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Issue

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1. American Association of Social  
Workers -

- ✓ 1. Our inclusion in 1921? or about  
Americanization - use ~~more paper~~ 9, 9, 9  
O 2. Charities Endorsement Committee  
N.H. - S.T.A.C. - City Child Labor Associa-

✓ 3. Democratic National Campaign  
Committee

Good statement on why I supported  
Roosevelt in 1936, on Grace  
Albright's Social Workers Committee

4. Son. & Jeff Co. Children's Home

Transition from old type of  
institution to modern cottage plan

1 story by Robert Trent

2 difficulties of old situation

3 Consolidation of School of Reform & Parental  
Home Board - at Ormsby Village

4 Test of act abolishing political domination  
of charitable Penitentiaries

Jan 22, 1920.

- 5 Mr. Colvin in charge of new home -

6 Survey 1919

Good material for institutional

al care. 1919 - 1926

7. Brush of recommendations  
to Board -

Fly. Fed of Women's Clubs  
Department of Pub. Welfare  
Div. of Child Welfare  
Mrs. Robert Cowley, Chrl

Committee on Social Hygiene  
Div. of Health under Dept. of Pub. Welfare  
Miss Alice Slayden

Gen Fed Headquarters -  
Washington, D. C.  
1734 N. St., Northwest  
Miss Sida Hafford, National  
Secretary  
opened Jan 1923

Sheppard-Towner Act

Clipping

Jan 17 '23 on work of Family Service  
Organization & the Municipal Relief Work  
ns in connection with an em-  
ployment.

8/28/1921

Fly. Women - invitation to Woman  
Bureau to make survey in Ky

Div. of Social & Industrial Condition  
of City Fed by Women's Clubs

Kenville Twp - May 11, 1921

See report of T.S.Chr.

See statement in regard to

Committee on Institutional Relation

"This Committee etc. resolved to  
impress upon the Women's organizations  
of the country the fact that the  
delinquent girl or woman being  
a community product is a

community problem etc -  
(good to use in the industrial school  
statement)

Community Chest Pub  
Value of joint financing

Handicraft

Some good suggestions  
House Activities.

Rock Garden - valuable  
reports from workers

1912

1912  
1. Passage of Women's Ten-Hour Law  
2. N. H. assisted Con. League in passage.

2. Key Child Welfare Conference & Exhibit.  
Nov 21 - Nov 30 - 1912.  
Miss Frances Ingram, Chairman. Philanthropy.

N. H. co-operated with the Ky. Child  
Welfare Conference & Exhibit by  
contributing to the Settlement  
Section and by making a study  
of institutions caring for the  
normal child needing relief,  
including philanthropic organ-  
izations, orphanages & home-placing  
societies.

See page 4 & 5 of N. H. 1913, <sup>Report</sup>

In all work being out the  
Adelante the Board has  
taken a part in its dis-  
trust.

1913

- 1913  
1. F. S. Became Sec. Ky. Child Labor Association, 1913  
from 1912 - not very active  
in last few years.
2. N. H. In summer of 1913, a roof garden  
was added and later the fountain given  
by Miss Lucy Belknap, was placed in  
front of the house.
3. Miss Florence Buchanan gone impetuous  
to work. see 1912 report p. 14.

N. H., 1913 Report.

Recreational work good  
Summer of 1913 present in entry  
of House - See pp. 10 + 11  
Fall S. F. Q. H. work in 1913

see p. 12

good picture p 13 -

The Settlement as a  
Training School. p 12

Dental Clinic

Land Hall Studies - first

1913.

good for one - Asa L.

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1914

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1. American Association of Social Workers  
Louisville <sup>Chapman</sup> Code of Ethics.

2. Miss Brown's Report -

1921-1922

Child-Caring Institutions in  
July - 1921

Miss Brown - special agents on  
Institutions

3. Charities Endorsement

Letter to W. M. Davies 2/1/911

April 27, 1916

Note on Mr. Walter Belknap presented

N.H. with lot adjoining it on north

First Louisville Commercial Club

Mar 1, 1916 San. Board of Trade

Second San. Board of Trade only

This organization took over  
extensive 1916 and 1919

1915

1915

1. Kentucky Conference of Charities  
and Correction - Lexington 3-5, 1915  
Miss Frances Ingram, President  
President's address - a survey of  
Ky's needs. - See paper. (19 5-1915)

(a) Following this conference Governor  
appointed a commission to investigate  
the conditions as to feeble-mindedness  
among the inhabitants of the state of  
Ky.

(b.) also joint committee on Feeble-minded  
of Ky Fed. of Women's Clubs (Mrs. Helen  
Prince) and Ky. Conference of Charities  
a Correction. (Miss Frances Ingram chair)

2. Letter of Mr. Zochan asking for money following a  
lecture of Miss Harriet Vitrum (dated Feb. 28, 1915)

3. Recreation Area formed - Mr. Zochan. Obs.  
Following the meeting Mr. Wain made an  
exhaustive study of the leisure time of miners

4. Sub-Department of Woman's Club Board 1915  
(for better supervision of vice & creation of  
a platform → to Vice Commission

1916 ① Kentucky Conference of Charities 1916  
and Correction  
Owensboro, October 21-23, 1916  
Miss Frances Ingram, President

② Mrs Glassman - Sept. - Nov. (1916-1917)  
Charles Strull, Superintendent & Secy of the  
Federation of Jewish Charities of Louisville  
at that time. My analysis of Miss Glassman's  
report of Neighborhood House made to Federation  
for Nov. 1916 - my report asking her removal made  
Nov. 19, 1916.

3(Rec). Mr. S. H. Meir's survey of rec. facilities  
was made in 1916.

1917 Kentucky Conference of Charities 1917  
① and Correction  
Tenth Session

Berea, November 10, 11, 12, 1917

Mrs Frances Ingram, Chairman Committee  
on Feeble-minded. Ky Conference  
of Charities & Correction

② Letter from Belle S. Daniels; Mayor Com. on Nat. Defense  
Com. on Aliens. dated 12/12/1917 addresses  
me as Welfare Com., War Recreation Board.  
in dance hall

3. War Recreation Board of Louisville  
affiliated with the War Department  
Commission on Training-camp  
activities - 310 Norton Building  
Lafayette Ave. Chr. E. S. Taylor - Vice Chr. Cecil C.  
North, Exec. Sec.

1918

1918

1. Ill. Fed. of Women's Clubs, Chrs. Division  
of Public Welfare 1918-1920.

2. War Recreation Board 1918

3. Vice President of Natl. Fed. of Settlements  
Graham May Co., Chicago, Pres.

Served on Program Com. of which Miss  
Harriet E. Utter was chairman -  
Natal Fed. Conference held May 23-26,  
in Chicago with meeting at Hall House

1919

1919

- ① F. J. Chairman, Social Community Com.  
of National Conference of So. Work.
- ② Evansville Conference of Social Work, President
- ③ Board of Trustees, Evansville and Jefferson  
County Children's Home 1919 - 1926  
(Appointed by Mayor George Weisinger Smith)
- ④ Asked Mr. Albert J. Kennedy to have Miss Boyd  
21, 40 care of Chicago School of Civics & Philanthropy  
2559 Michigan Ave. Chicago Il. for institutes  
held in Evansville. Training, help -  
except advice - new
- ⑤ National Conference of Social Work  
at Kansas City, June 1-8, 1919  
Frances Darrow, Chairman  
See paper. Social Community Program.  
for war chapter

Charities Endowment Com.

Ky Child Labor Association

Excellent statement on 1919 child

- Welfare Survey
- "During 1919, at the instigation of the Ky  
Child Labor Association a Survey was made  
of child welfare in Kentucky, by the staff of the  
National Child Labor Committee. This survey  
was paid for by the State Board of Health

of Kentucky and The Ky. Child Labor Association;  
The Ky Child Labor Assn., contributing  
\$15.00, as for this purpose. The State  
Board of Health distributed this  
Survey entitled, "Child Welfare  
in Kentucky throughout the state  
as its bulletin. The survey was also  
distributed as a bulletin of the  
Nat. Child Labor Com."

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1920

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1. F. J. Chairman, Ky Children's Code Commission 1920-1922  
(appointed by Gov. Edwin P. Morrow)

2. Louisville Conference of Social Work, President 1920

3. Ky. Conference of Social Work, Committee on Recreation, Miss Program Chairman.  
W. L. Garfield, Center College, Pres.

This Commission was authorized by  
the 1920 Legislature to make a survey  
of child welfare ~~conditions in~~ <sup>the Commonwealth</sup> and  
report to the Gov & legislature in 1922.  
Miss Sarah A. Brown was authorized to  
investigate children in institutions. - The  
chief recommendation of this commission  
was a continuing Child Welfare Com-  
mission in Ky.

Dec 23, 1921 - Committee submitted outline of  
legislation which it wished to be enacted  
and forward of 1922 report.

See letters to Gov - file Ky Children's Code  
Com.

Merger of Louisville Industrial School  
with the Parental Home looked to take  
place Dec. 17, 1920 - so stated in  
Louisville Herald.

