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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1977

6:30-8:00 REGISTRATION -- Kittredge Commons

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1977

8:30-10:00 ROOTS OF 19th CENTURY GERMAN PSYCHOLOGY AND ETHNOLOGY

Chair: Robert C. Davis, Case Western Reserve University

"The Development of the Conception of Psychology in Germany, 1780-1850,"
David E. Leary, University of New Hampshire.

"The Social and Political Origins of German Diffusionist Ethnology,"
Woodruff D. Smith, University of Texas at San Antonio.

"The Evolutionary Theory of Gustave Theodor Fechner," Frank A. Luger,
Carleton University.

10:00-10:30 COFFEE AND WELCOME - Michael Wertheimer, University of Colorado

10:30-12:00 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY AND SOCIOLOGY IN THE WEIMAR REPUBLIC

Chair: Francis P. Hardesty, City College of the
City University of New York

"The Rise and Fall of the Institute for Social Psychology," Horst Gundlach,
Psychologisches Institut der Universität Heidelberg.

"The Eclipse of French and Italian Crowd Psychology in Germany: Some
Early Experiments on Groups," Seigfried Sporer, University of New Hampshire.

"The Insider as Outsider: Max Weber's Impact on German Sociology During
the Weimar Republic," Gerd Schroeter, Lakehead University.

12:00-1:00 LUNCH -- Kittredge Commons

12:45-2:00 WORKSHOP: "William James," Lewis Rambo, Trinity College;
Donald A. Charpentier, University of Wisconsin-River Falls

2:00-3:30 MENTAL TESTING AND EUGENICS

Chair: Michael M. Sokal, Worcester Polytechnic Institute

"Zeitgeist and Poltergeist: The Effects of World War I on Two Methods of Mental Testing," Wain Saeger, Knoxville College.

"Henry H. Goddard: Morons, Mental Defect, and Intelligence Testing," Peter L. Tyor, Illinois Institute of Technology.

"The Case of Carrie Buck: Eugenic Sterilization Realized," Donna M. Cone, Rhode Island Department of Mental Health, Retardation and Hospitals.

3:30-3:45 COFFEE

3:45-5:15 FORERUNNERS

Chair: Jacques M. Quen, New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center
- HISTORY OF MEDICINE

"Miracles No Wonder! The Mesmeric Phenomena and Organic Cures of Valentine Greatrakes," A. Bryan Laver, Carleton University.

"Psychometrics in the Seventeenth Century: The Personology of Christian Thomasius," Paul McReynolds and Klaus Ludwig, University of Nevada, Reno.

"The Societal Processes Model of David Hume: Their Origins and Implications," Walter A. Sedelow, Jr., University of Kansas.

6:30-7:30 PSYCHOLOGY IN ADVERSITY

Chair: John A. Popplestone, Archives of the History of American Psychology, University of Akron

"One Man Against the Nazis: Wolfgang Köhler," Mary Henle, New School for Social Research.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1977

8:30-10:00 EVOLUTION AND ETHOLOGY

Chair: A. Bryan Laver, Carleton University

"Empiricist Foundations for Theories of the Evolution of Behavior; or How the Ape Became un Bon Bourgeois," Robert J. Richards, University of Chicago.

"Thomas Henry Huxley 'Upon Animal Individuality,'" Erling Eng, Veterans Administration Hospital, Lexington.

"The Duck Decoy: An Historical Analysis of Mobbing Behavior," Paul T. Mountjoy, Western Michigan University.

10:00-10:30

COFFEE

10:30-12:00

SOCIAL METAPHORS AND PARADIGMS

Chair: Robert C. Davis, Case Western Reserve University

"William Graham Sumner and Social Evolutionism in Early American Sociology,"
Norman E. Smith and Roscoe C. Hinkle, Ohio State University.

"An Evaluation of the Appolonian and Dionysian Theory of Ruth Benedict,"
Annette Rosenstiel, William Paterson College of New Jersey.

"Scientific Revolutions in Sociology? The Case of the Chicago School,
1920-1945," Patricia Madoo Lengermann, George Washington University.

12:00-1:00

LUNCH - Kittredge Commons - Review Committee Luncheon
Meeting

12:45-2:00

WORKSHOP: "Reading Marx," John O'Neill, York University;
Roslyn W. Bologh, St. John's University; James Schmidt,
University of Texas at Austin.

2:00-3:30

SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

Chair: Donald A. Charpentier, University of Wisconsin-
River Falls

"Kurt Lewin's View of Social Psychology: The Crisis of 1976 and the Crisis
of 1926," Miriam Lewin, Manhattanville College.

"Fritz Heider: A Biographic Sketch," William Ickes, University of Wisconsin
and John H. Harvey, Vanderbilt University.

"Marx and/or Freud: Assimilation and Contrast in the History of Psychology,"
Lorenz J. Finison and Joy Williams Moore, Wellesley College.

3:30-3:45

COFFEE

3:45-5:15

THE GROWTH OF SOCIAL RESEARCH

Chair: Gisela Hinkle, Ohio State University

"The Johns Hopkins University: Training Center for Social Scientists,"
Betty P. Broadhurst, Colorado State University.

"The Entry of Causal Analysis into the Sociological Enterprise,"
Christopher Bernet, State University of New York, Stony Brook.

"Herbert Blumer's Critique of The Polish Peasant: An Episode in the
Development of Research Methodology," Evan A. Thomas, University of Iowa.

6:30 BANQUET AND INVITED ADDRESS - Kittredge Commons
Introductory Remarks - John A. Popplestone and Michael Wertheimer
Invited Address - "What Were, and What Are, the Frontiers of Behavioral Research?" David Hawkins, Professor of Philosophy and Director of Mountain View Center for Environmental Education, University of Colorado.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1977

8:00 Review Committee Breakfast Meeting

8:30-10:00 PATTERNS OF SUCCESS AND FAILURE: THREE SKETCHES

Chair: Elizabeth S. Goodman, Cheiron

"How a Social Scientist Can Fail: An Examination of the Psychology of Havelock Ellis," Jill G. Mowarski, Carleton University.

"A False Start for Experimental Psychology: Harlow S. Gale and the Laboratory at Minnesota," David P. Kuna, Thomas College.

"John B. Watson's Research at Dry Tortugas for the Carnegie Institution of Washington," Cedric A. Larson, Hicksville, New York.

10:00-10:30 COFFEE

10:30-12:00 CONTINUITIES IN PSYCHOLOGY

Chair: Ian Lubek, University of Guelph

"Some Relations Between James Ward and Bartlett's Remembering," Algis Norvilas, Saint Xavier College.

"Claparède and Piaget," William R. Woodward, University of New Hampshire.

"Something Old, Something New: Attention in Wundt and Modern Cognitive Psychology," Thomas H. Leahey, Virginia Commonwealth University.

12:00-1:00 LUNCH - Kittredge Commons

1:00-2:00 BUSINESS MEETING

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Note: In the preliminary program Albert R. O'Hara of National Taiwan University was scheduled to present a paper on "The Development of Sociology in China Since Its Political Division." Although Dr. O'Hara will be unable to attend this meeting, copies of his paper may be obtained from Robert C. Davis.