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ELECTION RESULTS

To take office in October 1968: President-Elect - Richard N. Hey
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Directors - Edward Z. Dager, Wallace C. Fulton, Kate B. Garner,
Hyman Rodman, Edward J. Rydman

To take office in October 1969: Counseling Section Chairman-Elect - Donald R. Young
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Research and Theory Section Chairman-Elect - Murray A. Straus
Special Emphases Section Chairman-Elect - James Walters

NCFR MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEMBERS ANNOUNCED

Robert H. Coombs, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Sociology, Behavioral Sciences Center, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, is chairman. Committee members include: Leon Smith, Ed.D., Director of Ministries in Marriage, Board of Education, The Methodist Church, for the clergy; Elmer Knowles, Ph.D., Professor of Child Development and Family Relations, Brigham Young University, for education; Aaron L. Tilton, Ph.D., LL.B., Chairman of Family Law Section of Bar Association, for law; Roger J. Meyer, M.D., M.P.M., Associate Professor of Pediatrics, University of Virginia School of Medicine, for medicine; Myrtle R. Reul, Ph.D., Professor of Social Work, University of Georgia, for social work. A government representative will be announced.

INTERNATIONAL LIAISON

Have you names of outstanding professional family life leaders in other countries who might like a gift membership in the National Council on Family Relations? Would you like to so sponsor them as overseas members by sending a contribution (\$5.00 plus \$1.25 for postage) to the NCFR for this purpose? EVELYN M. DUVALL, Elon College, North Carolina 27244 will be glad to hear of your interest and to process your recommendations for overseas lists now being developed. (During the summer you may contact Dr. Duvall at George Williams College, Williams Bay, Wisconsin 53191.)

MAY 1968 JOURNAL IS DELAYED

The publication of the special issue of JOURNAL OF MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY, devoted to Family Planning, Fertility Control, and Population Dynamics, has been delayed, due to a strike at the publishing company.

STATE, LOCAL, AND REGIONAL COUNCILS

The numerous activities of the TRI-STATE COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS in recent months have included: a joint conference between a section of the New Jersey Home Economics Association and Tri-State on the question, "Why Families?"; a joint meeting with the New Jersey Adult Education Association; a meeting on "The Role of the Home Economics Teacher in an Urban Environment - New Competencies for New Roles," sponsored by Tri-State, the Association of the Home Economics Teachers of New York City, and the Department of Home Economics of Hunter College. At the latter meeting, IRENE VON CSEH spoke on the role for the Home Economics Teacher in '68, GEOFFREY ESTY on Heightening Awareness-Sensitivity Training - a Necessary Competence for the Home Economics Teacher in an Urban Environment, ISADORE RUBIN on What Should the 1968 Home Economics Teacher Understand about Teaching? - Family Life and Sex Education in the Urban Environment, and Maude Parker on Classroom Challenges for the Teacher in the Inner City. Another Tri-State activity is the establishment of a Consultant's and Speaker's Bureau, which lists members who may be contacted as consultants, resource persons, speakers, and counselors. The Arden House Proceedings (\$1.50), and the Tribute to Margaret Benz, a long-time active member of Tri-State and distinguished sociologist (\$1.00) are available through NORMA NEWMARK, Tri-State President, 2876 Jerome Avenue, Bronx, New York 10468.

The INDIANA COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS announces that ELIZABETH NOLAND JACKSON is their new president. Mrs. Jackson is Executive Director of the Indianapolis Social Health Association.

The October 1968 annual conference of the NORTH CAROLINA FAMILY LIFE COUNCIL will focus on the impact of the inner city upon North Carolina families, KATE GARNER, School of Home Economics, Stone Building, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, 27412, is president.

"Family Life Education in Alabama Schools" was the theme of the Annual Meeting of the Alabama Council, held in March. Designed for educators, doctors, lawyers, judges, ministers, social workers, nurses, and specialists in family life, the conference focused on needs, goals, and techniques for implementing the family life education program in school and community. NCFR President-elect ELIZABETH FORCE spoke on "Improving Family Life in Alabama." New officers include VERA BRUHN, 3600 8th Avenue South, Birmingham, Alabama 35222, President; Grover Murchison, President-elect; Mildred Felton, Secretary; NORMA HODSON, Treasurer; JAMES D. BUCK, Parliamentarian; ELIZABETH C. ORMAN, Past-President.

Several years ago the president of the SOUTHEASTERN COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS named a committee of Family Life Researchers (KATE GARNER, DONALD RAPP, JAY SCHVANEVELDT, JAMES WALTERS, James Montgomery, and the late Irwin Sperry) to develop a research proposal concerned with Problems of Low Income Southern Families. Professionals and graduate students working on master's and doctoral degrees in the states in the Southeastern region participated. Some of the studies which have been completed include: Lower-class Negro Father Participation in Family Activities, Child-Rearing Practices of Lower and Middle-Income Mothers, Low-Income Family Problems as Perceived by Adolescents, The Relationship of Security and Religiosity of Low Income Southern Youth, The Relationship Between Malnutrition and I. Q. and School Performance. All studies will be published separately. One out-growth of the project is a \$100,000 research study concerned with "Factors Related to Educational and Occupational Aspirations of Early Adolescent Males from Culturally Deprived Families," sponsored by the United States Office of Education and under the direction of RUTH DALES and JAMES WALTERS, Florida State Univ.

The MISSOURI COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS, along with the University of Missouri (Kansas City) Family Study Center and The Kansas City Social Health Society, Inc., sponsored a professional level conference for those who deal with parents or children or both in school, church and youth groups. The conference, held in April in Kansas City, was entitled "Parents Need Help in Their Relations With Their Children." Meeting subjects included "What Problems Parents Present" and "Childrenese," a new approach to parent-child communications. President of the Missouri Council is ARTHUR MC ARTHUR.

The ROCKY MOUNTAIN COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS held its annual meeting on May 11th at Colorado State University. ELIZABETH FORCE, NCFR President-elect, delivered the main address. Emphasis of the meeting was on "Family Life Education at the Secondary Level." President is EUGENE J. DE BELLIS, Executive Director, Family Counseling Service, 1315 Cragmore Road, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80907.

"Impact of Change on Families" was the theme of the 23rd Conference of the PACIFIC NORTHWEST COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS, held in February in Portland, Oregon. CARLFRED BRODERICK was the featured speaker. Session topics were: The Impact of Current Values on Families; Courtship - American Style; What the Poverty Kids are Telling Us about Family, School and Community; What the Middle-Class Non-Conformist Kids are Telling Us about Family, School and Community; and Growing Up Heterosexual. This conference was also the site of the organizational meeting of the new OREGON and WASHINGTON COUNCILS with HELEN THUN HARTNESS, Lewis and Clark College, Portland; and JOHN SCHILLER, Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma as presidents. Idaho is in the process of forming a council, and exploration is underway for a group in Montana. The new PNWCFR president is LUTHER BAKER, Associate Professor of Family Life, Central Washington State College, Ellensburg, Washington 98926.

