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Dear Professor Robertson:

I have received a copy of your letter of September 21st to Professor Alder, asking whether I might be able to speak at your Sectional Meeting in Dubuque on Friday, April 23, 1971. I shall be glad to do so. I wonder whether the title, "Shapes of the Future", would be acceptable for my lecture. Under this title I would discuss some selection of unsolved but easy-sounding geometric problems. If it seemed appropriate to you, I would like to discuss problems which come from various areas of science--soldensable physics, botany, organic chemistry, etc.

So far as I have been able to learn from my local travel agency, the only way of flying to Dubuque is from Chicago However, I like to avoid the O'Hare Airport whenever possible, so I should greatly appreciate your checking for me on railroad connections from Minneapolis to Dubuque. I shall attempt to make this check locally asswell, but locally obtained information concerning rail transportation in other parts of the country has often been inaccurate in my experience, so I really appreciate your checking on this for me.

Yours sincerely.

Victor Klee

VK/ba cc: Alder