

REPORT ON THE NEW HAVEN MEETING OF THE INSTITUTE

The Tenth Summer Meeting of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics was held at Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, Tuesday, September 2 through Thursday, September 4, 1947. The meeting was held in conjunction with the summer meetings of the American Mathematical Society and the Mathematical Association of America. The following 150 members of the Institute attended the meeting:

C. B. Allendoerfer, R. L. Anderson, H. E. Arnold, L. A. Aroian, H. M. Bacon, J. L. Barnes, W. D. Baten, R. E. Bechhofer, A. A. Bennett, Joseph Berkson, D. H. Blackwell, C. I. Bliss, Colin Blyth, Jr., A. E. Brandt, G. M. Brown, R. H. Brown, O. P. Bruno, P. T. Bruyere, Mrs. P. T. Bruyere, J. H. Bushey, B. H. Camp, G. C. Campbell, Uttam Chand, K. L. Chung, W. G. Cochran, A. C. Cohen, Jr., E. P. Coleman, T. F. Cope, G. M. Cox, C. C. Craig, E. L. Crow, H. B. Curry, G. B. Dantzig, M. D. Darkow, B. B. Day, Bernard Dimsdale, C. E. Dieulefait, C. W. Dunnett, Churchill Eisenhart, L. R. Elveback, M. W. Eudey, H. P. Evans, William Feller, C. D. Ferris, M. M. Flood, R. M. Foster, H. A. Freeman, J. E. Freund, H. P. Geiringer, M. J. Gottlieb, J. Arthur Greenwood, Evelyn Groosman, F. E. Grubbs, H. T. Guard, P. R. Halmos, Max Halperin, M. H. Hansen, B. I. Hart, Mina Haskind, Wassily Hoeffding, R. H. Hoskins, Harold Hotelling, A. S. Householder, Jaroslav Janko, Irving Kaplansky, Leo Katz, Oscar Kempthorne, E. M. Kennedy, W. L. Kichline, C. J. Kirchen, L. F. Knudsen, H. S. Konijn, C. F. Kossack, Jack Laderman, H. G. Landau, E. L. Lehmann, R. A. Leibler, Walter Leighton, Jr., F. C. Leone, Joseph Lev, Howard Levene, Julius Leiblein, Arthur Linder, S. B. Littauer, E. D. Lowry, H. F. MacNeish, P. J. McCarthy, John Mandel, H. B. Mann, Sophie Marcuse, F. J. Massey, Margaret Merrell, E. B. Mode, M. E. Moore, Frederick Mosteller, D. N. Nanda, P. M. Neurath, M. C. Neurdenburg, G. E. Noether, M. L. Norden, H. W. Norton, P. S. Olmstead, A. L. O'Toole, E. R. Ott, T. E. Oxtoby, Edward Paulson, M. P. Peisakoff, G. B. Price, J. A. Rafferty, L. J. Reed, C. J. Rees, P. R. Rider, John Riordan, H. E. Robbins, Milton da Silva Rodrigues, A. C. Rosander, Ernest Rubin, Herman Rubin, Frank Saidel, M. M. Sandomire, Arthur Sard, Max Sasuly, F. E. Satterthwaite, E. D. Schell, Jack Sherman, Rosedith Sitgreaves, Andrew Sobczyk, Milton Sobel, Herbert Solomon, Mortimer Spiegelman, Arthur Stein, Henry Teicher, R. M. Thrall, Gerhard Tintner, M. N. Torrey, J. W. Tukey, D. F. Votaw, Jr., Abraham Wald, H. M. Walker, J. E. Walsh, R. M. Walter, J. H. Watkins, Dzung-shu Wei, E. S. Weiss, S. S. Wilks, C. P. Winsor, H. O. Wold, Jacob Wolfowitz, C. A. Wright, Bertram Yood.

The Tuesday afternoon session was devoted to a symposium on 2×2 tables with Professor Lowell J. Reed of Johns Hopkins University serving as chairman. Addresses were given on *Tests of Significance* by Dr. Churchill Eisenhart, National Bureau of Standards; *Estimation* by Dr. Charles P. Winsor, Johns Hopkins University and *Non-Standard Cases* by Dr. Joseph Berkson, Mayo Clinic. Discussants were Mr. William F. Taylor, Dr. Frederick Mosteller, Professor David H. Blackwell and Professor John W. Tukey. The attendance was approximately 130.

The first Wednesday morning session was devoted to contributed papers. Professor John W. Tukey of Princeton University presided. The attendance was approximately 85. The following three papers were presented:

1. *Estimation of Parameters in Truncated Pearson Frequency Distributions.*
Professor A. C. Cohen, University of Georgia.