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THE twenty-sixth summer meeting of the American Mathematical Society will be held at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich., on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, September 2-4, 1919, beginning on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. The meeting will be followed by that of the Mathematical Association of America on September 4-5. A joint session of the two organizations is planned for Thursday afternoon, and a joint dinner for Thursday evening. Abstracts of papers intended for presentation at this meeting should be in the hands of the Secretary by August 12 if it is desired that they should be printed in advance of the meeting; otherwise they may be sent in by August 18.

THE committee on arrangements for the summer meeting and colloquium of the Society to be held at the University of Chicago in 1920 announce the following lecturers and provisional subjects: Professor G. D. BIRKHOFF: "Dynamical systems;" Professor F. R. MOULTON: "Certain topics in functions of infinitely many variables."

AMONG the subjects to be considered at the series of scientific conferences to be held at Brussels, beginning July 18, is the formation of an international mathematical union. Such unions have already been organized in astronomy, chemistry, and geophysics. Whatever tentative plans may evolve for a mathematical union will be submitted to the various mathematical organizations of the world for discussion.

THE General education board has appropriated \$16,000 for salaries and other expenses of the National committee on mathematical requirements. Chairman J. W. YOUNG, as representative of the colleges, and vice-chairman J. A. FOBERG, as representative of the secondary schools, will devote their whole time during the coming year to the work of the committee, which will cover the revision of secondary school and college courses and of college entrance requirements in mathematics.