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The proposed name change for the NCFR was not accepted at this time.

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ANNUAL MEETING

THEME: FAMILY AND SEX ROLES

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS:

Plans for the 1976 Annual Meeting at the Roosevelt Hotel, New York City, October 19-23, grow bigger and more exciting every day. It's hard to know where to begin in telling you about it. Let's start with the three pre-conference workshops:

INSTRUCTIONAL INNOVATIONS: A MULTI-MEDIA APPROACH is a six hour workshop on Tuesday, October 19th, which will be conducted by Francine Deutsch and Stella R. Goldberg of Pennsylvania State University. During the morning session an overview will be presented including a discussion of multi-media instruction and the procedures used for the development, implementation, and evaluation of such an instructional approach. Then, demonstrations of various multi-media materials will be presented. The afternoon session will be devoted to different planning sessions involving organization, development, implementation, and evaluation. Many materials in the form of exercises and handouts will be used. Time will be allowed throughout for periodic discussion. Cost per person is \$15. Limit 16. To register, write Drs. Deutsch and Goldberg at 718 Hampshire Circle, State College, Pennsylvania 16801.

THE NCFR THEORY AND METHODOLOGY WORKSHOP will be held October 19-20. The following topics will be discussed: Viktor Gecas, "Social Class and Socialization: an Open Issue from the Theory Volume"; Thomas Condon, "Structuralism, Mental and Social, and Its Family Application"; Fred Stultz, "Methods for Applying Developmental Psychology to Developmental Family Theory"; Luther Otto, "A Mini-Course in Methods for Family Research: Path Analysis or Canonical Correlation"; Wesley Burr, "Role and Symbolic Interaction Theory: Volume II"; Paul Mattessich, "Formal Network Analysis and Kinship"; Session on Conflict: Ephraim Frankel, "A Dialectical Critique of the Equilibrium Concept in the Major Family Frameworks," David Olson and Brent Miller, "An Inventory of Marital Conflict and Interaction"; The Study of Sensitive and Private Issues: J. C. Peery, "Computer and Film Techniques for Studying Non-Verbal Communication," Richard Gelles, "Methods for Studying Sensitive Family Topics";

Study of Generations: Steve Wolin, "Family Generational Identity and Alcoholism: Role of Ritual and Myth," Stephen Wieting, "Methods for Studying Generations"; Systems Approaches to the Family: Margaret Bubolz, "Ecological Systems Approach to Family Theory," Charlotte Churaman, "Systems View of Family Relations and Resources," Susan Clark, "Systems Approach to Family Interdependence"; Theory Building: Larry Constantine, "A Psychopolitical Model of Family Systems," David Klein, "Adopting Scheff's Coorientation Theory to the Marital Relationship"; Murray Straus, "The CRT Scales for Measuring Violent and Non-Violent Family Conflict"; Barbara Settles, "The Interface of Family and Society in Sex Role Changes"; Kay Troost, "Conceptualization of Communication Through Family and Sociolinguistics"; Exchange Approaches to the Family: Charles Lee Cole and Larry Hennon, "A Systems and Exchange Theory of Cohabitation," Lawrence Kersten, "An Exchange and Nurturant Socialization Theory of Personality Development," Jane Traupmann, "Equity Theory and Exchange Theory," Marie Osmond, "Computerized Simulation of Couple Exchange." The workshop will conclude with the annual Theory and Methodology Workshop Business Meeting. For information write Bert Adams, Chairperson, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin 53706.

A WORKSHOP ON AGING AND FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION has been organized for Tuesday, October 19, as an opportunity to discuss in depth objectives, basic concepts, and philosophical approaches to the treatment of aging in programs of education for family living. Catherine Rockwood, Northern Illinois University is chairperson, assisted by Jane Oyer, Michigan State University, and Dorothy Fruit, Kent State University. Consultants include Vivian Wood, Faye McBeath Institute on Aging and Adult Life, University of Wisconsin at Madison, and Rose M. Somerville, San Diego State University. To register, write Dr. Rockwood at 208 Fairmont Drive, DeKalb, Illinois 60115.

OTHER SPECIAL SESSIONS:

Lee Steiner, New York City Clinical Psychologist, will moderate a dialogue between elderly people and representatives of some of the agencies which serve them. Are there problems of communication there? Role changes our society is not supporting? What can be done if so? As an opener for this program a musician provided by the New York City Department of Cultural Affairs will lead the group in old time musical fun. Sponsored by the NCFR Task Force on Aging.

Gerhard Neubeck, University of Minnesota, will interview David and Ginny Klein, University of Minnesota, a couple involved in Mid-Marriage Role Change.

Mollie and Russell Smart will conduct a panel made up of married couples working together as couples in the family field. They will consider not only the personal and professional enrichment that married colleagues can experience when working in family studies, but also the effects on personal relationships within the family and between the two people and other persons and groups.

PLENARY SESSIONS:

Plenary speakers, all directing their attention to the conference theme, include Lois Wladis Hoffman, University of

Michigan; Robert Bell, Temple University and LaTrobe University, Australia; Jay Mann, University of California, San Francisco; and Carlfred B. Broderick, University of Southern California, and NCFR President. Dr. Mann's presentation is "Man and Woman as Sexual Partners." Other titles will be announced. A special addition to the banquet, at which the Presidential Address is given, will be music during dinner and dancing following it. This is one of the Tri-State Council's contributions to the Conference.

SECTIONS:

Jacqueline Wiseman, University of California at San Diego, Research and Theory Section Chairperson, has announced the following sessions and organizers: "Love, Sexuality and Sex Roles," Lynn Dobrofsky, Mills College, California; "Men, Women, Sex Roles and Companionship," Nona Glazer-Malbin, Portland State University, Oregon; "Husbands and Fathers," Robert Stein, University of Northern Colorado; "Wives and Mothers," Harold and Margaret Feldman, Cornell University; "Children, Siblings, and In-Laws," Jacqueline Voss, University of Nebraska, Lincoln; "Cross-cultural Research and Sex Roles," William Liu, Notre Dame University; "Cross-cultural Research and Sex Roles," Sonya Salamon, University of Illinois; "Family Crises and Sex Roles," Pauline Boss, University of Wisconsin, Madison; "Race, Ethnicity and Family Sex Roles," Marie Peters, University of Connecticut; "Power and Family Sex Roles," Sharon Price-Bonham, University of Georgia; "Enrichment of Family Theory Through Sex Role Theories," Constantina Safilios-Rothschild. A special part of the Research and Theory program is the Burgess Award Address, this year given by Bernard Farber, University of Arizona, 1975 recipient.

Rebecca Smith, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Education Section Chairperson, and Brent Barlow, University of Wisconsin-Stout, co-program designers, tell us of their speakers and topics: "Principles Approach to Teaching," Wesley Burr, Margaret Jensen, and Larry Brady, Brigham Young University; "Teaching the Total Family," Douglas Sprengle, Purdue University, Lois Wandersman, Abraham Wandersman, George Peabody, and Sara Taubin, Drexel University; "Teaching Married Couples and Families in Groups," David Mace, Bowman-Gray School of Medicine, and Margaret Sawin, Rochester, New York, Richard Brown, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, presiding; "Sex Roles in Various Cultures," Mary Hotvedt, Sangamon State University, Patricia Bell Scott, University of Tennessee, Janine Zeutschel, University of Wisconsin-Stout, Charles Petranek, Indiana State University, presiding; "Experiential Session in Family Strengths," Herbert Otto, La Jolla, California, Sarah Shoffner, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, presiding; "Teaching About Sex Roles," Arline Rubin, Brooklyn College, Judith Ann Miller, Colorado State University, Leslie Lieberman and Leonard Lieberman, Central Michigan University, Richard Morley, University of Wisconsin-Stout; "Experiential Methods in the Classroom," David Fournier, Joel Springer and Suzanne Springer, University of Minnesota, Dianne Kieren, University of Alberta, Ramona Marotz, Utah State

University, June Henton, Texas Tech University, Rodney Cate, Pennsylvania State University; "Research on Sex Roles," Aida Tomeh, Bowling Green State University, Gladys Phelan, Colorado State University, John Curtis, Valdosta State College, and William G. Minor, Mississippi State University; "Out-of-Class Teaching Techniques," Vi Rexford and Mary Lee Wood, University of Idaho, Mary McAnaw Welsh, New Mexico State University, Carl Ariso, New Jersey Family Life Bureaus, Bridget Heckscher, Massachusetts Mental Health Center; "In-Class Teaching Techniques," Jacquie Eddleman and Edith Spees, Southern Illinois University, Caryl Moy, Sangamon State University, Sally Hansen, Florida State University. The Section Business Meeting will feature a panel on "Direction of NCFR from the Viewpoint of Leaders in the Education Section."

