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### THE APRIL MEETING IN CHICAGO

The six hundred twelfth meeting of the American Mathematical Society was held at the University of Chicago on Friday and Saturday, April 24, 25. There were 304 registrants, 246 of whom were members of the Society.

All the sessions were held at the University of Chicago's Center for Continuing Education.

By invitation of the Committee to Select Hour Speakers for Western Sectional Meetings, there were addresses by Professor L. Fejes-Tóth of the University of Veszprém (visiting the University of Wisconsin) and associate member of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences on *What the bees know and what they do not know*, by Professor J. C. C. Nitsche of the University of Minnesota *On new results in the theory of minimal surfaces*, and by Professor A. Rényi of the Mathematical Institute of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences (visiting the University of Michigan) *On the theory of search*. These sessions were introduced by Professors Victor Klee, Harley Flanders, and P. R. Halmos.

Sessions for the presentation of contributed papers were held at 3:15 P.M. on Friday and both at 9:30 A.M. and 3:15 P.M. on Saturday. Presiding officers were Professors Allen Shields, R. J. Koch, W. E. Deskins, S. K. Berberian, O. G. Harrold, Jr., L. M. Kelly, W. J. Coles, A. Liulevicius, and L. A. Kokoris.

The Council met on Friday, April 24, at 4:00 P.M. at the Conference Center at the University of Chicago.

The Secretary announced the election of the following seventy-three persons to ordinary membership in the Society:

Anliker, Max, Stanford University;  
Aoki, Masanao, University of California, Los Angeles;  
Baldwin, Joe G., Research Triangle Institute, Durham, North Carolina;  
Berthiaume, Pierre, McGill University;