The MARYLAND COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS held its 9th Annual Conference in April in Baltimore. The theme of the conference was "The Communication Gap - Teenagers and Parents," with Dr. Robert Derbyshire, Associate Professor of Sociology in Psychiatry, University of Maryland, as featured speaker. Two teen-age guests provided their points of view of the Communication Gap. President of the Maryland Council is LYLE BLAINE GRAY, who was recently on an audience participation radio program called "Contact" with Father Joseph Connelly, St. Katherine's Rectory, and William Hausman, psychiatrist, Johns Hopkins Medical School.

Dr. Joseph McCall, Michigan Department of Mental Health, gave the keynote address on "The Family and Mental Health" at the Annual Spring Conference of the UPPER PENINSULA FAMILY RELATIONS COUNCIL, held in April in Iron Mountain, Michigan. President is JANE BEMIS, Head, Home Economics Department, Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Michigan 49855.

The Rev. KENNETH D. BARRINGER is the newly elected president of the IOWA COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS. The Executive Committee of the Iowa Council is planning its Annual Conference for leaders in the field of family life education to be held November 8th in Des Moines, featuring the theme, "The Family in Iowa--Its Strengths." Issues concerning the minority family, the solo parent, the middle class family, the church and the family, and the school and parent education will be highlighted. The Council will continue to publish its quarterly newsletter covering new developments in the family life education field and reporting on fresh resources as well as developments or plans that are projected for new cooperation among agencies toward the goal of strengthening structures in Iowa. The Council has been working diligently to enlist support for sex education in the school systems. Past efforts have

been to sponsor two annual conferences on the subject; present efforts are to help provide guidance for school superintendents, principals, and workers in curriculum development who want to introduce the program and need help at the point of procedure and content.

As part of a family life education program which Dr. FRANK W. WELCH directs at Lambuth College, Jackson, Tennessee, a proposal has been written to develop a Tennessee Council on Family Relations. During the next 16 months, the college with the help of other interested persons will sponsor a conference on the family which will hopefully lead to a permanent organization.

Father JAMES E. VAN HORN, Family Life Bureau, 414 East North Broadway, Columbus, Ohio 43214, is the new president of the OHIO COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS.

THE ORANGE COUNTY COUNCIL FOR STRENGTHENING FAMILY LIFE has been formed in California. Plans are underway for an all day meeting on October 5th, on the topic "What is new in Family Life and Sex Education?" Interested persons may contact RALPH ECKERT, Counselor-at-Large, California State College at Long Beach, 6101 East 7th Street, Long Beach, California 90801.

The HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA COUNCIL was in co-sponsorship with other organizations in the city at a Family Life Education Conference, April 28-29 with the theme, "High Point Looks at Family Life Education." The keynote speaker, EVELYN DUVALL spoke on "Family Life Education--Why Now?" Other main speakers were DAVID MACE and RACHEL MESCHAN.

Florence Barrington is the new president of the DANE COUNTY COUNCIL, Madison, Wisconsin. On May 14, the 1968 Annual Meeting and Resource Workshop of the council was held, with a session on resources in family life education; discussion groups; demonstration of programs on family life education; and a speech by EVELYN RIMEL, Stout State University on "Human Sexuality Education."

A new FAMILY LIFE COUNCIL has been formed in Greensboro, North Carolina. For information write: E. M. RALLINGS, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, University of North Carolina, Greensboro 27412.

POSITIONS WANTED AND POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The Family Service Association of America has announced an opening for Assistant Director of their Research Department. Duties will include planning and directing studies, preparing knowledge-integration summaries, and providing research consultation to family service agencies. Candidates must have an advanced education and experience in research with a social work and family study emphasis, plus a master's degree in social work and casework experience or its equivalent. Salary is up to \$15,000 depending on qualifications. Write Dr. Dorothy Fahs Beck, F.S.A.A., 44 East 23rd Street, New York, New York 10010.

The Reproductive Biology Research Foundation, William H. Masters, Director, has an opening for a woman co-therapist. (See article in the May issue of Harper's Magazine, page 48.) Send resume to Dr. Masters at the Foundation, 4910 Forest Park Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri 63108.

A marriage counselor for a community Marriage and Family Counseling agency is wanted immediately. Required is a person with either a Master's or Doctor's degree in one of the following disciplines: theology, psychology, education, law, medicine or a related field and definitive training in marriage counseling. Salary will be dependent upon training and experience. Contact Mrs. Betty M. Reeves, Personnel Chairman, Marriage and Family Counseling Service of Rock Island County, Illinois, Suite 512, Safety Building, Rock Island, Illinois 61201.

The University of Guelph, Ontario, Canada is in need of a Director for the Child and Family Studies area of the Home Management Department. Duties will be to teach under-graduate courses, develop a graduate program in Child and Family Studies, and promote development in the department's excellent Nursery School. Applicants must have, or be working toward a Ph.D. Salaries are competitive with other universities, according to qualifications and experience. Write Mary E. Singer, Professor and Chairman, Home Management Department.

Caroline N. Stanhope, 141 East 33rd Street, New York, New York 10016, who will complete a Master's degree in Family Life Education at Teachers College, Columbia University in August, would like information on possible employment in the field of Family Life Education. She is most interested in teaching at the college level but would also be interested in social work positions. The position must be within commuting distance of Manhattan via public transportation. Mrs. Stanhope will be available September 1st.

WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, ETC.

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY. A summer workshop, "Methods and Materials in Teaching Family Relations," will be held June 24-July 12. Special emphasis will be given to the development of sex education programs.

Three hours graduate credit. A course on "Marriage and Family Relations," with undergraduate credit, will be held June 24-August 2. Contact Dean BERNICE WRIGHT, College of Home Economics, 300 Slocum Hall, Syracuse, New York.

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY. The 1968 Summer Session Schedule includes: a two-week course, "Men, Women and Children in Literature," ROSE SOMERVILLE, Instructor, July 1-12; two five-week courses, "Family Development," and "Problems in Family Relations," CARL TAYLOR, Instructor, June 17-July 19; two five-week courses, "Family and the Individual in the Community," and "Problems in Family Relations," ARTHUR WILLIAMS, Instructor, July 22-August 20; and three ten-week courses, "Seminar in Child Development," "Problems in Child Development," and "Thesis in Child Development," June 17-August 20. Write WILLIAM H. MARSHALL, Director, Division of Family Resources, West Virginia University, Morgantown.

