 26 to August 4, will include MARY CALDERONE, EVELYN DUVALL, ELIZABETH FORCE, ISADORE RUBIN, and FREDERICK HUMPHREY. Make application to Dr. Luckey, Univ. of Conn., Storrs 06268.

Toledo University is currently conducting a course on Sex Information and Concepts for Teaching, a study of human sexuality with special emphasis on methods of securing and organizing instructional materials of Sex Education for various ages and socio-economic levels. DONALD E. GRAY, Family Life Education Consultant with the Toledo Public Schools, is one of the instructors. Because of the interest in the course there will be a workshop offered on the same material from June 12-23. Write Mr. Gray, Toledo Board of Education, Manhattan and Elm, Toledo, Ohio 43608 for more information.

The American Institute of Family Relations is offering a counseling group devoted exclusively to helping wives who are troubled with sexual adjustment in marriage. All possible physical, educational, and emotional problems are explored. Contact Mrs. Charlotte Marletto, AIFR, 5287 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90027 for further information. The Child Guidance Clinic and Marriage Counselor Training Program are integral parts of the broad counseling and educational services of the AIFR. The Marriage Counselor Training Program will include a two-week summer workshop in August. Detailed descriptions may be requested from the AIFR, 5287 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles.

The School of Theology at Claremont, California, will hold a two week seminar in marriage and family counseling from July 24th to August 4th. The seminar will carry two units of credit for qualified students. Tuition is \$84.00. Further information may be obtained from F. Thomas Trotter, School of Theology, Foothill Blvd. at College Ave., Claremont, California.

"Sex Education in the Curriculum," a 3-week course presenting a philosophy of sex education, background trends, a variety of methods, and the newest audio-visual materials, will be offered June 19-July 7 at Washington University. The course is designed to help participants understand how sex education fits into the existing curriculum and how to start a program and methods for teaching sex education at various age levels. HELEN MANLEY, Social Health Association of Greater St. Louis, will be an instructor. For information and reservation, address Dr. A. G. Drew, Washington University, Box 1067, St. Louis, Missouri 63130.

Special courses for two hours of graduate credit will be offered in two and four week sessions this summer by the College of Home Economics at Kansas State University. Two Seminars in Family and Child Development will be held - the first from June 12-23, the second from July 10-21. A Seminar on Aging will be held from July 10-21, and a Seminar in Home Economics Education from July 10-August 4. For further information, write to Dean Doretta Hoffman, College of Home Economics, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas.

The Institute on the Family (Family Service Agency of Marin County), Suite 307, 1005 A St., San Rafael, California 94901, will offer a seminar on Advanced Family Conjoint Therapy, Theory, Observation and Techniques beginning in the fall of 1967. A seminar on Group Psychotherapy will begin in March, 1967. Fee for the latter is \$70.

The Smith College School for Social Work, Gateway House, Northampton, Massachusetts 01060 announces a program of advanced study for graduate caseworkers, leading to a third-year certificate or a doctor of social work, beginning June 22, 1967. It is also offering graduate seminars for experienced social workers July 17-27. Seminars include Advanced Casework, Casework Treatment of Children, Short-Term Crisis-Oriented Casework, Parent Guidance, Supervision in Social Casework, Ego Psychology, Concepts and Principles of Child Psychotherapy, and others. Apply by April 15th; tuition, board and room for two seminars is \$200.

Wesley Methodist Church of Minneapolis has opened a Parent Education Center, whose main function is not to treat, but to instruct parents and children in new patterns of family relationships, leading to a better understanding and a more efficient resolution of problems and conflicts. Parents are exposed to practical demonstrations of problems as they are found in almost every family. Write Dr. W. L. Pew, Director, at Wesley Methodist Church, Marquette and Grant Streets, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403 for more information on this program.

The University of California Medical Center will sponsor a symposium titled "Sexual Conflicts and Adjustments" at Herrick Hospital in Berkeley, March 4-5.

San Francisco State College will sponsor a symposium titled "The Male in America," March 31-April 2 at the Sheraton Palace Hotel. Write Alice Keermen at the college for further information.

Florence Benell plans to conduct an institute in Human Growth and Development (Sex Education) at a Sacramento State College pre-summer session, June 12-16. One unit of credit will be offered.

The University of California at Davis will offer a course by LESTER KIRKENDALL and others titled "Adult-Youth Communication on Values," June 19-30; a course on Sex and Family Life Education in July; and a course on "Teaching Family Living," August 7-11. Contact the extension office at Davis for further information on all these courses.

There is a scholarship opportunity for graduate work in family life education available at Oregon State University during the academic year of 1967-68. Contact Lester Kirkendall, Dept. of Home Economics, Oregon State University, Corvallis.