Helen Thun Hartness, 1825 Northeast Clackamas Street, Portland, Oregon 97232, Family Action Section Chairperson, writes that the Family Action Section promises outstanding sessions for the annual meeting. The chairpersons of various Task Forces and the chairperson of the Family Action Section have developed challenging programs for each Task Force.

Panels and papers will be in the areas of Income Maintenance, Legislation and Social Policy, Women's Rights and Responsibilities, Sex Roles and the Elderly, Single Parent and Fatherhood, the Abused Child, the Middle Years and the Impact on Family Sex Roles, Family Planning and a variety of other topics. These sessions will be open to all NCFR members whether or not they are members of the Section and of the Task Force.

Are you interested in folk dancing? Ms. Artesi, acting director of programming for the New York City Department on Cultural Affairs is offering the Family Action Section and the Task Force on Aging an evening of folk dancing with Piute Pete, caller, a well known senior citizen of tremendous vigor and vitality. There will also be an accordion player. This event will probably be Thursday evening, and it comes to us courtesy of our host city.

Some of the Task Forces will have hospitality rooms open to all NCFR members who are interested in joining a particular Task Force or who just wish to become informed. Specialists, and in some instances, nationally known persons, in the areas of the Task Force's concern will be present for informal discussions. Distribution of literature and source materials for perusal will be found in the hospitality rooms.

The Task Forces are open to any member of the Family Action Section upon payment of dues (\$3.00) to the NCFR office. Indicate which Task Force you wish to be identified with as an active member. You may also write to the Family Action Section Chairperson or the Task Force Chairperson to inform them of your interest.

Barbara James, Counseling Section Chairperson, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, lists some of that Section's offerings:

"Special Workshop on Divorce Counseling," Sheila Kessler, Georgia State University; "A Conceptual Model of Interpersonal Attraction: Useful in Marriage and Family Counseling," Reese Kilgo, University of Alabama; "Cohabitation: Does It Make for a Better Marriage?" Carl Ridley, Arthur Avery, Texas Tech University, and Dan Peterman, Penn State University; "The Use of Films in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Sexual Problems," Richard Price, Englewood, New Jersey; "Reflections of Family Interaction and Sex Role Problems in the Kenetic Family Drawing Test," Joseph Garai, Pratt Institute; "Biofeedback Technology Applied to Sexual Satisfaction in Women," Dennis Theonnes, University of Arizona; "Counselor Attitudes Toward Women as a Factor in the Clinical Management of Cases in Which the Patient Has Had An Extramarital Sexual Relationship," Les Strong, Frederick Humphrey, and Jennifer Gittleman, University of Connecticut;

"Decision Making and Sex Role Stereotypes Among Anglo, Black and Chicano Couples," Vicky Thomas-Cromwell and Ronald Cromwell, University of Missouri-Kansas City; "The Emotional Hazards of Teaching and Learning Family Therapy," Harold Liddle and Richard Halpen, Temple University; "The Negative Effects of Marital and Family Therapy," Alan Gurman, David Knishern, University of Wisconsin Medical School.

INTERNATIONAL LIAISON COMMITTEE:

The International Liaison Committee is holding a special session on Thursday, October 21, from 1:30-3:30. John Moge, Boston University, chairperson, announces the following speakers: Henry P. David, Transnational Family Research Institute, "Acceptability of Fertility Regulating Methods in Cross Cultural Perspective"; Sugiyama Tataka, Population Division, United Nations, "Population Policies and Age at Marriage"; Shimon Camiel, Kibbutz Neot Mordecai, Israel, "Effects of International Tensions on Family Life"; Margrit Eichler, Ontario Institute of Studies in Education, "The Double Standard." Discussants include, Elena Haavio-Mannila, Editor, International Department, Journal of Marriage and the Family; Rose Somerville, San Diego State University, and Henry Korson, University of Massachusetts. Papers will be presented by: Sara Taubin, Drexel University, "The Middle Years on an Israeli Kibbutz"; and Aida Tomeh, "Birth Order and Alienation Among College Women in Lebanon."

STUDENTS AT THE ANNUAL MEETING:

Students have been allocated a two hour block of time on Friday afternoon, October 22, for a workshop to discuss their in-process research projects. If you are presently writing a committee-approved thesis and wish to discuss research methodology and process in a workshop format, send an extensive discussion and summary of your project to Carol Mclester Hobson, Student Representative to the NCFR Executive Committee, Route 1, Box 91, East Bend, North Carolina 27018.

If you want to present a paper, be a discussant, or lead a Round Table, write the appropriate Section chairperson. Do not write to Carol Hobson!

ROUND TABLES:

There is still space for a few more Round Table leaders. If you are interested, contact, Joyce Sullivan, Chairperson, Home Economics and Family Ecology Department, University of Akron, Akron, Ohio 44325. The following Round Table sessions have been confirmed: Barbara Armstrong, University of Akron, "Intimate Interaction: Designing Meaning Networks"; Miriam E. Berger, therapist, Jamaica, New York, "The Challenge of the Family Counselor to Help Chauvinist Husbands and Fathers Accept the Liberation of Their Wives and Daughters"; Kenneth and Janet Briggs, Psychiatry and Neurology, Idaho, "Modern Marriage Needs a Bigger Dream"; Margaret J. Bubolz, Michigan State University, "Concepts of Masculinity and Femininity with the Use of Paintings of Females"; Don J. Christenson, Auburn University, Alabama, "Punctuation and Power in Families"; Barbara Jo Chesser, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Demographic Variables and Personality Traits Differentiating High and Low Risk Marriage Partners"; Laurie Davidson Cummings, Douglass College, Rutgers University, "Counter Movements Within the Women's Movement"; J. Kenneth Davidson, Indiana University, South Bend, "Freud, Sexuality, and the Liberated Female"; Wallace Denton, Purdue University, "Middle Age as a Grief Process"; Barbara Finn, Mehlville School District, St. Louis, "Parent and Child Enrichment - An Educational Program for the Family"; Daniel Fisher, St. Lawrence University, "Engaged Couples' Reactions to a Marriage Contract"; Josef Garai and Selma Garai, Pratt Institute, "Challenges and Problems of the Two Career Family"; Josef Garai and Selma Garai, Pratt Institute, "The Family as the Training

Ground for Individual Creativity"; Virginia Frei Grundstrom, Northern Michigan University, "Masculine/Feminine Role-Related Attitudes of University Students in the United States and France"; Mary Hicks, Florida State University, "Love and Sex Roles"; P. K. Houdek, Counselor, Kansas City, "Mothers - the Makers of M-E-N"; Anne Jordheim, Counselor and Consultant, Brooklyn, New York, "Sex Roles and Urban Health"; Bert L. Kaplan, Adelphi University, "Promiscuity, Sex Roles, and Family Commitment"; Lawrence Kersten, Eastern Michigan University, "Male and Female Capacities to Love"; David Knox, East Carolina University, "Deciding to Have an Only Child"; Leslie Lieberman, Central Michigan University, "Television Programs about the Family: Problems of Access and Use"; Harriett Light, Michigan State University, "Highly Competent Girls and Delinquent Girls: A Comparative Study of Value-Needs, Self-Concept, and Sex Role Orientations"; Marilyn Mason, University of Minnesota, "Teaching Human Sexual Communication in the Classroom"; Hamilton I. McCubbin, Department of the Navy, San Diego, "The Changing Role of Women and Its Impact Upon the Military System"; Darrell McDonald, University of Akron, "Cultural Support Systems for Quality Fathering"; Joyce Mercier, Iowa State University, "Changing Sex Roles at Retirement"; Gail Melson, Purdue University, "The Home as a Sex-typed Environment"; Sharon Y. Nickols, Oklahoma State University, "What's a Housewife Worth? Woman's Economic Role in the Home"; Charles Petranek, Indiana State University, "Learning Sex Roles Through Simulation Games"; Mary Rainey, Michigan State University, "Enhancing the Role of Women and Families in Social and Economic Development"; E. M. Rallings, University of North Carolina-Greensboro, "Local Family Life Councils - Organizational Matters"; Fred Stultz and Gloria Stultz, University of Iowa, "Developing Support for Married Student Families"; Joyce Space, Rochester, New York, "Family Life Education with the Complete Family: A Six-Year Review of the Family Cluster Model"; Douglas H. Sprenkle, Purdue University, "Exceptional Children: Parent-Family-School Involvement Workshops"; Sara Taubin, Drexel University, "Sex Role Education and Sex Education for Talented and Gifted Young People and for Their Parents"; Mary Jane S. Van Meter, Wayne State University, "Married Women College Students: Implications for Socialization and Education"; Herman Williams, Union College, "Designing and Delivering Family Education Through Existing Organizations"; Elinor Wolff, Kailua, Hawaii, "Family of the Future"; Lois L. Farone, Phoenix College, "NCFR Affiliated Councils".

