## OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

Meetings of the Society have been fixed at the following times and places:

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, June 18, 1936.

Abstracts must be in the hands of Associate Secretary T. M. Putnam, University of California, Berkeley, California, not later than May 21. Abstracts received by the Secretaries on or before May 6 will appear in the May issue of this Bulletin. By invitation of the program committee, Professor H. P. Robertson will deliver an address entitled Geometry and physical space-time.

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS, SUMMER MEETING AND COL-LOQUIUM, August 31-September 5, 1936.

Abstracts must be in the hands of Secretary R. G. D. Richardson, Low Memorial Library, Columbia University, New York City, not later than July 27. Abstracts received by the Secretaries by July 3 will appear in the July issue of this Bulletin. The meeting will be held in connection with the celebration of the Harvard Tercentenary, and Harvard University has invited four distinguished mathematicians to give lectures: Professors Cartan, Dickson, Hardy, and Levi-Cività. These lectures will be delivered before the Society. Professor E. W. Chittenden will deliver a series of colloquium lectures on Topics in general analysis. By invitation of the Society, Professor G. W. Evans will deliver an address entitled Methods of modern analysis in potential theory. There will be a joint session with the American Astronomical Society at which Professors Eddington and Levi-Cività will speak.

R. G. D. RICHARDSON, Secretary of the Society.

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