The nineteenth Amendment <sup>to the Federal Constitution</sup>, ~~granting~~  
proposed by Congress ~~to the states in~~ in  
1918 and ratified by  $\frac{3}{4}$  of all  
of them in 1920, which guarantees  
that "the right of citizens  
of the U.S. to vote shall not be  
denied or abridged by the  
U.S. or by any state on account  
of sex," was duly ratified by  
both houses of the General  
Assembly of Ky. at the  
regular session of 1920, and  
this action was approved  
by the governor on Jan 16,  
1920.

History of Ky - p. 302  
by Samuel M. Wilson

1921 (I was member of original Central Council,  
later called National Council of A.A.S.W. of 1921,

① When the American Association  
of Social Workers was first organ-  
ized in 1921, those engaged in the prac-  
tice of social work had in the main re-  
ceived their training on the job. Recogniz-  
ing this fact, the Association based its first  
membership requirements mainly on ex-  
perience in approved social agencies.  
Four persons were chosen from the South.

Harry S. Hopkins, Atlanta, Ga. (now closest advisor  
of President Roosevelt, was in 1938, Secretary of Commerce  
E. B. Simlerman, Greensboro, N.C. (now Director  
of Recreation Projects, W.P.A. Washington, D.C. and  
also of New York School of Social Work);

Frances Dugram, Head Resident of U.S.A.  
Night E. Reed, Austin, Texas.

② Asked Miss Bittum to speak before Community <sup>Council</sup>  
of Sanjourville (a non-financial Council of  
Social agencies) April 25, 1921.

3, May 15, 1921. New York Times - attack on  
Goddard by Susie Committee

4. asked by Mr. Joseph P. Byers, Commissions of Public  
Institutions, State Board of Charities & Corrections to  
be represented on Friday night Jan 29, 1921 and meet with  
members of Board at the Phoenix Hotel Saturday  
morning at 9 o'clock and accompany them to  
green dale.

1921

(5) Ky. Fed of Women's Clubs  
Frances Ingram, Chr. Industrial &  
Social Conditions (Committee)?

Danville, Ky. May 9-12, 1921

get endorsement for state survey of  
wages, working conditions in industry  
in Ky by Federation also governor's permission

6. Oct 26, 1921. Sunday evening  
Entertained Miss Mary Anderson, Director  
of Women's Bureau, of U. S. Department  
of Labor at Neighborhood House  
to talk over informally local  
conditions - Miss Palmer of Y.W.C.A.  
was to be there.

Letter to Mrs. Hallie from me telling of  
Miss Anderson's telegram  
Letter from Caroline Manning 9/22/21  
saying she was coming & may be I  
would take her in at N.H.

Mrs. Murray died in 1921.

(9/3/21) Letter from Mrs. Bean - saying she was glad I  
had been appointed Chr. of Department of Public  
Welfare of the Ky Fed.) Danville, Ky.  
May 9-12, 1921  
Industrial & Social Conditions - Frances Ingram

1921 continued  
10/18/1921 - Ky Fed of W's Clubs - Board meeting  
Phoenix Hotel, Lexington Ky. Pres Mrs. Reynolds presiding  
Ingram - made report as chrmn. of Div. of Public Welfare  
also - "On motion of Miss Ingram, the following  
resolution was adopted: Resolved, That  
in view of the fact that the Shepherd-Town  
Bill will pass Congress before the next  
session of the Ky. Legislature, the Federation  
is asked to request the State Board  
of Health in securing an increased  
appropriation in order to receive  
the maximum amount of Federal  
funds available under the  
Shepherd-Town Bill.

1922

1922

1. By Child Welfare Commission, Chr.

1922-1924

(Appointed by Gov. Edwin P. Morrow)

2. Special request to Mr. Laird C. Biggelt of  
Community Chest July 25, 1922 for more  
money to get a higher priced boy's worker  
in account expansion in number of boys  
coming.

3. Jan 12, 1922 letter from Edward A. Fleene, State  
that hundreds of thousands of Austrians would  
die during the winter & urged that we petition  
congress to take action the necessary action  
to save 500000 people from starvation.  
We saved \$10.00 and to Settlement in Vienna  
through Mr. Elliott.

May 23-1922 26

4. By Fed. of Women's Clubs - Hopkinsville,  
Report of Public Welfare Department, Frances  
Program, Chairman gave brief report May 24, 1922 2:30  
Children's Code Commission was active throughout  
the year.  
Mr. Charles Christie spoke Thursday aft, May  
25, 1922 (Fed. of Women's Clubs)

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1923

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- (1) Study made for the National Information Bureau, Entitled Tentative Statement of aims and activities of the Settlement under the Nat. Fed. of Settlements. 12/10/1923
- (2) Study made of the South's need of the Settlement for Nat Fed Paper - never given. Mr. Matrunda
- (3) letter from Mrs. Annie S. O'meara, <sup>house of Friend</sup> dated 6/19/23 asking  
for neighbors at John's, <sup>to whom she had made</sup> dated 6/19/23 asked  
Miss Adams for help. She said they were  
neither burned up or shaken down by  
earthquake. - H. H. gave a play & seat 25.00

Hq. Fed of Women's Clubs, Winchester Ky  
May 15-18, 1923

Thursday 1:30 p.m.

Public Welfare - Miss Frances program

My report in Club Woman. I resigned from  
Fed because I had been appointed by Dr.  
Morrow, a member of the new Child Welfare  
Commission in Feb. 1923.

"According to the rule of the Fed, a position on  
a State Commission rules me out of my  
Chairmanship in the Fed." 3/24/23

"Child Welfare in Ky" (sent copy to Mrs. Reynolds)  
Mrs. Alice Stoll suggested idea of interating members  
of adult Bible Classes through their state in child welfare -  
 dabei die Result.

1/13/23 stay might be worth about  
Mrs. Morton's letter; Allen L. Civic League  
chicken bags etc - several

Feb 26, 1923 - Last week, I wrote, I  
was appointed a member of the  
new Child Welfare Commission  
in Ky by Governor Morrow.

resigned from Board of  
Family Service Organiza-  
tion June 15, 1923

1924

1924

1. Toronto Conference of National Fed. of Settlements June 22-25, 1924 - valuable minutes - "Study" folder held Fed. of Settlements
2. Ky Child Welfare Commission 1924-1925  
Reappointed by Gov. Field  
F. J. Chairman
3. March 24, 1924. Paper at Evansville Conference of Social Workers.  
Recreation in Evansville thru the neighborhood, the Settlement, the School Center, the Community Club - Rec. Chapter
4. Young People Recreation Act. passed.  
Senate Bill No. 274, introduced by Mr. Baywood.  
was introduced it in House.
5. Evansville Conference of Social Work - May 29th, 1924  
Exhibit given by Miss Servin's Class, Rec. Division of School of Social Work.  
Foreign menu  
Oliva Españolas, Meringy Mallorq, Spaghetti Toscane  
Salada, Americana Desearna (Saladini), Petit Pain Patisserie, Cafe au lait.
6. Program of  
Women's Inter-Denominational Missionary Union held in First Christian Church  
Tenth & Breckinridge Friday May 9, 1924  
neighborhood host house - Miss Frances program
7. Mr. J. R. Batchelder check up on Mr. Weir's Survey of 1916 - March 1924
8. Resolutions submitted at Evansville Conference of Social Workers  
March 24, 1924 by Frances Dryer

1925

1925

- ① See. Council first organized with Miss Ingraham as Chairman & Mr. Siggett as Sec. March 24, 1924. First board of allowed Jan 1926.  
② Began to function with Miss Ida Revine Sept. 1926.

③ Secretary for Ky. National Probation Assn. 1925-  
and Mrs Cleanna

④ Dr. Wm Goodell Street invited R.H. in fall  
of 1925 - "You know the refreshment of spirit  
in staying with you during its

⑤ Address given at 17th annual meeting Tennessee  
Conference of Social Work, Knoxville, Tenn.  
April 29, 1925  
Topic "The Neighborhood House, its place in  
the life of a city, Miss Frances Ingraham."

5. 12/10/25 - elected an honorary  
member of the Recreation Alumni  
of the School of Social Work

4th - Democratic National Campaign

Conn

Letter signed by <sup>dated</sup> excellent (10/10/36)

Frances Morgan

Anna H. Sibley

shows Roosevelt's contribution  
to the field of Social Work

5th

Ry Child Sabo

1. my undated speech.

2. Job Stewart's minutes of First Meeting

12/2/06 of Child Sabo Com. (Job Stewart) Dec. 13, 1906

Cincinnati meeting Dec 13, 1906

National S. meeting in Louisville - 1/25-28/1912

5. Ry Child Sabo Act. organized  
February 1907-

6. Child Sabo Act March 16th, 1908  
into effect Sept 1, 1908.  
objection to act

Sabon Allen's report

Scholarship <sup>and</sup> Work began under  
Consumer's League before organiza-  
tion of Ky Child Labor Law.

in Mrs. Allen's Report 1909

↳ later undertaken by Ky C. & W.  
Petitioning of Compulsory  
Education Law & Child  
Labor Law

May 1913 statement on  
factory conditions  
excellent material for  
Story

8. my paper on Federal Child Labor  
Amendment.

