

Membership. It is hoped that this provision for Junior Membership will stimulate interest in mathematical statistics at the advanced undergraduate level in colleges and universities.

The Board of Directors have approved the following rules governing Junior Membership:

1. Any undergraduate student of a collegiate institution is eligible for election as a Junior member of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics provided that he or she is sponsored by a member of the Institute.
2. The annual dues (\$2.50) must be submitted with the application.
3. Annual membership shall coincide with the calendar year and the Junior Member shall receive a complete volume of the *Annals of Mathematical Statistics* for the year in which he or she is elected.
4. Junior Membership shall be limited to a term of two years, but a Junior Member may apply for transfer to ordinary membership at the beginning of his second year.

For the convenience of any Institute member who may wish to sponsor a Junior Member an application blank is provided at the back of this issue of the *Annals*. Additional blanks may be obtained from the Secretary of the Institute.

Announcement of May Meeting in New York

There will be a joint meeting between the Institute and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers on Saturday, May 29, 1943, at the Engineering Societies Building, 29 West 39th Street, N. Y.

The meeting will consist of two sessions on industrial applications of mathematical statistics. The topics are as follows:

Morning Session, 10 A.M.

Chairman: Harold Hotelling

1. J. Wolfowitz, *On the Theory of Runs with some Applications to Quality Control*.
2. Churchill Eisenhart, *On the Presentation of Data as Evidence*.

Afternoon Session, 2 P.M.

Chairman: W. A. Shewhart

1. H. F. Dodge, *A Sampling Inspection Plan for Continuous Production*.
2. L. C. Young, *Tolerances and Product Acceptability*.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE INSTITUTE

Ordinarily at the business meeting and at the luncheon customarily held as part of the annual meeting of the Institute, the President has the opportunity to make public acknowledgement to those individuals, aside from the officers, who served the Institute during the year, and to have his say concerning past progress and future plans. This year it appears that the pages of the *Annals* must be used for this purpose.