

THE APRIL MEETING IN CHICAGO

The five hundred eighty-ninth meeting of the American Mathematical Society was held in Chicago, Illinois on April 12–14, 1962. A feature of the meeting was a Symposium on Experimental Arithmetic supported by the Institute for Defense Analyses.

Meeting headquarters were at the Shoreland Hotel, 5454 South Shore Drive. Registration was in the Common Room on the second floor of Eckhart Hall beginning at 9:00 A.M. on Thursday, April 12. The total number of registrations was 340 including 283 members of the Society.

By invitation of the Committee to Select Hour Speakers for Western Sectional Meetings, Professor Andrew Wallace of Indiana University and Professor Noboru Ito of the University of Illinois addressed the Society. Professor Wallace spoke on *Geometric methods in differential topology*, while Professor Ito spoke on *Permutation groups of prime degree*. Both lectures were held in Room 133, Eckhart Hall. Professor Wallace spoke at 11:00 A.M. on Friday, April 13 and Professor Ito at the same hour on Saturday, April 14. Presiding officers were Professors Samuel I. Goldberg and Daniel R. Hughes.

The Symposium on Experimental Arithmetic was held at the University of Chicago on April 12–14, under the sponsorship of the Institute for Defense Analyses. The Organizing and Invitations Committee consisted of Marshall Hall, Jr., Peter Henrici, Mark Kac, R. D. Richtmyer, A. H. Taub, and N. C. Metropolis, Chairman.

The Proceedings of the Symposium will be published together with the Proceedings of the Symposium on Interactions between Mathematical Research and High Speed Computing which was held in Atlantic City on April 16–19. A committee consisting of N. C. Metropolis, A. H. Taub, John Todd, and C. B. Tompkins has been appointed to edit the joint Proceedings.

There were six sessions for contributed papers during the Meeting: two on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday mornings. Presiding officers were Dr. David L. Hanson and Professors Edward R. Fadell, W. Roy Utz, Jr., Charles W. Curtis, Leonard M. Blumenthal, Wilbur E. Deskins.

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