(9) Social letter dated Jan 23, 1922  
for Nat. Child Labor Law  
10. good statement also on back of  
why should we have child labor law

Oct 27, 1906 -

O<sup>16</sup> Excellent paper on Scholarships  
and easing into - Associa-  
Charter City -

O<sup>11</sup> Statement made Nov 12, 1923  
that ~~he~~ was member of  
advisory committee of Nat  
Child Labor Com.

O<sup>12</sup> Questionnaire in answer to  
Sinton B. Swift's letter 11/12/1923  
good material

O<sup>13</sup> Street Traders - reports & much  
material

Ky Child Welfare Commission

creating a State Children Bureau

What is it

Why it should pass

County Child Welfare Boards

I was Sec for Ky of National Probation  
Assoc - 1930 <sup>was to try to</sup>

March 20, 1930 letter asking me  
to continue.

In 1932 - Ed. 5 -

Letters indicate investigation  
of children were turned over  
to Mrs. Traeger, My Children's  
Bureau

These we came in touch with many  
were reported by Probation  
officers of Big Cities - many  
from our small towns &  
rural districts

1932 Seaview & Kauka  
work to Social Service  
Exchange

Prognosis  
anti-luetic treatment

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One amazing thing after a warm  
welcome was offered some inmate

of a N.Y. prison

Mr. Walter Belknap - visited  
Wolcott family in Eden Ky  
with former school dept

Charles Oscar Wilson  
Charlie Ray "

in 1932

George Scroggins - ~~He's gonna win the Derby~~

Who's gonna win the Derby

Burgoo King -

~~1932~~  
over 2.5 lots

Settler head of Ky Children's  
Bureau in Catharine Beecher  
Hall

cases  
from California to New York  
Brooklyn (look up -)  
Michigan to  
San Francisco

were busy in 1922 with Probation  
Nat. Probation Assn - No I work

1. The Probation Bulletin
2. Letter to Welfare League of Louisville
3. Clipping - Aids Domestic Relations  
Court.
4. Mr. Chute's Definition of  
Probation Standards.
5. Mr. Chute's Oct 4, 1922 letter
6. My note Feb 5, '23 to  
"Mr. Wm Jeffrey"  
"good law but we have done  
almost nothing in probation  
field"

6th, Ky. C. W. can expect to introduce a bill at the next meeting of General Assembly authorizing the Circuit Courts to appoint Probation Officers. (Letter dated Nov. 3, 1923)

7. Committee of Public Opinion.

8. Get Probation & the Prevention of Delinquency annual Report of Nat. Prob. about ~~Oct.~~ <sup>1923</sup> ~~Nov.~~ <sup>1924</sup> —

9. State Co-ordinator of Family Service Organization

10. The Citizens Anniversary Comm  
announces -

25th Anniversary of founding  
of first Juvenile Ct.

15th anniversary of establishment  
and growth in state of Juvenile  
Reform

Jan 2, 3, 4, 1925

~~The Juvenile Court was opened~~  
The Juvenile Court was opened  
in Chicago July 1, 1899.

11. My letter to Mr. Maurice H. Thatcher  
House of Rep — Washington  
Jan 9, 1925 —

12. Submitting with Play ground

13. Agnes Carlisle -

Probation Court -

Girls Department

Labour, Mech.

Fair-haired, easily influenced girl  
of 16 years not used to city  
ways but did good work  
in local high school

H. Fed Probation Law gotten

through Congress March 4<sup>1925</sup>

See nat. Pro. Assn. Bull. July 29, 1925

The judge must have a  
conception of probation  
as a method of real supervision  
& guidance of young offenders.

of course money must  
be spent for probation  
but money spent for  
probation as for any  
thing that is good is  
spent several times  
over in reduced  
commitments -

Nat. Pro - Assn No 3

Jan 3, 1927 - good title

Feb 1, 1927 - " "

Publity on

Mr. Clark's letter Rec 17, 19

in Long han's speech 22

Summary of Juvenile Court

laws of Ky - Rec 28

against children 1927

prevention of crime & social  
organization of our courts

useful agency in our towns  
law over to it, if not

1895

1895

In the winter of 1895 Prof. Graham Taylor, of Chicago Commons, was invited by Archibald A. Hill and W. E. Wilkins, two theological students, to come to Sonisville and speak on the settlement idea.

The settlement idea, that a group of educated men and women should choose to live in the less favored districts of our cities in order that they and their neighbors might share what was best in each others lives, was a generation old when it took form in Sonisville. From Cambridge and Oxford it had spread to East London, thence to New York and Chicago, and there were already about seventy-five social settlements in the United States.

1896 See First Report of N. H.

1896

Mr. Taylor aroused much interest among a few persons, and before long the seed was planted. An old saloon building, at the corner of Preston and Jefferson streets, was rented, and work was begun there in September, <sup>October</sup> 1896. This was made possible by the financial backing of Miss Lucy Belknap, and was under the personal direction of Mr. A. A. Hill, who started several boys' clubs, notably one for the study of American history. Soon there were added classes in sewing and singing, story-telling for small children, and a literary club for young women. The numbers of those who came grew rapidly, the two rooms were overtaxed, and before long,

1896-1899 Head Resident - Archibald A. Hill  
Mary D. Anderson, Associate Rm. M.

First Report - question of fee. - "a small fee is charged for membership in all classes & clubs, except in those cases where a fee would be prohibitive."

"These boys come in one night each week for manual training. Most of the boys of our neighborhood leave school by the time they are twelve, hence they get no

manual training. One of our greatest needs is the extension of manual training to the lower grades & our public schools.

page 18 value of club  
music.

make Chronological  
table of growth in  
age

1897

1897

In September, 1897 a home was secured in the same locality, 324 East Jefferson Street - and was named Neighborhood House.

Neighborhood House became a model home in our congested district; many new clubs and classes were formed; a library was opened for circulation, and the work developed along various lines. → 1898 Report

First report. Music - the classes in vocal music were organized in Oct. 1897, and from the first a genuine interest has been manifested, some members being present every week in that time. etc -

Library opened Nov. 8, 1897

Mother's Meetings - p. 20

Needs:

1. more residents - teachers etc

2. increased facility for

3. Manual training

a trained nurse.

Aims - fine, pp 22-29.

1898

First Annual Report.

1898

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1899

1899.

(1) In 1899 an Advisory Board of ten men and women, among whom were no distinctions of race or creed, was formed to act with the Head Resident.

(2) 1899-1901 - H. R. - Mary H. Anderson

3. (a) 1899 Manual of the Woman's Club <sup>1902-</sup>  
It established playgrounds for children <sup>1903</sup>  
in the congested districts, to be open  
during the summer months.

(b) It urged the city authorities to acquire  
and retain Central Park (the Park Dept.).

1899 - 2nd annual report

1898-1899 - residents A. A. Hill - Mary H. Anderson  
Mary H. Hill

The first play ground was opened in  
summer of 1899 & was located on a vacant  
lot on Main St. between Floyd & Brook St.

In the following summer two additional  
play grounds were opened in the  
yard of public schools at  
Floyd & Chestnut & at Market & Kenyon

1800

1900

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Nov 21 49

56

7, Y. Fair

# SETTLEMENT FETE WILL OPEN TODAY

Educational Alliance on East  
Side to Celebrate Fifty  
Years of Aid to Youth

PROGRAM COVERS MONTH

Smith and Morris Speakers  
at First Day's Observance  
—Hall of Fame a Feature

The Educational Alliance in East Broadway at Jefferson Street on the East Side, largest community center in the country, begins the observance of a half-century of community service today with celebrations scheduled to last a month.

When the Alliance opened its doors in 1893 the East Side teemed with freshly arrived immigrants who knew neither the language nor the traditions of the United States. Its primary aim in those days was to Americanize the strangers, to teach them American history, customs and at least a smattering of the New World tongue.

Today, after fifty years, the Educational Alliance, still serving at the old stand, offers a widely extended service including courses in home nursing, nutrition, air-raid warden duties, victory gardening. It contributes impressively to all war effort including salvage, Red Cross work, war bond and war stamp sales.

Speakers and artists to be heard at the Alliance Auditorium today include former Gov. Alfred E. Smith, Newbold Morris, Council President; Hugo Kortschak, violinist, and Mme. Hilda Lashanska, vocalist. Alliance alumni, including David Sarnoff, head of the Radio Corporation of America, will be present.

Throughout the celebration the Alliance will maintain an institutional Hall of Fame. Here will be shown paintings, drawings and statuary done by Alliance alumni now nationally and internationally famous. The walls will bear the writings of authors, business and professional men, judges and clergymen who passed through Alliance halls during the last half-century.

## 537 on Honor Roll

One of the proudest exhibits will be the Alliance Honor Roll, which already shows 537 names of senior boy members fighting with the armed forces of the United States. Ten Alliance boys have died in battle, to date, and a number have been decorated.

Lieut. Abe Chesterpol, navigator in an American bomber, won the Silver Star for gallantry during a raid on the Japanese airdrome at Canton, China. Lieut. Morris Friedman, Flying Fortress pilot, won the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Silver Star in Africa.

