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Stanford University was founded in 1891 and, for the first few decades Stanford's mathematicians showed what appear to be mixed signals toward the role of mathematical applications at Stanford. This talk will concentrate on this issue up till 1938 and attempt to show that one could interpret what happened as resulting from a consistent point of view. The role of some major figures in the department will be touched on. (Received September 06, 2016)