NCFR AFFILIATED COUNCILS PROGRAM:

All persons interested in the NCFR Affiliated Councils will want to attend the special programs announced by Dianne Kieren, University of Alberta, Program Chairperson, for Thursday, October 21, from 10:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Here's the breakdown:

10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. - Model Business Meeting, with Ed and Mary Ette Branch, Family Life Educators and Hyphen Consultants, Edmonton, Canada in charge of member introduction and warm up.

11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon - Meetings of Regional Groups in Regional Representatives Rooms; special topics will be selected for discussion.

12:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m. - Luncheon and Program on "Coping with Dual Careers," led by Dianne Kieren.

OPENING NIGHT RECEPTION:

Following the opening plenary address Wednesday evening, NCFR will have the tremendous opportunity of taking part in the New York Experience. "Discover New York with its discoverers! Join in the dedication of the Statue of Liberty! Cheer at the festivals, pageants and parades! Walk down Broadway in the 'good old days' and tingle with its vitality today!"

"Experience the fog as it rolls in over the East River...and YOU! Watch the lightning sizzle overhead and crash into the Empire State Building? FEEL the vibrant pulse of Manhattan going right through you!

"The New York Experience is an unusual kind of entertainment. There's no better way to get to know New York."

All of this is sponsored for NCFR members by the J. C. Penney Company, and will be held in the McGraw Hill Building. The hours will be from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight, with two showings of the film, one at 8:30 p.m. and one at 10:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served in the Little Old New York area.

ON DINING OUT IN NEW YORK:

Dining out in New York City presents a serious problem in decision making. Let me explain. If you plan to be in New York in October for one week, you will normally require twenty-one meals, and seven to ten snack meals, and several visits to hard and soft drink bars. Now, how will you decide from the infinite variety where to eat? How adventuresome will you be? How many of the decisions you are programmed to make in one year will you leave for the annual meeting in New York? I urge you to leave a good number.

For examples:

Would you enjoy blowing a sizeable bankroll in one evening, but tasting the "good life" of the jet set and upper uppers? Try the restaurant where dinner is prix-fixe at \$50.00 per person, and that does not include gratuities or the wine you need to numb your senses to the price of dinner. (Is it worth it? I wouldn't know.)

Or, armed with a transit map, go forth to Chinatown or Little Italy, or to the middle east section in Brooklyn and stuff yourself on the unusual for a tenth of the price of the elegant restaurant. Try a dim sum lunch, and pay by the plates that accumulate on the table.

Observe dietary laws? There's a wide selection of great restaurants, one right in The Roosevelt.

Join the New Yorkers eating lunch sitting in the building plazas. Maybe its the souvalaki, dripping happily on your hands, or the falafel, or the teriyaki on its skewer.

Or, go to the fish market and then eat in a local fish restaurant - not always an economy meal, but a memorable one.

Splurge on lunch, then for dinner, fill up on the "free lunch" at any one of a long list of bars.

What you spend for food in New York is up to you. Your registration folder will have what may seem like a long list of restaurants, but will be just a small sampling. Experiment, try new foods, make each meal an experience of the New York experience.

But please, please - don't ask for the nearest MacDonald's.

See the March Newsletter for Other Special Events.

See you in the Big Apple!

Norma Newmark
Herbert Lehman College
Local Arrangements Chairperson

POST-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS:

FAMILY ART PSYCHOTHERAPY AS A TOOL FOR FAMILY ROLE FLEXIBILITY, with Josef E. Garai and Selma H. Garai, Pratt Institute. Limited to 30. For information write Josef E. Garai, Ph.D., A.T.R., Director of Art Therapy, Professor of Psychology, 125 Higgins Hall, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, New York 11205.

INTEGRATING COMMUNICATION SKILLS INTO FUNCTIONAL MARRIAGE AND FAMILY COURSES, with James Maddock and Sherod Miller, University of Minnesota.

This workshop is designed to equip teachers with a classroom model for teaching interpersonal communication skills for enriching significant relationships to students in functional Marriage and Family courses. The material presented may be used as a supplementary unit or an entire course.

The workshop will be based on the Minnesota Couples Communication Program (MCCP), which has been adapted for use in the classroom. The workshop will be divided into two sections, depending upon participants' previous exposure to MCCP. Those already familiar with MCCP's basic concepts and methodologies will focus on additional cognitive frameworks and classroom exercises which interlock communication skills with underlying relationship dynamics. Those new to MCCP will be introduced to the program's basic ideas and their application in classroom materials upon which to base a teaching program.

Date/Time: 1:30 P.M., Saturday, October 23 to Noon, Sunday, October 24.

Tuition: \$40.00 (\$25.00 fee, \$15.00 materials).

Enrollment limited. For reservations write: *Interpersonal Communication Programs, Inc., 2001 Riverside Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55454* [Telephone: 612-338-4276].

REGISTRATION:

Registration materials will be included with the next issue of the NCFR Newsletter which will be mailed in late July.

IN MEMORIAM

Dorothy T. Dyer, president of the NCFR in 1954, died April 26, 1976. In her memory we quote from her presidential address:

"The potential among family members, leaders and specially trained persons devoting their lives to some special phase of family life development and improvement is also an unknown dynamic power (she had made previous reference to the strength and power of the atomic bomb) and may be quite frightening for the stability of the family unless those with special insights, experience, training and 'know how' learn to work together as team members with a common goal bigger than any one specialty, approach, organization, or individual in the organization....The very interprofessional nature of the National Council on Family Relations offers the opportunity for cooperative creative work. It is my hope that we may grasp this opportunity more firmly, communicate more clearly and combine our efforts more effectively so that the tremendous power and potential as yet untried may be used increasingly for helping families all over the world discover for their lives values, meanings, and the dynamics of successful and rewarding life."

STUDENT NEWS AND VIEWS

The student forum at Groves Conference in Kansas City was a success. I hope to see you students in October in the student sessions at the NCFR meetings in New York. If you want to get involved in the meetings as discussants, leaders of round tables, or as presenters of papers, please write the appropriate Section chairpersons.

A student symposium on research design and methodology in the area of Family and Sex Roles is planned for Friday, October 22. If you have a committee approved dissertation or thesis which will be in the final stages of completion in October, and are interested in presenting it in a workshop format,

please send an extensive summary to Carol McLester Hobson, Route 1, Box 91, East Bend, North Carolina 27018.

From the many questions asked by students about their roles in NCFR, it has become apparent that a compact explanation of those roles is needed to hand to students for purposes of clarification and for publicity. A pamphlet is currently being developed for that purpose.

Have you ordered your copy of Student Perspectives, a Resource Guide to Graduate Programs in Family Studies, edited by Charles Figley, Purdue University and Barbara Francis, Cornell University? It's available from the NCFR for \$4.00.

Please write to Laura S. Smart, Box U-117, University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut 06268 if you have news and views that you would like to share. Have a good summer.

TASK FORCE ON THE IMPACT OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY ON THE FAMILY

Douglas Sprenkle, chairperson of this Task Force, urges all persons interested in the work of this group to write him. One of the first functions of the Task Force will be the development of a consortium of those persons around the country who are interested in this area and the cataloguing of projects and research efforts extant. Write Dr. Sprenkle at Purdue University, Department of Child Development and Family Life, West Lafayette, Indiana 47907.

TASK FORCE ON AGING

"ELDERLY POWER: IT'S TOO GOOD TO WASTE!" This was the message Dr. Margaret Mead brought to the Northern Shenandoah Valley when she came to Winchester, Virginia, recently to lead a day of advocacy for the aging. It is, also, the word we are getting from senior citizens themselves, now organizing as an active, new minority with a rising sense of its own identity and importance.

