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NEW SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH DEAN



On September 1 Dr. Bernard G. Greenberg will succeed Dr. W. Fred Mayes as dean of the School of Public Health of the University of North Carolina.

Dr. Greenberg has served as head of the Department of Biostatistics since its inception. In this position he has shown continuing interest in the health needs of North Carolina—through teaching Biostatistics to many health workers of the State in regular academic as well as short courses, collaborative research with other health professionals on problems in the State, and consultation for state and local health agencies. At the same time he has built a national and inter-

national reputation in the field of Biostatistics.

A long-time member of the North Carolina Public Health Association, he has served as chairman of several of its committees and had an important role in the establishment of the Statistics-Epidemiology Section of the Association. He has also served as chairman of the Statistics Section of the American Public Health Association, and in 1966 received the Bronfman award of the national Association for outstanding accomplishments in public health.

As dean-elect, Dr. Greenberg has stressed his interest in having the School of Public Health participate in various future health efforts in North Carolina. He has expressed this in a motto, "Think North Carolina." He has also indicated the hope that the future mission of the School will include undergraduate training that will eventually reach many North Carolina students, and work on model health centers to bring together public health training and practice in localities within the State.

NOMINEES FOR NCPHA OFFICES

The NCPHA Nominating Committee, with Emily Tyler as chairman, has made the following nominations for positions in the Association for the 1972-1973 term:

President-Elect: George G. Dudley, D.D.S., Assistant Director, Dental Health Division, North Carolina State Board of Health; formerly Chairman of the Dental Health Section, and Vice-President of NCPHA.

Vice-President: Nettie L. Day, Community Development Specialist, Governor's Coordinating Council on Aging; formerly Treasurer of NCPHA.

Secretary: Juanita H. Whitfield, Administrative Officer, Wayne County Health Department; formerly Chairman of the Secretarial and Statistical Section of NCPHA.

Treasurer: Ralph H. Boatman, Professor of Health Education and Administrative Dean of Allied Health Sciences, University of North Carolina; formerly Vice-President of NCPHA.

Members-at-Large: Verna Y. Barefoot, M.D., Health Director, Craven and Pamlico County Health Departments, and Becky S. Bowden, Coordinator, Community Fluoridation Program, Dental Health Division, North Carolina State Board of Health.

NCPHA LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

The Legislative Committee of the Association has suggested and the Governing Council has approved proposals that NCPHA:

1. Take appropriate action on legislation developed by the Legislative Study Commission on the Organization and Delivery of Public Health Services.
2. Formulate and introduce legislation, in cooperation with other agencies of local government, to eliminate modification of salaries downward by local government and to bring into effect state-wide use of the State Personnel Board Pay Plan without exception.
3. Support or introduce legislation to give the North Carolina State Board of Health authority to determine specific immunization requirements.
4. Initiate legislation to allow delivery of family planning services to minors without parental consent.
5. Introduce legislation enabling county governments to remove junk automobiles.
6. Support amendments to the Nurse Practice Act and/or Medical Practice Act to enable specially trained nurses to perform legally in a variety of settings.

The selection of items of proposed legislative action followed extensive efforts of the Legislative Committee to obtain suggestions from NCPHA members throughout North Carolina. The Committee asked each county health department, as well as other public health institutions, to designate a representative who could apprise the committee of local member concerns and suggestions for resolution of health problems. Fifty-six counties sent names of volunteers who furnished an impressive number of issues for Legislative Committee consideration and gave reactions to proposals made. These persons will provide liaison with local legislators as the NCPHA legislative program develops.

As part of the NCPHA legislative program Dr. Marjorie Strawn, chairman of the Legislative Committee, made a presentation to the Legislative Study Commission on the Organization and Delivery of Public Health Services on needs for assistance of local health programs in order to provide better distribution of health services throughout North Carolina.

SHORT COURSE ON PUBLIC HEALTH LAW

Frank P. Grad, professor at Columbia University Law School, will be principal instructor and Dr. James R. Kimmey, executive director of the American Public Health Association, will be a featured speaker for a short course on Principles of Public Health Law and Legal Tools for Effective Health Administration at the Ramada Inn, Greensboro, North Carolina, February 20-23.

Designed primarily for employees in local public health agencies, the course has the sponsorship of the North Carolina Public Health Association, the Southern Branch of the American Public Health Association, the North Carolina State Board of Health, and the University of North Carolina School of Public Health. Miss Elizabeth S. Holley, chief of the Public Health Nursing Section, North Carolina State Board of Health, is chairman of the planning committee for the course.

Brochures giving additional information about the course will be mailed to NCPHA members in October. Traineeships will be available for 75 persons.

NCPHA 61st ANNUAL MEETING, WILMINGTON, OCTOBER 18-20, 1972

All events are at the Timmé-Plaza Motor Inn unless otherwise specified.

The theme of the 1972 program of the North Carolina Public Health Association will be *Environment: Today—Tomorrow? Forever?* Dr. Daniel A. Okun, head of the Department of Environmental Sciences and Engineering at the University of North Carolina, will give the keynote address, "Environmental Hazards: Fact and Hoax," at the opening general session on October 18th. Subsequent general sessions will include presentations on "The Public Health Profession and Environmental Protection," by Professor Emil T. Chanlett of the Department of Environmental Sciences and Engineering at the University of North Carolina, and "The Government and Environment in North Carolina," by Dr. Arthur W. Cooper, Assistant Secretary of the North Carolina Department of Natural and Economic Resources.

Representative Nancy Chase, chairman of the North Carolina Legislative Study Commission on the Organization and Delivery of Public Health Services, will speak at the final general session. She will give the Association members some of her observations on recent activities of the Commission which are of considerable potential importance in meeting public health needs of the people of the State.



Okun



Chanlett



Cooper



Chase

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17

12:00 noon Governing Council, NCPHA Wilmington Room

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

9:00 a.m. Home Health Agency Conference Garden Room

10:30 a.m. North Carolina Conference of Health Directors Board Room

2:00 p.m. Section Meetings See opposite page

3:00 p.m. North Carolina Academy of Preventive Medicine and Public Health Cape Fear Hotel

8:00 p.m. First General Session Grand Ball Room

Keynote Address:

"Environmental Hazards: Fact and Hoax"

Daniel A. Okun, Sc.D.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19

7:30 a.m. Exhibitors' Breakfast Wilmington Room

8:00 a.m. Past Presidents' Breakfast Board Room

9:00 a.m. Second General Session Grand Ball Room

Presidential Address

Lydia S. Holley

The Public Health Profession and Environmental Protection

Emil T. Chanlett

Section programs during the meeting will cover a wide range of topics, such as public health organization, factors in change, consumer protection, solid wastes, nutrition and dental disease, venereal disease programs, current laboratory activities, the ecology of health behavior, mental health approaches to social stress, records retention, statistical methodology, and health evaluation.

The Association meetings will be in Wilmington, October 18-20, with the Timmé-Plaza Motor Inn as headquarters. The New Hanover County Health Department will be the host for the event. Dr. J. C. Knox and Miss Annie Lou Davis of this Department are co-chairmen of local arrangements.

The North Carolina Academy of Preventive Medicine and Public Health will hold a concurrent open scientific session the afternoon of October 18th at which Dr. William P. Richardson will present "A Viewpoint of an Immediate Past President of the American Academy of Preventive Medicine." The North Carolina Conference of Health Directors and the Home Health Agency Conference will also hold business meetings in Wilmington on October 18th.