Founded by Jewish East Side philanthropists for aid to Jewish immigrants, the Alliance gradually has widened its scope, as the East Side underwent population change, to include persons of all creeds in its benefactions. The current Honor Roll shows Chinese, Italian, Greek, Swedish and Jewish names. A number of Negro boys are represented.

The Alliance, its trustees point out, has contributed more than \$3,000 to United War Relief, a good showing for a neighborhood predominantly poor. It has raised \$180,000 through sale of war stamps and war bonds and its Red Cross unit has turned out more than 6,000 articles.

The Red Cross sewing room at the Alliance is extraordinary. Many of the women who work there are former professional garment workers or seamstresses. They bring high skill and high speed to the task. One aged, retired tailor labors with the women, giving most of his day to the job.

One of the most interesting activities is the war service branch. Here old and young women, sometimes three generations at a time, put together packages for soldiers, for their kin and for service men who have no family. The literate among them write to soldiers, sailors and marines who otherwise would get no mail.

Mrs. James H. Abraham is chairman of the Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration Committee. The director of the Alliance is Samuel S. Fishzohn.

1901

1901

1901 - 1902 - H. R - Charlotte Kimball  
High expts of achievement of C.S.  
1901 - Consumers' League of the organized

- (a) conducted campaign to urge public to purchase  
goods made under sanitary conditions & by  
workers receiving a fair wage, which means  
goods bearing the Consumers' League <sup>white</sup> Label.
- (b.) conducted campaign for early Christmas  
shopping + 5:30 closing hour for retail stores

1902

1902

① Early in 1902, the house at present occupied - (530 First St.) 428 Smith  
till street numbers  
were changed

First Street - was donated by Mrs W.B.  
Bellnap. The old house on Jefferson  
street had no yard, and a great advantage  
of the new location that it has a  
large open space which may be used for  
a play ground. Neighborhood house  
was then incorporated, and the  
Advisory Board became a Board of  
Managers, in order to legally hold the  
property.

② 1902-1905 - H. R. M. Eleanor Tarrant  
Minnie S. Baldau, <sup>secretary</sup> Associate

③ Feb 15, 1902, Mrs. R. C. Head, Pres. of Recreation Socy  
San. Fly - date of first report of the body.

1903

1903

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1904

1904

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1905① - H. P. Frances' program - 1905  
through till 1909 -

2. "Kindergarten established by 2.12 in fall of 1905"  
was taken over by the Board of Education in  
1911 but continued at U. S. (1913, M. H. P. 10)

See 1913 - for report on library, picture  
loan, debating club, music, names  
work - Roof garden - Hobbs & Ponin's  
Greek Air Horn

"The settlement as a training school  
page 12 - 1913 Report - good lead  
for American Area - in 1921  
also for Land Hall studies (P 13)

Mr., Mrs. O. Seon Reid

Mrs. Weble

Miss Hanaw

Miss Jessie Arnold

Mr. Archibald Smalley

Mr. Clifton Hudder

Miss Eleanor Singleton

1906

1906

Recreation League (members) in charge of city  
3 play grounds from 1906 until they  
were taken over by city

See Ely's other report

1906-1907 - Mr. Guy L. Shipp on  
N. H. play ground his reports are  
good in Rec file

from "Charities Endorsement Com"  
Ky. Child Labor Association, established  
Dec 12, 1906 - State incorporated 2/21/1907  
Purpose as stated in articles of incorporation  
"To raise the standard of public  
opinion with respect to the employment  
of children, to assist in protecting children  
by promoting suitable legislation and to  
aid in the enforcement of laws relating  
to child labor

? Miss M. Eleazar Farred.

Child labor

Compulsory ed

Juvenile Court

1907

1907

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1908

1908

1. Family Service Organization, Board  
Member, 1908-1929.

2. Jan. 20, 1908. Memorial on death of Archibald  
Hill. "His keen appreciation of the fact that  
all men are related by the very conditions  
of life, spurred him to send every ~~means~~  
force toward an amelioration of that con-  
dition ~~de-~~ excellent. See - Materials &  
Circumstances in my file

3. "in, & assisted Consumers' League in making  
investigations which led to the better  
enforcement of the compulsory Education  
of 1908 and to the enactment of  
certain remedial laws, notably  
the Child Labor Laws of 1908."  
Under the Child Labor Laws of 1908 a child  
between 14 and 16 years of age was required  
to secure a permit before being permitted  
to work and must have had the  
equivalent of four years in school. In  
many instances children wanting in the  
full requirements of the law were given  
instruction by the residents of N.Y."

4.

1909

1909

1. Tenement House Commission. Member,  
appointed by Mayor James F. Garfield  
1909. Member of Exec. Com.

2. Dance Hall Stories - See n. D 1913 <sup>pp</sup>

3. Article on Suffrage to Women

12/19/1909 -

① 1910

1910

F. J. Became member of Ex Board of Nat. Fed.  
of Settlements and remained on  
Board until 1939 with exception of  
two or three years.

② N. H. In N. H. there existed to be a steady growth  
in all directions - in the variety & excellence of  
the work done in the numbers interested,  
in the establishment of personal friendly  
relations with the neighbors, till in  
1910 the number of persons coming to  
N. H., & the number of classes & class had so  
grown that again the building was overused.  
There was pressing need for a gymnasium  
& a better & more spacious band hall. (see  
1911)

13) It was in 1910 that N. H. with Council  
of Jewish Women investigated dance  
halls.

themselves in school. I say we,  
Mr. Yunker will be in charge  
of that part of the work.  
We are to have a loom  
and a kiln soon. Does not that

*our work*

# VOLUNTEER COMMISSION

FOR THE

## INVESTIGATION OF THE CONDITION OF WORKING WOMEN IN KENTUCKY

*show*

Appointed by the Governor of Kentucky on March 30, 1911

CHAIRMAN:  
ALEX G. BARRET, Louisville

SECRETARY:  
MRS. R. P. HALLECK, 1154 Third St.,  
Louisville

SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR:  
S. M. HARTZMANN, Neighborhood House,  
Louisville, Ky.

MRS. PATTIE B. SEMPLE, Louisville  
MRS. ELI BOONE, Paducah  
DR. JULIA A. INGRAM, Louisville  
DR. J. M. MATHEWS, Louisville  
PAUL M. MOORE, Earlington  
MRS. MORRIS B. BELKNAP, Louisville  
CLAUDE M. THOMAS, Paris  
MISS FLORENCE WITHERSPOON, Louisville  
HARRY B. MACKOY, Covington

MRS. EMIL S. TACHAU, Louisville  
R. C. STOLL, Lexington  
MISS STELLA LOWENSTEIN, Louisville  
JOHN SPEED, Taylorsville  
MISS FRANCES INGRAM, Louisville  
DR. W. E. GRANT, Louisville  
LAFON ALLEN, Louisville  
ALBERT S. BRANDEIS, Louisville

*September 14, 1911.*

- 1911
- ① Sec. for Ky. Nat. Conference of Social Work  
1911 and 1912.
- ② F. D. Member of Commission to investigate  
the conditions of Working Women in Ky. /  
Appointed by Gov. Augustus E. Wilson, <sup>March 30, 1911</sup>  
made survey of women's work in Louisville  
which resulted in (see 1912)
- ③ Louisville Fresh Air Home, President 1911-1927;  
Vice President & Managing Director 1927-1939.
- ④ N. H. Claimed right of protection over  
Jewish children coming to the House  
to take part in its activities and with whose  
families it comes in touch. in letter to  
Mr. Henry Klomber, Ch. Com. Juvenile Welfare, of  
Jewish Federation Feb 15, 1911. J. A. Berlinsky  
was Secretary of Federation.
- ⑤ In 1911, the lot to the south was purchased, the  
old house was remodeled and a hall was erected  
to be used as a gymnasium, auditorium and  
dance hall, etc. See 1913 N. H. Report
6. Mr. Lafon Allen's brief with regard to claims  
made by circular pub by Union Gospel  
Mission, Fish Speckling, for a Committee  
from Conference of Social Workers  
Feb 23rd 1911. as to origination of  
N. H., Juvenile Court, Anti-Tuberculosis  
The Child Labor Law, Ky State Conference  
of Charities & Correction - etc

1911

1911

1. In March 1911 Conference of Social Workers in Louisville appointed a committee on Child Welfare which brought about the exhibit the following year.

2/28/1911.

Letter to Mr. W. W. Davie, written by me as Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the Associated Charities telling of recommendations before the Commercial Club and the Board of Trade for the formation of the Charities Endorsement Committee, later this was known as the Social Agencies Endorsement Committee and was later taken over by the Community Chest. As far as my records go, the Soc. Board of Trade, Walter E. Hingley, Secy. was underscoring the agencies in 1923.

1911.

The budget conducted by N. H. (1911.)  
since the fall of 1905 was taken over  
by the Board of Ed. in February 1911.  
but continued at N. H.

analysis of Jewish & Gentile  
figures. 4/1911 - for  
Fed. of Jewish Charities. (N.H., Today)

### Extracts from Neighborhood House Minutes

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Neighborhood House was held at a luncheon at Neighborhood House on Wednesday, October 7, 1925 at 1 o'clock P. M.

