

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY

The forty-fifth Annual Meeting of the American Mathematical Society was held at Richmond and Williamsburg, Virginia, from Tuesday to Friday, December 27–30, 1938, in conjunction with the meetings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the Mathematical Association of America.

There were three general and seven sectional sessions of the Society, in which four addresses and ninety-five research papers (fifty-four in person) were given. Sessions on Wednesday morning were held in the Broadcasting Studio of the Mosque, Richmond. All other sessions were held in Washington Hall and Rogers Hall at the College of William and Mary, Williamsburg.

Arrangements for the meetings were made by a committee consisting of Professors J. M. Stetson (chairman), E. J. McShane, G. A. Larew, and C. H. Wheeler. In Richmond the headquarters were at the Hotel William Byrd. In Williamsburg, the College of William and Mary generously made dormitory rooms available for the use of the mathematicians.

The attendance of approximately three hundred included the following two hundred thirty members of the Society:

C. R. Adams, R. B. Adams, V. W. Adkisson, R. P. Agnew, C. B. Allendoerfer, R. C. Archibald, C. S. Atchison, N. H. Ball, M. F. Becker, A. A. Bennett, G. D. Birkhoff, L. M. Blumenthal, Paul Boeder, H. F. Bohnenblust, H. E. Bray, W. C. Brenke, J. L. Brenner, F. L. Brooks, E. T. Browne, Herbert Busemann, J. H. Bushey, Jewell H. Bushey, W. E. Byrne, W. D. Cairns, J. W. Calkin, H. H. Campaigne, E. W. Cannon, M. E. Carlen, C. L. Carroll, I. S. Carroll, H. C. Carter, W. B. Carver, J. W. Cell, Claude Chevalley, Alonzo Church, J. M. Clarkson, Abraham Cohen, L. W. Cohen, Nancy Cole, J. B. Coleman, J. L. Coolidge, W. A. Cordrey, Richard Courant, E. B. Cowley, Sr. J. S. Creane, H. B. Curry, D. R. Curtiss, E. H. Cutler, M. D. Darkow, H. T. Davis, F. F. Decker, L. L. Dines, Arnold Dresden, F. G. Dressel, R. J. Duffin, W. L. Duren, L. A. Dye, Paul Erdős, W. H. Erskine, E. J. Finan, D. A. Flanders, L. R. Ford, Tomlinson Fort, R. H. Fox, J. S. Frame, K. O. Friedrichs, T. C. Fry, R. E. Gaines, J. J. Gergen, F. J. Gerst, Wallace Givens, Kurt Gödel, M. C. Graustein, W. C. Graustein, C. H. Graves, D. W. Hall, Israel Halperin, Harris Hancock, M. L. Hartung, N. A. Haynes, O. C. Hazlett, L. B. Hedge, E. R. Hedrick, E. H. C. Hildebrandt, Einar Hille, D. L. Holl, T. R. Hollcroft, M. A. Holly, Charles Hopkins, V. A. Hoyle, W. A. Hurwitz, Dunham Jackson, Nathan Jacobson, C. G. Jaeger, Walter Jennings, Fritz John, F. E. Johnston, B. W. Jones, F. B. Jones, H. A. Jordan, J. L. Kelley, A. J. Kempner, S. C. Kleene, J. R. Kline, R. L. Korgen, H. L. Krall, W. D. Lambert, F. L. Lamoreau, O. E. Lancaster, Lincoln LaPaz, G. A. Larew, C. G. Latimer, V. S. Lawrence, B. A. Lengyel, D. C. Lewis, J. B. Linker, S. B. Littauer, M. I. Logsdon, R. G. Lubben, N. H. McCoy, E. A. McDougale, E. J. McShane, C. C. MacDuffee, Saunders MacLane, H. M. MacNeille, H. F. MacNeish, Dorothy Manning, W. A. Manning, A. J. Maria, William Marshall, M. H. Martin,