The fact that our Task Force on Aging was formed almost two years ago shows that NCFR interest in aging is not new. Some recent developments in our work are news, however, and these include three we would like to share with all NCFR members now:

(1) Policy changes affecting programs in the field of aging of special interest to the social sciences. Most of these are welcome because they represent a shift from conceptualizing the aging as frail dependents, dissociated from the rest of humanity. An enormous number of changes in our society over time have obscured the fact that aging is, in a very real sense, becoming - a life-long process beginning and ending in the family setting. We welcome every opportunity we have to reaffirm our belief in the soundness of this way of looking at the aging process, and are doing everything we can to help interpret policies that implement it.

(2) Increasing numbers of courses, seminars, workshops, institutes, etc. dealing with aspects of aging in relation to individual and family development. It has been said that gerontology in the 21st Century will be "an exercise in futurology." We hope that many of you will consider the possibility of finding eye-openers, or even a crystal ball in one of these summer offerings.

(3) Task Force participation in the New York NCFR meeting. Incidentally, the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society is to be held in New York preceding our own. The contributions we hope to make to the program in New York are still being finalized. We are offering (a) a pre-conference, all day workshop on aging and family life education, October 19th. This will be a day of digging into basic problems; no formal

papers, although brief reports of relevant research will be welcome. Registration will be limited, so write the Workshop Director, *Dr. Catherine Rockwood, 208 Fairmont Drive, DeKalb, Illinois 60115*, if you wish to participate, and do it soon. There may be a small fee to cover lunch and materials. Hours approximately 9 to 4, in a room reserved for us in the hotel. We are also offering: (b) A special session on the afternoon of Wednesday, October 20th - a frank dialog between elderly New Yorkers and representatives of the agencies and organizations that serve them. (c) The possibility of an informal fun evening with older performing artists who have different ethnic backgrounds. (d) Papers in Sections dealing with such concerns as new work-leisure life styles for all of us as we age, changing roles in intergenerational relationships, etc. Exact titles, times, and places will be announced in advance.

And now for a really big piece of news: The Task Force on Aging is presenting a Special Issue on Aging and the Family in *The Family Coordinator* in early 1978. As plans for this develop, we will keep you in touch.

Muriel Brown, RFD 1, Box 268, Stephens City, Virginia 22655, Chairperson of the Task Force on Aging

TASK FORCE ON THE MIDDLE YEARS

For those of you who haven't seen other notices about the new Task Force on the Middle Years, we are extending an invitation to join our group in developing this exciting topic. We also wish to call to your attention the opportunity to present a paper or panel on the middle years at the NCFR Annual Meeting in New York City, October 20-23. All papers should be sent immediately to me so that I can put them in the hands of *Helen Hartness*, Family Action Chairperson, as soon as possible. We look forward to all new members with a commitment to the middle years.

Dean Hoffman, 1020 McDonald Drive, Reno, Nevada 89503, Chairperson, Task Force on the Middle Years

FAMILY LIFE MOVEMENT OF AUSTRALIA

John Robson, Director of the Family Life Movement of Australia writes that they are celebrating their Golden Jubilee this year. The Movement is sponsoring *Carlfred Broderick's* visit to Australia in late August and September as their special guest during the Jubilee.

CARREFOURS QUEBECQUOIS DES TRAVAILLEURS DE LA FAMILLE

John Moge represented the NCFR at the Foundation meeting of this new Canadian organization in Three Rivers, Quebec, April 30 and May 1. He writes:

"Discussions to found an association in Canada with similar functions to those of the NCFR began about five or six years ago. The present meeting was one culmination of those discussions. About 200 were present and the proceedings were lively and constructive. The preparation and organization of the event were both excellent and thorough, so that all present had a rewarding professional experience as well as attending at the birth of a new organization.

The organization will be called *Carrefours Quebecquois des travailleurs de la famille*. The general meeting chose this name, in my opinion, to demonstrate the desire of the members to be very French and very informal. 'Carrefours' as I translate it means a Cross-Roads group for talk where any one may drop in.

The members were social service professionals from many government services, and volunteer workers from parish and neighborhood organizations, together with teachers in social work and administrators concerned with organizations providing

these programs. About 10% to 15% were English speaking, and for them a simultaneous translation service was provided. Seven different topics were discussed in small group sessions: Family Organizations; Family Research; Family Life Education; Family Therapy; Organizations for Family Workers; Relations with the Ministry of Social Affairs; Relations with the School Systems.

Some fifteen persons were elected to an Administrative Council for a period of two years. This Council will in turn elect an Executive Committee consisting of the following offices: President; Vice President; Secretary; Treasurer; and two other members. These will be voted into office at the next general assembly of members, since the power of the organization is vested in the membership. Organizations cannot be members.

No such conference can be such a success without devoted work by many individuals. The initial conception of a Canadian association on family relations began with *Gilles Lacroix, Director general, C.S.S.C.Q., Three Rivers and Lyle Larson, University of Alberta*. The Carrefours Quebecquois was set in motion by *Roland Gosselin, Ministry of Social Affairs, Ottawa*, assisted by: *Vivien Shane; Ruth Marchand; Jean-Marie Labreque; Denise Laporte-Dubuc; Helen Constantine; Bernard Fortin; Jules-Henri Gourgues; Jacques Lizée; Lucie Menard; Yvan Richard*.

Your delegate reports that he was present at the first meeting of a potentially vigorous and friendly associate for NCFR - Carrefours Quebecquois des Travailleries de la Famille."

NCFR AFFILIATED COUNCILS

FAMILY LIFE COUNCIL OF GREATER TUCSON, ARIZONA: New president is *Ann Roberts, 2335 East Seneca, Tucson, Arizona 85719*. Services of this Council include a Speakers' Bureau, and a newsletter which gives an excellent picture of the many events and facilities in the community. A Marriage and Family Workshop was held in April, giving professionals and the public the opportunity to gain fresh information and new insights into marriage and family counseling through a variety of presentations and demonstrations.

FAMILY POWER OF MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA: The program for the Annual Meeting, May 11, included a determination of goals and objectives for the year ahead. President is *Hila J. Swiger, VWCA, PO Box 20394, Phoenix, Arizona 85036*.

HAWAII COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: The HCFR continues to hold a general meeting every two months. *John Bond* addressed the group in April on Fa Samoa or "The Samoan Way." President of the Council is *James Allen, Department of Human Development, University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822*.

IDAHO COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: New officers for the Idaho Council include: President, *Vi Rexford, Courthouse, Emmett, Idaho 83617*; Counselor, *Spencer Wheatley*; 1st Vice-President, *Elinor Jacobson*; 2nd Vice-President, *Robert Horton*; Secretary, *Pat Johnson*; Treasurer, *Mary Lee Wood*; Northern Director, *Corinne Rowe*; Southwestern Director, *Carol Harvey*; Southeastern Director, *Herbert Linghen*; Director-at-Large, *Mike McKenna*. The Idaho Council has applied for a grant from the NCFR President's Fund, with the objective of increasing membership in 1977 by at least 100, and increasing participation in the 1976-1977 Annual Meetings.

ILLINOIS COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: The Illinois Council elected the following slate of officers for 1976-77 at its recent annual meeting: President, *Richard O'Neill, Executive Director, Oak Lawn Family Service, 9526 South Cook*

Avenue, Oak Lawn, Illinois 60453; President-elect, *Robert Keim*; Vice President, *Karen Morton*; Treasurer, *Jean Bernhardt*; and Secretary, *Lucille Stiles*.

MINNESOTA COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: The MCFR in conjunction with the Minnesota Home Economics Association held a very successful workshop on "The Family and Communication" in April. Almost 400 registrants attended the sessions. In May the MCFR and the Upper Midwest Association of Marriage and Family Counselors are jointly offering a workshop on "The Changing Woman," with *Catherine Chilman, University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee*, as keynote speaker. In addition to discussion groups, a panel of men will interact on how changes affect them. *Richard Hey, Department of Family Social Science, 218 North Hall, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, Minnesota 55108*, is council President.

MISSOURI COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: The Missouri Council met in March in cooperation with the Central Midwest Association of Marriage and Family Counselors and the University of Missouri-Kansas City Family Study Center. Topics discussed included Women's Employment and Family Structure Process, When is a Marriage Beyond Repair? The Family System as the Matrix for Identity, Contributions of the Family Expert to Social Policy and Legislative Change, and Marriage and Family Problems: Prevention, Acceptance, Solution? *P. K. Houdek, 222 West Gregory Boulevard, Suite 231, Kansas City, Missouri 64114* was elected president.

