

- At the same time, Dean Kremer Jacob Hoke and Donald W. Davis were appointed members of the Governor's Advisory Board on Criminal Mental Hygiene, which would "conduct an intensive study of the mental condition of each inmate at the prison."⁶⁹
- The board likely only operated until late 1921.⁷⁰

Potential Questions for Further Research

- What kind of eugenical leanings did John W. Ritchie, Professor of Biology before Davis, have?
- How involved was Dean Kremer Jacob Hoke in the eugenics movement?
- How did the eugenics movement influence the Richmond extension division School of Public Health and Social Work?
- What were the eugenical leanings of professors in other departments?
- Did any students of Donald W. Davis go on to have influential positions deciding eugenic policy?
- Where did Davis publish his paper on "Mental Defectives in Virginia" and was it or any of his other publications particularly influential?
- What kind of involvement did Professor Holt of the Sociology department have with the eugenics movement?
- Did any of Davis' students go on to put their knowledge of eugenics to influential use?

⁶⁹ "War on Disease and Ignorance in State's Prison," *Richmond Times-Dispatch* (Richmond, VA), September 8, 1920.

⁷⁰ [Illegible signature] to Donald W. Davis, December 13, 1921, Box 2, Folder 16, Donald W. Davis Papers, 1916-1950, Swem Special Collections, William & Mary Libraries.