## THE THIRTY-FIFTH SUMMER MEETING OF THE AMERICAN MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY

The thirty-fifth summer meeting and thirteenth olloquium of the Society were held at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, from Tuesday to Friday, August 27–30, 1929, preceded by the summer meeting of the Mathematical Association of America.

The four colloquium fectures by Professor R. L. Moore, each of an hour and one-quarter, were delivered on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons and Thursday and Friday mornings, with ninety-one members in attendance; a report of these lectures, by Professor G. T. Whyburn, appears in the present issue of this Bulletin. On Thursday morning the Society held sectional sessions for the reading of papers, a Section of Analysis, and a Section of Algebra. General sessions were held on Tuesday afternoon and Friday morning. The retiring address of President Snyder, entitled *The prob*lem of the cubic variety in S<sub>4</sub>, which has already appeared on pages 607-642 of the September-October issue of this Bulletin, was delivered on Thursday afternoon. In place of the joint dinner of the Society and the Association, there was an excursion to University Camp, where a dinner was served, after which there were informal speeches, Professor A. I. Kempner presiding.

This is the farthest west a summer meeting has been held since 1915, and in every particular it justified the high hopes of those interested in the expansion of the area of the Society's activities. Boulder is picturesquely situated, the University's ample facilities were placed unreservedly and efficiently at the disposal of the visitors, the attendance was good, and the scientific standard of the meetings was high. The scientists came from twenty-eight states and Canada, representing nearly all sections of the country. Especially memorable among mathematical outings were the dinner at University