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## Ames, Iowa 50010

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

March 29, 1966

E.L. Canfield, Dean Graduate Division Drake University Des Moines, Iowa 50311

Dear Earle,

Enclosed is the cosigned check you requested. Thank you for sending the programs—I have already sent them out to Iowa Colleges with no MAA Representative along with a request for recommendations to fill that office.

I will appoint someone to audit the financial books as you suggest. I join all members of the Iowa Section in a resounding vote of appreciation for your willing, able and untiring service in the office of secretary-treasurer. It is good of you to express willingness to serve yet another year. When I appointed the nominating committee I urged them to seriously consider finding candidates for secretary-treasurer since you might well wish to be relieved. Since you gave them an opening, however, they are taking the path of least resistance (and most efficient service!) and will submit your name again if that is agreeable with you. I told Clarence Lindahl I would ask you since I had to write you anyway. If you really wish to "unload" the position I fear you will have to be less cooperative!

It was suggested that perhaps it would be advantageous to appoint a secretary-treasurer-elect whom you could groom during the year to take over next year. Do you think that would be useful? Professor Gillam was suggested (he would be close by) and also Charles Lindsay of Coe (Professor Hagg suggested last year that he might be a good candidate). Please let us know what you think.

Sincerely,

Don

D.E. Sanderson Chairman, Iowa Section, MAA

