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At Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York, in May 1931, there is to be held a National Conference on College Hygiene. This Conference, sponsored by the Presidents' Committee of Fifty on College Hygiene, The American Student Health Association, and the National Health Council, has a very clear out and definite purpose, - namely, an agreement upon desirable minimum standards for colleges and universities concerning (1) Health Service, (2) Health Teaching, (3) Interrelationship and Correlations of Student Physical Welfare Activities, and (4) Miscellaneous Problems, including those concerned with Social Hygiene, Mental Hygiene, Tuberculosis, Extra-Curricular Activities, and other related problems which may be presented for consideration.

The general plan for the Conference calls for working committees, divided into the four main groups indicated in the previous paragraph. All of these groups will be broken up into small committees, each working on some specific phase of the problem with which its group is concerned. These working committees will together make up the General Conference Committee, which will convene at Syracuse University, Tuesday evening, May 5th. At that time the Chairman of the Conference, Dr. Thomas A. Storey of Stanford University, will set forth the plans in detail and conference committee chairmen and personnel will be announced. During the two following days, Wednesday and Thursday, May 6th and 7th, these temporary committees will be in executive session, with evening meetings of the General Conference Committee to hear reports from the various working committees. On Friday and Saturday, May 8th and 9th, there will be general sessions in which all delegates from colleges and universities throughout the country will participate and which others interested in the subject of College Hygiene will attend. The draft statement of the General Conference Committee will be presented to this group for full discussion so that the final report will represent the best beliefs and experience of the entire Conference.