10:30 a.m. Business Meeting of NCPHA Grand Ball Room

12:30 p.m.-

3:00 p.m. Section Meetings See opposite page

6:00 p.m. NCPHA Social Hour Patio

7:00 p.m. Third General Session Grand Ball Room

Honors and Awards Banquet

9:00 p.m. Dance Grand Ball Room

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20

9:30 a.m. Fourth General Session Grand Ball Room

The Government and Environment in North Carolina
Arthur W. Cooper, Ph.D.

Legislative Study Commission on the Organization and Delivery of Public Health Services
Hon. Nancy Chase

Summary of 61st NCPHA Annual Meeting
Jacob Koomen, M.D.

12:00 noon Old and New Officers' Luncheon Board Room

SECTION MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

- 2:00 p.m. PUBLIC HEALTH MANAGEMENT Board Room
Effectiveness of Public Health Organizations
Charles L. Harper, Ph.D.
Business Meeting
- 2:00 p.m. PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING AND
PHYSICAL THERAPY Garden Room
People-Producers or Products of Change
Ralph C. Patrick, Ph.D.
- 2:00 p.m. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Ball Room
Consumer Protection
Hon. Robert B. Morgan
Public Relations and Motivation
Clinton R. Prewett, Ph.D.
Solid Waste Program
O. W. Strickland
- 2:00 p.m. STATISTICS AND EPIDEMIOLOGY Ball Room
Statistical Methodology in Highway
Safety Research
Gary M. Koch, Ph.D.
Evaluation of a Community Health Services
Delivery System
Dennis B. Gillings, Ph.D.
Panel Discussion: Small Area Data
Needs and Sources
(Participants to be announced)
Business Meeting
- 2:00 p.m. HEALTH EDUCATION Cape Fear Hotel
Business Meeting
Ecology of Health Behavior
and Its Practical Relevance
Guy W. Steuart, Ph.D.

- 2:00 p.m. DENTAL HEALTH Wilmington Room
Business Meeting

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19

- 12:30 p.m. PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING AND
PHYSICAL THERAPY Ball Room
Luncheon
Counties: Bound or Unbound by Change
Lenox D. Baker, M.D.
- 12:30 p.m. HEALTH EDUCATION Cape Fear Hotel
Luncheon
Application of Conference Theme
Guy W. Steuart, Ph.D.

- 1:00 p.m. SECRETARIAL Garden Room
Luncheon
Business Meeting
Records: How Long Should We Keep Them?
Edward Warren and Ben Eaton

- 1:30 p.m. HEALTH DIRECTORS, NUTRITION, AND
DENTAL HEALTH Cape Fear Technical Institute
Diet and Nutrition in Dental Disease
William R. Stanmeyer, D.D.S.
Plaque, Bacteria, and Tests As Related
to Oral Hygiene and Dietary Control
James J. Crawford, Ph.D.

Business Meeting of the Nutrition Section

- 2:00 p.m. STATISTICS AND EPIDEMIOLOGY Board Room
Recent Developments in Epidemiological Studies
Martin P. Hines, D.V.M.
Abortion Reporting System in North Carolina
James J. Palmersheim, Ph.D.
Follow-Up Study of Infants Born Out of
Wedlock in North Carolina
Elizabeth J. Coulter, Ph.D.

- 2:00 p.m. LABORATORY Wilmington Room
The Influence of Simulated Space Environment
on Human Indigenous Microflora
Lorraine Gall, Ph.D.
Why A Kidney Program?
James S. MacCormack, Jr., M.D.

Business Meeting

- 2:00 p.m. MENTAL HEALTH Cape Fear Technical Institute
Community Mental Health Approaches
to Social Stress
Francis T. Miller, Ph.D.
Rolffs S. Pinkerton, Ph.D.
Joseph F. Aponte, Ph.D.
William G. Hollister, M.D.

- 2:00 p.m. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Ball Room
Business Meeting

- 2:30 p.m. VENEREAL DISEASE CONTROL Cape Fear Hotel
Overview of the Venereal Disease
Program in North Carolina
Martin P. Hines, D.V.M.
Current Status of the Venereal
Disease Program in North Carolina
*Venereal Disease Section of
State Board of Health*
National Venereal Disease Effort
Delwin Hammons

Business Meeting

- 3:00 p.m. PHYSICAL THERAPY Room 916
Business Meeting

NEW ACTION BOARD PROPOSED

NCPHA members will be asked to vote at the Annual Meeting on a proposal to create a new action board within the Association. The Development Study Committee made the proposal and the Governing Council has approved it.

The purposes of the proposed new board would be to elicit issues and problems relating to health, to study the effects of identified problems on the health of the people, and to recommend priorities for action. Sections and committees of NCPHA, as well as individuals and outside groups, would make suggestions to the board, which would in turn make recommendations for the Governing Council to take selected positions on issues or perform other actions. The Council would refer approved recommendations to Association committees for implementation when appropriate.

The new board would be representative of education, research, programming, planning, legislation, and personnel, and would include the APHA Action Board correspondent. The board could also form task forces composed of experts, from within or without NCPHA, to research particular issues. Comprehensive data obtained in such studies would serve as a resource to Association committees and sections.

Presentations and discussions at the Annual Meeting and the *Newsletter* would provide means of informing members of work of the Action board and involving them in such work.

The intent of the organizational change is to assist NCPHA in dealing with problems and issues relating to the health of the citizens of North Carolina within the existing structure of the Association.

SUGGESTED CHANGE IN NCPHA BY-LAWS

The Governing Council has approved for submission to the Association members a recommendation of the Nominating Committee for a change in the By-Laws aimed primarily at enlarging the panel of persons eligible to serve as NCPHA officers to include recent chairmen of standing committees. Specifically the recommendation is for a change in the requirement of Article VI Officers that

"An officer shall be a member of APHA and shall have been a member of the Governing Council of NCPHA."

to

"An officer (1) shall be a member of APHA and (2) shall have been a member of the Governing Council of NCPHA or chairman of a Standing Committee of NCPHA during the past ten years."

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The Executive Committee approved recommendations of the Scholarship Committee for awards of a total of \$1100 for three students for the academic year 1972-1973:

Mrs. Betty Chandler, dental assistant in the Cabarrus County Health Department—to go to Central Piedmont Community College in Charlotte.

Mrs. Elvadean Daughtry, public health nurse in the Wake County Health Department—to go to the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill.

Mrs. Betty Griffith, nursing supervisor in the Forsyth County Health Department—to go to Winston-Salem State University.

Official Actions of the Governing Council, Executive Committee, and Action Board

The NCPHA Secretary, Barbara Kahn, has reported the following major official actions during the 1971-1972 term of selected bodies within NCPHA (in addition to actions noted elsewhere in this *Newsletter*):

The Governing Council:

1. Directed the Manpower Committee to work with the Urban Coalition Program regarding recruitment of minority group members into public health.
2. Established a new Association Publicity Committee in an effort to obtain more state-wide coverage of the Annual Meeting.
3. Directed payment by NCPHA of travel of future Executive Committee members to meetings of this committee when their agencies do not reimburse them.
4. Nominated the following members to serve on APHA councils:

Audrey Booth	Personal Health
Stacy Covil	Environment
Lydia Holley	Health Manpower
5. Supported the Southern Branch nomination of Ed Campbell for APHA Executive Committee and the APHA Health Education Section nomination of Clarence Pearson for APHA President-Elect.
6. Decided to award Life Memberships at the annual Honors and Awards Banquet.