REGIONAL, STATE, AND LOCAL COUNCILS

The 15th Annual Meeting of the SOUTHEASTERN COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS was held February 26-28 in Birmingham, Alabama. WALLACE C. FULTON, MARY S. CALDERONE, and ELEANOR LUCKEY were speakers on the general theme "The Community's Role in Sex Education." JAMES WALTERS reported on the Regional Research Project, "Problems of Low Income Southern Families." President is The Reverend J. OBERT KEMPSON, South Carolina Dept. of Mental Health, Drawer 180, Columbia, South Carolina 29202.

The MASSACHUSETTS COUNCIL ON FAMILY LIFE (with offices at 14 Beacon St., Room 601, Boston, Mass. 02108), which was organized in September, announces that its program of action will include courses in sex education in public and private schools, churches and synagogues, training of teachers, parents and clergymen, promotion of premarital and marital counseling especially as it relates to marriage breakdown, divorce and reconciliation and the stimulation of research and legislation affecting the development of family life. The MCFL already has indicated a desire to cooperate with the State's Advisory Council on Home and Family which was sworn in by Gov. John Volpe. JOHN MOGEY and MARIE KARGMAN of the Council were among those appointed to the Advisory Committee. President of the Council is The Reverend BOARDMAN KATHAN, 14 Beacon Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02108.

In 1965, the MARYLAND COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS began publishing the substance of the discussions of its spring conferences. The first issue, entitled "Strengths in our Various Family Cultures," which was the theme of the May, 1965 conference, is available from Geneva Flickinger, Maryland State Department of Education, 301 W. Preston St., Baltimore, Maryland 21201.

In December, 1966, the Alabama Planning Committee Organization of the Southeastern Council formed the ALABAMA COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS. ELIZABETH S. CARMICHAEL, University of Alabama is President; Mildred Felton, Jefferson County Mental Health, is Secretary; NORMA HODSON, Auburn University, is Treasurer.

New Council Presidents include: Miss EDYTHE RAY, Dept. of Child Development, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa 50010; Dr. Mary Bitner, Director, Maternal and Child Health, Room 1016, State Capitol Bldg., Lincoln, Nebraska 68503; Mrs. KATE GARNER, Stone Bldg., University of North Carolina, Greensboro, North Carolina 27412; Dr. Elmer Knowles, College of Family Living, 1206 SFLC, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah 84601; Dr. MARTIN L. NORRIS, Anderson College, Dept. of Sociology, Anderson, Indiana 46012.

The next regional conference of the PACIFIC NORTHWEST COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS will be held in Portland in 1968.

ACTIVITIES OF NCFR MEMBERS

ALLAN J. SCHNEIDER completed his Ph.D. in June, 1966, at Pennsylvania State University, and became the first doctoral graduate in the Family Relationships program of the Dept. of Child Development and Family Relationships. His dissertation was titled: "Measurement of Courtship Progress of High School Upperclassmen Currently Going Steady." CARLFRED BRODERICK and VLADIMIR DE LISSOVOY served as thesis co-advisors. Dr. Schneider is currently a student in the marriage counseling program of the American Foundation of Religion and Psychiatry, New York, New York.

HAROLD T. CHRISTENSEN is the director of the new Family Research Center at Purdue University. The objectives of the Center include stimulating and coordinating research bearing on the family, marshalling resources for training graduate students in the family area, and creating awareness regarding the relationship of family research and theory to other areas of sociological concern.

ELEANORE B. LUCKEY, Head of the Dept. of Child Development and Family Relations, University of Connecticut, has been appointed as a Special Consultant in the field of family life education for the Children's Bureau, Welfare Administration, Dept. of HEW. In addition, Dr. Luckey will work with other Federal agencies and participate in the Interdepartmental Committee on Children and Youth as a member of the Subcommittee on Parent and Family Life Education.

Rabbi DAVID H. WICE, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, has been re-elected to serve a second one-year term as president of the Family Service Association of America, the national accrediting organization for 332 local marriage and family casework counseling agencies throughout North America.

DAVID and VERA MACE, executive directors of the American Association of Marriage Counselors, recently went to Africa for consultations on the training of potential leaders in family life education and counseling, to India for the International Conference on the Family, to Australia to visit the marriage counseling services which they helped to develop ten years ago, and to New Zealand and the South Pacific for further conferences and consultations. David Mace has been re-elected President of SIECUS for a second year.

ROBERTA FRASIER, MARIAN C. CARLIN, and J. PHILIP O'NEILL participated in the 1966 Oregon Conference on Children and Youth December 1-2 in Salem. Exploration areas of the conference were the wellborn child, the child's world, and the child goes forth.

CLINTON E. PHILLIPS has returned to his post as director of the department of counseling at the American Institute of Family Relations in Los Angeles. During an extended leave of absence from the Institute, he earned his doctorate in sociology at the University of Southern California.

HIRSCH L. SILVERMAN, Seton Hall University, South Orange, New Jersey, was the program chairman for the Eastern Regional Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Inc., held in Washington, D.C., in December. He was one of the speakers for the Psychology and Religion part of the symposium.

