

NOTES

It has been announced that in connection with "Jubile Scientifique du Professor Maurice Fréchet" one or two prizes will be awarded to an author, or authors, of a memoir on general analysis. The prize winners will be selected by a committee appointed by the Council of the Société Mathématique de France. The rules of the competition are as follows: Manuscripts in a foreign language should be accompanied by a typewritten summary in French. All manuscripts should be sent to the President of the Société Mathématique, Institut H. Poincaré, 11, rue Pierre Curie, Paris 5, before March 1, 1950. They should treat of general analysis (theory of abstract spaces, transformations of abstract elements into abstract elements) or its applications. Manuscripts should bear the name and address of the author. If preferred, authors who desire to remain anonymous can write an identifying sentence on the manuscript, which is reproduced on a sealed envelope containing the name and address of the author.

Professors Emil Artin of Princeton University, Garrett Birkhoff of Harvard University, André Weil of the University of Chicago, and Oscar Zariski of Harvard University will participate in a colloquium on Algebra and the Theory of Numbers (sponsored by the Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique) to be held in Paris, September 23–October 1, 1949.

Professor L. V. Kantorovich of the University of Leningrad has been awarded a Stalin prize for his work on functional analysis.

Professor A. D. Ross of the University of Western Australia received King's Birthday Honors.

Dr. S. A. Schelkunoff of the Bell Telephone Laboratories has been awarded the Stuart Ballantine Medal of the Franklin Institute for his outstanding contributions to the extension of the electromagnetic wave theory.

Dr. E. E. Moise of the University of Michigan has been awarded a National Research Fellowship and will study at the Institute for Advanced Study.

Professor Selig Brodetsky of Leeds University has been appointed to the presidency of Hebrew University.

Professor Alberto Dias Coimbra of Lyceum, Evora, Portugal, has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Coimbra, Coimbra, Portugal.

Mr. Balthasar van der Pol of the Advisory Committee for Radio Communications, Eindhoven, Netherlands, has accepted a position

with the International Telecommunication Union, Geneva, Switzerland.

Dr. Peter Thullen of the Colombian Insurance Company, Bogotá, Colombia, has accepted a position as chief actuary with the Social Security Department of the Republic of Panama.

Dr. Milton Abramowitz of the Computation Laboratory of the National Bureau of Standards is now associated with the Numerical Mathematics Service of New York City.

Mr. R. V. Andree of the University of Wisconsin has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Oklahoma.

Professor Max Astrachan of Antioch College is on leave and has been appointed to a professorship at the U. S. Air Forces Institute of Technology, Dayton, Ohio.

Dr. W. E. Barnes of Cornell University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the College of William and Mary.

Associate Professor J. W. Beach of the New Mexico School of Mines has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of New Mexico.

Assistant Professor R. H. Bing of the University of Wisconsin has been appointed to an acting professorship at the University of Virginia.

Dr. J. H. Blau of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Pennsylvania State College.

Mr. Joseph Blum, who has been employed in the Department of the Army in Washington, D. C., has accepted a position as staff member at the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratories.

Dr. C. E. Bures of the University of Oregon has been appointed to an assistant professorship of philosophy and psychology at the California Institute of Technology.

Dr. Sarvadaman Chowla of the Institute for Advanced Study has been appointed to an acting professorship at the University of Kansas.

Mr. R. F. Cotellesa of Columbia University has accepted a position as engineer with the Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, New York, N. Y.

Assistant Professor V. F. Cowling of Lehigh University has been appointed to an associate professorship at the University of Kentucky.

Mr. N. J. Divinsky of the University of Chicago has accepted a position as research associate with the Cowles Commission for Research in Economics, Chicago, Ill.

Mr. J. H. Engel of the University of Wisconsin has accepted a posi-

tion as staff member, Operations Evaluation Group, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Mr. Robert Fitzpatrick of the University of Pittsburgh has accepted a position as project director with the American Institute for Research, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dr. M. M. Flood of the American Statistical Association has accepted a position as project officer with the Rand Corporation, Santa Monica, Calif.