NEBRASKA COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: The NeCFR maintains a library of EDU-tapes, which it rents at \$1.00 each plus postage. They have several of the NCFR Annual Meeting tapes. A new cassette the Council has available is *Three Faces of Eve: A Multi-faceted Profile of Women Administrators*. This was the plenary address at a 1975 working conference for Women in Continuing Education.

The NeC Newsletter carries a High School Teacher Exchange column, prepared by a high school teacher--an excellent feature! Council president is *Barbara Boettcher, Program Development Specialist, Women's Studies, 156 NCCE, University of Nebraska at Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska 68583*.

FAMILY LIFE COUNCIL OF GREATER GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA: The theme for the Annual Meeting in April was "The Ways Adults learn: An Experiential Approach," with *Malcolm Knowles, North Carolina State University at Raleigh*, often described as "the father of adult education." The Council has received a grant from the Sigmund Stornberger Foundation for cooperatively producing with WGHP-TV for one-hour television programs on couple communication skills. Among the Council's many program offerings is one on widowhood. Executive Director of the Council is *Kate Garner, 1301 North Elm Street, Greensboro, North Carolina 27401*. *Margaret Alexander, P.O. Box 3508, Greensboro, North Carolina 27402*, is the new Council President.

OREGON COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: The OCFR held its Annual Meeting in April. *John A. Bruce, Director, E. C. Brown Foundation*, addressed the Council on "A Revised View of the Future of the Family." Luncheon speakers were *Vi Rexford, NCFR's Region X Representative*, and *Mary Lee Wood, NCFR Board Member*. Thirty Films for the Seventies were presented, including *E. C. Brown's New Human Growth*, and the feature length Emmy Award winning film, *Tell Me Where It Hurts*. The conference was also sponsored by the Portland Community College and *E. C. Brown Foundation*. President of the Oregon Council is *Leonard Seyfarth, 3914 North Longview Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97227*.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: The theme for the spring conference was "The Family and Community: Action-Interaction." *William S. Campbell's* keynote address was on Technologies for

Families: 1976. Section meetings stressed Education for Family Life, Help for Troubled Families, and Interaction--Present and Future. President of this Council is Gordon Geddes, E102 Rockwell Hall, Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, Colorado 80523.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-STOUT COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS: This student Council has a new president, Nancy Thompson, 315 Tainter Hall, University of Wisconsin-Stout, Menomonie, Wisconsin 54751. The Council recently sponsored a week of events which had as its theme, "Family on the Horizon." Jerry Bach was guest speaker. Many experiences were scheduled, including a trip to the American Lutheran Home for Senior Citizens. A proclamation was prepared and distributed by the students, emphasizing the importance of the family.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY: Assistant Professor: teach functional course in family life and parenting at graduate and undergraduate levels; interest in one of the following at graduate level: family life, marital interaction, human sexuality. Doctorate required. Demonstrated teaching ability necessary. Salary negotiable. Position available August 1976. Apply: Dr. Marjorie Stith, Department of Family and Child Development, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas 66506. KSU is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY: Interpersonal processes and applied programs: one-year position available in multidisciplinary applied, family emphasis program. Teach upper level course in Parent Education, graduate course in interpersonal and group skills, supervise practicum. Salary negotiable. Position available August 1976. Apply: Dr. Marjorie Stith, Department of Family and Child Development, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas 66506. KSU is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY COUNSELING SERVICE, ROCK ISLAND, ILLINOIS has an opening for a Resident in Marriage Counseling and Family Therapy, beginning September 1, 1976. The residency is for eleven months and includes a stipend. Minimum requirements: an appropriate graduate degree, 500 clinical hours, 100 hours of supervision. For information and admission procedures contact: William J. Hiebert, Director of Training, 512 Safety Building, Rock Island, Illinois 61201.

PURDUE UNIVERSITY: Assistant Professor, Department of Child Development and Family Life. Available, August 1976. Academic year appointment. Duties include teaching graduate courses in marriage and family counseling, and supervising programs and research of graduate students majoring in marriage and family counseling. Needs strong research background and interests to develop own individual research in the field. Must have doctorate in marriage and family counseling, family studies, or closely related field. Also needs research interest in the middle aged. Salary open. Clinical membership in American Association of Marriage and Family Counselors expected. Contact: Dr. Wallace Denton, CDFL Building, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana 47907.

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY: Faculty Position in Marriage and Family Relations. Doctorate Preferred. Experience in teaching. Lecturer. Salary commensurate with degree and experience. Closing date 6-15-76. Forward letter of application, detailed vita, transcripts, placement papers and/or three letters of recommendation to: Dr. David Fulcomer, Family Studies/Consumer Sciences, San Diego State University, 5300 Campanile Drive, San Diego, California 92182. Phone: 714-286-5380. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Title IX Employer.

POSITIONS WANTED

Persons replying to the listing should address Box Number, in care of NCFR. The letter will be forwarded unopened to the person who placed the listing.

Box 307. Man seeks direct services, supervision, teaching opportunity. Sociology major: M.A., B.D.; Radio, TV education experience; member A.C.P.E. and A.C.M.E.; Fellow, College of Chaplains, certified, A.P.H.A.; Psychology and Counseling; S.T.M.; also S.M.F. Counselor; Experienced in Personal and Group Counseling; Family Consultant in Mental Health; Clinically trained in geriatrics; Anticipated publication of thesis.

Prefers religious agency or institution in Midwest. Available July 1976.

DO YOU WANT A NEW POSITION OR STAFF?

Pre-register for the NCFR Placement Service, which will be open Wednesday through Friday during the Annual Meeting. Write the NCFR office for the forms to use in listing positions available or positions desired.

CLASSIC FILM REVISED

The E. C. Brown Foundation of Portland, Oregon is very pleased to announce the production of the entirely new and revised Third Edition of its film, "Human Growth." First released in 1948 and revised in 1962, "Human Growth" was the nation's first sex education film for classroom and community use; it has won numerous awards, and is generally acknowledged to be the most widely-used of all instructional films. The 1976 edition is completely revised, with much additional material and a fast-paced visual format. It also includes material on the feelings and attitudes of young people. Its target population is late grade school and junior high viewers, but it will prove helpful to older teen-age viewers, parents, teachers, health professionals, and community groups as well.

A copy will be available for viewing at the October meeting of the NCFR in New York City. Orders for the film, or requests for preview prints should be directed to the Foundation's film distributor: Perennial Education, Inc., 1825 Willow Road, Northfield, Illinois 60093 (Telephone: 312-446-4153). Other questions and comments may be sent to the Director of the Foundation, John A. Bruce, E. C. Brown Foundation, 710 South-West Second Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97204.

The Foundation is also currently producing a new film on venereal disease. It will be made in the Foundation's tradition of both candor and gentleness, and it will be unique in two special ways: it will address itself chiefly, although not exclusively, to younger viewers (grades 6-9), and it will also touch on issues of general values, responsibility, and decision-making. Filmed comments by young people themselves will make the film useful to older teenagers and helping professionals as well.

SPONSOR WANTED

A woman from Nigeria is eager to be a NCFR member. She is a teacher by profession and is greatly interested in family life education, counseling and guidance. If someone could volunteer to pay her dues, it would be greatly appreciated. Please send \$16.75 (half the regular rate plus foreign postage) to the NCFR Office, designated for Nigeria.

THE YONINA TALMON PRIZE

The fifth Yonina Talmon Prize will be given in 1977 for an article on the family and kinship system (including certain aspects of gerontology). This prize carries an award of \$350.

Unpublished work and that under consideration for publication may be submitted. Manuscripts must be in either English, French, or Hebrew and be appropriate for publication in a social science journal. Published work is not acceptable. Persons may apply up to ten years after receiving their doctorates.

Candidates should submit six copies of their manuscript and six copies of their curriculum vitae as follows:

Hebrew Manuscripts: c/o The Yonina Talmon Prize, Chairman, Department of Sociology, The Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel.

French and English Manuscripts: Mrs. Charlotte Green Schwartz, 164 Gardner Road, Brookline, Massachusetts 02146.

Deadline for the receipt of manuscripts is November 1, 1976. For further details write to the Secretary of the Department of Sociology at the Hebrew University or Mrs. C. G. Schwartz.

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WORKSHOPS, TRAINING PROGRAMS, CONFERENCES AND OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

ARIZONA:

THE ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY is sponsoring a conference June 24-27, the theme of which is "The Black Woman and the Bicentennial Conference." The contributions Black Women have made and are making to America will be recognized. Write: The Black Woman and the Bicentennial Conference, University Extension, Academic Services Building 110, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona 85281.

