

## REPRESENTATIVES AND COMMITTEES OF THE SOCIETY

### Representatives of the Society in the Division of Mathematics of the National Research Council

- 1955–1956—W. L. Duren, H. J. Ettliger, Norman Levinson, C. C. MacDuffee,  
E. J. McShane, R. L. Wilder.  
1956–1957—W. L. Duren, H. J. Ettliger, D. H. Lehmer, Norman Levinson, C. C.  
MacDuffee, N. E. Steenrod.  
1957–1958—C. B. Allendoerfer, H. J. Ettliger, S. C. Kleene, D. H. Lehmer, C. C.  
MacDuffee, N. E. Steenrod.

### Representatives on the Council of the American Association for the Advancement of Science

- 1956–1957—A. W. Tucker, G. T. Whyburn.

### Representatives on the Board of Editors of the Annals of Mathematics

- 1956–1957—A. M. Gleason, J. L. Kelley, Charles Loewner.

### Representatives on the Editorial Board of the Duke Mathematical Journal

- 1956–1958—R. H. Fox, I. E. Segal.

### Representative on U. S. Committee on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics

- 1953–1956—M. H. Martin.

### Colloquium Lecturers

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|---------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1896—James Pierpont | 1920—G. D. Birkhoff    | 1940—G. T. Whyburn    |
| Maxime Bôcher       | F. R. Moulton          | 1941—Oystein Ore      |
| 1898—W. F. Osgood   | 1925—L. P. Eisenhart   | 1942—R. L. Wilder     |
| A. G. Webster       | Dunham Jackson         | 1943—E. J. McShane    |
| 1901—Oskar Bolza    | 1927—E. T. Bell        | 1944—Einar Hille      |
| E. W. Brown         | Anna Pell-Wheeler      | 1945—Tibor Radó       |
| 1903—H. S. White    | 1928—A. B. Coble       | 1946—Hassler Whitney  |
| F. S. Woods         | 1929—R. L. Moore       | 1947—Oscar Zariski    |
| E. B. Van Vleck     | 1930—Solomon Lefschetz | 1948—Richard Brauer   |
| 1906—E. H. Moore    | 1931—Marston Morse     | 1949—G. A. Hedlund    |
| E. J. Wilczynski    | 1932—J. F. Ritt        | 1951—Deane Montgomery |
| Max Mason           | 1934—R. E. A. C. Paley | 1952—Alfred Tarski    |
| 1909—G. A. Bliss    | Norbert Wiener         | 1953—Antoni Zygmund   |
| Edward Kasner       | 1935—H. S. Vandiver    | 1954—None             |
| 1913—L. E. Dickson  | 1936—E. W. Chittenden  | 1955—Nathan Jacobson  |
| W. F. Osgood        | 1937—John von Neumann  | 1956—Salomon Bochner  |
| 1916—G. C. Evans    | 1939—A. A. Albert      |                       |
| Oswald Veblen       | M. H. Stone            |                       |

### Committee to Select Gibbs Lecturers for 1956 and 1957

Garrett Birkhoff, K. O. Friedrichs, Marston Morse (Chairman).

**Gibbs Lecturers:**

1923—M. I. Pupin	1935—Vannevar Bush	1947—P. M. Morse
1924—Robert Henderson	1936—H. N. Russell	1948—Hermann Weyl
1925—James Pierpont.	1937—C. A. Kraus	1949—Norbert Wiener
1926—H. B. Williams	1939—Theodore von	1950—G. E. Uhlenbeck
1927—E. W. Brown	Kármán	1951—Kurt Gödel
1928—G. H. Hardy	1941—Sewall Wright	1952—Marston Morse
1929—Irving Fisher	1943—Harry Bateman	1953—Wassily Leontief
1930—E. B. Wilson	1944—John von Neumann	1954—K. O. Friedrichs
1931—P. W. Bridgman	1945—J. C. Slater	1955—J. E. Mayer
1932—R. C. Tolman	1946—Subrahmanyan	1956—M. H. Stone
1934—Albert Einstein	Chandrasekhar	

**Committee on Society Visiting Lectureship**

Samuel Eilenberg, P. R. Halmos (Chairman), J. M. Thomas.

**Visiting Lecturers:**

1927–1928—Constantin Carathéodory, University of Munich.  
 1928–1929—Hermann Weyl, Zurich Technical School.  
 1929–1930—Enrico Bompiani, University of Rome.  
 1930–1931—Wilhelm Blaschke, University of Hamburg.  
 1931–1932—R. L. Moore, University of Texas.  
 1936–1937—Thirukkannapuram Vijayaraghavan, University of Dacca.  
 1948–1949—Casimir Kuratowski, University of Warsaw.  
 1951–1952—Marshall H. Stone, University of Chicago.

