

NOTES

A statement of editorial policy. Because of the large accumulation of manuscripts and the heavy demand for space and in order to avoid long delay in publication, the editors of the Transactions may require substantial condensation of manuscripts before they are accepted. Authors must present their results in as compact a form as possible and should avoid space consuming exposition and discussion. Long manuscripts will be subject to especial scrutiny on these points by the editors.

The French Academy of Sciences has announced the following awards in mathematics for 1948: Poncelet Prize to Georges Valiron of the University of Paris; Carrière Prize to P. J. Dubreil of the University of Paris; Dickson Prize to Julien Kravtchenko of the University of Grenoble; Grand Prize to Henri Milloux of the University of Bordeaux; Albert I. de Monaco Prize to Jacques Hadamard of the College of France and Polytechnic School; Laplace Prize to François Morin of the Polytechnic School; Becquerel Foundation Prize to André Bloch of the Polytechnic School.

The Naval Ordnance Laboratory aeroballistics facilities at White Oak, Maryland, will be dedicated on June 27, 1949. The dedication will be followed on June 27 to June 29 by technical sessions. These sessions will, in turn, be followed by a meeting of the Fluid Dynamics Division of the American Physical Society on June 30 and July 1.

Professor R. E. Gaines of the University of Richmond has retired with the title emeritus.

Associate Professor E. H. C. Hildebrandt of Northwestern University has been elected president of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Professor S. W. Reaves of the University of Oklahoma has retired with the title emeritus.

Professor K. Ananda-Rau of Presidency College, Madras, India, has retired.

Professor C. L. da Silva Dias of the University of São Paulo, who is on leave of absence, has been appointed research associate at the University of Chicago.

Dr. Joseph Gillis of Sunderland, England, has been appointed senior assistant at the Weizmann Institute, Rehovot, Israel.

Assistant Professor Leopoldo Nachbin of the University of Brazil, who is on leave of absence, has been appointed research associate at the University of Chicago.

Professor H. A. Pérsico of the University of La Plata has been

appointed to a professorship at the University of Cuyo, San Luis, Argentina.

Mr. Å. V. C. Pleijel of Lund University has been appointed to a professorship at the Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden.

Dr. C. J. Blackall has been appointed to an associate professorship at the University of Toledo.

Mr. S. K. Bright of Vanderbilt University has been appointed to a professorship at Austin Peay State College, Clarksville, Tennessee.

Associate Professor Jack Britton of the University of Colorado has been appointed to a visiting professorship at the University of Michigan.

Mr. K. V. Casey of Brown University has accepted a position as statistician with the Engineer Analysis and Fiscal Office, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Wright Field, Ohio.

Professor H. S. M. Coxeter of the University of Toronto, who is on leave of absence, has been appointed to a visiting professorship at Barnard College, Columbia University.

Professor M. W. Dehn of Black Mountain College has been appointed to a visiting professorship at the University of Wisconsin.

Mr. H. E. Ellingson of the State University of Iowa has accepted the position of physicist at the Rosemount Research Center of the University of Minnesota.

Assistant Professor H. J. Greenberg of Brown University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Mr. R. T. Gregory of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts has accepted a position as mathematician at the United States Naval Proving Ground, Dahlgren, Virginia.

Mr. D. L. Herr of the Allen Bradley Company has accepted a position as project engineer with the Reeves Instrument Corporation, New York, New York.

Dr. L. G. F. Jones of the General Precision Laboratory, Incorporated, Pleasantville, N. Y., has accepted a position as engineer with the Eckert-Mauchly Computer Corporation, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Assistant Professor J. A. Krumhansl of Brown University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Cornell University.

Dr. Cornelius Lanczos of Boeing Aircraft Company has accepted an appointment as staff mathematician with the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.

Professor W. G. Madow of the University of North Carolina has

been appointed to a professorship of mathematical statistics at the University of Illinois.

Dr. R. J. Marcou of Raytheon Manufacturing Co., Waltham, Massachusetts, has been appointed to a professorship at Boston College.

Dr. W. L. Mitchell of the Bell Aircraft Corporation has accepted the position of senior aerodynamicist in the Research and Development Division of New Mexico School of Mines.

Associate Professor E. W. Montroll of the University of Pittsburgh, who is on leave of absence, has been appointed head of the Physics Branch, Office of Naval Research, Washington, D. C.

Dr. T. F. Morris of the University of Toronto has been appointed lecturer at Carleton College, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Professor Tibor Rado of the Ohio State University has been appointed Research Professor in the first appointment to this position since its creation at Ohio State University in 1946.

Mr. A. E. Roberts has accepted a position as mathematician with Engineering Research Associates, Inc., Arlington, Virginia.

Miss Vivian Spurgeon of Southwest Baptist College has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

Mr. F. W. Thalgot of the Clinton Laboratories, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, has accepted a position as associate mechanical engineer with the Argonne National Laboratory, Chicago, Illinois.

Professor H. S. Tsien of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been appointed to a Goddard professorship at the California Institute of Technology to head a jet propulsion center.

Associate Professor E. W. Vickery of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College has accepted a position as senior mathematician at the Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, California.

Mr. N. W. Wells of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Sam Houston State Teachers College.

Professor L. C. Young of the University of Cape Town has been appointed to a professorship at the University of Wisconsin.

The following promotions are announced:

T. M. Apostol, University of California, to the position of lecturer.

Samuel Borofsky, Brooklyn College, to an associate professorship.

J. L. Hodges, University of California, to the position of lecturer.

Banesh Hoffmann, Queens College, to an associate professorship.

W. C. Hubert, City College, New York City, to a professorship.

Jennie P. Kormes, Brooklyn College, to an assistant professorship.
S. S. McNeary, Drexel Institute of Technology, to an associate professorship.

The following appointments to instructorships are announced: Duke University: Mr. M. P. Jarnagin; Georgetown University: Mr. M. W. Oliphant; University of Illinois, Chicago Undergraduate Division: Miss Lona L. Turner; University of Missouri: Mr. R. A. Mauler; University of Virginia: Mr. R. R. Bernard, Mr. H. F. DeFrancesco, Mr. W. E. Pace.

Associate Professor R. E. Byrne of the California Institute of Technology died September 17, 1948 at the age of thirty-seven years.

Associate Professor Emeritus Frank Irwin of the University of California died December 25, 1948, at the age of eighty years. He had been a member of the Society for forty years.

Associate Professor Emeritus J. W. A. Young of the University of Chicago died October 26, 1948. He had been a member of the Society for more than fifty years.

NEW PUBLICATIONS

BERS, L. See KNOPP, K.

BERZOLARI, L. *Enciclopedia delle matematiche elementari e complementari*. Vol. 3, part 1. Milan, Hoepli, 1947. 16+924 pp. 1800 lire.

BEYER, R. T. See WILLERS, F. A.

BOOLE, G. *The mathematical analysis of logic*. Oxford, Blackwell, 1948. 82 pp. 7s. 6d.

CHURCHILL, R. V. *Introduction to complex variables and applications*. New York, McGraw-Hill, 1948. 6+216 pp. \$3.50.

KNOPP, K. *Problem book in the theory of functions*. Vol. I. Trans. by L. Bers. New York, Dover, 1948. 8+126 pp. \$1.85.

STREETER, V. L. *Fluid dynamics*. New York, McGraw-Hill, 1948. 11+263 pp. \$5.00.

WILLERS, F. A. *Practical analysis*. Trans. by R. T. Beyer. New York, Dover, 1948. 10+422 pp. \$6.00.