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT, STORRS. The Department of Child Development and Family Relations will present during the 1968 graduate summer session, its second Family Life Institute with an emphasis on sex education. Two three-week institutes will be offered. The major topic of "Human Sexuality," June 24-July 12, will cover the physiology of sex and the psychology of sexual behavior in a social context. Discussants will include GERHARD NEUBECK, WARDELL POMEROY, Alan Guttmacher, and a representative of Dr. William Masters and Virginia Johnson. During the second, "Counseling in Family Life Education," July 15-August 2, counseling theories and techniques, special adolescent problems in interpersonal relationships and sex, and counseling with parents and families will be dealt with by FREDERICK HUMPHREY, ELEANORE LUCKEY, and Walter McIntire. Write Dr. Eleanore B. Luckey, Director.

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-KANSAS CITY in cooperation with the Kansas City Social Health Society, Inc., and the School District of Kansas City offers two workshops in sex education June 17-28. "Curriculum Development in Sex Education" is planned for those who have been identified by their school administrations for leadership responsibilities in developing programs in sex education. "Sex Education in the Classroom" is planned to give instructional aid to teachers who are presently teaching topics related to sex education. GILBERT SHIMMEL is director; instructors and resource specialists include DERYCK CALDERWOOD, HAROLD CHRISTENSEN, and CARLFRED BRODERICK. Coordinator of resources is P. K. HOUDEK. Write Dr. Gary Nahrstedt, School of Education, UMKC, Kansas City, Missouri 64110.

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY. The Department of Child Development in cooperation with the Extension Service will offer a two-week, two-credit course entitled "Human Development and Sexuality for the Elementary Grades," June 24-July 3 on the Ames campus. Subject matter will include how children learn about themselves; social, emotional, personality and physical development; the role of sex education in the elementary grades and parent education. Resource people representing child development, the family, psychology and education will be actively involved. Elementary teachers, principals, guidance personnel and others concerned with elementary education are invited to attend. Reservations are to be made by June 1 through the Office of the Dean, College of Home Economics. Registration fee is \$32 for Iowa residents and \$83 for non-residents. Write EDYTHE RAY, 213 Child Development Building, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa 50010 for information.

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY. A workshop on Sex Education will be held June 17-28, in an effort to give a basic core of people, especially teachers and parish personnel, background information, and the opportunity to evaluate some of the available materials. A curriculum guide that reaches every grade level will be analyzed. Application, along with a \$5.00 registration fee and \$75.00 tuition fee, should be sent to Rev. Pobert Paul Mohan, Directors of Workshops, Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C. 20017, before May 31. The Rev. JAMES MC HUGH, Director, Family Life Bureau, United States Catholic Conference is director of the sex education workshops.

WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITY, STEVENS POINT. A four-week Institute on Sex Education will be held July 8-August 2. The Institute is designed to alert teachers and community leaders with the social problems and the research problems involved in sex learning and to upgrade their skills in teaching. Courses are Issues in Family Living, which will examine literature and research data and analyze trends in Family living with emphasis on implications for teaching and adult education; and Independent Study, a planned study designed to enrich and supplement the student's preparation in his area of specialization. GORDON SHIPMAN is instructor. 4 credits. \$77 for residents and \$173 for non-residents.

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA. A course in "Materials and Methods in Family Life Education for Secondary School Teachers" will be held June 17-July 19. 3 hours graduate credit. Write: Office of Summer School, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis 55455. RICHARD N. HEY is the instructor.

VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY, Richmond, Virginia. DOUGLASS BROWN, Professor of Sociology will be teaching, "Sex Education for Teachers" in the post summer session beginning July 29. The principal emphasis of the course is upon the meaning and importance of relationship and how sexuality can support relationship. Both undergraduate and graduate credit given in Sociology and Education departments.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY, EDWARDSVILLE. The University Extension Service is offering a "Workshop in Marriage Counseling" June 17-July 3, and a "Workshop in Sex Education" July 8-18. Instructor for both is DONALD TAYLOR. The first workshop will consist of lectures, case discussions, and personal supervision of case analyses. Persons who may wish to enroll should actively be engaged in counseling or be preparing to do counseling as a part of their professional practice. The second workshop is designed to encourage elementary school teachers to integrate sex education concepts into their teaching program. Current theories and knowledge concerning the psycho-social aspects of the maturation process will be related to the content used for teaching pupils at various grade levels. Specialists in the area of psychology, public health, and social welfare offer a multi-discipline approach to help teachers plan a program based upon the characteristics and needs of pupils. Conference fees are \$15 for the first, and \$12.50 for the second workshop. If taken for credit, fees are \$30.50 for residents and \$46.50 for non-residents.

TEACHERS COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY. A Teacher Preparation Program for Sex Education will be held July 1-August 9. "Human Reproduction and Sexual Development," July 9-August 9, will cover the anatomy and physiology of male and female reproductive systems; conception, prenatal development, labor and delivery; psychosexual development and sources of sexual outlet; and family planning. The "Work Conference on Methods, Materials, and Evaluation of Sex Education," July 1-12, is intended primarily for teachers and administrators of sex education programs. "Group Processes in Sex Education," July 15-26, will consider the influence of groups in development and expression of sexuality, and classroom group dynamics in the teaching of sex education. The "Work Conference on Family Planning," July 29-Aug. 9, will give attention to population growth trends, comparison of acceptability and effectiveness of various methods of contraception, shift in emphasis and growing acceptance, and review of progress of some national family planning programs. Information about fees and credit and application blanks may be obtained from the Department of Health Education, Teachers College. GILBERT SHIMMEL and JAMES MALFETTI will be among the instructors.

GEORGE WILLIAMS COLLEGE, Downers Grove, Illinois, is sponsoring a Workshop in Family Life Education June 17-28. EVELYN and SYLVANUS DUVALL will be leaders, with 8 consultants, including THEODORE R. STORLIE. Content will include the nature of human sexuality, facts, figures, cultures and philosophies; family and community forces in the development of attitudes; educational programs for all ages; special individual projects; and an opportunity to survey the literature in this field and to discuss at first hand with experts. Ideas, concepts, and methods of community planning for school and agency programs. Credit available. Workshop tuition is \$81. Write Dr. Helen Westerberg, Director, Family Life Education Workshop.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, Washington, D. C. The Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate, Washington, D. C., is presently engaged in a research program focusing on town and country situational analysis, theological and historical evaluation of apostolic goals and structures, broad ecumenical planning, and carefully controlled experimentation. Georgetown University will hold a "Study Program on the Church's Mission in Town and Country" to make the results of this research available to priests, ministers and laymen in the hope of contributing to the effectiveness of putting ultimate Christian meaning into the new town and country way of life. The program, July 1-August 23, will consist of lectures and seminars on the historical and theological perspectives on the apostolate in town and country America, and understanding the small community. Tuition of \$50 for the entire program.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN. A one-year, Master's program leading to careers as consultants, program administrators and specialists in adult health services (including prevention and disease detection), chronic illness programs, and services for the aging will begin in August at the School of Public Health. Write the program director, Dr. Ian T. Higgins, U. of M., Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104.