Activities of DAVID FULCOMER, Colorado Woman's College, have included: arranging for a joint conference of the Rocky Mountain Council on Family Relations and the Colorado Home Economics Association in October on "Communication in the Family," speaking to the Denver Public Schools Commission on Sex Education (teachers and administrators) on sex education in October, speaking on "The Adults in Children's Lives" at the Country Club Christian Church in Kansas City in October, giving a major address on "The Importance of Family Life Education to Family Planning Programs" at the Rocky Mountain Conference on Family Planning in December, and arranging a Symposium on "Changing Values and Sex Mores" for the Colorado State Conference of Social Welfare.

CHARLES and KATHERINE CONNOLLY, Toronto, Canada, are editors of "The Christian Family," a publication of the Christian Family Movement.

DON RAPP, formerly at the University of Florida, is now at the Institute of Human Development, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida.

ROBERT D. RUSSELL, now associate professor of Health Education at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, presently is one of the writers for curriculum materials in the School Health Education Study, sponsored by the 3M Company. One of the first sets of Teaching-Learning Guides for teaching in grades K-12 will focus on the concept "The Family Serves to Perpetuate Man and to Fulfill Certain Health Needs." These materials should be another means to aid educational efforts to "establish man's sexuality as a health entity."

ETHEL M. NASH, Clinical Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, is also a Clinical Associate in Psychiatric Associates, Chapel Hill. Her address is The Population Center, 500 Pittsboro St., Chapel Hill. The Population Center appointed her their delegate to the first Asian International Conference on the Family in New Delhi at which she was a Consultant. In addition, at the request of the Director of the Population Center, she visited medical schools in Tokyo and Bangkok. In Egypt she lectured at the medical schools in Cairo and in Alexandria.

RALPH EDWARDS, formerly Chairman of the Division of Health Science, Health and Physical Education, Kingsborough Community College, Brooklyn, is now Dean of Administration at that College.

The Very Rev. Dr. L. D. CANON GOTTSCHALL, Director of Institute of Pastoral Counseling, Oakland, California, conducted a class for the Collegian and Young Adults on Preparation for Marriage and Life Education at the Epworth Methodist Church, Berkeley, California, December through February.

J. C. WYNN, ROBERT WINCH, CLARK VINCENT, RICHARD HEY, and JAMES PETERSON were instructors of a special course entitled "The American Family at 2/3s Century, A Search for Order and Meaning" at Carroll College, Waukesha, Wisconsin, in January and February. They also participated in a public lecture series at the college.

LUCILLE PHILLIPS is the coordinator of the Dane County Mental Health Activities in Family Living at Madison, Wisconsin.

ROBERT STERLING HICKS is the Associate Director of the Department of Education, The American Institute of Family Relations, Los Angeles.

The Reverend WILLIAM F. NERIN has been appointed Pastor of Community of John XXIII, Oklahoma City, whose basic concern is to place the members at the service of man in society. The Parish is to become a sponsor of an OEO funded Montessori Day Care Center in a poverty area of Oklahoma City, embracing Indians, Negroes, Mexicans and Whites. Pastor Nerin will be Director of this Day Care Center. The Center's goal will be not simply to give Montessori training to the children, but to strengthen the family relationships of those whose children are in the Center.

IRA L. REISS, University of Iowa, will be teaching at San Francisco State this summer. His new book "The Sociology of Premarital Sexual Permissiveness: An Empirical Study and Theory" will be published by Holt, Rinehart and Winston, Inc. this summer.

The Reverend GEORGE G. CHRISTIAN, formerly an instructor at Catherine Spalding College, Kentucky, is currently engaged in personal and family counseling in the Louisville area as a private practice. He has had articles in "Insight," "New Catholic Encyclopedia," and "Hospital Progress" (including original articles and translations).

ETHEL S. BEER, New York free lance writer, has recently returned from Greece, where her book "Working Mothers and the Day Nursery" is being published in Greek. She will also have a travel book "Marvelous Greece," published by Walker and Co., out in the spring.

FLOYD M. MARTINSON, Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, Minnesota, was recently appointed to the Commission on Marriage of the Lutheran Church in America. The Commission is to study the theological and ethical issues pertinent to sex, marriage, and the family, and arrange for the producing of a publication in the Christian Social Responsibility series, study reports and a draft of a social statement or statements for review and appropriate action in preparation for the 1968 General Convention of the church. Dr. Martinson spoke at the National Lutheran Educational Conference meeting in Los Angeles in January on "Academic Resources, Social Change, and the Liberal Arts College." In February he spoke on the topic "Sexual Knowledge, Values, and Behavior Patterns" at the St. Olaf Conference on Understanding Adolescents.

ROSE M. SOMERVILLE, Teachers College, Columbia University, gave the opening address in a series on Family Life Education sponsored by organizations in Pearl River, New York, including AAUW, Kiwanis, Junior Chamber of Commerce, etc. Dr. Somerville joined with another NCFR member, WALLACE FULTON, Equitable Life Assurance Company of America, in a panel discussion on family life and sex education at the thirty-first meeting of the New York City Association for teachers of health and physical education (HETA).