The Executive Committee:

1. Employed Margaret Bryant as part-time Administrative Assistant following the resignation of Isabelle Thompson.
2. Appointed Elizabeth J. Coulter on June 1 to fill the unexpired term of Vice-President of NCPHA resulting from the resignation of Frances Sellers, who married and moved out of the State.
3. Selected Charlotte as the 1974 Annual Meeting site (Raleigh is the 1973 site).
4. Contracted with John Jordan to continue to serve as Legislative Representative through the 1973 state legislative session.

The Action Board:

1. Supported, through letters to responsible officials in North Carolina, the APHA Resolution recommending that early pregnancy detection become an integral part of all public health and family planning programs.
2. Implemented the 1971 Resolution on fringe benefits for local public health workers by having the President send a letter about this to health directors and chairmen of boards of county commissioners throughout the State.
3. Informed the State Health Director of the 1971 Resolution recommending additional staff in the State Board of Health Personnel Office.

NEW OFFICERS OF DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS

ENCPHA

President: Ghurman Ange, Martin County Health Department
President-Elect: Van Jenkins, Womack Army Hospital, Fort Bragg
Vice-President: Martha Jacobs, Onslow County Health Department
Secretary-Treasurer: Ruth Bowen, Martin County Health Department

WNCPHA

President: Marjorie Strawn, M.D., Caldwell County Health Department
President-Elect: Lexine White, Iredell County Health Department
Vice-President: R. S. Roberson, M.D., Haywood County Health Department
Secretary-Treasurer: Evelyn Smith, Gaston County Health Department

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PROGRAM SUMMARY 60th ANNUAL MEETING, NCPHA, 1971

"Look to the People—Our Best Resource" was the theme of the 1971 NCPHA Meeting and spot-lighted the contributions of a variety of groups to public health in North Carolina. The 60th Annual Meeting, October 6-8, was held in Winston-Salem at the new Convention Center.

Dr. James Kimmey, executive director of APHA, identified in his keynote address that APHA was again the "cutting edge" for progressive health legislation at the national level. He reminded the session that historically APHA had been in front, leading health and political interests toward better means to meet health needs. Dr. Kimmey stressed the need for affiliates of APHA, such as NCPHA, to make their opinions known. In summary he stated that APHA was committed to active stands on pertinent issues and that all of public health was urged to join with them.

Senator Hargrove Bowles (having just announced his candidacy for governor) and John Jordan, NCPHA's legislative representative, spoke of legislators' and state executives' interest in public health during their discussion of "Legislative Process and Public Health in North Carolina." Both avowed that health was a timely issue in the state political and bureaucratic arena and that actions would be taken. They challenged public health workers to share their knowledge and opinion with legislators. The major message was to get commitment on issues from candidates during primaries and elections, and to concentrate work in the General Assembly at those times when issues were alive. Both these men acknowledged the impact of work of NCPHA members during the previous General Assembly, gave cogent reasons for lack of complete success of NCPHA programs, and encouraged the Association to continue its efforts.

Members of the Association, outstanding professional persons and volunteer workers were honored for their service to public health during the Honors and Awards Banquet.

The closing session focused on community involvement in health today, particularly planning and consumer

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Lydia S. Holley

Public health in North Carolina in 1972 should be a time of tremendous excitement and perhaps even adventure. When has there been so much interest in health, especially in such areas as the environment, safety, family planning, delivery of health services, and programs for children, drug addicts and alcoholics? Legislators and consumers, the affluent and the poor, providers and clients, industrialists and insurance people... so much concern. And a new state agency—what will the Department of Human Resources be? The professional public health worker anticipates that his intimate knowledge of community problems will be utilized and that public health agencies will be provided by the resources to respond to the demand for services.

The NCPHA has set itself the task of becoming a spokesman in public health in North Carolina. The Legislative Committee will work with NCPHA members and with our Legislative Representative, John Jordan, to identify the key health issues which demand legislative activity. And with Mr. Jordan's help, work will begin while the primaries and elections are in process to obtain commitment of legislators to issues. When the 1973 General Assembly convenes we will be prepared to aggressively support selected issues. All of us recognize that political decisions are determined by contacts at the local level and our members are out there!

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SEVEN RECEIVE AWARDS

Six persons and one health department staff were named at the Annual Meeting Banquet in Winston-Salem as recipients of the 1971 NCPHA Awards. Those so honored were:

Dr. Marjorie O. Strawn, Director, Caldwell County Health Department, **Carl V. Reynolds Award**
Dr. W. Fred Mayes, Dean, UNC School of Public Health, **Watson S. Rankin Award**

Dr. R. Eugene Fox, formerly Health Director, Pitt County Health Department, **Watson S. Rankin Award** (posthumously)

Miss Josephine Sykes, Craven County Health Department, New Bern, **Citation of Merit**

Mrs. Wrenn H. Mercer, Elizabeth City, **Distinguished Service Award**
Dr. Samuel D. McPherson, Jr., Durham, **Distinguished Service Award**
Gaston County Health Department Staff, **Group Merit Award**

Nominations for 1972 awards should be sent no later than May to the Awards Committee Chairman, Dr. William P. Richardson, UNC School of Medicine, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, 27514. Nominations should include all pertinent personal and professional information on the nominee, a clear statement of contributions for which the award is recommended, and no more than four or five support letters or statements from persons in a position to know of these contributions.

1972 ANNUAL MEETING TO WILMINGTON

The NCPHA, Inc. will convene on October 18, 1972 at the new Timme Plaza Motor Inn in Wilmington, North Carolina. This new beautiful modern hotel is located in Wilmington on the Cape Fear River across from the U.S.S. North Carolina. Timme Plaza will serve as "Headquarters" through most functions including registration. It will be necessary, however, to schedule some sections' meetings in adjacent buildings. The Governing Council will hold its luncheon meeting on Tuesday, October 17 at the Timme Plaza. Mark these dates on your calendar—October 18, 19, and 20, 1972 and plan to attend the 61st Annual Meeting. The program theme will be "Environment, Today, Tomorrow and Forever?"

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING SUMMARY

Mrs. Jean Lassiter, President, presided. Serving as Parliamentarian was Mrs. A. H. Borland of Durham, a member of the National Association of Parliamentarians.

The membership stood for a moment of silence during the reading of the names of the members who died during the past year.

The audited Financial Statement was presented by the Treasurer, Mrs. Maxine Matheson, indicating a balance of \$13,154.24.

Barbara Kahn, Secretary, read a summary of Executive Committee and Governing Council actions (exclusive of that on membership, reported elsewhere). Highlights are as follows:

The Executive Committee nominated Margaret Dolan for President-Elect of APHA and sought support for the nomination from the 17 Southern Affiliates of APHA and the State Directors of Health in the Southern Branch Region. (Mrs. Dolan was subsequently elected to this office.) Others nominated to APHA posts were Dr. Jacob Koomen, Jesse Canady, Dr. John Hughes, and Dr. Martin Hines.

The Governing Council adopted the recommendations of a committee studying our relationship with Southern Branch, APHA, to wit—that NCPHA subscribe to the higher dues structure recommended by Southern Branch, and further, that NCPHA membership cards indicate that NCPHA membership automatically includes membership in Southern Branch, APHA.

The Scholarship Committee, with \$2,405 available for distribution awarded a total of \$2,150 divided among seven NCPHA members for assistance in pursuing graduate study in public health. The Executive Committee approved the Committee's recommendation that the \$800.00 allotted yearly for scholarships be increased, pending review by the 1972 Budget Committee.

