THE APRIL MEETING IN CHICAGO

The five hundred seventy-ninth meeting of the American Mathematical Society was held at the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, on Friday and Saturday, April 14–15, 1961. The sessions convened in Eckhart and Kent Halls. There were 238 registrants at this meeting, including 194 members of the Society.

The Committee to Select Hour Speakers for Western Sectional Meetings had invited two members to address the Society. Professor James A. Jenkins of Washington University spoke on *The general coefficient theorem and certain applications*. Professor Israel N. Herstein of Cornell University and the University of Chicago spoke on *Lie and Jordan structures in simple associative rings*. Presiding officers at these addresses were Professor Alberto P. Calderón and Irving Kaplansky.

There were a total of five regular sessions for contributed papers and a special session for late papers. Presiding officers were Professors Philip Dwinger, Michael Golomb, Melvin Henriksen, Leroy M. Kelly, Don D. Miller, and L. C. Young.

The Department of Mathematics entertained the Society at Tea in the Common Room of Eckhart Hall on Friday afternoon.

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