The complex problems involving our Negro citizens - their needs and aspirations - comprise perhaps the greatest challenge currently faced by our large urban communities. In recent years the urgency of these problems has been underscored by demonstrations and violence. This was the subject of THOMAS W. PATRICK's address, "What Harlem Wants, What Harlem Needs," at the November meeting of the New York Chamber of Commerce. He is a member of the Chamber's Committee on Education and of the Advisory Committee on Vocational Education. Dr. Patrick, a medical doctor, is presently working for his doctorate in Education in Home and Family Life at Columbia Teachers College.

FREDA KEHM, formerly Director, Association for Family Living, is teaching several of the sessions on the Individual, Marriage and the Family in the Home Economics Department of Northwestern University.

CORRECTION: The December Newsletter noted that JOHN E. MAYER is spending the next academic year as a Visiting Staff Member at the London School of Economics, University of London. The Newsletter incorrectly stated that Dr. Mayer was formerly at the University of Florida. His previous affiliation was with the Institute of Welfare Research of the Community Service Society of New York.

RALPH ECKERT, Director of Counseling and Guidance Services, Riverside County Schools, presented "The Development of Family Life Education in California" in February at the third of a series of meetings planned to acquaint interested Sacramento community and school people with developments in the field of Family Life Education.

Eight psychological books by ALBERT ELLIS, Institute for Rational Living, Inc., have been published in paperback editions within a period of fifteen months. These include two original paperbacks and six reprints. Information on these books may be obtained from the Institute, 45 East 65th St., New York 10021. Dr. Ellis conducted an all-day workshop in the rational-therapeutic approach to parent-child relations (another is planned for September 2, 1967), and completed a course at the Institute for Rational Living for teachers in Teaching Children to Think Clearly About Themselves and the World.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

North Dakota State University has positions open in Child Development and in Early Childhood Education. Training necessary is a Ph.D. for the Child Development position, and a masters or doctors degree for the Early Childhood Education position. The positions would involve teaching beginning and advanced child development courses for undergraduates, graduate level courses in development, and parent-child relations; and conducting research. Rank and salary will be commensurate with training and experience. Write Dr. Josephine B. Ruud, Chairman of the Faculty, College of Home Economics, North Dakota State University, Fargo, North Dakota 58102, for further information.

Notices concerning other positions open will be accepted for inclusion in the May Newsletter.

NCFR DEATHS

ERNEST W. BURGESS, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois. (A resume of the life of Dr. Burgess, who contributed so much to the family life field, will appear in a forthcoming Journal.)
BERNARD OLIVER, Professor, Marriage Counselor, and Psychologist, Chapman College, Orange, California.
HARRY ESTILL MOORE, Professor of Sociology, University of Texas, Austin, Texas.
LAWRENCE E. CLARK, Marriage Council of St. Louis, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri.

The December 1966 Newsletter announced the death of Dr. I. V. "Bill" SPERRY in November. Dr. Sperry had been a long-time member of NCFR and followed its activities with keen interest. He also was president of the Southeastern Council on Family Relations in 1960, and had just completed a three-year term as president of the Merrill-Palmer Alumni Association in October. He was chairman of child development and family relations in the School of Economics and director of the interdisciplinary Institute for Child and Family Development at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro at the time of his death.

Two funds have been established in his memory. The North Carolina Family Life Council, Inc., will have a student loan fund bearing his name. Details have not been worked out, but it will be used in some way for students in the field of family relations. Contributions may be sent to Miss Isabelle Buckley, 1115 Larkwood Dr., Reidsville 27320, and identified for the Sperry Scholarship Fund. The other fund in the School of Home Economics, presently known as the Sperry Fund, will be used in the research center of the new addition to the Nursery School for which bids have already been taken. Contributions for that purpose may be sent to The Sperry Fund, School of Home Economics, University of North Carolina, Greensboro 27412. The family will be notified of contributions for both funds.

OSBORNE TEACHING AWARD

NCFR members are invited to send suggested names for the 1967 Osborne Teaching Award to Blaine R. Porter, Chairman of the Award Committee. A form is enclosed for this purpose, on which criteria for selection are stated. Nominees must be members of NCFR.

ASSORTED RELEASES

Copies of the 1966 International Childbirth Education Association Convention Report may be ordered for \$2.50 from ICEA, Box 5852, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53220.

The National Education Association is offering the second Douglas McGregor Memorial Award for \$400 for an article in the area of Organizational Development. Articles that might describe attempts to integrate research with action concerned with human behavior and organizational structure and development will meet the general requirements of this award. The article receiving the award will be published in the fall issue of the JOURNAL OF APPLIED BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE. Articles should be 4,000 to 6,000 words in length and should be submitted to Mrs. Aileen Waldie, Secretary for the Award Committee, National Training Laboratories, National Education Association, 1201 16th St., N.W., Washington, D. C. 20036, by May 1st.