Three resolutions of the Manpower Committee affecting local health department personnel were adopted. In brief, these recommended (1) that the NCPHA Action Board and the State Board of Health seek to bring about increased fringe benefits; (2) that the Action Board and Legislative Committee take appropriate action toward changing N. C. statutes so as to eliminate the modification of salaries downward, and adopting the plan approved by the State Personnel Board; and (3) that an additional staff member be employed by the Personnel Section of the State Board of Health to help that Section meet its responsibilities to local health departments.

The Governing Council voted to con-

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President's Message (Cont.)

Now is the time for each of you to assist in deciding which issues NCPHA will sponsor. Communication to the Legislative Committee should go to any of the members or through letters to the NCPHA, P. O. Box 28047, Raleigh.

Legislation is a large budget item in NCPHA. This activity was a major reason for the dues increase voted two years ago. The part-time administrative assistant to help the officers with dues, membership, registration, meetings, etc., was also part of our planned growth. The annual meeting meets its expenses and often adds to the treasury. Scholarships, awards, newsletters, dues to Southern Branch and APHA, Section allotments, and other expenses are continuing and, even with inflated costs, we have so far maintained our savings. This year we will depend on all members to help us continue these activities which are vital to our maintenance and growth.

You will be hearing from the NCPHA and we anticipate hearing from you.

Lydia S. Holley
President

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continue its lobbyist program in connection with the 1973 General Assembly, and approved the recommendation that John Jordan be retained as Legislative Representative.

An Association Development Study Committee was appointed with Dr. E. A. Pearson, Chairman, to recommend organizational changes in keeping with an action-oriented purpose.

The following change in the Association By-Laws was voted upon and adopted by the membership at the Annual Meeting:

"All nine members of the Legislative Committee shall be appointed for two-year terms beginning at the end of the North Carolina legislative year. The chairman shall be appointed by the President at the time of the total committee appointments to serve a two-year term."

Clark Edwards, Chairman of the Membership Committee reported that records had been searched to find persons eligible for Life Membership. He read the list of those so honored.

The Nominating Committee presented the following slate for 1971-72: President—Lydia Holley (elected in 1970)

President-Elect—Jesse Canady
Vice-President—Frances Sellers
Secretary—Barbara Kahn
Treasurer—Maxine Matheson
Members-at-large (1972-74)

Richard House

Vince Thompson

The above were elected unanimously.

APHA ACTIONS

Nettie Day reported that twenty-three resolutions were adopted by APHA and its Governing Council Meeting in Minneapolis last October. Lack of space prevents summarizing; however, the titles are as follows:

1. Endorsement of a Consumer Protection Agency
2. Neighborhood Health Centers—Paying Off On The Promise
3. The Federal Government and Comprehensive Health Planning
4. The Need for Health Intelligence—Improvement of the Federal Statistical System
5. The Motor Vehicle vs. Mass Transportation: Redressing Imbalances
6. Jails and Prisons—Public Health Response to a National Disgrace
7. Health Maintenance Organizations: A Policy Paper
8. Advertising and America's Drug Dilemma
9. The Development of a Solid Waste Disposal System
10. Environmental Health Manpower
11. The Right to a Healthy Work Environment
12. Toward an Energy Policy
13. Medical X-Ray Control—Radiation Hazard to the Public Health
14. Conflict of Interest in the Atomic Energy Commission
15. The U. S. Civil Service Commission's Invasion of Privacy
16. Federal Support for Education of Health Personnel
17. Early Pregnancy Detection—An Essential Health Service
18. The Community's Responsibility for Abortion Referral
19. Replacement Reproduction and Zero Population
20. Nursing Home Improvement
21. Substance Abuse on a Public Health Problem
22. Improvement of the Hill-Burton Program
23. Credentialing of Health Personnel

The Resolutions above referred to are printed in the December, 1971 *American Journal of Public Health* beginning on page 2524 and running through page 2544.

NOMINATIONS

The Nominating Committee wishes to make known to the total membership the eligibility criteria for holding office in NCPHA. He or she must be a current member in good standing of the NCPHA and APHA, and must have served on the Governing Council of NCPHA.

NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC. GOVERNING COUNCIL 1971 - 1972

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SCHOLARSHIPS

Are you in need of some additional training to improve your skills? Are you wishing that you could afford to take a course at a college, institute or university?

The NCPHA may be able to help.

You will be asked to say what training you need, and whether you are working for academic credit or toward a degree. Criteria include acceptance by the educational institution of your choice, and commitment to work in North Carolina after your training is completed.

Your application will be reviewed by the committee and awards will be approved by the Association Executive Committee.

For an application write or call Elizabeth W. Jukes, Box 2091, Raleigh, 27602, 829-3131.

60th PROGRAM SUMMARY

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groups. Dr. W. B. Jones, Assistant State Health Director, presented an evolutionary view of participation in decision-making for health. A panel of health planners, community organizers, and consumers spot-lighted issues in why and how community and consumer groups are involved in health planning in North Carolina.

Summary remarks for the Annual Meeting were that public health is not alone in working for the health of the public; the challenge is how to use the resources which are available, here and now.

NCPHA is a year-round operation. Pay your dues now . . . Help recruit new members.

**TWENTY-FIVE YEAR
SERVICE PINS**

To members of North Carolina Public Health Association: If you know of anyone who has worked in Public Health in North Carolina for 25 years and should receive a 25 year service pin, please notify Mrs. Betty E. Briggs, Award's Committee Member, P. O. Box 2091, Raleigh, N. C. 27602, before July 1, 1972.

SCHEDULED EVENTS

May 11 & 12 ----- Eastern NCPHA
Blockade Runner, Wilmington

May 10-12 ----- Southern Branch APHA
Diplomat Hotel, Hollywood, Fla.

June 8 ----- Governing Council, NCPHA
Waynesville Country Club Inn

June 8 & 9 ----- Western NCPHA
Waynesville Country Club Inn

October 17 ----- Governing Council, NCPHA
Timme Plaza, Wilmington

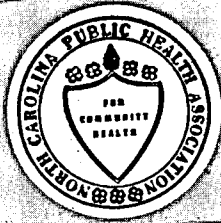
October 18-20 ----- NCPHA
Timme Plaza, Wilmington

November 11-17 ----- APHA CENTENNIAL
Atlantic City, New Jersey

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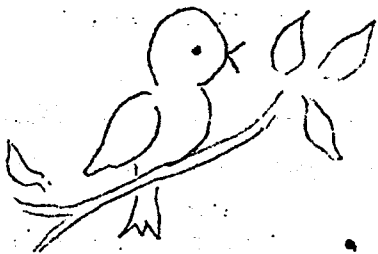


NEWSLETTER

NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION

SPRING 1960

From Your President —



At long last Spring has come and almost before we know it Summer and vacation time will be here, and after that, our Annual Meeting in September. In the meantime the work of our Association moves forward.

The year-round program of our North Carolina Public Health Association is carried out through your Executive Committee and a number of working committees. The Executive

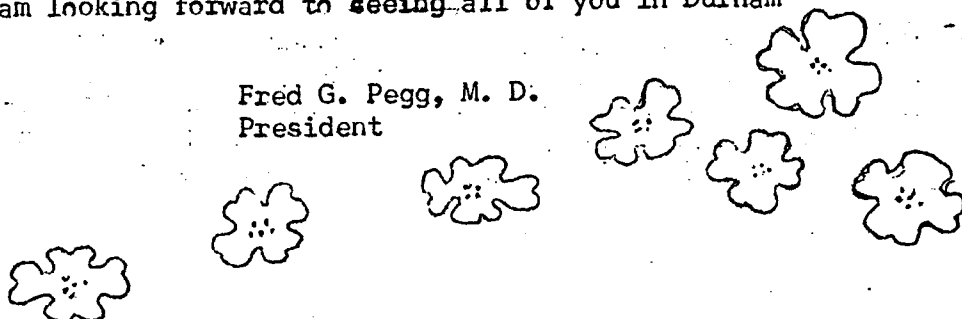
Committee will meet in conjunction with the Western North Carolina Public Health Association on April 28 in Asheville. Our various committees are working hard and, I think, productively. Please note committee news and announcements in this Newsletter.