Mr. E. E. Floyd of Princeton University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Virginia.

Mr. J. R. Foote of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Dr. A. W. Goodman of Rutgers University has been appointed to an associate professorship at the University of Kentucky.

Professor E. D. Hellinger of Northwestern University is on leave and has been appointed to a visiting professorship at the Illinois Institute of Technology.

Mr. W. C. Hoffman of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts has accepted a position as assistant scientist with the Rand Corporation, Santa Monica, Calif.

Assistant Professor M. Gweneth Humphreys of Newcomb Memorial College, Tulane University of Louisiana, has been appointed to an associate professorship at Randolph Macon Woman's College.

Professor W. R. Hutcherson of Northwestern State College, Natchitoches, La., has been appointed to a professorship at the University of Florida.

Professor J. B. Jeffries of the Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina has accepted a position as assistant director with the Midway Technical School, New York City.

Mr. C. E. Langenhop of Princeton University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Dr. Lee Lorch of City College, New York City, has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Pennsylvania State College.

Professor H. B. Mann of Ohio State University is on leave and has been appointed to a visiting professorship at the University of California.

Associate Professor C. G. Maple of North Texas State Teachers College has been appointed to an associate professorship at the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Assistant Professor Paul Meier of Lehigh University has accepted

a position as statistician with the Philadelphia Tuberculosis and Health Association.

Dr. B. C. Meyer of Stanford University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Arizona.

Assistant Professor H. J. Miser of Williams College has accepted a position as operations analyst with the U. S. Air Forces.

Mr. J. D. Newburgh of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology is now at the Institute for Advanced Study.

Dr. Paul Olum of the Institute for Advanced Study has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Cornell University.

Mr. C. L. Perry of the University of Michigan has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Arkansas.

Dr. R. C. Prim of Princeton University has accepted a position as mathematician with the Bell Telephone Laboratories.

Mr. Frank Proschan of George Washington University has accepted a position as statistician with the Atomic Energy Commission, New York City.

Mr. Gordon Raisbeck of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has accepted a position as staff member with the Acoustics Division, Bell Telephone Laboratories.

Professor W. E. Roth of Sampson College has been appointed to a professorship at the University of Tulsa.

Dr. H. J. Ryser of the Institute for Advanced Study has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Ohio State University.

Assistant Professor Alfred Schild of the University of Toronto has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Dr. W. R. Scott of the University of Michigan has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Kansas.

Mr. K. M. Siegel has been appointed to the position of research associate at the Aeronautical Research Center, University of Michigan, Willow Run Airport, Ypsilanti, Mich.

Associate Professor H. E. Stelson of Michigan State College is on leave and has been appointed to a visiting professorship at the University of Hawaii.

Dr. D. B. Sumner of the University of Toronto has been appointed to an associate professorship at the Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanic College.

Professor Otto Szasz of the University of Cincinnati is on leave and will be at the Institute for Numerical Analysis, National Bureau of Standards, University of California at Los Angeles, for the academic year beginning September 1949.

Dr. Deonise Trifan of Case Institute of Technology has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Arizona.

Dr. Bryant Tuckerman of Cornell University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at Oberlin College.

Assistant Professor G. L. Walker of Purdue University is on leave and has been appointed to a visiting professorship at Cornell University.

Dr. V. M. Wolontis of Harvard University has been appointed to an assistant professorship at the University of Kansas.

Professor T. O. Yntema of the University of Chicago has accepted a position as Vice President with the Ford Motor Company, Birmingham, Mich.

The following promotions are announced:

H. A. Heilbronn, University of Bristol, to a professorship.

E. A. Machado, University of LaPlata, to an assistant professorship.

Daniel Pedoe, Westfield College, University of London, to reader in pure mathematics.