The new address of the American Social Health Association's national headquarters is 1740 Broadway, New York, New York 10019.

The International Commission on Marriage and Marriage Guidance of the IUFO will meet in Helsinki, Finland, on June 20-22, 1967. The two themes will be "The Implications of Parenthood for Young Marriages" and "Use of the Mass Media in Marriage Education."

The Society for the Scientific Study of Sex, an international organization of interdisciplinary nature, devoted to research in all aspects of the sexual sciences, has announced the election of three NCFR members as officers through 1969: HENRY GUZE - President, WARDELL B. POMEROY - President Elect, and ROBERT V. SHERWIN - Treasurer. Applicants for membership to the Society, which includes a subscription to the JOURNAL OF SEX RESEARCH, are invited to write to Robert V. Sherwin, Esq., 12 East 41st St., Suite 1104, New York, New York 10017.

The Family Life Association, Louisville, Kentucky, is a Community Chest supported organization affiliated with the Health and Welfare Council, whose purpose is to coordinate, promote and assist the community in strengthening family relationships through education. Its services and membership are free. Among its activities are surveying and keeping a current file on local activities, programs and resources related to family life education; maintaining an up-to-date bibliography on the good family life educational materials currently available; and serving as the liaison through which individuals and organizations can learn of each other's work and exchange ideas concerning family life education. For membership or information, write FLA at 207 W. Market St., Louisville, Kentucky 40202.

The Institute of Continuing Legal Education, Ann Arbor, Michigan, held a program on "Protection of Children in Litigation" in January. The reference book used at this program, "Children in the Courts, The Question of Representation," is available from the Institute, 432 Hutchins Hall, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104, for \$15.00.

Radio stations across the country will soon be broadcasting an eleven program radio series entitled "A Chance to Grow." Documentation drawn from nearly 100 hours of recorded interviews with representative families is used to examine the ways in which members of normal families deal with different critical changes in their lives such as military enlistment or retirement. The interviews were conducted by NORMAN L. PAUL, psychiatrist, Cambridge, Massachusetts. The first program, which constitutes a prologue to the series, includes an original drama written and directed by William Alfred, author of Hogan's Goat. The series attempts to provide the public with a forceful demonstration that normal people close to each other can discuss more freely than they suppose the range of emotions stirred up by critical life changes and that this empathic interchange is a pivotal factor in determining whether these changes will be mastered successfully.

The American Orthopsychiatric Association will hold its 44th Annual Meeting March 20-23 in Washington, D.C., with its major theme "The Impact of Schools on Human Development: A Critical Appraisal of a Social Institution." Many workshops and panels will examine the schools as social systems in themselves as part of the environment in which young people develop, and will view the crucial role of schools in our society as a major means of acculturation and as an important influence toward children's growth, independence and interpersonal competence. Write the AOA, 1740 Broadway, New York 10019.

BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, ETC.

The Family Service Association of America, 44 East 23rd St., New York, New York 10010, recently released a pamphlet "The Rights of the Individual Family in a Mass Society" describing counseling services of Family Service agencies. This 48-page pamphlet describes the key position Family Service is taking in helping families meet the mounting pressures of our mass society.

The 1966 edition of "Selected References and Resources on Socio-economic Aspects of Money Management" is available from the Women's Division, Institute of Life Insurance, 277 Park Ave., New York 10017.

"Economics and the Consumer," a report of the cooperative effort of the National Commission on Economics and the Consumer and the Joint Council on Economics Education, provides guide lines for curriculum revision in the following areas of education: economics, social studies, business education, home economics, and teacher education at the elementary, secondary, adult and college levels. Copies are available at 75¢ from the Joint Council on Economic Education, 1212 Ave. of the Americas, New York.

A new book, "Poor Kids," by ALVIN L. SCHORR, candidly examines the poignant situation of poor children. In the light of their effects on family life, it also analyzes various income maintenance programs that have been proposed as remedies. The book makes clear that each of these programs has its peculiar advantages and drawbacks, and that public policy, if it is to come to grips with the problem of children in poverty, will have to be far more imaginative and flexible than it has been. The book may be ordered from Basic Books, Inc., 404 Park Ave. S., New York 10016, for \$5.95.

"Women Speaking" is a quarterly magazine with international circulation, published in London. In the magazine, women from various countries express their ideas on such subjects as women's opportunities for higher and professional education and for their employment in responsible positions, the laws and attitudes concerning the wife and mother, the Vietnam War, etc. MARION P. BASSETT is one of the editors, and subscriptions to the magazine may be ordered from her at 24 Hatters Lane, Farmington, Connecticut.

