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Dear Colleague:

James Cornette, our Chairman-Elect, is preparing the program for the Spring meeting of the IOWA Section of THE MATHEMATICAL ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA. He is interested in organizing a program which will be of interest to our colleagues in the Junior Colleges and the Area Community Colleges, as well as to those of us in the four-year Institutions.

He is inviting (urging) those of us who have ideas of interest to either of the above groups to send him an Abstract (on the enclosed form) of an intended paper. The Abstract should be in his hands by Jan. 23, 1976.

Dr. H. O. Pollak, President of THE MATHEMATICAL ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA and Director of the Mathematical and Statistical Research at Bell Telephone Laboratories, will be the invited speaker for our program. He has an excellent reputation as an interesting speaker.

The Iowa Section has always met jointly with the mathematics section of the Iowa Academy of Science, which bears most of the expense of the meeting. In years past, most of those in attendance have paid the registration fee on the day of the meeting, however, this year we are urged to preregister, and in particular, for those who will be on the program, the preregistration fee must accompany the Abstract of the paper.

PLEASE send your Abstract to James Cornette
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The completed program will be sent to you at a later date.

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I would ^{like} to express my thanks to }

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