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The Catholic University of America
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December 28, 29, 30, 1951

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1951

- 8:30 a.m. Mass. Shrine of the Immaculate Conception
- 9:30 a.m. Registration
- 10:00 a.m. Panel on the Workshop Method in Intergroup Education
Discussion led by Reverend Paul Hanly Furfey, *Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.*
Panelists: Ira L. Gibbons, *Howard University, Washington, D.C.*; John J. O'Connor, *Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.*; Mary Elizabeth Walsh, *Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C.*
- 11:30 a.m. Meetings of various ACSS Committees
- 12:30 p.m. Meeting of the Executive Council
- 1:30 p.m. Social Theory
Chairman: Eva J. Ross, Trinity College, Washington, D. C.
"Some Antecedents of Sociology"
Reverend Ernest Kilzer, O.S.B., *St. John's University, Collegeville, Minnesota*
"Comte in Retrospect"
N. S. Timasheff, *Fordham University, New York, New York*
- 3:30 p.m. Sociology of the Family
Chairman: John J. Kane, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana
"Some Practices and Problems in Marriage Counselling Today"
A. H. Clemens, *Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.*
"Dating Patterns and Attitudes Toward Marriage of Catholic College Students"
Russell Barta, *University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana*
- 5:00 p.m. Reception by Catholic University of America

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1951

- 8:30 a.m. Mass. Shrine of the Immaculate Conception
- 9:30 a.m. Industrial Sociology
Chairman: Brother Gerald J. Schnepf, S.M., St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri

"The Industry Council Plan as a Study in Social Organization"

Reverend Joseph P. Fitzpatrick, S.J., *Fordham University, New York, New York*

"American Catholic Contributions to the Interpretation and Implementation of the Encyclicals"

Reverend George G. Higgins, *Department of Social Action, NCWC, Washington, D. C.*

11:30 a.m. Business Meeting

1:30 p.m. General Session

Chairman: Reverend Ralph A. Gallagher, S.J., *Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois*

Welcome by Most Reverend Patrick J. McCormick, D.D., Ph.D., *Rector, Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C.*

Remarks by Most Reverend Edwin V. O'Hara, D.D., *Bishop of Kansas City, Missouri*

"Presidential Address"

Reverend Thomas J. Harte, C.Ss.R., *Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.*

2:30 p.m. College Sociology

Chairman: Sister Mary Gabriel, G.N.S.H., *D'Youville College, Buffalo, New York*

"Sociology in the Program of the General Catholic College"

Roy J. Deferrari, *Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C.*

Panel Discussion

Moderator: Brother D. Augustine, F.S.C., *La Salle College, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

Discussants: Reverend Swithun Bowers, O.M.I., *University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada;* Sister Mary Edward, C.S.J., *College of St. Catherine, St. Paul, Minnesota;* Sister Maria Mercedes, S.S.N.D., *College of Notre Dame, Baltimore, Maryland;* Clement S. Mihanovich, *St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri*

High School Sociology

Chairman: Sister Miriam Therese, S.N.D., *Notre Dame High School, Chicago, Illinois*

"Practical Aspects of High School Sociology"

Sister Providencia, F.C.S.P., and Brother Paul, F.S.C., *Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.*

Student Session

Chairman: Gordon Zahn, *Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.*

"Do Catholics Constitute a 'Minority Group' in the United States"

Adele Barrett, *Notre Dame of Maryland*, Cecelia FitzPatrick, *Trinity College, Washington, D. C.*, Carolyn Hicks, *Howard University, Washington, D. C.*, Robert Vasoli, *La Salle College, Philadelphia*, James Anderson, *Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.*

Sociology in the Seminary

"The Program at Mt. St. Alphonsus Seminary"

Reverend Joseph L. Kerins, C.Ss.R., *Esopus, New York*

"The Program at Our Lady of Angels Seminary"

Reverend Herman Doerr, O.F.M., *Cleveland, Ohio*

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1951

- 8:30 a.m. Mass. Shrine of the Immaculate Conception
- 9:30 a.m. Sociology of the Parish
Chairman: Reverend Charles McCarragher, C.S.C., University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana
"The Marginal Parishioner"
Reverend Joseph H. Fichter, S.J., *Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana*
"The Total Status of the Priest"
John D. Donovan, *Fordham University, New York, New York*
- 11:30 a.m. Social Movements
Chairman: Clement S. Mihanovich, St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri
"The Role of the Catholic Sociologist in the Cold War Against Communism"
Reverend William A. Nolan, S.J., *St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri*
"The Sociology of World Community"
Clement Jedrejzewski, *St. Francis College, Brooklyn, New York*
- 1:00 p.m. Meeting of the Editorial Board and Research Council

NOTES

Chairmen of the various convention committees are:

General Arrangements: Reverend Thomas J. Harte, C.Ss.R., *Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C.*

Local Arrangements and Publicity: Dr. C. J. Nuesse, *Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C.*

Nominations: Sister Mary Roderic, F.S.P.A., *Viterbo College, La Crosse, Wisconsin*