There are four new Public Affairs Pamphlets available from Public Affairs Committee, Inc., 381 Park Ave., S., New York 10016. "Sexual Adjustment in Marriage," by RICHARD H. and Margaret G. KLEMER, is a sensitive, helpful discussion of male and female sexual attitudes and of what makes for "good sexual adjustment." The authors consider the kinds of fears and resentments that can lead to sexual incompatibility and suggest what can be done to improve such a relationship. "So You Want to Adopt a Child," by Ruth Carson, reflects significant changes in adoption agency philosophy and practice. The author explains how to find a reputable adoption agency, takes parents through the questions that concern the agency, and offers guidance on the special needs of the adopted child. "Fair Play in Housing - Who's My Neighbor?" by Algernon D. Black, poses the question of what one fears when a Negro family moves into the neighborhood, and presents convincing moral and practical reasons for integrated communities. "So You're Going to College," by JOHN FINLEY SCOTT, talks about advantages and disadvantages of different kinds of schools and what you do after you get there - living arrangements, grades, extra-curricular activities, etc. All pamphlets are 25¢ each; quantity rates are available. Thirty Public Affairs Pamphlets on Social Problems such as poverty and community problems, advice for consumers, war and international relations, and equal rights and intergroup relations, are available for \$4.95. These have been especially selected for social studies and adult education classes, civic and community organizations, church social action programs, anti-poverty training programs, and labor union education activities.

Michigan State University has announced the availability in the Computer Center of complete information on general, social and economic characteristics, as carried in the P(C) Series, from the 1960 U.S. Census of the Population. The data, contained on magnetic tape, covers such subjects as school enrollment by level and type, years of school completed, families and their composition, fertility, employment status, occupation group, class of worker, and income of persons and families. Each subject is shown for the states and primary divisions of the states. Information on the costs of obtaining computer-run studies from this data (or copies of the data) can be obtained from John Kohmetscher, Computer Laboratory, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan 48823.

An index to the first 70 years of the AMERICAN JOURNAL OF SOCIOLOGY is now available for \$5.00, paper or \$7.00, cloth from the University of Chicago Press, 5750 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Illinois 60637. Subscription to the journal is \$8.00 per year.

"Adolescence," a new international quarterly devoted to the physiological, psychological, psychiatric, sociological, and educational aspects of the second decade of human life, may be ordered from Libra Publishers, Inc., 1133 Broadway, New York, New York 10010. Subscription rate is \$10.00 per year.

"Feminine Stress in the Twentieth Century," by HORTENSE M. GLENN and JAMES WALTERS, is now available in reprint form from the JOURNAL OF HOME ECONOMICS, 1600 20th St. N.W., Washington 9, D.C.

"How to Understand Sex" by WAYNE ANDERSON may be ordered from T. S. Denison and Co., 321 Fifth Ave. South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415, for \$4.95. The aim of the book is to present questions which students are asking about sex and married love and give answers based upon scientific research, psychological insights, and human values. A sex questionnaire, "Find your S.Q. (sexual quotient)," prepared by a University student is included. In the book, Dr. Anderson examines all sides of every aspect of sex from the babyhood level of sex interest to the problems of homosexuality and venereal disease prevention.

John Wiley and Sons, Inc., 605 3rd Ave., New York 10016 announces an important collection of current reports on the early socialization of the child, entitled "Readings in the Psychology of Parent-Child Relations," edited by Gene R. Medinnus. \$4.50.

In KATHRYN S. POWELL's "Child Care Practices: A Comparison of Massachusetts and South Carolina Mothers," the child care practices and attitudes of the Massachusetts mothers as reported by Sears, Maccoby and Levin in "Patterns of Child Rearing" were compared with those of a selected group of South Carolina mothers of preschool children. The study may be ordered from the South Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station, Clemson University, Clemson, South Carolina.

Teachers College Press, 525 W. 120th St., New York 10027 has just published four books, examining the psychological, cultural, and social aspects of early-childhood education: "Young Children's Thinking, Some Aspects of Piaget's Theory," Millie Almy, Paper \$2.75, Cloth \$5.25; "School Disorder, Intelligence, and Social Class," Mary Alice White and June Charry, ed., \$2.25; "Children Who Read Early," Dolores Durkin, \$4.25; "Before First Grade, The Early Training Project for Culturally Disadvantaged Children," Gray, Klaus, Miller, and Forrester, \$2.95.

Children's Bureau Publication # 437 - 1966, "Standards for Juvenile and Family Courts," may be ordered from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, for 45¢. The publication reflects the advances made during the last decade and incorporates the latest social and legal thinking.

The Children's Division of The American Humane Association, P.O. Box 1266, Denver, Colorado 80201, has printed a pamphlet listing "Publications on Child Protection." One of the publications listed, "Marshalling Community Services on Behalf of the Abused Child," analyzes the implications and differences found in a study of the 47 state laws for reporting child abuse, and discusses suggested changes for maximizing protection of neglected and abused children.