Let me remind you that each of you, as an individual member, shares certain responsibilities for the success of our Association.

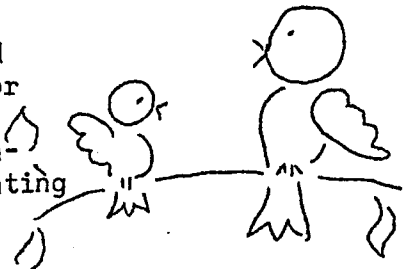
- Do you have a nominee for one of our awards? Dr. E. G. McGavran is Chairman of our Awards Committee and is anxious to have the nominations in by June 1. There are deserving members in almost every department. Let's get real industrious and send in those nominations so Dr. McGavran and his committee will have plenty to do.
- Also, don't forget about membership! Every Department should make an effort to have as nearly 100% membership as possible; and remember to get new members too.

The program for our fall meeting is taking shape, and we believe it will be one of the best. I am looking forward to seeing all of you in Durham September 7-8-9.

Fred G. Pegg, M. D.
President



Bob Brown and Grace Daniel represented N. C. P. H. A. at the Institute of Association Management in Atlanta on January 28-29. The institute was one of series sponsored by A.P.H.A. and was conducted by Robert Mytinger, Director of A.P.H.A. Western Regional Office, and Mrs. Marion Fry, A.P.H.A. Membership Secretary. The discussion of association problems and the exchange of ideas were most stimulating and informative.



Your representatives felt quite proud of N.C.P.H.A. in many aspects - our membership, our awards, our scholarship, our newsletter, and our handbook. Here are a few ideas we may want to consider as means of strengthening our organization: Do we need to seek more membership and participation from other community health workers?....Do we need written guides with a suggested calendar for officers and committee chairmen?....Would a billing system help with collection of dues?....How can we best interpret public health needs to legislative groups?....How can we work more effectively with A.P.H.A.?

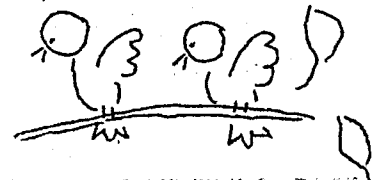
All representatives found the institute most helpful and expressed appreciation for this A.P.H.A. service. This might be one type of service we could expect if a Regional Office is established for Southern Branch.

Quite an Honor!

Dr. Fred Foard has been nominated for the 1960 Sedgwick Award. This award is given each year at the American Public Health Association annual meeting in "Recognition of service in the field of public health administration, research, education, and technical service." Dr. Foard is eminently qualified for this high honor. On January 22 the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Public Health Association voted unanimously in favor of presenting the 1960 award to Dr. Foard and our secretary has conveyed this action to the Chairman of the Sedgwick Award Committee.



From U.N.C



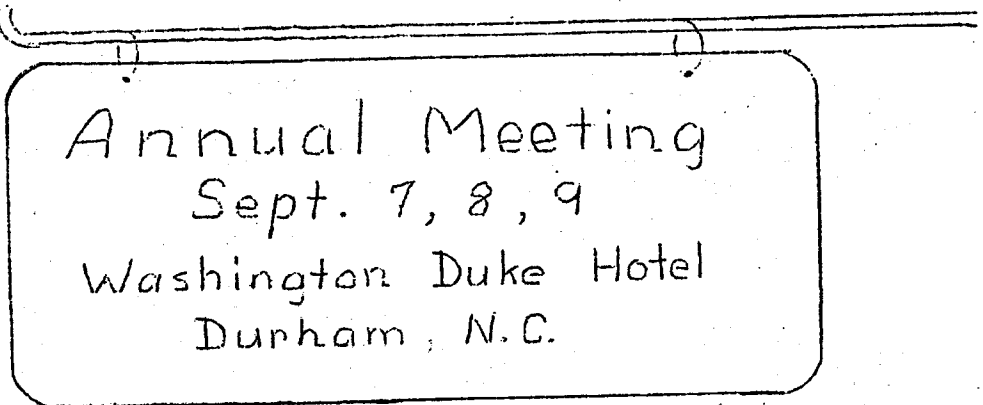
Construction has begun on the first stage of what eventually will be the new School of Public Health Building, according to E. G. McGavran, Dean of the school.

Ground was broken recently for the north wing of the structure and detailed plans for the main portion of the building are nearing completion, he said.

"Currently we hope that it will be possible to occupy the entire new facility during the summer or early fall of 1962," Dr. McGavran. "This construction is possible due to funds made available in the recent state-wide capital improvements bond issue. We are most grateful for the interest and support of the N.C.P.H.A. members in obtaining badly needed quarters for the School of Public Health."

APPOINTMENTS

- Mrs. Pearl Camstra, Chief of Nutrition Section, has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Miss Winston Osborn on the NCPHA Executive Committee.
- Dr. J. W. R. Norton was named Legislative Contact for NCPHA to the Committee on Public Policy and Legislation, APHA.



Plans ~

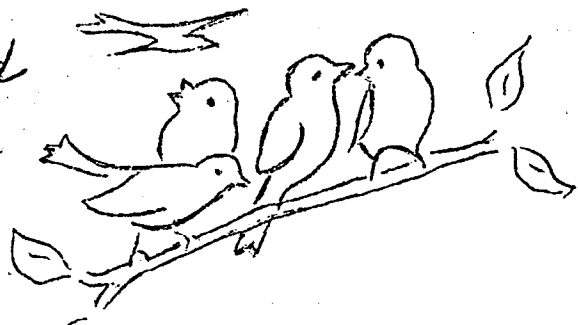
PUBLIC HEALTH ACROSS THE BOARD- Programs, Problems, and the Profession, has been selected for the theme of our 1960 annual meeting. Committees are still working on plans for the general sessions and the section meetings.

Some early birds have already made reservations at the Washington Duke Hotel for our annual meeting. Don't wait too long if you hope to stay at the convention headquarters. Other accommodations within walking distance are Holiday Inn (6 blocks west) and Malbourn Hotel (3 blocks east).

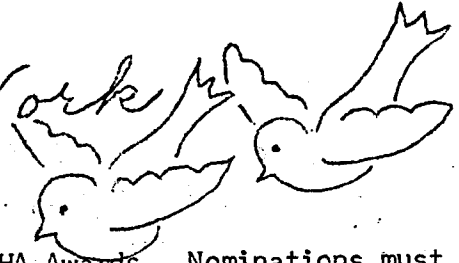
The Entertainment and Special Events Committee for the North Carolina Public Health Association Convention has been fortunate enough to secure the services of Russ Olsen Band, Durham, N. C., to perform at the annual dance (10:00 - 1:00) on September 9, 1960. This band is composed of six accomplished musicians and is very well known and respected in the Piedmont area of North Carolina.

For a most enjoyable evening of dancing, everyone is encouraged to make reservation early so that arrangement can be made to accommodate you and your party.

