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DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

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Earle L. Canfield, Dean
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Dear Professor Canfield:

On January 20, I wrote to Professor John M.H. Olmsted asking him to be our invited speaker for the April meeting. I told him that our section would expect to reimburse him, in part, for his services and expenses since NSF funds couldn't be used for this purpose.

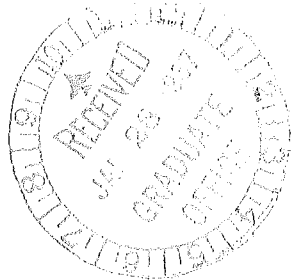
Dr. Olmsted hasn't responded as yet, but I would like and answer to two questions related to speakers at our meeting. What amount should we offer Dr. Olmsted if he does accept our invitation? I notice that Dr. Blumenthal received a \$100 honorarium for his talk last spring.

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I mentioned that Dr. Leone had been suggested as a guest speaker for our meeting in my last letter to you. It is my intent to ask him to be our feature invited speaker should Dr. Olmsted decline. If Dr. Olmsted accepts, then I would like to ask Dr. Leone to present a paper of twenty to thirty minutes. Since he is now at the University of Iowa, I would assume that he would be considered a member of our section. I don't believe that we have paid section members for speaking in the past. Should we offer to pay him if he becomes our featured speaker? If so, how much?

At the present I have letters out concerning selection of panel members and a nominating committee for the new officers to be elected.

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Sincerely,

William L. Waltmann

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Chairman, Iowa Section MAA