Frederick J. Margolis, M.D., Director, Medical Audio-Visual Unit, Wayne State University School of Medicine, Detroit, Michigan 48202, announces the production of a new film, "Parent to Child about Sex." The film "is not a sex instruction film on the physiology of reproduction. It is concerned with when and how facts are taught, and most importantly, the way they are taught -- the comfortable relationship, the free communication between parent and child -- which are essential in building a foundation for responsible, healthy, mature attitudes." The film may be rented for a four-day period for \$20.00.

A booklet, "Recreation and Physical Activity for the Mentally Retarded," has been prepared by the Council for Exceptional Children and the American Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. Order from AAHPER, 1201 16th St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036. (\$2.00)

Volume 2 of "Review of Child Development Research," Lois and Martin Hoffman, editors, is now available from the Publication Department, Russell Sage Foundation, 230 Park Ave., New York 10017, for \$8.00. The volume interprets current research on child development especially for the professional practitioner working with children. The chapters, written by prominent specialists, cover significant topics in child development -- social and psychological development, environmental influences on development, constitutional factors in behavior, developmental influences that focus on deviancy, and psychological testing.

Two new reprints may be ordered from the Hogg Foundation, the University of Texas, Austin, Texas 78712: "Look Toward Tomorrow" sees children in the view of the future; disturbed children provide the focus of "Listen for the Trouble Signs." Both of the articles focus on the role of the church.

Have you use for a packaged educational program on personal finance? The University of Minnesota Agricultural Extension Service is offering teaching aids on "The Family in a Money World," a program designed to help individuals and families achieve their goals by learning to use their financial resources effectively. The program is divided into four parts: More Fun for Your Money (financing family goals); Are You and Your Money Soon Parted? (saving and investing); To Borrow, To Borrow, To Borrow (credit); Men, Money, and Machines (influence of the economic climate). Materials available include films, charts, and slides (on loan at no cost), and study material kits (\$2). Order from Hennepin County Extension Service, 532 Federal Building, 110 South Fourth St., Minneapolis, Minnesota 55401.

Doubleday and Company, 277 Park Ave., New York 10017, has recently published "The Collective Family: A Handbook for Russian Parents," by A.S. Makarenko. In "The Collective Family," Makarenko presents his theories of character education in a series of fictionalized case histories. Each story makes a point about some familiar topic of family life: children and money, the large family, the parents' role in raising a child, discipline vs. freedom, sex education, the only child, morality. "The Collective Family" should prove a major source for understanding tomorrow's Soviet man. (\$1.45)

BENJAMIN SCHLESINGER's book "Poverty in Canada and the United States: Overview and Annotated Bibliography," has recently been published by the University of Toronto Press, Toronto 5, Ont., Canada. Cost is \$5.00.

The extension office at the University of California at Davis, during the summer of 1964 sponsored a symposium titled "The Teenage Parent, Early Marriage and Childbearing." The introduction and preface of these proceedings have been revised and additional copies of the proceedings will be available for \$2.00. Order from Dr. Glen Burch, Dean of Extension, Administration Hall, University of California at Davis 95616.

"Living With Sex: The Student's Dilemma," by RICHARD F. HETTLINGER, is now available in paperback edition for \$1.95 from The Seabury Press, 815 Second Ave., New York 10017.

"Creative Approaches in Casework with the Aging" and "Casebook on Work with the Aging" are important outgrowths of Family Service Association of America's Project on Aging, funded by the Ford Foundation from 1961 through 1965. Both books clearly demonstrate the Project's basic premise: service in behalf of older people can and should be part of a concern for the total family unit. Both were written by Edna Wasser, who illustrates the latest theories and techniques in casework with older persons and reveals the new and experimental approaches being taken in this area today. Order from FSA, 44 E. 23rd St., New York 10010. ("Creative..." \$2.50, "Casebook..." \$4.50)

The U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, D.C. 20410 has some new publications available: "Improving the Quality of Urban Life (Model Neighborhoods Under the Demonstration Cities Act)," "Loans for Senior Citizens," "Selected Publications of HUD," "Urban Public Transportation -- Selected References." "The Tenement Landlord," a study by George Sternlieb suggesting that home ownership may be the key to good maintenance of properties in lower income areas, is available from Grace Ames, 26 James St., Newark, New Jersey 07102.

The Children's Bureau of the Dept. of HEW announces four new publications. "Quest for Equality" is designed to help institutions make their services available to children of minority groups, giving ample evidence of the sequence from segregation to desegregation and to the final goal of elimination of discrimination on the basis of race, color, or nationality. (60¢) "Your Child from Six to Twelve" gives parents detailed information in a practical, easy to read way on the child's total growth and development during the vital years from six to twelve. (25¢) "Why Nick the Cigarette is Nobody's Friend," written specifically for fourth and fifth graders, and "A Light on the Subject of Smoking," aimed at the sixth and seventh grades, both emphasize the health hazards of smoking. (10¢ and 15¢ respectively) The School Health Section, Div. of Community Health Services, Public Health Service, Dept. of HEW, has sponsored research in communities throughout the country to explore existing school health practices and needs, and to demonstrate improved services based upon study findings. Their recommendations can be found in a pamphlet, "Focus Resources for Effective Follow-Up in School Health Services." (5¢) "Programs and Services," a reference compendium of all major activities of the Dept. of HEW, is available for \$2.00. Copies of all may be ordered from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.