*The smart bird
makes his plans
early!*



Committees at Work



AWARDS . . .

Now is the time to make your nominations for the NCPHA Awards. Nominations must be made from the membership to the committee in order to have the awards continue to serve as a means of giving just recognition and as an incentive for emulation. Dr. McGavran reports that to date the committee has received only one nomination each for the Reynolds, Rankin, and Merit Award. June 1 is the deadline!!!!!!

PERSONNEL PROBLEMS . . .

The Committee to Study Personnel Problems is working with the N. C. Merit System, the Personnel Office, and the Association of County Commissioners. Although the duties of this committee have not been officially designated, the committee is delving into many knotty problems affecting the future of public health in North Carolina. Congratulations!

CONSTITUTION and BY-LAWS . . .

The Constitution and By-Laws Committee has been given the responsibility of bringing up to date the NCPHA Handbook and to study proposed revisions of our Constitution and By-Laws. Your suggestions on either of these items should be sent to Mr. Jack Cobb, Chairman, District Health Department, Boone, N. C.

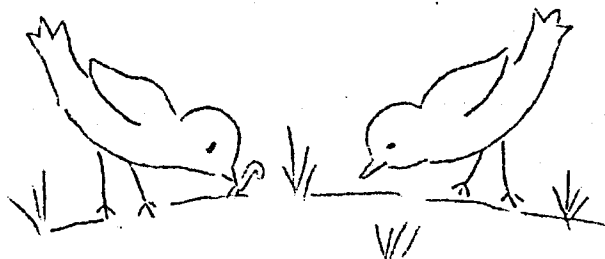
NOMINATING . . .

The committee must name a slate of officers for the coming year, 1961: president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and two members of the executive committee. Under the 1956 amendments to the constitution, officers of the NCPHA must be members or fellows of the American Public Health Association at the time they are nominated to hold office.

Those persons desiring to submit the name of a member for consideration should forward to the chairman of the Nominating Committee, by July 1, 1960, a brief written statement, including biographical data about the person as well as committee assignments and other responsibilities which the person has taken in the NCPHA. It is suggested that the person sponsoring the name of an individual also ascertain from the nominee that he or she is a member or fellow of the APHA.

The availability of information about the nominees will greatly help the committee in recommending those most qualified to assume responsible positions in the association.

Mrs. Margaret W. Bryant, Chairman
N. C. State Board of Health



SCHOLARSHIP . . .

Applications for the scholarship being offered by the North Carolina Public Health Association are now being accepted. Particularly those people who, because of age or length of experience in public health, are not eligible for the traineeships will be interested in this scholarship. There is no age or experience limit for the North Carolina Public Health Association scholarship. If a person is eligible for admission to the School of Public Health, University of North Carolina, he is eligible to apply for this scholarship. The scholarship will pay in-state tuition and fees for one year.

Applications must be made on prescribed forms which may be obtained from Professor Gilbert L. Kelso, School of Public Health, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N. C. The application must be returned to Professor Kelso by May 15, 1960.

MEMBERSHIP . . .

"We have several one hundred per cent Health Departments in our local counties that have paid up their membership dues. As yet, we do not have a one hundred per cent division of the State Board of Health."

"Every member of the North Carolina Public Health Association pays two dollars dues this year regardless of whether or not they are a member of the A.P.H.A. At the last annual convention, it was voted that all members were required to pay two dollars."

If you have not paid your 1960 dues, fill out the form below and send it with your two dollars to Carolyn Mercer. Give the Application Form to one of your co-workers who should be a member of our organization.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

North Carolina Public Health Association

Name: _____ Place of Employment: _____
Address: _____ Position: _____
Reference: _____ Section Choice: _____

Send to: Dr. H. W. Stevens, Chairman
NCPHA Membership Committee
Box 7525
Asheville, N. C.

RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP

North Carolina Public Health Association

1960 dues (\$2.00) enclosed.

Name: _____ Place of Employment: _____
Address: _____ Section: _____

Send to: Miss Carolyn Mercer, Treasurer
Box 2091
Raleigh, N. C.

NCPHA NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 1959

A Word from our President ~

Another year has rolled around, and we find ourselves planning and looking forward to our North Carolina Public Health Association program for 1960. I think it is obvious to all of us that our Association has made much progress in the past few years. We have grown not only in number, but our various disciplines have become welded together more securely, thus achieving a greater oneness of purpose. Because of this, we are each year more able to make ourselves heard and our influence felt in the development of various health activities within our State. We must do everything possible to insure continued growth and make every effort to improve the health of our people.

This Newsletter will carry all or mostly all of the committees appointed. We have attempted to make committee membership as varied as possible, not only in regard to the different professions but as to geographical location as well. We believe that by so doing we can get a better cross section of the thinking and wishes of our membership.

Needless to say, an effort has been made to select those people who are interested in the NCPHA work, but we also realize that only a relatively small number can serve on these committees. This does not mean that the others do not have important work to do. You should let your ideas be known to your chairmen and committee members and take an active part in those things pertaining to public health. By doing this, we can bring our full strength to bear and achieve the greatest possible results.

Let us resolve to work together and do everything that we possible can to advance public health during the coming year.

Fred G. Pegg, M. D., President

and from your Secretary ~

The revised By-Laws of the North Carolina Public Health Association are enclosed. After reading them, please place them in your N.C.P.H.A. Handbook. Bob Brown, our Secretary, suggests that you tear out pages 19-22 in the handbook and insert this new section. Do it now!

For Further Thought ~

Our 1959 Annual Meeting featured many outstanding speakers who gave real meaning to our theme, "Directed Change - the Challenge of Public Health". Here are a few of the many quotes which merit further consideration:

PROGRAM

"I submit the following recommendations to the membership of this Association for your consideration and future action:

48th ANNUAL

Give top priority to the re-evaluation and planning of local programs on the basis of the total problems, needs, and future goals, keeping in mind the specific benefits to the greater number of people in our jurisdiction.

NORTH PUBLIC HE

Develop and strengthen our public health information service and public relations to the end that all people in all walks of life are kept informed of our activities, accomplishments, and needs.

Administer our programs in such a way as to merit commendation rather than criticism.

Take a more active participating interest in the affairs and aims of this Association. In unity there is strength which can accomplish much.

Strengthen the administration of the affairs of this Association through the employment of an Executive Secretary.

Increase the dues in the amount necessary to finance the activities which may be required to insure the effectiveness and usefulness of this Association."

-J. M. Jarrett, President, 1959
N.C.P.H.A.

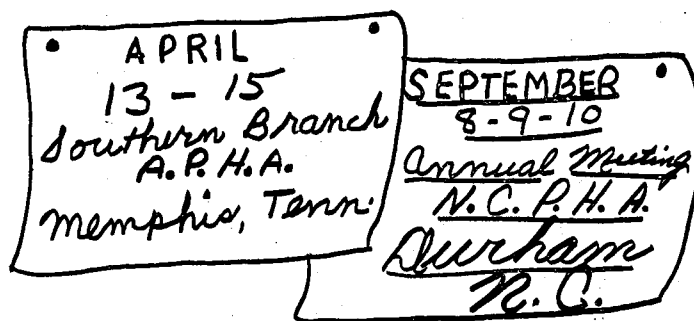
"In order for us to pay our debt to the past, it becomes necessary for us to make the future indebted to us....you must meet the problems of the future with increased population and increased life span, through a program of long-range planning, through education of all ages coming together, disseminating your information, correlating and codifying your ideas for the common good of one and all."