SACRAMENTO STATE COLLEGE will hold the following six-week sessions from June 17-July 26: "Child and Youth Development," "The Child in the Family," "Family Development," and "Seminar in Family Interaction." The Sacramento State College-Sacramento City Unified School District Demonstration School in Family Life Education will be held at Hiram Johnson Senior High School, July 1-26. Contact Mr. Carroll Mjelde.

SACRAMENTO COUNTY SCHOOLS. RALPH ECKERT will be the leader of a class, "Education for Family Life" to be held at the office of Sacramento County Schools, 6011 Folsom Boulevard, Sacramento, California, August 12-23. Fee is \$37.

CAPITAL UNIVERSITY, 2199 East Main Street, Columbus, Ohio 43209 will present a four-week Family Life Institute, with an emphasis on Sex Education, June 24-July 19. The Institute is designed for those involved in family life education and sex education of young people, particularly teachers, school administrators, nurses, guidance counselors and health personnel. The Institute will include a special lecture series, covering the fields of medicine, child development, sociology, and education. Write Professor Ruth Neikirk.

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY. The University Committee on Health Education is sponsoring The School Health Education Summer Workshop, June 18-July 5, with the theme "Applying Current Curriculum Design to Such Areas as Sex Education and Drug Abuse." The fee for the workshop, designed for teachers, nurses, physicians, administrators, and others interested in health education, is \$85. Write Mrs. Florence Fogle, Workshop Director, 258 Natatorium, 321 West 17th Avenue, Ohio State, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

THE MENTAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE, 555 Middlefield Road, Palo Alto, California 94301 announces a two-week course in Conjoint Family Therapy, July 15-26, for psychologists, psychiatrists, and social workers. The course will include family theory, assessment, and therapy as usually taught in weekly seminars at the University. Write Dr. ARTHUR BODIN, Training and Education Director. Another workshop on "Conjoint Family Therapy" will be held September 4-14. This course for psychologists, psychiatrists, and social workers will cover the same topics as the first. Write Dr. Roland Lowe.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO. "Contemporary Problems and Prospects in Family Living" will be the theme of a two-week workshop seminar for graduate credit, June 10-21. Faculty includes DAVID MACE, SYLVANUS and EVELYN DUVALL, CLARK VINCENT, ROBERT COOMBS, MILDRED MORGAN, FRANCES JORDAN, RICHARD KLEMER, E. M. RALLINGS, and BARBARA JAMES. Write RICHARD KLEMER, Child Development and Family Relations, School of Home Economics.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY is planning a four-week Family Life Education Institute for June 17-July 12. Emphasis will be on strengthening development of school and community programs in family life education. Dr. GEORGE CHAMIS will serve as visiting professor and institute leader. Four semester hours of graduate credit will be offered. Dr. JANE BEMIS will be instructor for a course, "Family Relationships," to be held June 17-August 9. Consideration will be given to needs and responsibilities of family members throughout the family life cycle, changing roles of men and women, human sexuality, and use of human and material resources to achieve satisfying individual and family living. Four semester hours of undergraduate credit may be obtained. Write Dr. Bemis, Department of Home Economics, Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Michigan 49855.

STOUT STATE UNIVERSITY, Menomonie, Wisconsin 54751. Pre-Session Course, June 3-14. Human Relations in the Community, Ed. 554 Guidance Seminar II, 2 Semester Credits or Ps. 455 Undergraduate, 2 Semester Credits. Director, EVELYN G. RIMEL, Ph.D. Also offered for the first time in the summer, Ps. 326 - Marriage and Family, 2 semester credits, taught by Dr. Rimel. Write for dates and other information.

MERRILL-PALMER INSTITUTE. LAURENCE LANG II will teach "Teaching About Human Sexuality," a graduate seminar for teachers, K-12, July 8-August 2. Participants will be assisted to survey and integrate contributions of relevant disciplines to current understanding of human sexuality, including such topics as sexual identity and behavior, family planning and reproduction, emotionality, intimacy and values; to identify and evaluate their own and others' feelings, attitudes, and values in regard to human sexuality; to survey and evaluate current teaching materials; and to plan a K-12 curriculum, developing most fully plans for the years of their primary competence. Address is 71 East Ferry Ave, Detroit, Michigan.

ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY, Minnesota. "Counseling and Sex Education," July 21-26; "Counseling Adolescents," July 28-August 2; and "Counseling Techniques," August 4-9 are the subjects of three one-week workshops in pastoral counseling and psychotherapy to be held at the Institute for Mental Health, St. John's University, Collegeville, Minnesota. Information may be obtained from Aquinas Sipe, OSB, 6400 Wabash Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21215.

The CLAREMONT SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY, College Avenue at Foothill Boulevard, Claremont, California, will hold a summer institute on "New Developments in Marriage and Family Counseling" July 15-26. Reality practice sessions will provide opportunity for students to develop skills in using methods presented. Write registrar.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE ON FAMILY RELATIONS, 5287 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90027 will present workshops under the direction of MARY JANE HUNGERFORD. A graduate workshop in "Education for Family Living," will be held June 17-28. Topics include intimacy, prevention of premature marriages, and concept of "new morality." A second, August 5-17, centers on "The Techniques of Marriage Counseling." Emphasis will be on use and interpretation of the Taylor-Johnson Temperament Analysis. Faculty includes Dr. HUNGERFORD, PAUL POPENOE, RUTH MICHAELSON, and REUBEN PANNOR.

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY. "Sex Education in the Curriculum" is a three-week course to be presented June 17-July 3. Instruction is designed to help participants understand how sex education fits into existing curricula, how to start a program, and what materials to stress at different age levels. HELEN MANLEY and A. G. Drew are instructors. Write Dr. Drew at the University, Box 1067, St. Louis, Missouri 63130.

The UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT DAVIS will offer the following summer school classes: "Developing Effective Techniques for Teaching Disadvantaged Children," June 24-28; "Materials and Equipment for the Preschool," June 24-28; "Children in a Widening World," July 8-12; "Life With the American Father," July 15-19; "Principles of Adult Education," July 8-11 and 15; "Methods and Materials in Adult Education," July 16-19 and 22; and "Sex Education," August 5-9. Contact Extension Office, Lura Middleton, for information about credits and cost.

THE AMERICAN FOUNDATION OF RELIGION AND PSYCHIATRY, 3 West 29th Street, New York, New York 10011, is offering two special summer training courses for clergymen. "Clinical Pastoral Education" will be held May 27-August 9, meeting 5 days a week with morning classes, seminars, individual conferences and supervised work with clients of the Foundation's clinic with the afternoons devoted to chaplain internships in hospitals. "Interfaith Clinical Workshop" will meet from July 8-August 2, five days a week, and is designed to give clergymen an opportunity to explore the changing psychological dimensions of the pastor's involvement with individuals, groups, community, and national affairs.

THE MENTAL HEALTH MATERIALS CENTER, INC., 419 Park Avenue South, New York 10016 will conduct a seminar-workshop for mental health educators June 9-14. Principal topics of the course, entitled "Mental Health Education: Theory and Practice," will be: criteria for selection of mental health materials, critical analysis of methods of evaluating effectiveness, and techniques in production and utilization of printed materials. Morning sessions on theory will be presented by Nina Ridenour. Afternoon sessions will consist of demonstrations of educational techniques and clarification of certain tools of communication available to the mental health educator.

INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SEMINARS will sponsor three seminars in Europe, each for 21 days, during June and July. The first, departing June 3, will provide an intensive view of the workings of the British mental health system. The second, departing July 8, will visit France, Holland, Czechoslovakia and Hungary. Innovative programs in a variety of institutions will be viewed. The third, arranged in collaboration with the Ministry of Health of the Soviet Union, will visit Kiev, Leningrad and Moscow and is designed to acquaint American mental health professionals with diagnosis, psychotherapy and rehabilitation of children and adults in the Soviet Union. Departure is July 17. Write ICMHS, P. O. Box 1, Times Plaza Station, Brooklyn, New York 11217.

The Fifth Annual COMMUNITY EDUCATION WORKSHOP FOR COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY PERSONNEL will be held in Flint, Michigan, November 20-22. Personnel from all disciplines and from all administrative offices of higher institutions are invited to attend. The workshop program, consisting of visitations of community schools in action, demonstration programs, breakfast meetings in community schools, round table discussions, panel reports, conferences with directors of various community education divisions, and keynote addresses, is designed to help clarify the role of the higher institution in community education and community development. No registration fee is required. All meals while in Flint and transportation to various points of interest will be provided by the Mott Program of the Flint Board of Education. Write the Graduate Training Program in Community Education, Mott Program, Flint Board of Education.

The Eleventh Annual LEADERSHIP LABORATORY IN HUMAN RELATIONS AND SUPERVISORY SKILLS will be held June 9-15 at Ojai, California. Write Phyllis Potton, Department of Conferences, Room 2165 Social Science Building, University of California Extension, Los Angeles 90024.

The AUDIO-VISUAL CENTER OF INDIANA UNIVERSITY, Bloomington, Indiana 47401 will hold an Educational Media Conference June 24-25, concerned with the theme "Design for Instructional Development." The conference will explore characteristics of successful approaches to instructional development, the rationale for formulating behavioral objectives, case studies of innovative practices in instructional procedures and resources. The Seventh Annual Programmed Instruction Workshop, June 10-14 will provide an extensive overview of programmed learning with emphasis on writing effective frames. Contact Dr. Mendel Sherman.

ACTIVITIES OF NCFR MEMBERS

NORMA NEWMARK, Hunter College, is conducting a 4-week seminar in South America for the Adult Education Council of New York, starting July 6th.

MEDORA BASS, Planned Parenthood of Philadelphia, gave a paper at the World Federation for Mental Health's annual conference in Lima on "The Prevention of Pregnancy for the Mentally Deficient." She participated in a round table discussion with the Director of Health Education for Peru who expressed need for family life education and education for population control in the schools. GEOFFREY ESTY, Special Consultant, New Jersey State Department of Health, presented a paper at the same meeting on "The Psychoeconomics of Family Mental Health and Living Space." Reprints are available from Dr. Esty at 6 Ober Road, Princeton.

MARY JANE HUNGERFORD, Director of the Department of Education, American Institute of Family Relations, is program chairman for the bi-annual International Convention of the International Childbirth Education Association, Inc. (ICEA) to be held in Anaheim, California, November 9-11 with professional workshops to follow November 12-13. The importance of pregnancy, prenatal education, labor, childbirth, rooming-in and breast feeding to the mental health, social work and family life fields will be stressed.

SYLVIA S. THEA, Director, Marriage Counseling Service, Court of Domestic Relations, St. Louis County, Clayton, Missouri, is a board member of the local chapter of Parents Without Partners. She has been appointed by the International Headquarters to help select the International Single Parent of the Year.

EDWARD R. WILSON, instructor in family relations at Syracuse University, is presently teaching marriage courses within the College of Home Economics, is serving as advisor to the One-Parent Family Council, is a Board Member of Planned Parenthood, and is a Sex Education Consultant throughout New York State. He has professional interests in sex education in the home, school, and church; in setting up programs within school systems and training teachers; and in marriage counseling.

PAUL LANDIS, 411 South Blaine, Moscow, Idaho 83843, is teaching the Education for Marriage course during the spring semester at the University of Arizona.

DAVID MACE, Professor of Sociology, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, and his wife VERA recently returned from conducting a training seminar in Kenya for the All Africa Conference of Churches (AACC), working in close association with the World Council of Churches. The objective of the seminar was to give a group of Christian leaders in Africa as much orientation and training in the field of sex, marriage and the family as can be done in one month, with the hope of their returning to their own countries and initiating new programs, worked out in relation to their individual interests and competence. Twenty leaders from Egypt, Ethiopia, the Sudan, Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania and Madagascar attended. While there, the Maces explored the possibility of holding a major International Conference on the Family in Africa in about two years. Three days of intensive conferences in Nigeria brought together representatives of most Nigerian organizations interested in family welfare. Consultations in East Africa and West Africa provided recommendations for the AACC and the World Council of Churches, asking for a well-planned five year program for the training of African Christian leaders in the field of the family. The Maces also spent a few days in Ghana, observing an ambitious program in the field of family life, which includes the opening of Marriage Advice Centers in five cities, and the training of 250 lay "Family Advisors" working in teams to stir up interest in family welfare.

