

GROUP CONFERENCES

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The program of the Sixth International Congress of Genetics was so arranged that the evenings were left open for impromptu discussions by individuals who chanced to be together and for informal conferences by small groups with some common interest. The latter were arranged from time to time during the week of the congress and announced in the *Daily News Bulletin* and were held in the "student-activity" rooms in Willard Straight Hall. Seven such conferences were held during the week at which the following topics were discussed:

Gene problems	Mouse genetics
Unstable genes	Human genetics
Poultry genetics	Sire valuation
Maize genetics	

In addition to these conferences, luncheons or dinners were held by the former students and members of the staff of the UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, by a similar group known as the "Linkage Group" of the UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, and by the "Synopsis" Club of CORNELL UNIVERSITY, the latter celebrating its twenty-fifth anniversary at this time.