-J. R. Bender, M. D., Vice-President
N. C. State Board of Health

"Water is destined to become a critically urgent national problem, air following very closely, and the flood of chemicals used in food production increases spaces."

-Mark D. Hollis
Assistant Surgeon General
Chief Engineer, U. S. P. H. S.

For your 1960 calendar ~



ATTENTION

We had 1,104 N. C. P. H. A. Members in 1959. Do you know eligible persons who should belong? Dr. Stevens, Membership Chairman, will be writing to you soon about your renewal and securing new members. He says to tell you that the 100% Certificates are already made out for you!

A big "THANK YOU" to

the Catawba County Health Department secretarial staff for publishing this issue of our bulletin.

Mrs. Golda Walker and the Mailing Room Staff for handling all the details of mailing this publication.

The next issue of our Newsletter will be published in the early spring. Committee Chairmen and members are urged to send in news items and announcements of interest to our membership. We welcome your ideas of how this newsletter can better serve our Association. Send your suggestions and news to:

Grace Daniel, Vice President
N. C. P. H. A.
Box 1487, Salisbury, N. C.

Possibly the most prominent social change is "the abandonment of fatalism . and the recognition after uncounted generations of the fact that as human beings we may have some mastery over our fate."

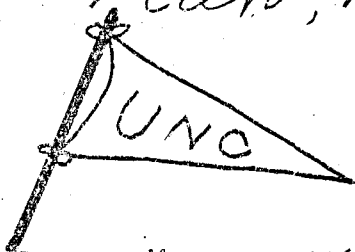
-John J. Hanlon, M.S., M.D., M.P.H.
Director of Public Service
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

"This is the crux of the situation - that our public health product is simply not attractive and not in line with present needs and demands.... we need specific and appealing programs in heart disease, cancer, mental health, and other urgent fields which will supplement the services of the medical profession, hospitals, nursing homes, voluntary health agencies, and other allied groups."

-Robert F. Young, M. D., Chairman
N.C.P.H.A. Legislative Committee (1958-'59)

Each of these statements should be considered as we accept the challenge for "directed change". What shall we do as individuals? as a professional organization? Think it over....and tell your executive committee.

Rah, Rah, Carolina ~



The favorable bond vote on October 27 for a new School of Public Health Building and classrooms at U. N. C. is an encouraging sign that the voters of North Carolina believe in public health. Dr. McGavran and his staff are celebrating by working over-time on the plans for the new building.

This year, there are 136 students enrolled in the School of Public Health. There are 17 in Public Health Administration, 50 in Public Health Nursing, 26 in Sanitary Engineering, 23 in Health Education, 5 in Nutrition, and 13 others. Of these, 42 are from North Carolina. Will our programs and salaries attract these well-trained persons to work in North Carolina? Are we making definite efforts to recruit qualified persons for next year's class? Coordinated programs of recruitment, training, and placement are vital to our progress in public health.

News from A.P.H.A.

A Washington office has been established to put the Association closer to matters relating to national legislation effecting health.....
Concern over membership and interest in A.P.H.A. and affiliates.....
Exploring ways for more active participation of states in A.P.H.A. policy.....
Dr. Malcolm Merrill, California's State Director, elected president....
New publications on the way.....watch your journal for announcements about:

Guide to a Community Health Study (revised)
Accident Prevention - Policies and Concepts
Guide on Prevention and Control of Mental Disorders



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Mrs. Davis Clark, Halifax County Health Department

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Chairman: Mrs. Margaret Bryant, State Board of Health
Dr. G. F. Reeves, Burke County Health Department
Mr. John Andrews, State Board of Health
Miss Helen Meadors, State Board of Health
Miss Ruby Lentz, Rowan County Health Department
Miss Laura S. Breese, Gaston County Health Department

RESOLUTION & OBITUARY COMMITTEE

Chairman: Dr. William Happer, Caldwell County Health Department
Mrs. Anne B. Edwards, State Board of Health
Mrs. Marian Duggins, Forsyth County Health Department

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

Chairman: Gilbert Kelso, School of Public Health
Dr. R. E. Coker, School of Public Health
Mrs. Ruby Bryson, Haywood County Health Department
Dr. E. A. Pearson, State Board of Health

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Term Expires 1960

	<u>Section</u>	<u>Address</u>
Dr. John H. Hamilton, Chairman	Laboratory	State Laboratory of Hy., Raleigh
Miss Margaret B. Dolan	Nursing	Sch. of Public Health, Chapel Hill
Miss Frances Setzer	Health Education	Cabarrus County, Concord
Dr. Rosemary Kent	Member-at-Large	Sch. of Public Health, Chapel Hill

Term Expires 1961

Mr. Walter C. Lackey	Sanitation	Murfreesboro, N. C.
Dr. Arthur S. Chesson	Health Directors	Wayne Co. Health Dept., Goldsboro
Miss Sara Goggans	Sec. & Stat.	State Board of Health, Raleigh
Miss Sallie Mooring	Nutrition	State Board of Health, Raleigh

Term Expires 1962

Miss Flora Wakefield	Nursing	Wake County Health Dept., Raleigh
Mr. C. Scott Venable	Health Education	N.C. Tuberculosis Assoc., Raleigh
Dr. Robert F. Young	Member-at-Large	Halifax Co. Health Dept., Halifax
Mrs. Corinna Sutton	Laboratory	State Lab. of Hygiene, Raleigh

Term Expires 1963

Dr. M. B. Bethel	Health Director	School of Public Health, Chapel Hill
Mrs. Betty Briggs	Sec. & Stat.	State Board of Health, Raleigh
Mr. J. M. Jarrett	Sanitation	State Board of Health, Raleigh
Miss Nancy Williams	Nutrition	State Board of Health, Raleigh

Local Arrangements Committee

(All listed below are from Durham, N. C.)

Chairman: Dr. O. L. Ader
Dr. A. Darwin Cooper
Mrs. Berta Ellis
Mr. J. Eddie Brown

Sub-Committees:

Registration

Miss Hazeline Umstead, Miss Lucille Cole, Mrs. Frances Richardson,
Mrs. Lois Norton, Mrs. Pearl Lanier

Public Relations & Publicity

Mr. Ben L. Shaw, Mrs. Lucille McKee, Mr. William G. Parrish

Housing

Mr. Frank H. Barr, Mr. Carlton S. Chandler, Mr. E. Wade Copeland
Mr. Edward Y. Hobgood

Entertainment & Special Events

Mr. Larry R. Simpson, Mr. Bruce F. Pope, Mrs. Mary Lois Rogers,
Mrs. Ruby Nichols

Information & Hospitality

Mrs. Dorothy Rape, Mrs. Nancy Smith, Mr. Vernon L. Norton

Displays & Exhibits

Mr. Charles V. Morgan, Mrs. Marie Wall, Mr. Ernest C. Hornbuckle, Jr.