Those present were: President Tachau, presiding, Mrs. Barret, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. McNeekin, Miss Ingram, and Messrs. Belknap, Booth, Bulleit, Norman, Sachs, and Lewis.

The president reported that the contract for the purchase of the Kentucky Printshop property, heretofore authorized by this Board, had been entered into, and that the title is now being examined preparatory to the acceptance of the deed. He further reported that in conferences with Mr. James P. Barnes, President of the Community Chest and Mr. Charles W. Allen, Chairman of the Budget Committee of the Community Chest, these gentlemen advised that the purchase be made and assured him that the plan outlined for the financing of the purchase would be approved by the Community Chest. He further reported that the Louisville Trust Company will make the loan of \$45,000.00 under the conditions authorized, and that the owner of the Kentucky Printshop property will accept as part payment on the purchase price the note of Neighborhood House for \$5,000, for one year, secured by a mortgage on the property owned by Neighborhood House on the east side of First Street; this to give Neighborhood House time to make an advantageous sale of that property.

Leon P. Lewis, Secretary.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees of Neighborhood House was held at a luncheon at Neighborhood House on Monday, November 9, 1925, at 1 P. M.

Those present were: President Tachau, presiding, Mrs. Robertson, Miss Ingram, Messrs. Belknap, Booth, Caldwell, Bulleit, Sachs, and Lewis.

The president reported the consummation of the purchase of the Kentucky Printshop property on the terms heretofore authorized, as well as the execution of the mortgage authorized on the entire property of Neighborhood House on the west side of First Street, the notes secured by the mortgage being in a principal sum of \$45,000, payments on principal to be made at the rate of \$2,000 annually for the first nine years, the balance payable at the end of ten years, interest being at the rate of 6% per annum, payable semi-annually; and further reported that the original mortgages against a portion of this property totaling \$15,000., together with the interest thereon have been paid, as well as the note of \$5,000 to the Louisville National Bank. The further details of this transaction are as shown by the books.

Leon P. Lewis, Secretary.

1926

1926.

1. was asked by Mr. Elwood Street to come to St. Soais to talk on what a neighbor's head house may do for its neighbors  
Friday April 9, 1926. Meeting never came off.
2. Dedicated Lucy Belknap Memorial Building  
May 9, 1926 - (Sunday afternoon) 4 o'clock.
3. Talked at Bertha Fensterwald Social Center, Nashville Tenn. March, 1926.  
Virginia Howell, Head Res.

- 1927 1927
1. Passage of Bond issue permitted park board to enlarge its program and employ a year round director.
  2. Ray Boe's Report of Summer Play<sup>1927</sup> ground work.

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1928

1928

1. Ky. Children's Bureau -  
F. G. appointed member by Gov. Flem G.  
Sampson, 1928  
Reappointed by Governor Ruby  
sooon in 1932

The members of the Ky Childrens  
Bureau Bill were not appointed  
until Feb 8, 1929

The Ky Childrens Bureau became  
the Child Welfare Division of  
the State Department of Welfare  
work beginning in March 15,  
1937

This was by virtue of the  
Reorganization Act of 1936.

The functions of the Ky. Children  
Bureau, created by the Legislature in  
1928 were transferred to the  
Child Welfare Division in the  
newly established State Department  
of Welfare.

1929 Miss Smith Farrel

1929

~~1929 - 1933~~

From 1929 to 1933

State Settlements attempt to meet the  
Depression -

See Questionnaire on

"Settlements in the Economic Crisis  
from Cleveland in 1933"

1930

got invitation for 2nd Feb to meet in Louis  
ville - from Gov. Flem D. Campbell

May 2 William B Harrison

4 Harry G. Stevens, Secy & Manager  
Riveter - Louisville Conservatism & Publicity  
League

Grace Dornan day  
Dart Moline, Ill.  
Community Improvement Bureau  
I was glad to know in your last letter that you were feeling so  
much better. You are a marvel to me Miss Ingram. You go on building up your  
work each year and you never seem to get discouraged or blue when things go  
wrong. You have put lots of dreams and strength and patience in Neighborhood  
House and I know it will be worth it to you. Where do you plan to go this summe  
er for a good rest or you planning to be in harness all the time.

1931

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE  
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

ADMINISTRATION OFFICES

April 25, 1932

Miss Frances Ingram  
Neighborhood House  
428 South First Street  
Louisville, Kentucky

Dear Miss Ingram:

I am setting up an Advisory Committee to work with the Social Welfare Section of the Kentucky Division of the White House Conference on Child Health and Protection and wish very much to have a representative from the Board of the Kentucky Children's Bureau. We should be very glad if you could accept an appointment to this committee yourself. If you feel that you cannot do so at this time, is there any other member of the Board whom you would suggest? We plan to have our first meeting on Tuesday May 3rd, at 10:30 a.m. in the office of Dr. Kent, President of the University of Louisville, and I hope that you will find it possible to attend.

Yours very sincerely,

*Margaret K. Strong*

Margaret K. Strong  
Chairman of the Social Welfare  
Section of the Kentucky Division  
of the White House Conference on  
Child Health and Protection

MKS-am

1932

1932

Francis Jerome Sullivan. Sept 20. Oct 1, 1932

Ky. Children's Bureau. Member

1. Ky. Children's Bureau. Member  
Reappointed by Gov. Ruby Safford. 1932

2. Mrs. Margaret K. Strong, Ch. of Social  
Welfare Section of the Reg. Div. of the White  
House Conf - on Child Health & Protection.

1933

7. 14 1933

White House Conference, Committee on  
"Youth Outside the Home and School"  
for Sevierville & Jefferson Co., Chr., 1933.

Visit by Edward Larnowski -  
a Northwestern University Settlement  
boy, son of Mrs. Frances M. Hall,  
a young artist - July 10, '33 -

Dinner meetings of Nashville Social  
Service Club - Monday evenings  
March 27, 1933 - also conference  
at Settlement,

1934

- 8am Fed of Settlements May 14, <sup>3/4</sup>  
9. A. M. Report on Segregation  
10 " " Segregation in Brookline  
Judge Safford Allen - Chr. of  
Segregation Control Com.  
11. " Book Review " Toward Segregation  
Control" - Raymond B. Fosdick & Albert  
Scott 7, Ingram Pres
-

1935

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1936

1936.

i. 75th Anniversary of the Founding of  
the University Settlement Dec 4, 1936.

Paper given by Miss Ingram was published  
in World Outlook - Nashville, Tenn

May 1937

1936 - 1st letter from Miss Abbott in July  
I joined the National Committee of Welfare  
Leaders organized by Sept  
<sup>(2nd term)</sup> Committee organized by Sept  
Roosevelt of which Miss Grace Abbott of  
Chicago, formerly head of the U.S. Children's  
Bureau. There were 37 women leaders in  
this group. Though a number of the  
women were progressives of Republican  
origin, we supported Roosevelt because  
he has attacked & made progress  
in the solution of some of our fun-  
damental social problems; because  
his social security program, not  
only as evidenced in the Social  
Security Ad, but also in his  
effort to protect labor's right  
to collective bargaining; his  
recognition of the necessity for a  
public housing program & his  
placing provision for the unemployed  
above balancing the budget.

1937

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1938

1939

Miss Edith Farrel,  
Medical care in Settlement Neighborhoods  
for Nat. Fed of Settlements.  
good material for cases.

1939

1940

1941

1941

Sited in

Representative Kentuckians, 1913  
Who's Who in Louisville, 1926

1. The settlement is in the front line trenches and people in offices consulted with us.
2. Strict principle of detention is avoid detention
3. More publicity for child welfare. Some times those on boards do not understand. Contract with clean orderly orphanage with duty record. by home from which children come. are often hopeful that children would be better off in reconstructed home.
4. Thy heroes - 3rd verse of America the Beautiful.  
    a. Beautiful for heroes proved -  
        Miss Nickles - "Our Thy. Home" - Pay country,  
        See Prologue - (at end of pay out.)

Draftations.

U. S. Department of Labor  
Women's Bureau

Mary Anderson,

Agnes E. Peterson Industrial <sup>super</sup>visor

Caroline Manning

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① children from babyhood to adolescence

② characteristics of early adolescence

③ Theory of Play

Old idea - to get rid of energy  
Safer idea

Johann's Ed. by Play & Games  
Carl Jones. - Ed. by Play

Play is Ed. in general.

Social Ed. involves morals

By morality we mean

Conforming to certain laws.

In order to conform we

must have strength of  
& pluck of judgment

Play is expression of  
children's impulses -

Instinctive impulses are  
impulses to act -

normal Expression thru  
play - leads to normal  
life - normal life leads  
to morality.

Players are controlled by  
rules of game -

If child accepts these  
rules + lives up to  
them, he is law

abiding citizen

Morality is living up to  
rules of society.

Child will live up to rules  
if he thinks the rules  
are fair.