ROSE SOMERVILLE, Professor of Family Life, California State College at San Diego, spoke on "The Sexual Revolution in America" at a Sex and Family Life in Education Symposium held in Newport in March. Another NCFR member speaking at the symposium was RALPH G. ECKERT, Counselor-at-Large, California State College at Long Beach, who gave his views on "Training Family Life Educators."

PANOS D. BARDIS, University of Toledo, has two new publications: "Circumcision in Ancient Egypt," in the June 1967 issue of Indian Journal of History of Medicine; and "Influence of Anthropological Education on International and Interracial Social Distance," in a 1967 issue of Sociologia Religiosa.

DERYCK CALDERWOOD, Associate Director of SIECUS; DAVID MACE, Professor of Family Sociology at Bowman Gray School of Medicine; and WALLACE FULTON, Director, Community Services and Health Education, Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York City were participants in a Pastoral Care Series focusing on Family Concerns, sponsored by the South Carolina Department of Mental Health, February to May.

BERNARD I. MURSTEIN, Professor of Psychology, Connecticut College, has received a Fulbright Lecturer Award for Belgium and Luxembourg for the academic year 1968-69. He will be located at the University of Louvain, dividing his duties between the Institute de Psychologie et de Sciences Pedagogiques and L'Ecole de Sante Publique. He will teach courses in projective techniques and interpersonal perception and give several public lectures, including one on his recent NIMH research on "Determinants of Marital Choice."

RALPH EDWARDS recently assumed the position of Dean of Administration at Kingsborough Community College, Brooklyn, New York. Recently he ran a one-day workshop in the field of sex education for the Brighton School System, a suburb of Rochester. Dr. Edwards serves as a consultant to the New York State Education Department on the preparation of curricula materials K-12 in the fields of mental health, family living, and sex education.

MORTON DE CORCEY NACHLAS, Professor at the University of Wisconsin-Racine, will become Professor and Chairman of the Department of Sociology, Stratford College, Danville, Virginia beginning in June.

LESTER A. KIRKENDALL, Professor of Family Life, Oregon State University is moving to 12601 Southeast River Road, Apartment 321, Milwaukie, Oregon 97222 in June and will devote more time to lecturing, writing, and conference work.

DOROTHY DYER, Professor of Family Relations, North Dakota State University, has been appointed coordinator of the programs of the University's new Human Resources Development Center. Purposes of the center are to coordinate the resources of educational, religious, medical and community service agencies that relate to child and family well-being; to provide instruction and consultative services to persons and groups concerned with child and family well-being; to promote research and report the findings in the field of child and family development and related areas; and to promote community and school programs related to child and family development. The program provides for courses off-campus for credit and non-credit, workshops and institutes, leadership for discussion groups, consultant services, and a state-wide meeting each year. Dr. Dyer recently participated in a Human Development Conference sponsored by N. D. S. U.

Notice has been received of the death of Dr. CULVER G. WARNER of Kansas Wesleyan University.

IRA REISS, Professor of Sociology and Anthropology, University of Iowa, and ALBERT ELLIS, New York psychotherapist participated in a series of programs and lectures on The Sexual Revolution - 1968, presented by American River Junior College, Sacramento City and State Colleges, University of California-Davis, Sierra Junior College, Sacramento County Schools, and Sutter Hospitals Medical Research Foundation.

MEDORA BASS, Planned Parenthood of Philadelphia, and VLADIMIR DE LISSOVOY, Department of Child Development and Family Relations, Pennsylvania State University were NCFR representatives to the 72nd Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science. Topic was "The Changing American People: Are we Deteriorating or Improving?"

The Reverend JAMES MC HUGH, Director, Family Life Bureau, U. S. Catholic Conference, wrote an article, "Sex Education in the Catholic Schools - An Overview of Diocesan Programs," for the March 1968 issue of The Catholic School Journal.

The Reverend and Mrs. JUDSON C. MC CONNELL have recently completed another Pre-Marriage Course at Westminster College, New Wilmington, Pennsylvania. The McConnells have been co-directors of the course since 1960. EVELYN DUVALL, Family Development Specialist, and GERTRUDE HENDRICKS, Director of Family Education, Youngstown Board of Education, gave lectures for the course.

ETHEL M. NASH, Clinical Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, School of Medicine, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, was recently in Bogota for a week's conference with 30 of Colombia's leaders in sex education.

The Third Annual Sex Education Institute, presented by the Family Life Education Program of the Flint, Michigan, Community Schools was held May 1-3. GEORGE CHAMIS, Coordinator of the Family Life Education Program for the Flint Schools was the keynote speaker on the topic, "Sex Education for the Schools." Other participating in this conference, which was exclusively for administrative and supervisory personnel of public and non-public schools, were: PAULINE IYENAGA, EVELYN ROUNER, GAYLE DALE, KEITH GARRITY, CHARLOTTE GEORGE, TERRENCE MASON, CHARLES MYLER, FRANKLIN NAGY.

H. LEE JACOBS, Assistant Professor, Institute of Gerontology, University of Iowa, had an article "The Growing Problem of the Single Estate: Preparation for Facing Life Alone," in a recent issue of Adding Life to Years.

CHRISTOPHER TURNER, 42 St. David's Road, Hethersett, Norwich, NOR 42X, England, an international member, is interested in a project on Marriage Breakdown.

ELIZABETH S. FORCE, Director of Family Life Education, American Social Health Association, spoke at the Annual Middle Atlantic Area Child Welfare Conference of The American Legion and affiliated organizations in Baltimore recently.

Since September 1, 1966, FRANK WELCH has been administrative officer of the Office of Sociological Services at Lambuth College. Accomplishments have included: a conference on community problems; counseling with couples from the community concerning marital and child development difficulties; seminars on family life offered as adult education courses; a Family Service Conference; and various other workshops. Plans are now underway for a 5 day family life education conference in 1968.

A new service is being offered by Planned Parenthood of Minneapolis, entitled "Public Information Programs." Emphasis is on the male and his role in family planning. For information contact Mr. Gene Vadies, Planned Parenthood of Minneapolis, 803 Hennepin Avenue Ave., Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403. PAMELA VEERHUSEN is Executive Director.

The Family Life and Sex Education Council of Greater New Haven, Connecticut, held its first annual meeting in April. A "Community Report on Sex Education" was presented by a panel of experts involved in developing programs in Greater New Haven. The Council, formed in September 1967, and made up of twenty representatives from community organizations, serves as resource, coordinator, and catalyst for

programs on family life and sex education in schools, churches, and the community throughout the Greater New Haven area. HELEN T. POPE is Executive Secretary. The Council is currently holding a Leadership Training Course for Sex Education.

