## **NEWS AND NOTICES**

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

## Personal Items

- Dr. Paul H. Anderson is Regional Statistician with the War Production Board and Lecturer in Mathematics at Western Reserve University.
- Mr. Kenneth J. Arrow is a second lieutenant with the United States Army Air Forces.
- Assistant Professor H. M. Bacon of Stanford University has been promoted to an associate professorship.
- Dr. G. A. Baker of the College of Agriculture of the University of California has been promoted to an assistant professorship.
- Mr. Blair M. Bennett is attached to the Operations Research Section of the Eighth Bomber Command.
  - Mr. Richard Berger is in the United States Army Air Forces.
  - Mr. John L. Carlson is a lieutenant in the United States Naval Reserve.
- Mr. Edward P. Colman is a major in the Coast Artillery Corps and is stationed at West Point.
- Mr. William F. Elkin has been appointed Research Secretary of the Philadelphia Tuberculosis and Health Association.
- Professor R. A. Fisher, Galton Professor in the University of London since 1933, has been appointed to the chair of Genetics in Cambridge University.
- Dr. J. P. Guilford is a lieutenant colonel in the Army Air Forces. He is chief of the Field Research Unit, Psychological Section of the Surgeon's Office with headquarters at Fort Worth.
- Dr. Edward Helley of Monmouth Junior College has been appointed Visiting Lecturer at the Illinois Institute of Technology.
- Dr. H. B. Mann has been appointed to an instructorship at Bard College, Columbia University.
- Dr. Nilan Norris is a lieutenant in the Army Air Forces, and is serving as Statistical Officer.
- Dr. Edwin G. Olds has been granted leave by Carnegie Institute of Technology to act as Chief Statistical Consultant to the Industrial Processes Branch of the Office of Production Research and Development, War Production Board.
- Miss Ruth L. Owen has been commissioned as an ensign in the United States Naval Reserve. She is acting as Supply and Disbursing Officer for the Naval V-12 Unit at St. Lawrence University.
  - Mr. Robert W. Royston is a lieutenant in the United States Naval Reserve.
- Dr. H. M. Schwartz has been appointed Assistant Professor of Mathematics at the University of Idaho.
- Mr. William B. Simpson is now a member of the armed forces and is stationed at Camp Crowder.
  - Mr. Irvin Stein is an ensign in the United States Naval Reserve.

Mr. Milton S. Stevens is an apprentice seaman in the United States Naval Reserve.

Mr. W. A. Vezeau has been promoted to the rank of Assistant Professor of Mathematics at the University of Detroit.

## Organization of Washington Chapter of the Institute

Professor Harold Hotelling of Columbia University spoke at George Washington University, November 19, 1943, under the auspices of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics before an audience of over 150 persons. The subject of his lecture was *Multivariate Statistical Analysis*. At the close of the lecture the Washington Chapter of the Institute was organized. A Planning Committee consisting of William G. Madow, Chairman, Meyer A. Girshick, and W. Edwards Deming was elected. Members of the Institute who are interested in being in contact with the Washington Chapter should write to William G. Madow, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Department of Agriculture.

## New Members

The following persons have been elected to membership in the Institute:

- Belz, Asso. Prof. Maurice H. M.A. (Melbourne) Univ. of Melbourne, Carlton, N. 3, Victoria, Australia.
- Cap6, Bernardo G. Ph.D. (Cornell) Biometrician, Agric. Exp. Station, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, 321 Rosario St., Santurce.
- Crawford, Elizabeth S. B.A. (Mundelein Coll.) Asso. Labor Market Analyst, War Manpower Commission. 935 Lincoln St., Denver, Colo.
- Crawford, James R. Div. Supervisor, Vega Aircraft Corp., 11626 Kittridge St., N. Hollywood, Calif.
- Hoffer, Prof. Irwin S. M.B.A. (Harvard) Temple Univ., Philadelphia, Pa., Willow Ave., Ambler. Pa.
- Maynard, Burton I. A.B. (Stanford) Stat. Analyst and Stat., 11211 Brookhaven Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.
- Mazza, Prof. Sigfrido C. Dir., Instituto de Estadistica. Facultad de C. Economicas, Tristan Narvaja 1474, Montevideo, Uruguay.
- Motock, George T. M.S. (Carnegie Inst. Tech., Ohio State) Dir. of Res., Republic Steel Corp., Cleveland, Ohio.
- Neurath, Paul M. LL.D. (Vienna) Lecturer, Coll. of the City of New York, N. Y. 549 W. 113 St.
- Page, Warren H. B.A. (Queens Coll.) Pfc., U. S. Army, 3301 A.S.T.U. Virginia Polytechnic Inst., Blacksburg, Va.
- Pearson, Prof. E. S. D.Sc. (London) University Coll., Gower St., London, W. C. 1, Eng.
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- Rule, Wayne B. M.S. (Iowa) Sr. Analysis Clerk, Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., 29 Utopian Ave., Suffern, N. Y.
- Thompson, Walter H. M.S. (Iowa) Sgt., U. S. Army; Instr., Agric. Economics Dept., Virginia Polytechnic Inst., Blacksburg, Va.
- Thomson, Prof. Godfrey H. D.Sc. (Durham) Dir. of the Training of Teachers, Univ. of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland.