THE FEBRUARY MEETING IN NEW YORK

The five hundred eighty-eighth meeting of the American Mathematical Society was held on Thursday, February 22, 1962 under the auspices of Yeshiva University. The sessions took place at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University. About 130 persons attended, including at least 105 members of the Society.

By invitation of the Committee to Select Hour Speakers for Eastern Sectional Meetings, Professor Richard S. Palais of Brandeis University addressed the Society on *The role of differentiability in the theory of transformation groups*. Professor H. W. E. Schwerdtfeger introduced the speaker.

There were five sessions for contributed papers. The presiding officers were Professors Martin Davis, Bernard Epstein, D. R. Hughes, Donald Newman and François Treves.

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