"Making the Most of Your Money, Lessons in Consumer Education for Adults," an outgrowth of the AHEA Low-Income Workshop, has been developed for use in adult basic education classes and for the manpower development and training program. Single copies available free from Institute of Life Insurance, Educational Division, 277 Park Ave., New York 10017.

"The Tyranny of Poverty," a selected bibliography of books, pamphlets, articles, and memoranda on Government and Community Action, Employment, Education, Legal and Social Services, Economics and Social Problems, may be ordered from The American Jewish Committee, Institute of Human Relations, 165 E. 56th St., New York 10022. (25¢)

The National Council on the Aging, 104 East 25th St., New York 10010 has a bibliography, "Poverty and the Aged," which lists publications from government bureaus and private publishers. (20¢)

"Resources for the Employment of Mature Women and/or Their Continuing Education," by Anna Elkin, is a selected bibliography available for 35¢ from the Richard J. Bernhard Memorial Library, Federation Employment and Guidance Service, 215 Park Ave. S., New York 10003.

"People in Crisis," a leaflet discussing the relationship between population growth and economic development, food supply, health and moral values; and what the U.S. should do about population control and foreign aid, is available free from Population Crisis Committee, 1730 K St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005.

"Telling It Like It Is," by Luther P. Jackson, is the third publication in a series prepared by Communicating Research on the Urban Poor, a project sponsored by the Health and Welfare Council of the National Capital Area based on findings of the 1960-64 Child Rearing Study of Low-Income Families in the District of Columbia. Correspondence related to these documents should be addressed to CROSS-TELL, 1101 M St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005.

FLOYD M. MARTINSON served as project director and author of the recently completed study, "Sexual Knowledge, Values, and Behavior Patterns: With Especial Reference to Minnesota Youth." A limited number of copies are available for \$3.00 from Dr. Martinson, Dept. of Sociology, Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, Minnesota 56082.

"Psychiatry and Social Science Review" is a new journal in which can be found articles on and reviews of current books, such as "Behavioral Scientists and Books," "Are Authors Obsolete?" etc., and pre-views of forthcoming books. Subscribers are entitled to substantial discounts on books. Order from the Review, 27 E. 62nd St., New York, New York 10021.

"The Population Problem" is a series of six documentary films which show conditions in India, Brazil, Japan, Europe and the United States to demonstrate the problems that are present in any society with uncontrolled population growth and to show the benefits which accrue for the people in a society which balances its population growth with its economic development and its death rates. The final film of the series presents interviews with leading scientists in laboratories where research on fertility control is being conducted. Further information may be obtained from NET Film Service, Indiana University, Audio-Visual Center, Bloomington, Indiana 47401.

The first issue of "New Perspectives," the new biannual Journal of the Associated Students of Social Welfare, University of California, Berkeley, will be published and circulated in late March. Editors have selected papers on the basis of their capacity to challenge social welfare policies, theory and methods; to stimulate inquiry; and to motivate action. The Journal's content will reflect a tenor of student thought which seeks to measure social work practices and knowledge in terms of the profession's goals and responsibilities. Its focus is upon topics and issues viewed by students as pertinent to social work's forward movement. Address further inquiries to Robert Brownbridge, "New Perspectives," 120 Haviland Hall, University of California, Berkeley, California 94720.

The January PERSONNEL AND GUIDANCE JOURNAL provides insight into one part of the occupational problems of Appalachia -- the concept Appalachian youth have of their probable life work. Students in Appalachia were compared to a group of native and Appalachian migrant students in an Ohio city as to job aspirational level, personal role models, and availability of jobs and information. This issue (or a subscription) may be ordered from American Personnel and Guidance Association, 1605 New Hampshire Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20009.

"Development of Healthy Sexuality," by MARY S. CALDERONE, is now available in reprint form from the American Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, 1201 16th St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036 for 15¢. Dr. Calderone expands the theme that acceptance of one's own sexuality and that of others must come before any kind of sex education can be accomplished, and raises provocative questions about the content of sex education offerings at both elementary and secondary school levels.

Tapes available in the Sacramento County Schools Instructional Materials Center, 6011 Folsom Blvd., Sacramento, California 95891 include "Why We Must Have Sex and Family Life Education," "The Moral Issue and It's Resolution," "Implications for School Organizations," "Youth Panel on Sex and Family Life Education," - all by LESTER KIRKENDALL - and "Role of the School in Establishing Man's Sexuality as a Health Entity" and "Why We Must Have Sex and Family Life Education" by MARY CALDERONE. These tapes were made during two conferences on Family Life Education held in Sacramento in October.

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