

## OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS



### MEETINGS OF THE SOCIETY

#### ANNUAL MEETING: SWARTHMORE, PENNSYLVANIA, December 26–29, 1946.

Abstracts must have been in the hands of Associate Secretary T. R. Hollcroft, American Mathematical Society, 531 West 116th St., New York 27, N. Y., not later than November 21. Professor Subrahmanyan Chandrasekhar will deliver the Annual Gibbs Lecture on *The transfer of radiation in stellar atmospheres*. By invitation of the Committee to Select Hour Speakers for Annual and Summer Meetings, there will be an address by Professor A. P. Morse entitled *Derivatives and their integrals* and an address by Professor Harald Cramér entitled *Some aspects of the theory of stochastic processes*.

#### NEW YORK CITY, February 22, 1947.

Abstracts must be in the hands of Associate Secretary T. R. Hollcroft, American Mathematical Society, 531 West 116th St., New York 27, N. Y., not later than January 18. By invitation of the Committee to Select Hour Speakers for Eastern Sectional Meetings, there will be an address by Professor N. H. McCoy entitled *Subdirect sums of rings*.

#### NEW YORK CITY, April 25–26, 1947.

Abstracts must be in the hands of Associate Secretary T. R. Hollcroft, American Mathematical Society, 531 West 116th St., New York 27, N. Y., not later than March 21. Abstracts received by February 1 will appear in the March issue of this BULLETIN.

#### CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, April 25–26, 1947.

Abstracts must be in the hands of Associate Secretary R. H. Bruck, North Hall, University of Wisconsin, Madison 6, Wis., not later than March 21. Abstracts received by February 1 will appear in the March issue of this BULLETIN. By invitation of the Committee to Select Hour Speakers for Western Sectional Meetings, there will be an address by Professor N. E. Steenrod entitled *Foundations of algebraic topology*.

#### STANFORD UNIVERSITY, CALIFORNIA, April 26, 1947.

Abstracts must be in the hands of Associate Secretary A. C. Schaeffer, Department of Mathematics, Stanford University, Stanford University, Calif., not later than March 22. Abstracts received by February 1 will appear in the March issue of this BULLETIN.

J. R. KLINE, *Secretary of the Society*

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