Flowers & Decorations

Mrs. Joan Eargle, Mrs. Jessie Rea, Mr. Frank M. Harrell

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Chairman: Miss Grace Daniel, State Board of Health
Mr. R. F. Hill, State Board of Health
Dr. O. H. Ader, Durham County Health Department
Dr. J. W. R. Norton, State Board of Health

Section Representatives

Dr. B. M. Drake, Gaston County.....Health Director
Mr. Robert Charlton, Buncombe County.....Health Education
Dr. A. Hughes Eryan, Chapel Hill.....Nutrition
Mrs. Katie Rawls, Pamlico Co., Bayboro...Secretarial & Statistical
Miss Flora Wakefield, Wake County.....Nursing
Mr. James N. Flup, Person Co., Roxboro...Sanitation
Mrs. Maxine S. Matheson, State Lab.....Laboratory

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Chairman: Dr. H. W. Stevens, Buncombe County Health Department
Miss Carolyn Mercer, State Board of Health (Ex-officio)

Dr. M. T. Foster, Cumberland County, Fayetteville..Health Director
Miss Becky Bowden, 3413 Chapel Hill Rd., Durham....Health Education
Miss Nina Corbett, Dept. of Public Instruction.....Nutrition
Mrs. Ernestine Irvin, Cabarrus County.....Secretarial & Statistical
Mrs. Agnes W. Lemich, Wilson County, Wilson.....Nursing
Mr. James N. Pulp, Person County, Roxboro.....Sanitation
Mrs. Katie Daniels, State Laboratory of Hygiene....Laboratory

REPRESENTATIVES TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Mr. J. M. Jarrett, State Board of Health
Mrs. Edith Brooker, Durham, North Carolina
Dr. Jacob Koomen, Jr., State Board of Health
Dr. John H. Hamilton, State Laboratory of Hygiene

REPRESENTATIVES TO N. C. HEALTH COUNCIL

Dr. R. D. Higgins, State Board of Health
Mrs. Lucille Jenkins, Randolph County Health Department

REPRESENTATIVES - MERIT SYSTEM COUNCIL

Dr. B. M. Drake, Gaston County Health Department
Miss Frances Allen, Catawba County Health Department

B Y - L A W S

ARTICLE I
MEETINGS

1. There shall be at least one meeting each year, held at a time and place to be selected by the Executive Committee. This meeting shall consist of at least two sessions, both of which may be held on the same day, if practicable. All persons in attendance shall have the privilege of the floor.
2. Special meetings of the Association may be called at any time by the Executive Committee, and shall be called by them upon the written request of fifty Active Members or Members of the Association, two of whom are members of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE II
QUORUMS

1. A quorum of the Association shall consist of not less than fifteen active members, two of whom shall be officers of the Association.
2. A quorum of the Executive Committee shall consist of four members.

ARTICLE III
DUES

1. The following constituents shall be exempt from the payment of annual dues: Life Members, Honorary Members, Active Members and Members who have been affiliated with the Association for 25 years or more and who have been retired from active duty, and Active Members and Members who have been affiliated with the Association for thirty years regardless of retirement.
2. Active membership and membership dues shall be \$2.00 per annum, payable in advance, January 1, effective January 1, 1960.
3. Sustaining memberships dues shall be \$50.00 or more per annum, payable in advance, January 1.
4. Life membership dues shall be \$50.00 payable within one year after election.

ARTICLE IV
COMMITTEES TO BE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT

1. Auditing Committee: Shall consist of three members, who are not officers of the Association, whose duties shall be to examine and audit annually the books of the Treasurer, and report their findings at each annual meeting.
2. Membership Committee: Shall consist of a Chairman appointed by the President, one member from each organized Section of the Association appointed by each Section Chairman, and the Treasurer of the Association, who shall be an ex-officio member; shall be named each year as soon as possible following the annual meeting; shall see that new members of the Executive Committee and chairmen of the committees of the Association become Active Members before becoming active in the work of the Association; shall receive all applications for membership, pass on eligibility, and elect Members; shall refer the names of eligible applicants for Sustaining membership and Life membership and nominations for Honorary membership to the Executive Committee for election; shall notify the Treasurer of the names of individuals who are exempt from the payment of annual dues; and shall conduct campaigns when necessary or take such other steps as may seem advisable to bring members into the Association. Any applicant failing of election in the manner just provided for shall have the privilege of withdrawing his application, or of having it acted upon by the Association at its next annual meeting.
3. A Nominating Committee: Shall consist of one representative of each Section who shall recommend to the Association candidates for election to the several offices of the Association.
4. The Awards Committee: Shall consist of the Dean of the School of Public Health at the University of North Carolina, Chairman; the State Health Director; six members-at-large appointed by the President; and the President of the North Carolina Public Health Association, Ex-Officio. Persons appointed to membership on the Awards Committee shall be notified of such appointment by the President. This Committee is to consider all nominations for the Carl V. Reynolds Award to an individual, the Watson S. Rankin Award to an individual, the Merit Award to a Health Department or other organized group, and any other recommended awards that may be available. This Committee will submit its recommendations to the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Public Health Association, which has the responsibility for conferring awards. The areas represented on the Awards Committee may be added to as indicated.
5. A Legislative Committee: Shall consist of two members from each organized Section of the Association and two members-at-large. One member from each Section and one member-at-large shall be Active Members of the Association. Each member shall be appointed for a four year term and appointments shall be staggered to provide overlapping of membership according to the following plan: On each odd-numbered year one appointment shall be made from each of the following sections: Health Director, Sanitation, Secretaries, Nutrition; on each even-numbered year one appointment will be made at large and one from each of the following sections: Public Health Nursing, Health Education, Laboratory. Appointments made to fill vacancies caused by resignation or death shall be for the unexpired term of the resigned or deceased member.

The Chairman of the Committee shall be appointed by the President of the Association, preferably from among those members of the Committee serving their third year. The function of the Committee shall be to study and make recommendations to the Executive Committee and to the Association regarding legislative matters and to assist the Executive Committee in all matters concerning legislation. The Legislative Committee shall have the power to approve or disapprove items selected by the State Legislative Council for the legislative program of the council.

6. Convention Planning Committee: Shall consist of the Vice-President of the Association, Chairman; Secretary of the Association; the State Health Director; and two members-at-large, who shall serve for two years each with overlapping terms, one being appointed each year by the President. For the first year the two members-at-large shall be appointed one for one year and one for two years. The function of the Committee shall be to select two years in advance the convention dates and site and submit its recommendations to the Executive Committee for approval, so that an announcement may be made at the forthcoming convention of the meeting dates and site of the next succeeding convention.

7. Budget Committee: Shall consist of the President and Treasurer of the Association and three additional members of the Association, who shall prepare a budget for the Association.

8. Committee to Study Personnel Problems:

9. The President may appoint such Other Committees as he may deem desirable with such functions as he may determine.

ARTICLE V RULES OF ORDER

Business sessions of the Association shall be conducted in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order.

ARTICLE VI PUBLICATIONS

All publications of the Association shall be issued under the direction of the Executive Committee, and shall become the property of the Association.

ARTICLE VII PROPERTY

The Executive Committee shall act as trustees for all property of the Association.

ARTICLE VIII SCIENTIFIC SECTIONS

A Scientific Section may be created at any annual session by majority vote of the Association, provided the application for the creation of such section has been submitted to the Executive Committee and the creation of such section recommended by the Executive Committee. Sections shall elect their own officers. They shall conduct sessions in cooperation with and under the supervision of the Executive Committee.

Any special project which would involve reference to or participation by the North Carolina Public Health Association in any way shall not be undertaken by any Scientific Section of the Association until it is submitted to and approved by the Executive Committee.

**ARTICLE IX
PROGRAM**

The Program Committee shall consist of the Executive Committee and the Section Chairmen, with the President as Chairman.

**ARTICLE X
AMENDMENTS**

These By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Active Members and Members present and voting at any annual meeting, provided that notice of the proposed amendment has been given in writing to the Secretary and transmitted by him to Active Members and Members at least ten days before the annual meeting, and provided that notice of the time at which said amendment is to be voted on has been announced at least four hours in advance.