**Committees to Select Hour Speakers**

For Annual and Summer Meetings: E. G. Begle (Chairman), G. P. Hochschild, D. H. Lehmer.  
 For Eastern Sectional Meetings: R. D. Schafer (Chairman), Lipman Bers, E. R. Kolchin.  
 For Western Sectional Meetings: J. W. T. Youngs (Chairman), P. V. Reichelderfer, E. H. Spanier.  
 For Far Western Sectional Meetings: V. L. Klee (Chairman), Arthur Erdélyi, Ivan Niven.  
 For Southeastern Sectional Meetings: J. H. Roberts (Chairman), E. E. Floyd, G. B. Huff.

**Committee on Places of Meetings**

W. M. Whyburn (Chairman), C. B. Morrey, R. M. Thrall.

**Policy Committee for Mathematics**

Representatives of American Mathematical Society: A. A. Albert, Richard Brauer, R. L. Wilder, Leo Zippin.  
 Representative of Association for Symbolic Logic: H. B. Curry.  
 Representative of Institute of Mathematical Statistics: J. F. Daly.  
 Representatives of Mathematical Association of America: W. L. Duren, H. M. Gehman, D. E. Richmond (Chairman).  
 Representative of National Council of Teachers of Mathematics: J. R. Mayor.  
 Secretary: E. G. Begle.

**Committee on Applied Mathematics**

R. E. Bellman, Garrett Birkhoff, R. S. Burington, A. E. Heins, A. S. Householder, Shizuo Kakutani, F. J. Murray (Chairman).

**Committee on Translations from Russian and Other Foreign Languages**

R. E. Bellman, R. P. Boas, Jr., J. L. Doob (Chairman), Irving Kaplansky, Hans Samelson.

**FORMER PRESIDENTS**

J. H. Van Amringe, 1889–1890  
 Emory McClintock, 1891–1894  
 G. W. Hill, 1895–1896  
 Simon Newcomb, 1897–1898  
 R. S. Woodward, 1899–1900  
 E. H. Moore, 1901–1902  
 T. S. Fiske, 1903–1904  
 W. F. Osgood, 1905–1906  
 H. S. White, 1907–1908  
 Maxime Bôcher, 1909–1910  
 H. B. Fine, 1911–1912  
 E. B. Van Vleck, 1913–1914  
 E. W. Brown, 1915–1916  
 L. E. Dickson, 1917–1918  
 Frank Morley, 1919–1920  
 G. A. Bliss, 1921–1922  
 Oswald Veblen, 1923–1924

G. D. Birkhoff, 1925–1926  
 Virgil Snyder, 1927–1928  
 E. R. Hedrick, 1929–1930  
 L. P. Eisenhart, 1931–1932  
 A. B. Coble, 1933–1934  
 Solomon Lefschetz, 1935–1936  
 R. L. Moore, 1937–1938  
 G. C. Evans, 1939–1940  
 Marston Morse, 1941–1942  
 M. H. Stone, 1943–1944  
 T. H. Hildebrandt, 1945–1946  
 Einar Hille, 1947–1948  
 J. L. Walsh, 1949–1950  
 John von Neumann, 1951–1952  
 G. T. Whyburn, 1953–1954  
 R. L. Wilder, 1955–1956

**ENDOWMENT FUND**

In 1923 an Endowment Fund was collected to meet the greater demands on the Society's publication program caused by the ever increasing number of important mathematical memoirs. Of this fund, which now amounts to some \$94,000, a considerable proportion was contributed by members of the Society. Under the terms of the will of the late Robert Henderson, for many years a Trustee of the Society, the Society receives approximately \$4,000 yearly. Upon the death of the other legatees, the Society will receive the entire principal of the estate for its Endowment Fund.

**SPECIAL FUNDS**

**(\$500 or more)**

**The Bôcher Memorial Prize**

This prize was founded in memory of Professor Maxime Bôcher. It is awarded every five years for a notable research memoir in analysis which has appeared during the preceding five years in a recognized journal published in the United States or Canada; the recipient must be a member of the Society, and not more than fifty years old at the time of publication of his memoir.

First (Preliminary) Award, 1923: To G. D. Birkhoff, for his memoir *Dynamical systems with two degrees of freedom*.

Second Award, 1924: To E. T. Bell, for his memoir *Arithmetical paraphrases*, and