

## **REPRESENTATIVES AND COMMITTEES OF THE SOCIETY**

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- 1942-1943—G. C. Evans, F. D. Murnaghan, M. H. Stone.  
1943-1944—F. D. Murnaghan, M. H. Stone, Marston Morse.  
1944-1945—M. H. Stone, Marston Morse, Warren Weaver.  
1945-1946—Marston Morse, Warren Weaver, G. D. Birkhoff.

**Representatives on the Council of the American Association for the Advancement of Science:**

- 1943—E. J. Moulton, W. J. Simon.  
1944—E. J. Moulton, W. J. Simon.  
1945—R. P. Agnew, M. R. Hestenes.

**Representatives on the Editorial Board of the Annals of Mathematics:**

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J. F. Ritt.

**Editorial Committee for Mathematical Surveys (to serve until December 31, 1944):**

F. D. Murnaghan (Chairman), A. A. Albert, T. H. Hildebrandt.

**Liaison officer in connection with editorial management of Quarterly of Applied Mathematics:**

Einar Hille.

**Colloquium Speakers:**

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| 1942—R. L. Wilder.  | 1944—Einar Hille. |
| 1943—E. J. McShane. | 1945—Tibor Radó.  |

**Committee on Gibbs Lecturers:**

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**Gibbs Lecturers:**

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| 1923—M. I. Pupin.      | 1929—Irving Fisher.   | 1936—H. N. Russell.       |
| 1924—Robert Henderson. | 1930—E. B. Wilson.    | 1937—C. A. Kraus.         |
| 1925—James Pierpont.   | 1931—P. W. Bridgman.  | 1939—Theodore von Kármán. |
| 1926—H. B. Williams.   | 1932—R. C. Tolman.    | 1941—Sewall Wright.       |
| 1927—E. W. Brown.      | 1934—Albert Einstein. | 1943—Harry Bateman.       |
| 1928—G. H. Hardy.      | 1935—Vannevar Bush.   | 1944—John von Neumann.    |

**Committee on Society Visiting Lectureship:**

G. D. Birkhoff (Chairman), G. A. Bliss.

**Visiting Lecturers:**

- 1927-1928—Constantin Carathéodory, University of Munich.  
 1928-1929—Hermann Weyl, Zurich Technical School.  
 1929-1930—Enrico Bompiani, University of Rome.  
 1930-1931—Wilhelm Blaschke, University of Hamburg.  
 1931-1932—R. L. Moore, University of Texas.  
 1936-1937—Thirjkannapuram Vijayaraghavan, University of Dacca.

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**Committee on Printing Contracts:**

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**Committee on Publicity:**

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 For Eastern Sectional Meetings: T. R. Hollcroft, E. J. McShane, Saunders MacLane.  
 For Western Sectional Meetings: A. A. Albert, W. L. Ayres, R. E. Langer.  
 For Far Western Sectional Meetings: Harry Bateman, A. D. Michal, W. M. Whyburn.

**Committee on Places of Meetings:**

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### FORMER PRESIDENTS

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| J. H. Van Amringe, 1889–1890. | L. E. Dickson, 1917–1918.     |
| Emory McClintock, 1891–1894.  | Frank Morley, 1919–1920.      |
| G. W. Hill, 1895–1896.        | G. A. Bliss, 1921–1922.       |
| Simon Newcomb, 1897–1898.     | Oswald Veblen, 1923–1924.     |
| R. S. Woodward, 1899–1900.    | G. D. Birkhoff, 1925–1926.    |
| E. H. Moore, 1901–1902.       | Virgil Snyder, 1927–1928.     |
| T. S. Fiske, 1903–1904.       | E. R. Hedrick, 1929–1930.     |
| W. F. Osgood, 1905–1906.      | L. P. Eisenhart, 1931–1932.   |
| H. S. White, 1907–1908.       | A. B. Coble, 1933–1934.       |
| Maxime Bôcher, 1909–1910.     | Solomon Lefschetz, 1935–1936. |
| H. B. Fine, 1911–1912         | R. L. Moore, 1937–1938.       |
| E. B. Van Vleck, 1913–1914.   | G. C. Evans, 1939–1940.       |
| E. W. Brown, 1915–1916.       | Marston Morse, 1941–1942.     |

### ENDOWMENT FUND

In 1923 an Endowment Fund was collected to meet the greater demands on the Society's publication program caused by the ever increasing number of important mathematical memoirs. Of this fund, which now amounts to some \$65,500, a considerable proportion was contributed by members of the Society. Under the terms of the will of the late Robert Henderson, for many years a Trustee of the Society, the Society receives approximately \$4,000 yearly. Upon the death of the other legatees, the Society will receive the entire principal of the estate for its Endowment Fund.

### SPECIAL FUNDS

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This prize was founded in memory of Professor Maxime Bôcher. It is awarded every five years for a notable research memoir in analysis which has appeared during the preceding five years in a recognized journal published in the United States or Canada; the recipient must be a member of the Society, and not more than fifty years old at the time of publication of his memoir.

First (Preliminary) Award, 1923: To G. D. Birkhoff, for his memoir *Dynamical systems with two degrees of freedom*.

Second Award, 1924: to E. T. Bell, for his memoir *Arithmetical paraphrases*, and to Solomon Lefschetz, for his memoir *On certain numerical invariants with applications to abelian varieties*.

Third Award, 1928: To J. W. Alexander, for his memoir *Combinatorial analysis situs*.

Fourth Award, 1933: To Marston Morse, for his memoir *The foundations of a theory of the calculus of variations in the large in m-space*, and to Norbert Wiener, for his memoir *Tauberian theorems*.

Fifth Award, 1938: To John von Neumann, for his memoir *Almost periodic functions and groups*.