Villa Jones is a non-profit, non-governmental organization in Mexico, operated by NCFR member ROBERT JONES, for the fostering of friendship, understanding, cooperation and cultural exchange between persons of different national languages and ethnic groups without distinction; the increase of knowledge of Mexico, of the United States and other countries, their customs and languages; and promotion and guidance of scientific and technical projects. Here people from the U. S. meet Mexicans in a relaxed and congenial atmosphere. Write Villa Jones International Cultural Center, A.C., Chilpancingo 23, Mexico 11, D.F., Mexico.

NCFR-AUTHORED BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, REPRINTS, ETC.

The third edition of MARVIN SUSSMAN's "Sourcebook in Marriage and the Family," is now available from Houghton Mifflin Co., 110 Tremont Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02107. In this edition Dr. Sussman has expanded the theoretical and research chapters, and has offered in addition new material on socialization, the middle years of the family life cycle, urban kinship systems, and cross-cultural perspectives. As in the previous editions, the selections are organized around the family life-cycle theme, and the highest level of empirical and theoretical work in the field is represented.

"National Family Guiding Images and Policies," a report on the transactions of the first International Seminar of the International Scientific Commission on the Family (ICOFA), edited by PIERRE DE BIE and Clio Presvelou may be ordered from the ICOFA, c/o Centre de Recherches Sociologiques of the University of Louvain, 2B, Van Evenstraat, Leuven, Belgium.

HANS SEBALD, Associate Professor of Sociology, Arizona State University, has written "Adolescence: A Sociological Analysis," to be published by Appleton-Century-Crofts in June. The book emphasizes family and peer involvements and leads up to the key concept of identity. Chapter titles include the structure of the modern family, effects of rapid social change, conditions of urban-industrial life, consequence of adolescence - the teen-age sub-culture, diversity of the adolescent experience, the delinquent adolescent, sex, marriage, and the teen-ager, and drinking and the use of drugs among teens.

"About the Poor, Some Facts and Some Fictions," by ELIZABETH HERZOG is available from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402. 35¢. Children's Bureau Publication #451-1967.

"Guiding the Character Development of the Preschool Child," by LEONA J. SMITH, may be ordered from Association Press for \$3.95. Developed, tested and proved through family and school research.

Hawthorn Books, Inc., 70 Fifth Avenue, New York 10011 announces publication of "Help for Today's Troubled Marriages," by ESTHER OSHIVER FISHER, supervisor and teacher of marriage counseling trainees at the American Foundation of Religion and Psychiatry. Topics such as money, children, in-laws, alcoholism, gambling, intermarriage, work, and sex are discussed; various kinds of help available to married people are described; and a complete section on divorce is included. \$6.95.

SIECUS has issued the first six in a series of study guides for use by social workers, professional counselors, physicians, clergymen, youth workers, school authorities, etc. who are involved in initiating, administering or supporting programs of sex education. These first six guides combine the results of surveys with the consensus of experts in each of the fields and are designed to help organize and give direction to group discussion. Order from SIECUS Publications Office, 419 Park Avenue South, New York 10016. Single copies 35¢ each. Quantity rates available.

The Mental Health Division, Department of National Health and Welfare, Ottawa, publishes a bi-monthly journal, Canada's Mental Health, which may be ordered for \$3.00 a year. The Journal, edited by CARL BIRCHARD, contains articles by leading Canadian and foreign authorities on topics of current interdisciplinary interest, reviews by specialists of new mental health books and films, current news and factual reporting of the Canadian and foreign mental health scene, and coming events.

Tapes on family life and sex education from presentations by DAVID MACE, WALTER STOKES, ALBERT ELLIS, MARY CALDERONE, LESTER KIRKENDALL, IRA REISS, ROBERT FURLONG, and RALPH ECKERT are available on loan from the Instructional Materials Center of the Sacramento County Schools Office, 6011 Folsom Boulevard, Sacramento, California 95819.

GEORGE CHAMIS, Coordinator, Family Life Education Program, Flint Community Schools, and GAYLE DALE, instructor in the Program, have written a "Sex Education Guide for Teachers," which may be ordered from the Flint, Michigan Community Schools. Basic educational concepts of sex education and a suggested outline for three stages of human development are included in the guide.

HERBERT A. OTTO, Director of Research, Stone-Brandel Center, Chicago has written, "Human Potentialities: The Challenge and The Promise," along with 12 contributors. Order from Warren H. Green, Inc.

10 South Brentwood Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri 63105. \$9.00

DAVID and VIRGINIA EDENS have written "Making the Most of Family Worship," available from Broadman Press, 127 9th Avenue North, Nashville, Tennessee 37203. \$1.50.

NILES and MICHAEL NEWTON, 330 West Diversey Parkway, Chicago, Illinois 60657, have reprints available from their article, "Medical Progress, Psychologic Aspects of Lactation," which appeared in the November 30, 1967, New England Journal of Medicine.

"Children's Art and Human Beginnings," reprinted from Family Life Coordinator may be obtained from E. C. Brown Trust Foundation, Portland, Oregon. These are 80 selected pictorial expressions of concepts related to human birth, done in color by children in primary grades with their comments and explanations accompanying the art work.

Reprints of "Population Policy: Will Current Programs Succeed?" by KINGSLEY DAVIS, may be obtained from the Institute of International Studies, University of California, Berkeley.

The May 1968 issue of Pastoral Psychology had as its theme The Educational Context of Marriage Counseling. WILLIAM H. GENNE, guest editor, entitled his editorial "The Educational Context of Marriage Counseling." NCFR members W. CLARK ELLZEY, GERALD K. HILL, and JOHN B. OMAN were among the contributors.

ASSORTED RELEASES

The Vienna Work Session of the International Union of Family Organizations, July 9-12, will examine the psychological and educational aspects of the problems of young families. Questions to be discussed will include "Before the Founding of the Family" (mate selection, the engagement, the early and impending preparation to marriage), "The Marriage - the First Months and Years" (the characteristics of modern marriages, the new role of the man and wife and harmony of the couple), and "The Couple and a Child" (freedom and responsibility of the future parents, birth control, preparation of the new parents for the educational role). Write IUFO, 28 Place St. Georges, Paris 9, France.