CALIFORNIA:

THE C.C.E.W. - WOMEN'S CENTER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY CAMPUS will present a two-day program, May 20-21, emphasizing the importance of new research being done by women on the subject of women. Several papers will be heard which are representative of the dynamic growth of feminist research and of the many different disciplines through which the subject of women may be approached. Contact: Conference, C.C.E.W. - Women's Center, T-9 Building, University of California, Berkeley, California 94720.

A summer program of courses will be offered by the UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO, CONTINUING EDUCATION IN NURSING. This is being done through regional organization in the Nursing Programs of institutions of higher education in cooperation with health care agencies, so that opportunities in continuing education will be easily available to all nurses in the northern area of California, as legally required for licensure. Write: Regents, University of California, Registration, Room C-135G, Continuing Education in Nursing, University of California, San Francisco, California 94143.

THE CALIFORNIA FAMILY STUDY CENTER will sponsor a training workshop for professionals. Neo-Reichian Emotional Awareness Training I will be studied. This training workshop is designed to teach the professional fundamental skills and concepts of Neo-Reichian emotional awareness work. The techniques taught are largely non-verbal, derived from the work of Reich, Kelley, and Lowen. Group leaders are David Howard, Roger Andes, and T. David Jansen. Two sessions are scheduled: June 27-July 2 and August 8-13. Contact: California Family Study Center, 4400 Riverside, Burbank, California 91505.

A West Coast Convention has been planned by the NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR NON-PARENTS of Baltimore, Maryland, and will be held in Los Angeles, May 21-23. This meeting will mark the presentation

of a new N.O.N. Parenthood Guide. Featured speakers are: Edward Pohlman, Elizabeth Canfield, Gene Vadies, Dave Shoup, Ken Gorham, Larry Barnett, and Allan Lewis. Contact: Joan Fling, Convention Coordinator, 1005 South Grand Avenue, Apartment #208, San Pedro, California 90731.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF FAMILY RELATIONS 29th Annual "Techniques of Marriage and Family Counseling" workshop will be held August 2-7, with Carlfred Broderick, president of the National Council on Family Relations, conducting a session on the new sex therapy. Registrants can earn 3 graduate credits in psychology. Write: Mrs. Rose Blake, Registrar, American Institute of Family Relations, 5287 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90027.

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS is offering over 200 courses each quarter. Courses include "Actualization: The Person and the Patient," "Annual Summer Conference for Interpersonal Understanding," "Close Yet Free: An Exploration of Alternative Lifestyles," "Madness in Human Relationships," "Managing Anxiety," "Relationships: Alternative to the Traditional" and "Alternatives in Counseling Teenagers." Write: Garrett B. Jones, News Service Department, University Extension, University of California, Davis, California 95616.

THE WESTERN REGION OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE SCIENTIFIC STUDY OF SEX will hold its Annual Meeting June 11-13 in San Diego. Helen Singer Kaplan, John Money, Lester Kirkendall and many others will be featured. There will be a world premiere of professional sex films. Write the SSSS at 18740 Ventura Boulevard, Suite 302, Tarzana, California 91356.

COLORADO:

Two workshops in premarital counseling are offered by the BRENTWOOD BAPTIST CENTER OF DENVER, COLORADO. The first is a course for couples planning to be married or who have been married no more than one year. The other is a "how-to" training workshop for ministers, marriage counselors, and teachers and workers with high school and college age young people. Both workshops include the following areas of study: "Constructive Communication," "Personality," "Roles and Goals," "Anticipating Conflicts," "Creative Intimacy," and "Sex and Sexuality." Contact: Brentwood Baptist Center, 2290 South Federal Boulevard, Denver, Colorado 80209.

THE ASPEN CENTER FOR HUMAN GROWTH offers several one week workshops June 20 through September 3. Titles include: "On Being Up-Right: A Celebration!"; "Profound Simplicity"; "Basic Training in Gestalt"; "The Original Self"; "Enhancing Self-Esteem"; "Ways of Being." Write the Center at PO Box 361, Aspen, Colorado 81611.

ILLINOIS:

THE ILLINOIS GROUP PSYCHOTHERAPY SOCIETY announces its 14th Annual Conference and the 4th Midwest Group Process Conference for December 10-12. The Program Committee requests programs covering the entire range of group activities, including education, organization development, growth groups, therapy groups, and hospital programs, and encourages persons from all related fields to participate. The Society also encourages the submission of papers on research, clinical theory, and practice, of programs of panelists discussing professional issues of general interest as well as workshops for demonstration or participation. Contact Ariadne P. Beck, Program Chairman, IGPS, 6357 Blackhawk Trail, Indian Head Park, Illinois 60525.

THE FAMILY AND GROUP EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE is offering four workshops in Family Therapy in Chicago, June 9-11, July 9-11, August 11-13, and September 10-12. The workshops are entitled, "Family Therapy Workshop: Initial Stage." A Workshop entitled "A Look at the Other

Side" will be held June 14 through August 9, and June 15 through August 10. Write Steven Jay Gross, Ph.D., Program Director, The Family and Group Educational Institute, PO Box 3179, University Station, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

A Summer Training Institute will be offered by the ILLINOIS GROUP PSYCHOTHERAPY SOCIETY and will include a workshop on Behavior Modification in Groups. The course will introduce students to the principles of behavior modification as applied to the group treatment of such problems as compulsive eating and drinking, drug addiction, phobic behavior, sexual problems, and lack of assertiveness. Instructor is Richard Bootzin. Write: Nancy Orlinsky, I.G.P.S. Training Institute, 5509 South Kimbark, Chicago, Illinois 60637.

The third annual ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY Adult Summer Seminar will focus on the problems of "Aging, Dying, and Death; Regaining the Lost Seasons of Life," through films, lectures, panel discussions, simulation games and participant workshops, July 18-24. Write Jerry Israel, Seminar Coordinator, Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, Illinois 61701.

The National Group Leaders Conference sponsored by the OASIS CENTER FOR HUMAN POTENTIAL will be held May 19-21 at the Conrad Hilton in Chicago. Join with other group leaders to discuss and to deal with issues relevant to the group leadership profession. Session leaders are: Yetta Bernhard, Jacqueline Larcombe Doyle, Harold Greenwald, George Leonard, Elizabeth E. Mintz, Will Schutz, and Martin Shepard. Write: Oasis Center for Human Potential, 12 East Grand Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

THE GESTALT INSTITUTE COMMUNITY COUNSELING AND EDUCATION SERVICE OF CHICAGO provides Gestalt-oriented counseling for individuals, families, or groups. Titles of some of their offerings include: A Gestalt Wilderness Encounter; To Sleep, Perchance to Dream; Gestalt and Human Sexuality; Gestalt Communal Adventure; My Parents are Growing Older; Man to Man; Open Gestalt. Write them at 609 Davis Street, Evanston, Illinois 60201.

INDIANA:

"Recent Emphasis in Marriage and the Family: Putting Value into Child and Family Education," is a workshop to be held at PURDUE UNIVERSITY, June 7-18. Three hours of graduate credit for professionals and preprofessionals in the fields of family life education, parent education, and early childhood education. Professors are Richard and Florence Kerckhoff. Write: Department of Child Development and Family Life, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana 47907.

LOUISIANA:

THE AMERICAN SCHOOL HEALTH ASSOCIATION will hold its 50th Anniversary Convention in New Orleans, October 7-10. Contact: Stephen J. Jerrick, Executive Director, ASHA National Office Building, Kent, Ohio 44240.

MASSACHUSETTS:

The Twenty-Second Annual Assembly of the NORTH CONWAY INSTITUTE will focus on "Stress: The Family in Crisis--Changing Roles and Problem Drinking." Assembly speakers are: Ernest A. Shepherd, Ernest P. Noble, Cynthia C. Wedel, Samuel Silverman, and Bruce H. Johnson. Contact: Helen Packard, North Conway Institute, 8 Newbury Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02116.

THE GESTALT INSTITUTE OF NEW ENGLAND in cooperation with ASSOCIATES FOR HUMAN RESOURCES offers a Training Program, July 26-August 20. The program is designed to give practicing mental health professionals and those in the final stages of training a thorough knowledge of the gestalt approach and its application in various settings. Write the Institute at Box 727, Concord, Massachusetts 01742.