Children are absolutely  
free in play -

children reveal themselves  
in play -

They trying to find out  
delight.

Showed child she was  
inbreeding in her ability

General

The most available resource of community life - neighborhood interest and good will - dealing with concrete social situations.

His home the neglected back yard of a equal & smoky city. In terms of this particular situation, he spoke to the whole city in its light of ideal possibilities.

Death & disease flourish because tenements are over-crowed, because they have vermin & rats infested tenements with garbage filled stairways & hallways

Scholarship work

Child Welfare - set up - by  
Public Welfare Department

Sunday School Child Welfare

Pamphlet.

Edited by Women's Clubs

# First - Chm. of  
Industrial & Social Conditions

1921 Then Chairman of  
Department of Public Welfare  
which included - the above Committee  
as a Division

at same time Ky Children Code Committee

Nat. Com on Prisons & Prison Salaries

1923

"Ky Outline of Legislation recommended  
for enactment in 1922 - sent to  
Mrs. M. A. Sose, Quincy, Florida +  
Miss Elizabeth Skinner, Pres. Florida + ed

1921 - Mrs. Stanley Reek  
offered me room at Phoenix  
Hotel for use of Department  
of Pub. Welfare. Oct 17th 21.

9/26/21. gen. Ch. of Women's  
Mrs. Ira Coach Works was el.  
appointment of Child Welfare  
Chairman.

3/16/23 -  
under Cowley Mr. Beach works  
under Children's Bureau

Health various phases of Pub.  
Health Program -  
Mrs. Walter M. Miller, Chr. Health  
Div, Gen. Ch. Remember that each  
year this subject of Pub. Health  
comes larger in the public eye, & that  
the Fed. of Clubs is being looked to  
as one of the great educators of the

masses of the people, not  
only that, but much is expected  
of it in real accomplishment  
7/9/21

Object - of Gen. Fed of Women's  
Clubs - Dep. of Pub. Welf. Div.  
of Child Welfare

1. Public Protection of Maternity &  
Infancy -
2. Universal Child Health.
3. Abolition of Child Labor.

Comprehensive program for  
dealing with the baffling  
problems that had  
grown up in this country  
of ours.

serv. of Health — Object of women  
1. Min. Dept. of Health —  
2. Higher moral Standard, the same for men

## Child Welfare

In those early days the die was cast for the linking up of the settlement with the social program of the state when the Head Resident represented NY as Secretary of the Nat. Conf. of Social Work.

The child welfare begins way back with the work of the Child Labor & Truancy Committees under the Consumers League, Child Labor Committee, Scholarship - Woman's Club Com.

Fed. of Women's Clubs. (State)

3 divisions -

(a) Child labor & industrial conditions

(b) Health

(c) Public welfare

object: + social conditions, law,

law, of Industrial co-op., safe guarding

○ The rights of Employer, Employee & the public

Mod. Scientific methods for the care, training  
of Prisoners & Delinquent Children.

Earnestness

Living up with Women's  
Foundation for Health

43 East 22nd St. N.Y. City

State Board of Health

working through schools.

through its Bureau of Child

Hygienic - at request of  
teachers for a record to  
be kept in the schools.

+ to impress upon the children  
the importance of coming  
up to the standard.

one difficulty in planning  
programs was everybody,  
everywhere in the State is seized with  
the idea that the Federal

was splendid place to  
get their propaganda  
before the women

## Health forces of the nation

Survey of vice in  
Simsville - Vice Committee  
Report. Mr. Sachan  
& I appeared before  
Commission & presented  
a constructive program  
(Recreational)

age of Consent Bill  
introduced in Senate 1/10/22  
What other states have done  
keeping up with other states

in legislative world  
as keeping up with  
the Jones' in the  
social work

"Moral Daws of Ky-  
<sup>Mr. Stoll's Series</sup>

1. Child Welfare

2. Public Welfare

3. Public Welfare

Age of Consent Bill passed

1932 waiting into the slate

a single standard of morality

sponsored by Ky Fed of Women's Clubs

+ Ky League of Women Voters

Made age of consent 18 years

Hansing  
See "letters miscel" - letter to Miss  
Vittine 1921.

misfeasance

or  
Nonfeasance - in  
office

Sec 331 & 7 Ky Statutes

Committee on Institutional Relations

Mrs Julia N. Jaffray

Mr. Calvin Derrick infd.  
State School for Boys

Jamesburg, N.J.

Mrs. Faulconer Sleighton  
Farms - Glen Mills, Pa

Scoured the country  
Mr. Calvin Hovicks School  
Mrs. Falconer's school (Hartington) )  
Mr. Riden; got the Indian  
where 200 children live &  
learn.

Woman's Prison - Mr. Blane  
near Portland?

approaching the principles  
of self government for  
women & girls

first developed at  
Aldington Farms  
first developed under  
Mrs. Mallie Falconer

# Hannibal Melvin

O. Sophie Irene Stob

Mr. Stob

Dr. Frank J. O'Brien

Sap of the church  
credit

Enthusiastic support to  
entitled leads to amazing  
misplaced credit & all the  
evils & calamities following  
in its train

Mother's Aid for children

whose only fault is poverty  
& should be returned <sup>to</sup> ~~back~~  
their own homes & go  
forth home

Nat. Probation Assn

See pg 79y  
1923-1934 (8/11/35)

Meeting at N. H. to launch  
a Ky Probation Assn  
signed by Judge Harry G.  
Tucker May 3, 1927

flotsam & jetsam  
of life

Aug 19, 31

Recently Ky Probation Assn was organized  
to do ch. work throughout the state with  
the hope of securing some legislative  
measures, at the next session of  
the legislature. I serve

March 5, 1935

Re: Edward C. Scheffer, #S. 84144  
#S. 2119

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Feb 26, 1923

"You can sign your letter  
State Secretary of the National  
Probation Association for

Kentucky." Charles L. Chile, Gen  
you have been the only agent ~~we~~  
~~we have had in the state whom~~  
~~we could rely for information & cooperation~~

Unemployment points  
made in connection  
With increase in  
~~dealing of Males~~ —  
value of one.

Nat. Probation Association  
450 Seventh Ave.  
New York, N.Y.

See for Kentucky 1923 - 1935,  
Cases Nov 27, 1923 -

Ann Meyer - 10 - held in Juvenile Detention Home in Savannah, Ga. pending an investigation as to her mother's fitness to have her. Anna's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Anne Bilow lives in Pembroke. Early in this year the Juvenile Welfare Commission of Charleston S.C. was interested in Anna because of the conditions in her mother's home. At that time Mrs. Bilow asked that Anna be sent to her Bright attractive child - in crowded institution in Georgia - Couldn't live in Mother's home, grandmother <sup>who had removed</sup> couldn't take her into her home because she had her sixth and her child and her mother with her, 2nd husband was willing but she didn't want

To impose on him because Anna  
strong influence of own mother  
later on. The grandmother's house was  
small and she seemed to have  
her hands full -

Grandmother lived in town where  
there was social agency - A social  
worker who could make investigation  
worker in a near by town sent the  
name of a "reliable party" living in  
Pembroke who could help. After a year  
Case was left with promise  
of Mrs. John Campbell of Pembroke,  
promising to keep in touch with  
grandmother's Bilow's home.  
Social forces brought into play -

Department of Probation  
Recorder's & Circuit Courts

City of Detroit & Wayne Co.  
Municipal Court Bldg.

March 19, 1924.

Fred R. Johnson, Chief Probation Officer  
Albert Kruse was placed on probation  
Oct 2, 1922 because of violating the  
State Runaway Law. He was permitted to  
return to New York where his father  
Harry J. Kruse, is said to be a  
prominent business man at  
805 Dayton St.

When lad was given permission  
to go to his home it was with the  
understanding he would keep in touch  
with this office - This he has neglected  
to do. I am particularly interested  
in having some one call at the  
home of the father to determine  
how the boy is getting along & why  
he has failed to keep in touch  
with us as required.

Ired R. Johnson continued -

We wrote concerning this young man to Charles Temper listed as Probation Officer but we did not receive any reply. George Serry of the local Red Cross, <sup>Edgar</sup> Home of the Home Service Dept. visited the father who evidently replied his son had left home <sup>safely</sup>, three weeks & he had not heard from him since and that's the last of how he is, he said some of the follow up work took much trouble but was futile.

Often case of passing the  
buck by a local institution  
cases of Abel Heathley  
& Thomas Smith  
in which wife Mrs.  
Neville and Mr. Morgan  
of Greendale refused to  
have the baby returned  
to him -

Also case of Fort Wayne, Ind.  
Board of Children's Guardians  
to locate father of three children  
Charles Penn, formerly had lived  
in Fort Wayne, divorced wife  
with 3 children in home, married  
again, wrote to Bowling Green  
and sent back children after trial

because the home was  
quarantined due to scarlet  
fever. Then later Hous  
couldn't get in because  
with him when it ~~was~~  
the quarantine was lifted  
necessary.

