NEWS AND NOTICES

Readers are invited to submit to the Secretary of the Institute news items of interest

Personal Items

- Fred C. Andrews, formerly Research Associate in the Applied Mathematics and Statistics Laboratory, Stanford University, is now Assistant Professor of Mathematics and Assistant Statistician in the College of Agriculture at the University of Nebraska.
- Dr. R. R. Bahadur is now an Assistant Professor in the Committee on Statistics of the University of Chicago.
- T. A. Bancroft, director of the Statistical Laboratory, Iowa State College, has been on a 3-month assignment during fall quarter in the Near East and India at the request of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations. During the first 6 weeks he visited experiment stations and ministries of agriculture in Egypt, Syria, Iran, and Iraq to collect information on the present use of experimental designs and survey techniques in research investigations. Since then he has given a program of seminars at an Experimental Designs Training Center sponsored by FAO in New Delhi.
- Gerald W. Barnes, formerly a graduate student at Indiana University, has accepted an instructorship in Psychology at the University of Maine.
- Richard H. Brown has accepted a position of Assistant Professor of Mathematics at Boston University.
- Edward C. Bryant returned to his position as Chairman of the Dept. of Statistics, University of Wyoming, last July after a year's study in the Dept. of Statistics, Iowa State College.
- Douglas G. Chapman of the Department of Mathematics, University of Washington, has received a Guggenheim Fellowship for research in the statistical theory of population estimation and will be at the University of Oxford during the academic year 1954–55.
- Dr. Louis J. Cote has been appointed Assistant Professor of Mathematics at Purdue University. He will be associated with the Statistical Laboratory.
- Edwin L. Crow, formerly employed at the U. S. Naval Ordnance Test Station, has accepted a position as Mathematical Statistician with the National Bureau of Standards, Boulder, Colorado.
- The Council and Trustees of the American Mathematical Society announce the election of Dr. John H. Curtiss to the position of Executive Director of the Society. Dr. Curtis is a fellow of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics and of the American Statistical Association. He assumed his duties on September 1, 1954. The Headquarters of the Society are at 80 Waterman Street, Providence, Rhode Island.
- Joseph F. Daly has been granted a leave by the Bureau of the Census to spend a year at the Statistical Laboratory, Stanford University.
 - George G. den Broeder, Jr., formerly with the Weapon Systems Analysis