HARVARD SUMMER SCHOOL in collaboration with the HARVARD PROJECT ON HUMAN SEXUAL DEVELOPMENT will offer Education

S-P-41, Sexual Development: An Assessment of Current Knowledge, an intensive four-week course for credit. Dates are June 28-July 23. Designed particularly for counselors, child and family health professionals, educational policy planners, television producers, and students of human development. Faculty includes Elizabeth Roberts, Director; Alan J. Barnes, Lonnie Barbach, Warren Farrell, John Gagnon, Helen Singer Kaplan, David Kline, John Money, and Mallica Vajrathon. Write: Harvard Summer School, Department 41, 1350 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138.

MICHIGAN:

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN presents "Teaching of Aging in the Secondary Schools," a one-week workshop in adult and continuing education, for teachers and curriculum personnel, elementary through college level. The Unit on Aging Manual, developed by Marcia J. Cameron, University of Michigan, will be used. Dates are June 21-25. For program and registration materials, write U-M Extension Service, Office of Course Programs, 412 Maynard Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109.

THE MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK AND CONTINUING EDUCATION has two workshops available: Transactional Analysis Workshop, July 10-16, and Transactional Analysis in School Settings, August 2-13. Contact: Evelyn Nowak, School of Social Work, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan 48824.

MINNESOTA:

THE MIDWEST TRANSACTIONAL ANALYSIS INSTITUTE offers four workshops: Transactional Analysis, July 9-10; Transactional Analysis of Life Scripts, July 12-16; Better Living - TA and Growth, July 19-23; Body Scripts, July 26-30. Contact: Minnesota-Midwest Transactional Analysis Institute, Southdale Medical Center, Suite 623, 6545 France Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55435.

THE GESTALT CENTER is sponsoring a One-day Introduction to Gestalt; a One-week Training Seminar for Professionals; Humanistic Divorce: A Gestalt Workshop; and Dreamwork. Canoeing and backpacking excursions are also planned and are designed to create living communities in varied natural environments where the Gestalt approach serves as an enriching background for contact and growth. Contact: Gestalt Center, 212 West Franklin, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55404.

Virginia Satir will be featured at the HUMAN DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR, June 28-29. The theme is "Expanding our View of Family Growth and Change." Contact: Human Development Seminars, 2001 Riverside Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55454.

"Recovery and Reconstruction: The Chemically Dependent Family" is the topic for a workshop, June 28-July 2 at METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE. Virginia Satir will be the featured speaker. Contact: Metropolitan Community College, 50 Willow Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403.

MISSOURI:

THE NATIONAL COUNCIL ON THE AGING has planned a series of one-day conferences designed to meet the expressed needs of practitioners in the field of aging. The speakers will focus on two major subject areas: Understanding and coping with Title XX and Delivering Quality In-home Services. Write: National Council on the Aging, Inc., 1828 L Street Northwest, Washington, DC 20036.

NEW YORK:

Larry and Joan Constantine, CENTER FOR FAMILY CHANGE, are again offering their workshop on Family Sculpture Techniques which followed last year's NCFR annual meeting. It will be held on Saturday, October 23, from 1:00-6:30 p.m. immediately after the 1976 NCFR Annual Meeting adjourns. Family sculpture is a body of powerful techniques gaining wide

acceptance among marriage and family counselors and therapists as a method of exploring and altering complex interpersonal relationships. Through the symbolic and metaphorical use of real space, the client "sculpts" other people in position, movement, gesture, and posture into a living tableau that embodies essential features of their interlocking relationships. The workshop grounds participants in the use of the full array of spatial and action techniques comprising family sculpture.

The workshop is open to practicing therapists and counselors and to students nearing completion of preparation for practice. Using themselves as the material, participants will have the opportunity to experience and experiment with various forms and uses of family sculpture. Larry and Joan trained under David Kantor, principal developer of family sculpture.

Attendance is limited. Participants should register in advance. Tuition is \$30. Write for details or send payment in full to: *Center for Family Change, PO Box 674, West Acton, Massachusetts 01720.*

Deryck Calderwood of the HEALTH EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK UNIVERSITY will lead a group of graduate students to Kyoto, Japan, for an International Studies Program in Human Sexuality. The program will run through July and August. Write him at: *Health Education Department, 54 South Building, New York University, New York, New York 10003.*

THE INSTITUTE FOR FAMILY RESEARCH AND EDUCATION announces its 6th Annual Workshop on Sexuality. The purpose of the workshop is to increase self-awareness of feelings, attitudes, and values regarding human sexuality and to improve skills and ability to utilize available resources and knowledge of new advances in scientific information about human sexuality. Write *Alison M. Deming, Workshop Coordinator, 760 Ostrom Avenue, Syracuse, New York 13210.*

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY announces Alcohol Studies Traineeships. Five full-time traineeships for Alcohol Studies will be offered at the masters level beginning September 1, 1976. This new graduate specialization in Alcohol Studies is designed for community health educators. The program will prepare public health workers for professional leadership roles in community efforts to prevent alcohol problems. Write: *Marian V. Hamburg, Project Director, Alcohol Studies, Department of Health Education, South Building-5th Floor, New York University, New York, New York 10003.*

THE LONG ISLAND INSTITUTE FOR MENTAL HEALTH affiliated with THE LONG ISLAND CONSULTATION CENTER announces a new Training Institute in Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy. The program is based upon an educational triad which gradually progresses its students, over a three year period, from theory to the empirical integration of theory and method, to supervised practical experience in the various forms of psychotherapy that are embraced within the program. Contact: *Jack Granofsky, Director of Training, The Long Island Institute for Mental Health, Inc., 97-29 64th Road, Rego Park, New York 11374.*

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY'S INTERNATIONAL HEALTH PROGRAM is offering an 8 week course of study this summer in Jamaica, Japan, Scotland, and Sweden. The program will provide students with the opportunity to study health and family living in different settings and will help them achieve a more objective view of U.S. institutions and practices through cross-national comparisons. Faculty members participating in the program are: *Deryck Calderwood, Vivian Clarke, Marian Hamburg, Rene Jahiel, Per Stensland, Alyson Taub, and Sanford Weinstein.* Write: *Helen J. Kelly, Director, Office of Off-Campus Programs, School of Education, Health*

Nursing, and Arts Professions, New York University, 23 Press Annex, Washington Square, New York, New York 10003.

THE DEMONSTRATION CENTER OF THE VERBAL INTERACTION PROJECT announces its Seventh Annual Training Institute for implementation of the Mother-Child Home Program, June 7-10. It aims at preventing educational disadvantage by fostering verbal interaction between preschoolers and their mothers. The Institute is for representatives from organizations intending to implement the Mother-Child Home Program according to Verbal Interaction Project standards. Contact: *Barbara Hochfelder, Institute Coordinator, Demonstration Center, Verbal Interaction Project, 5 Broadway, Freeport, New York 11520.*

A three-year training program in family psychotherapy starting in the fall of 1976 will be offered to practicing psychotherapists, by the NATHAN W. ACKERMAN INSTITUTE. Open, on a selective basis, to qualified psychiatrists, psychologists, and social workers who have completed training in their own disciplines. The first year introduces the student to the clinical encounter with the family, the concepts of family dynamics and systems, the therapist's use of self, and the representative literature in the field. The second and third years offer a small group workshop format involving supervision of the student's clinical material and further development of the therapeutic self. Contact: *Nathan W. Ackerman Institute, 149 East 78th Street, New York, New York 10021.*

ELMIRA COLLEGE offers three one-week workshops at Cazenovia College, June 28 to July 16. The purpose is to study the varieties and degree of change that have occurred in conceptions of sex roles, their impact on our daily lives and possible consequences for future generations. One hour of graduate credit for each workshop successfully completed. Contact: *Roger Libby, 5 Nickerson Street, Cazenovia, New York 13035.*

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY FOR AUTISTIC CHILDREN will hold its Annual Meeting in Oak Brook, Illinois June 22-28. The conference is dedicated to *Carl Fenichel* who "learned to break through the barrier of autism, find the child inside and lead him out." Contact: *National Society for Autistic Children, 169 Tampa Avenue, Albany, New York 12208.*

THE NAVY OFFICE OF INFORMATION *For Your Information* will present a conference on the military family, "The Military Family-Alone Together: A Unique Life Style," May 19-21. Goals are to increase awareness of the vast resources available to military families. Topics include: crises intervention in military families, child abuse and the military, sexual therapy with military couples, family life centers, and alcohol and drug abuse in the military family. Contact: *FOR YOUR INFORMATION, 663 Fifth Avenue, Third Floor, New York, New York 10022.*