Put Mrs. Edds, Fort  
Wayne against <sup>with</sup> the  
proper person  
in Bowling to make  
the investigation,  
Miss Milla Torreay  
Welfare Home, Bowling Green  
March 9, 1926,

Montgomery Ala.  
Children's Aid Rep'tt.  
~~Care~~ ~~neglect~~ runaway from  
home because of unkindness  
of step-father, Samuel Casper,  
Synch, Ky - Please investigate

Bondy wife case -

Mr. C. W. Osburn  
Muhlenburg Co. Health Officer  
Greenville, Ky

Finally cases were turned over  
to Emma Hurl Krugler  
good attitude, girls  
Robert Smith -

not, Crabb - Ass-  
uring thus years  
as agent for N. Prob. A.  
serve~~d~~ whom state officials  
through whom state officials  
of organized courts could  
work communists in order that  
they might return to ~~satisfactorily~~  
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the job.

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travel with changes in <sup>in Remington</sup> the  
local Courts in Ky before we  
met a state parole  
board or before the state parole work

Not Proba - Reso-  
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served as agent for N. Prob. Co.  
among whom state officials  
of organized courts could  
work communally in order that  
they might return in safety  
citizens to their home state  
<sup>safely</sup>  
factory  
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were worked out that it was  
worth all the effort put into  
the job.

Also worked as early long drawn  
out official might keep in  
touch with changes in <sup>in</sup> ~~now~~  
local courts in Ky before we  
arrived at a state parole  
board (or before the state parole work)

was worked out  
satisfactorily

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The Courier-Journal & The Louisville  
Times -

May 28, 1931 -

Sent out circular letters  
to capture the school board  
juvenile Court and in  
the promotion of their  
program of small boys  
for their circulation  
department - conducted  
by H. W. Stodgill, manager  
of this department.

Sept. 19, 31,

My letter - commending  
good points of program

Mr. Stodgill, Pres.

International Circulation  
Managers' Association.

Thunder Bird Section-

Herald - Post -

1926

Son. Ky., Thursday Evening July 15, 1926

O a statement to the people of Louisville  
This section contains the real story of  
the circulation situation in Son., with  
every statement & picture in evidence  
completely verified.

The C. J. & Times made  
false claims that circulation  
was going up! When freight  
cars full of C. J. & Times were  
rolling out of the city.

(2) for sale all over city by the  
Pound as waste.

3. News boys worry over serious  
financial problems, wondering whether  
they can sell enough papers to  
pay for C. J. & Times they have to "eat."  
4. City dump covered with C. J. & Times

Are there 9 o'clock in a month  
of C. J. & Lewis the next.  
Read a reader?

How many sent to Jackland Co  
to Richardson Paper Stock Co  
What Price "Complete Coverage"?  
Aim of Thunder Bird?  
To rule city + state - object  
of grotesque plan.

## Unemployment -

These heart-rending years  
study began —

### Peak -

Hacker - Hammer - (Hampton)

For 13 yrs - up to the fall of 1929 -  
Mr. Hampton earned \$2.00 a week - making  
barrels at Soc. Coop. Garage. He was dependable  
interested in work & clean - had bad habits.

Family lived comfortably on his wages renting a fine  
room house for \$20.00 a mo. They owned  
their furniture. In 1929 when his times wages  
were reduced family moved to a two-room  
flat opening upon a side entrance at 507  
So. Brook St., renting for \$11.00 a mo.

Since 1929 - Mr. Hampton's wages have  
averaged (Mrs. H. said) 6 dollars a week.

Mrs. H. is an industrious woman, clean & orderly  
in her home. Son Joe, 15 years, always clean & neat.

Mrs. H. said I will do any kind of work to keep out  
of debt.

Hampton

'When we have money we eat  
when we do not, we do without.  
Mrs. H., nurses, taking care of old  
lady next door. Mrs. H. is  
anxious for her son Joe.  
She feels that he is a boy of unusual  
possibilities & character & wants him  
to have a better education & a better  
chance in the world than his parents  
had. Since 1929 Joe has been  
selling papers averaging 85¢  
a day & bringing the entire amount  
home to his mother. This  
past winter Mrs. H.'s brother sent  
her money to help buy coal. Mrs.  
H. said her husband was a good &  
kind man who staid at home in the  
evenings & sent over around.  
He is now in last year of the  
Eastern Jr. High School. Mrs. H. does  
not look well. She is worried  
over the family's financial  
condition.

Hampton - Unemployment  
Father did not leave Cooperage.  
The Co. reduced his wages & time  
to \$6.00 a week.

### "Family Studies"

"In the family studies we have also taken a wide range of families in nationality & age, & in education. We have attempted to select a wide range of families which meet the necessary requisite that they have been self-dependent prior to the unemployment crisis. After selecting a number of families our final selection has been picked to include different types. Throughout these families seems to run a common strain of a desire to become self-sufficient in their own home. They all seem to desire to be able to set their own house in order & resent the fact that outside agencies must come in to dominate the family situation." Sonis Brager

The depression was on -  
The storm had begun -  
Rumbles of them like reverberating  
thru that the world -  
Lightning split the sky -  
Then the downpour -  
~~For months~~ month after month there was  
no let up.  
Mr. Minnows -

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# National Probation Assoc

July 12, 1926

## Cases -

Request from Mrs. Gertrude S. Olds, of the  
Board of Children's Guardians  
Allen County, Indiana  
Third Floor of Court House  
Fort Wayne, Indiana

on placing a child in a foster home  
in Ky. coming from outside the state.

See Ky Statutes # 331-C-1 "Importation  
of Dependent Regulated"

If after reading this statute you still care  
to place a child in a Ky. Co. it will be necessary  
to furnish the Co. judge in which any child is  
to be placed or left, with a bond acceptable  
to said Co. judge in the penal sum of \$10,000.00

Mr. Arthur Taylor, 215 E. Walnut St.  
of the Children's Bureau, Louisville, Ky. will be glad  
to supervise the child. The Children's Bureau,  
of which Mr. Taylor is the head, is a local  
bureau for Louisville + Jefferson Co. under  
the Community Chest.

Books - Sept 12, 1926

1. Juvenile Courts + Probation - Fleener  
2. The Child, The Clinic, + the Court - by Cabot  
3. Community Treatment of Delinquents - Nat. Probation  
Assoc.

4. Pamphlets

a) Juvenile Court at Work - Seward

b) The Social Service of Courts.

Not Probation Department

City of 1st & 2nd Class - what ~~places~~ city in one of the  
other classes

Mr. A. M. Syon - wrote Nov 9, 1926  
trying to locate Mrs. Mary Saad, who  
formerly lived at 431 So. First St.,  
the mother of Birdie Mae Saad  
who had been paroled to the  
mother Dec 5, 1924

Sept 20, 26

Wrote Mr. Ray Davis, Supt. of Public Schools  
Bedford, Ky - (a near by town)  
Flora Williams, 15 yrs of age, of Milton, Ky.,  
Trimble Co., has been brought into court  
for some delinquency in Cincinnati, & is  
being held in detention in that city.  
Will you be good enough to make a home  
investigation if possible, at once. Please let  
me know whether you consider Flora's  
home a proper one to return to. If so please  
find out if it will be possible for some one  
from Flora's home to go to Cincinnati to  
get her. I will notify you of the time  
to go for the girl if it is not possible  
for you to do this. Will you send me the  
name of some one you think could do this.

Mr. John P. Brammer  
N. Y. State Libr'y  
Parole  
Capitol Building  
Albany, N. Y.  
Carrie Officier

Mr. H. C. Hart  
Mr. G. H. Hart  
Ed B. Schaffer  
Sunville  
10 East Broad  
Dheil & Neill  
Dufpler Co.  
② Merchant Safe  
& Mfg. Co.  
Paint Co.

Key River Mills  
(Jeff Co.)  
Mar. 27, 1880  
Sawyer  
Matthews Bros.  
Chandler

National Probation Association, INC.  
370 Seventh Avenue  
New York City

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CHARLES PLATT  
Vice-PRESIDENT  
HON. MARY E. BARTELME

TREASURER  
GEORGE GORDON BATTLE  
GENERAL SECRETARY  
CHARLES L. CHUTE

July 2, 1928

Miss Frances Ingram,  
Neighborhood House,  
428 South First Street,  
Louisville, Kentucky.

My dear Miss Ingram:

I want you to know about several delinquent children who will smile with new hope if you and I see that they get a square deal.

To see them before our courts - dejected, wretched, neglected, brings an irresistible tug at our heart-strings; for the deserving ones we must provide a fair chance under probation.

As it works out over and over, probation means for a child a cure in body, mind, and home environment; for society it means a useful life in the community.

Just read about "Tom" and "Dick" - then send the attached slip with as large a check as you can - your last contribution was \$2.00. It is for the youngsters I am seeking the aid of every one of our friends.

Sincerely yours,

*Charles L. Chute*

CLC/ds

General Secretary.

Nat. Prolet. Assn -

Nov. 23, 1926

wrote Miss Virginia See Conner

See Red Cross, Ashland, Ky.