The American Association of Pastoral Counselors, 201 East 19th Street, New York 10003, held its 6th Annual Meeting in Atlanta, Georgia, April 24-27, on the theme, Current Trends in Pastoral Counseling." Dr. MATTI JOENSUU, Executive Director of the Department of the World Council of Churches which is responsible for family counseling and education, was awarded one of the Association's Distinguished Contribution Awards. In his address, "Counseling as a World Wide Challenge," he described the pioneering programs which the World Council and other ecumenical groups have developed in Africa, Asia, the Caribbean, and the South Pacific. Interprofessional relationships were the focus of a session on "Role Identity of the Pastoral Counselor and Other Helping Professions." A pastoral counselor, the Reverend CHARLES V. GERKIN, and a psychiatrist, Dr. Sidney Isenberg, described their experiences in conducting group psychotherapy as co-therapists over a three-year period. The role of the pastoral counselor in the comprehensive mental health center was explored in depth by a panel including BERKLEY HATHORNE, FRANK BOCKUS, and J. OBERT KEMPSON. NCFR members elected officers of the Association are CARROLL WISE, President; OTIS MAXFIELD, President-elect; RICHARD COX, Chairman, Division of Specialized Ministries; EDWARD THORNTON, Chairman, Communications Committee; and J. OBERT KEMPSON, Chairman, Committee on Pastoral Counseling and Community Mental Health.

How to make social services more effective and bring them within closer reach of the millions daily needing help is the complex question to be explored in a professional symposium of the National Association of Social Workers in San Francisco, May 24-26, just prior to the annual forum of the National Conference on Social Welfare. Under the theme, "Human Services and Professional Responsibility," the symposium is intended to affirm the importance to social workers of what actually happens to those in need of help. The first Howard F. Gustafson Memorial Award to a professional social worker for distinguished community service will be presented.

The 1968 Canadian Conference on Social Welfare will be held in Ottawa June 17-20, with the theme "Social Welfare: A Guardian of Human Rights?". Principal talks will be on "Health Services - Do They Respect or Disrespect Human Rights?", on "Equality of Opportunity in Education," and on the dilemma facing rich nations supporting less affluent countries and at the same time having responsibility for their own poor. Interest groups will be held on trends in family service programs in North America, aging and basic human rights, the rights of deserted parents and children, birth control and family life, hidden provisions of medicare, family life education and human rights, headstart programs and others. Registration fee is \$25. Write the Conference at 55 Parkdale, Ottawa 3.

The Fourth International Conference of the World Union of Organizations for the Safeguard of Youth will be held in Tunis March 31-April 4, 1969, with the theme, "Social-Psychological Help to Families for the Prevention of Juvenile Maladjustment in Rapidly Changing Environments." A few essential points will be selected for extensive survey over the next three years to help develop practical solutions to

be studied by the Fifth International Conference in 1972. Address is 28, Place Saint-Georges, Paris-9e, France.

Home Economists from all parts of the country will gather in Minneapolis, Minnesota, June 24-28, to answer the challenge of "Utilizing Our Strengths in Service to Families," the theme of the 59th Annual Meeting of the American Home Economics Association, 1600 20th Street Northwest, Washington, D. C. 20009. Areas of concern will be "The Changing Mission of Home Economics," a \$200,000 study funded by the Carnegie Corporation and conducted by Columbia University; "Utilizing Auxiliary Workers to Build Professional Strengths," the role of legislation in evolving solutions to problems in individual and family living; the cross-cultural approach to education and problems posed by attempts to communicate across cultural barriers; and urban problems.

Two visitors from India and Thailand recently visited the Carolina Population Center, 500 Pittsboro Street, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514, to discuss each country's population problems and to observe the functioning of the Center. India and Thailand, along with the United Arab Republic and the State of North Carolina are geographical areas of special interest to the Center. Other activities of the Center have been to assist in planning a sex education program for the Raleigh city schools, to co-sponsor six area family planning workshops in an effort to increase local interest in family planning programs throughout North Carolina, to compile the first annotated bibliography of selected training and patient-level educational materials from all over the world, to increase its library to 2000 publications on population or related subjects, and to sponsor a workshop for population center librarians from 12 major foundations and university-sponsored population programs to discuss better communications, standardized subject classifications for population literature, and information retrieval by computer for bibliographical work.

The Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues provides an avenue through which social scientists can apply their knowledge and insights to some of the critical social problems of today. Sustaining the activity of the Society are several committees, some of which are currently devoted to poverty, psychological aspects of long range planning, international relations, long range social consequences of chemical-biological warfare, population problems, and a coordinating committee between social science and civil rights. The Society publishes the Journal of Social Issues. Inquiries should be addressed to the SPSSI Central Office, Mrs. Caroline Weichlein, Executive Secretary, The University of Michigan, P. O. Box 1248, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

The 1968 National Youth Conference on Civic Affairs will be held August 1-4 at Cornell University. Teenagers from across the nation will be offered a chance to discuss projects, student government, role of advisors, manner of elections, establishing and maintaining local youth councils, youth courts and youth jury procedures, and prospective college life.

The Institute of International Education has opened its competition for 1969-70 United States Government and foreign graduate grants for academic study or research abroad, and for professional training in the creative and performing arts. Under these programs, more than 950 American graduate students will have an opportunity to study in any one of 50 countries. The purpose of the grants is to increase mutual understanding between the people of the U. S. and other countries through the exchange of persons, knowledge and skills. Write the Information and Reference Services Division of the Institute of International Education, 809 United Nations Plaza, New York, New York 10017 or your campus Fulbright Program Advisor.

Donald E. Smith, a pastoral counselor, has been named director of the American Foundation of Religion and Psychiatry, 3 West 29th Street, New York 10001. He will oversee the day-to-day operations of the foundation's out-patient clinic and program for training members of the clergy of all faiths in counseling techniques. Dr. Herbert Manton has joined the staff of the Foundation as director of clinical services. Dr. Manton, a psychiatrist who came from the Mental Hygiene Clinic, Toledo, Ohio, will supervise the outpatient clinic, where up to 500 men, women and children receive counseling each week. He also is teaching courses in differential diagnoses and basic psychiatry. The Foundation provides counseling by ministers, rabbis and priests under the supervision of psychiatrists and psychologists. It also offers courses ranging from a full three-year postgraduate curriculum, to weekly seminars for clergy serving in the New York metropolitan area, and special summer courses.

The 46th Annual Meeting of the American Orthopsychiatric Association, Inc. will be held March 30-April 2, 1969, in New York City. Theme subject is "Youth in Transition." A close look will be taken at young people in their teens and early twenties who are becoming a larger and more significant portion of the population. The Association recently held its 45th annual meeting in Chicago.

The Canadian Christian Family Movement is actively involved in a great variety of challenging tasks in slum areas, with families of prisoners, with urban and housing renewal, with ecumenical conferences, and in many other productive ways. CHARLES and KATHERINE CONNOLLY, 54 Glengowan Road, Toronto 12, Ontario, Canada are editors of the Christian Family Newsletter.