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY offers summer programs in the College for Human Development, May 17-June 25, and June 28-August 6, to meet the special interests and needs of graduate and undergraduate students. Areas of study include: Development of the Young Child, Human Sexuality, Effective Parenting, Peer Relationships and many others. Contact: *Division of Summer Sessions, 117 College Place, Syracuse, New York 13210.*

THE CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK offers practitioners, supervisors, administrators, and teachers in social work and human resources an opportunity for study with a highly qualified faculty during the 1976 Summer Institutes and Workshops. Contact: *Continuing Education Program, Columbia University School of Social Work, 622 West 113th Street, New York, New York 10025.*

NORTH CAROLINA:

THE YMCA BLUE RIDGE ASSEMBLY announces a Family Conference for all members of the family, designed to help families develop better levels of communication and to give families a fun experience together. Programs include Positive Parenting, Peoplemaking through Family Communication, and Family Focus. Write *YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly, PO Box 248, Black Mountain, North Carolina 28711.*

NORTH DAKOTA:

THE NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF HOME ECONOMICS is offering summer courses in Child Development and Family Relations, Home Management-Family Economics, and Home Economics Education. Because the 1976 Annual Meeting of the American Home Economics Association is being held in Minneapolis during the week of June 28, workshops have been scheduled prior to and following the AHEA meeting in order to make it convenient for students to combine attendance at both the meeting and summer school. Contact: *Office of the Dean, College of Home Economics, North Dakota State University, Fargo, North Dakota 58102.*

OHIO:

THE FAMILY AND GROUP EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE is offering three workshops in Family Therapy June 24-26, July 22-24, and August 19-21, in Columbus, Ohio. The workshops are entitled, "Family Therapy Workshop: Initial Stage." Also scheduled by the Institute is the "Use of Co-Therapy in Conjoint Couple and Conjoint Family Therapy," on September 8-9. September 10-12, the "Family Therapy Workshop: Intermediate Stage" will be offered. Write: *Steven Jay Gross, Program Director of the Institute, PO Box 3179, University Station, Columbus, Ohio 43210.*

PENNSYLVANIA:

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY COUNSELORS Annual Convention, October 29-31, 1976, Philadelphia. Sheraton Hotel. Theme: The American Family at the Bicentennial: Past, Present, Future. For information write: *AAMFC, 225 Yale Avenue, Claremont, California 91711.*

THE NINTH ANNUAL EAGLEVILLE CONFERENCE ON ALCOHOLISM AND ADDICTION will be held June 10-11. This conference will commemorate Eagleville's 10th Anniversary as an Addictions Center. The conference is an annual forum for discussion of critical issues in alcoholism and substance abuse. This year's Conference features the first comprehensive presentation of data-based results of Eagleville's two major research projects, one studying alcohol use and abuse by narcotic addicts in treatment and the other comparing treatment of alcoholics and addicts in combined and substance-separated groups. Registrants may visit Eagleville's programs and interact with staff and residents. Write: *Eagleville Hospital and Rehabilitation Center, P.O. 45, Eagleton, Pennsylvania 19408.*

SOUTH DAKOTA:

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES OF RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA, has a workshop June 1-22 which features the Minnesota Couples Communication Program. This program is designed to teach specific skills to improve communication between partners. Emphasis is on the couple rather than the individuals, based on the premise that the common experience in the course will increase understanding. Contact: *Lutheran Social Services, 1010 Soo San Drive, Rapid City, South Dakota 57701.*

TEXAS:

THE C. G. JUNG EDUCATIONAL CENTER OF HOUSTON, TEXAS announces its Ninth Annual Conference on Jungian Psychology August 9-13. The theme of the conference is "Creative Channels for Energy." *Dora Kalff*, Internationally known author and sandplay therapist from Zurich,

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Switzerland will be the guest speaker. Write: *The C. G. Jung Educational Center, 5200 Montrose Boulevard, Houston, Texas 77006.*

A SEMINAR IN TRAINING LEADERS FOR SEX EDUCATION FOR ADULTS will be held at Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, August 9-14. The purpose of the seminar is to train persons interested in leading sex education seminars for adults. Seminar leaders are: C. Wayne Banks, Perkins School of Theology; Linda McCleskey, United Methodist program in Human Sexuality for junior and senior high students and their parents; and Wayne H. McCleskey, Interface Ecumenical Counseling and Human Interaction Center of Houston, Texas. Write: C. Wayne Banks, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas 75275.

The family area of the DEPARTMENT OF CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY LIVING, TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY will offer graduate summer session programs beginning June 1 or July 12. Courses and workshops will include: Parent Education, Child Guidance, and Divorce Counseling. Contact Honor Evgan P. Whitney, Coordinator, Marriage and Family Counseling Programs, Human Development Building, Texas Woman's University, Denton, Texas 76201.

UTAH:

THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER STUDIES, Salt Lake City 84112 is offering two workshops this summer designed for teachers. Taught by Eleanore Braun Luckey and John R. Burton, these workshops offer an opportunity to obtain two or four credit hours over a two-week period of time. "Family Life Education in the Classroom," taught by Dr. Luckey, will focus on techniques that develop self-awareness and communication skills. Dr. Luckey designed the course primarily for teachers, kindergarten through 12th grade, who are concerned with strengthening family relations.

with an emphasis on individual responsibilities and interrelationships of family roles. "Consumer Education for Teachers" will be taught by Dr. Burton and emphasizes: review and evaluation of consumer education programs and materials, and the construction of new programs and materials; methods of teaching the decision making process for consumer choices; review of recent consumer laws and regulations, and how these and other consumer concepts may be taught in the classroom.

VIRGINIA:

A 15-day Bicentennial Traveling Seminar is planned by the NATIONAL ACADEMY OF PROFESSIONAL PSYCHOLOGISTS and the INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY COMMITTEE. Professional experiences include: looking at the problems of educating minority students in New York City, visiting schools in the suburbs of Boston, looking at the new School Psychology Training Program at Rutgers, observation at Devereaux and Gallaudet. During an INTERNATIONAL MINI-WORKSHOP July 11-14, seven, simultaneous two-day workshops will develop the theme: Practical Applications in School Psychology. Leaders are: Ralph Blanco, Wayne Dennis, Robert Brown, Jerry and Esther Minskoff, Lawrence Hartlage, William Parker and Avner Ziv. Contact: Wayne Engel, NAPP Director of Professional Programs and Development, Box 34-L, Madison College, Harrisonburg, Virginia 22801.

CANADA:

THE VANIER INSTITUTE OF THE FAMILY Annual Meeting will be held at the Cape Breton School of Technology, Sydney, Nova Scotia, October 1-3. Write: William A. Dyson, Executive Director, Vanier Institute of the Family, 151 Slater, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada K1P 5H3.

THE CANADIAN CONFERENCE ON SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT will be held in Toronto,

June 13-17. The conference theme, "Social Development in a Period of Economic Constraint: Who Pays? Who Wins? Who Loses? Who Cares?" will be discussed in relation to housing, personal social services, income security, social justice and health. Write: Yolande Lachapelle, Conference Coordinator, Box 3505, Station C, Ottawa K1V 4G1, Canada.

IONA COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF WINDSOR offers its 9th Annual Institute in Marriage and Family Counseling, August 20-27. This is an interdisciplinary workshop for social workers, clergy, teachers, chaplains, nurses, and others seeking greater competence in counseling and communication. Staff includes Christine and Richard Varnes, Clinton Phillips, and T. David Jansen, California Family Study Center; and Edward and Mary Ette Branch, Community Consultants in Marriage and Family Counseling and Family Life Education, Edmonton. Write: Gerald W. Paul, Iona College, 208 Sunset Avenue, Windsor, Ontario, Canada N9B 3A7.

THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF SEXOLOGY will be held in Montreal, October 28-31. Theme is International Progress in Sexology. There will be simultaneous translation. Write: Robert Gemme, Chairman of the Congress, C.P. 88, St. Bruno, Quebec, Canada J3V 4P8.

FINLAND:

The Study Days of the INTERNATIONAL UNION OF FAMILY ORGANIZATIONS will be held June 21-23 at the Dipoli International Congress Center near Helsinki. Subject is The Role of Public Authorities in the Development of the Whole of Family Policies. Write B. Lory, Secretary General, IUFO, 28, Place Saint-Georges, 75442 Paris Cerdex 09, France.

ADDITIONAL ROUND TABLE

An additional round table has been accepted: Gordon Shipman, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, "Appraising the Quality of Family Life."