V. W. Adkisson, University of Arkansas, to Dean of the Graduate School.

D. B. Ames, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, to a professorship.

J. D. Bankier, McMaster University, to an associate professorship.

H. D. Block, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, to an assistant professorship.

T. A. Botts, University of Virginia, to an assistant professorship.

P. B. Burcham, University of Missouri, to an associate professorship.

Paul Civin, University of Oregon, to an associate professorship.

C. L. Clark, Oregon State College, to a professorship.

J. E. Eaton, Queens College, to an assistant professorship.

Ky Fan, University of Notre Dame, to an associate professorship.

R. E. Gaskell, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, to an associate professorship.

N. G. Gunderson, University of Rochester, to an assistant professorship.

P. R. Halmos, University of Chicago, to an associate professorship.

Eugene Isaacson, New York University, to an assistant professorship.

V. L. Klee, University of Virginia, to an assistant professorship.

Mary A. Lee, Sweet Briar College, to an associate professorship.

J. G. Lemmer, West Baden College, Loyola University, to an associate professorship.

F. J. Murray, Columbia University, to a professorship.

H. K. Riess, Physics Department, Tulane University of Louisiana, to an associate professorship.

R. A. Rosenbaum, Reed College, to a professorship.

J. A. Schumaker, MacMurray College for Women, to an assistant professorship.

W. T. Scott, Northwestern University, to an associate professorship.

E. B. Shanks, Vanderbilt University, to an associate professorship.

Andrew Sobczyk, Boston University, to an associate professorship.

C. W. Topp, Fenn College, to an associate professorship.

M. L. Vest, West Virginia University, to an associate professorship.

S. I. Vrooman, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, to an assistant professorship.

Frances Weisbecker, Milwaukee-Downer College, to an assistant professorship.

R. M. Whitmore, Southwestern University, to an associate professorship.

Jacob Wolfowitz, Columbia University, to a professorship of mathematical statistics.

The following appointments to instructorships are announced: Institute of Technology, Delft, Netherlands: Dr. N. H. Kuiper; Allegheny College: Mr. T. T. Tanimoto; Brown University: Dr. Gerald Freilich; Cambridge Junior College: Mr. Carl Cohen; Clark University: Mr. R. R. Christian; Clarkson College of Technology, Malone, N. Y.: Mr. Leon Benson; Clemson Agricultural College, Clemson, S. C.: Mr. R. B. Johnson; Duke University: Miss Mary E. Estill; Goucher College: Dr. Verena H. Haefeli; University of Hawaii: Mr. C. H. Murphy; Illinois Institute of Technology: Mr. E. F. Trombley; Massachusetts Institute of Technology: Dr. E. A. Coddington, Mr. B. W. Lindgren; University of Michigan: Mr. W. J. LeVeque, Mr. A. J. Lohwater; University of Minnesota: Miss Margaret Owchar; University of Missouri: Mr. J. W. Gaddum; Montana State College: Mr. J. E. Whitesitt; New York University: Dr. G. E. Noether; Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College: Mr. C. J. Clark; University of Pennsylvania: Miss Anne M. Whitney; Pennsylvania State College: Miss Leila R. Raines; Princeton University: Mr. F. H. Brownell; Reed College: Mr. D. V. V. Wend; Temple University: Miss L. Aileen Hostinsky; University of Washington (Department of Philosophy): Mr. E. C. Schlesinger; Wilson College: Miss Joan E. Robinson; Yale University: Dr. D. T. Finkbeiner.

Dr. J. K. L. MacDonald of the Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, Calif. died February 3, 1949, at the age of forty-three years.

Professor Nelle Miller of the University of Arizona died June 20, 1949, at the age of sixty-eight years.

Professor A. H. Mowbray of the University of California died on January 7, 1949, at the age of sixty-seven years.

Dean Emeritus R. G. D. Richardson of Brown University died July 17, 1949, at the age of seventy-two years. He was a member of the Society for forty-four years.