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GRADUATE DIVISION

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Dear Colleague:

May I remind you of the necessity to be thinking of the program for the Iowa Section meeting of the Mathematical Association of America at Central College, Pella, Iowa, April 15, 1966, in conjunction with the Iowa Academy of Science meeting. Those of you who may have topics to present should contact Iowa Section Chairman, Donald E. Sanderson, Department of Mathematics, Iowa State University, Ames. Early word on your possible participation will be helpful in planning the program. Papers are usually limited to about ten minutes in length.

 $ar{ t If}$ any of you has a suggestion for a possible guest speaker at the meeting, would you please forward the name to Chairman Sanderson, as soon as possible. Early planning is essential in this respect. Any other program suggestions should be sent to him, also.

You will recall that members of the Association are invited to become members of the Iowa Association of Mathematics Teachers. Dues are \$2.00 per year and may be paid to Frank Flickinger, Waverly, Iowa.

I will be happy to send membership application blanks to anyone you might suggest to me as a possible member of the Iowa Section of the MAA.

Sincerely yours,

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P.S. Many of you have undoubtedly seen the Committee on the Undergraduate Program in Mathematics report (M.A.A. 1965) A General Curriculum in Mathematics for Colleges. If you think it would be worthwhile to include discussion of this material in a portion of the April meeting, please convey your opinions to the Chairman. Would a panel representing the universities, small four year liberal arts colleges, and junior colleges to discuss a possible general curriculum in mathematics for colleges be of interest to the members of the Iowa Section and others who might attend?