Regarding Sela Franklin, formerly  
of Vicksburg

"I have just received a telegram  
from Juvenile Protective Assn, Chicago  
stating that Sela Franklin born 11/14/1906  
daughter of W. B. & Nancy Franklin  
of Vicksburg, Ky. has been brought to  
Chicago by Mr. A. P. Alexander. The  
girl claims to have worked as bookkeeper  
at Quality Furniture Co. 14th & Greenup  
Sts, Ashland, Ky. Please verify this  
statement & wire my telephone.  
Signed Frances Longman

see 29th, 1926

State Board of Charities & Corrections

Frankfort.

B. J. Brewer Secy of State Board of C. & C.  
Received questionnaire from Dr. S. P. Breckinridge  
on state supervision of private institutions  
for dependent children

March 22, 1928, Dear Mr. Clute

"I want to make a correction in your  
'National History of Probation Officers in  
the U. S. & Canada.' Mr. H. H. Marshburn is  
Chief Probation Officer of the Juvenile Court  
of Jefferson Co. in Louisville, Ky. You evidently  
gathered your statistics during the brief  
regime of the Democratic party, as Mr. Robert  
L. Sogar's name appears in your book. I certainly  
wish that Mr. Sogar was there now, for during  
his three months of office, he did a "round up" job, &

Mr. J. A. Thomas

Southern Urban League  
606 West Walnut St  
Savannah, Ga.

traced through  
an attorney  
Mr. & Mrs. James  
B. Johnson

Feb 3, 1929

The City of High Point, N.C.

Board of Public Welfare and Juvenile Court  
J. H. Jones, Juvenile Judge.

High Point, N.C.

Chief of Police  
Mc Neigh, Ky.  
Dear Sir:

We are anxious to locate a negro  
man by the name of M. F. Smith who says  
he is from High Point, N.C. He has been circulating  
letters to prominent people all over the  
U.S., regarding his condition & asking  
for help.

We traced him to Knoxville, Tennessee &  
found that had had left a forwarding  
address to Mc Neigh, Ky. It seems that he  
goes from place to place begging & getting  
all he can, and I am very anxious to find  
out if he is a resident of North Carolina  
I would appreciate it if I could get  
any information on him through the  
Police Department or General Delivery.

Alice Grammer  
Ed. Sec.

Feb 3, 1929 Mc Neigh, Ky.

The above M. F. Smith is a native of this  
place he was born & reared here his father  
& mother has all ways lived here. Mr. M. F. Smith  
is noted for the things mentioned above. Mr. Smith  
is here at this time. Yours, S. B. Maynard  
Deputy Constable, Mc Neigh, Ky.

(COPY)

M. F. SMITH  
High Point, N.C.

December 15, 1928.

Dear Friend:

I wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

I am afflicted by the loss of both legs. I am a shoemaker and would like to start a shop of my own. If you will send me some money it will certainly be appreciated and used to my best advantage. At present I am out of wrk.

I wish you much health and happiness throughout the new year. I am mailing a copy of this letter to the governor of every State in the Union, and other prominent men.

I hope you will seriously consider this appeal and help me.

Yours very respectfully,

M.F.SMITH

nat. Probation Case -

April 3-1931. - Frederick A. Moran

Re; Samuel Millhite. F 43714  
inmate of Auburn Prison, now serving  
a term of from one & one half  
to three years for assault and disorderly  
behavior if he released to Sonnen, Ky

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My Soc. of Women's Clubs  
Pres. Mrs. Safon Parker  
Harrodsburg, Ky.  
Industrial & Social Conditions  
was Frances Ingall  
R. H. Jamesville

When — ?

before I was ch. of Public Welfare  
Com.

Miscellaneous

Our conversation with Notice

Rame - George Nabors  
sent down Mr. Doyce wanted  
to come to work at F.A.H.  
Martin (E. Wilson's letter)  
just for summer -

Fifth  
Kearney -

1 -

Just Karen's place  
"the Garden of memory" at 442  
settings perfectly exposed

E. F. A. Brown  
Boys took part in Rodeo

Helpham

case of Mr. Witz, Gertrude Seiter  
went to Consulate in Cuba -

Nobles Home

Anthony A. Angley  
engaged to miss ~~Genefel~~  
was at N.H in 1933,

Mr. E. G. Holland said that N.H  
had been a strong factor  
in the social & civic advancement  
of Somerville - Sept of Public  
School - Dec 30, 1915 -  
after 5 yrs was leaving for  
North West.

Nathan Marcus had charge of  
the Neuro-Psycho pathic ward -  
at Tampa Municipal Hospital  
on Harris Islands Tampa Bay  
17 Youth Outside of Home & School  
& sent them

Sellers -  
Mary Rock well Hook  
Mrs. Ingraham Hook -  
Eugene Hook ~ 11 yrs old,  
in June 90, 1927.

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Letters

Agnes J. Peterson - 10/18/1930  
had been to S. with Miss Mary  
Anderson's in vertigo class

Margaret C. Strong 10/18/30  
beautiful note thanking me  
for talk I gave her Seminar on  
the Ky. Child Welfare Work  
Sociology Dept. U. of S.

Miss M. B. Ellis - done to Miss  
Burnie

Frank T. Lynn - Do not  
forget our beloved Miss  
Thompson -

Anna M. Du Brul  
Cincinnati, Ohio - sent me  
wooden paper cutter - Italian style - painted

Dr. Carl J. Johnson  
Dr. A. B. Johnson

514 Breslin Medical Arts Bldg.  
Louisville, Ky.

Edward Martin -  
senses + frame - Ball Optical  
Co - Dec 1, 1938.

Setters

Sillian Dilling Mock, "Al" husband

Zarah See

Margaret + Henry

Fowrose Wainwright

265 Henry St.

New York.

1123/34

Thomas P. Fay, N. D. J.

a. M. P. G.

Shadowbank

West Stockbridge

Massachusetts - 12/12/32

James Ingram - Frank's mandolin  
bought a book for 10c. to learn & play.

Vince Bello - mentioned in Frank Flynn

Frances Roberts sister -

Mrs. H. P. Ruggles

Glenburnie Lake George, N.Y.

Mrs. Clark 7/7/34

"you probably know that Miss Estelle Hall has  
retired + is now Emeritus in the  
position which she held at Teachers  
College

Mrs. Peck - "We miss you - I have just  
told one to tell you we are getting along  
and to give you and your mother best  
love again, again, and again.  
Dennie is precious.

Robert A. Sevin, son of Miss Ma. Sevin  
step

Merry Christmas from Sister Fara.

3/10/1911 - U.S.S. Sanisca  
Norfolk, Va - g. 20. Bosroc - Sevin \$2.  
S. Hill Gordon 1939 card

6-1-28 - Dr. H.C. Hermann  
x - Ray Examination of knee  
\$6.00 (most has been paid by paying  
Rec. Bill.)

Walter J. Froess - 30.50

Aug 25, 1927.

Furniture Repairer

S. J. Clarke Publishing Co 105.00  
May 3, 1928 - History of Ky.

Boone Tavern, Berea, Ky.

Prof. C.D. Constant

L'Ecole Francaise  
420 West, 21st St.

New York City

"Saw the account of David Anderson's death  
in the Survey," 1932 France Roberts

Names - April 19, 39

C. F. Greaves-Carpenter  
came to Louisvile in behalf of South  
Control with introduction from  
Mrs. Woods - talked with Mrs. Mrs.  
Tschau

Sixt of N. H. Boys in Service

min Peabody Peter - Oct 50, 1942  
Boots Caddock - a Clifton foot ball player  
formerly of F. A. H. with tanks in England

Ed. Kueffer - Cape Cod (Retired) Sept 1942 in engine room

Philip Messina - over seas - Australia

Samis Devine - Corporal - Australia

Wachsee Boys - both Corporal & Sgt. now  
in Australia.

3 Bellucci boys in the army. Matthew is a  
Parachutist

Youth movement.  
We believe in youth, in sympathy  
with their movement

Boys' Athletic League - June 7, 44  
Dear Missogram

Thomas, whose name appears on the reverse of this letter, seeks permission to go to Camp. To shield him & his family from embarrassment now or at any future time, his surname is omitted.

As a criminologist & former Deputy Police Commissioner of New York, I am concerned with the future of our youth especially as applied to the present delinquency problems.

I am convinced that sending an underprivileged boy to Camp is one of the greatest deterrents to delinquency & the most effective means of making him aware that "life is real-life is earnest" and the "pail" is not its goal. No boy is born vicious. Viciousness is thrust upon him by the unfortunate accident of his environment. Give him a chance & he will rise to heights of character that will enable him & everyone who extends a hand to help him. Our country lets

prove this, without a shadow  
of a doubt!

This America, which they  
serve, shows no preference  
neither does their uniform  
make any distinction. It  
matters not how lowly  
the beginning - The heights  
reached is what counts!

Gives this boy + all our  
boys, a chance to achieve  
the heights of honor &  
loyalty + goodness, + you  
will soon see how well  
+ feel it a privilege. I say my  
I say this because I am mindful  
of your previous generosity  
+ sympathy with these  
boys.

#20 to send him to Camp  
for 2 wks. #10 for every  
week. I assure you he will  
be only good material as well  
as, you ~~will~~ surely, see. Carleton Simon