

I. THE IOWA ACADEMY RELATIONSHIP.

I have done some thinking on our relationship with the Iowa Academy of Science. It seems to me that this issue should be discussed by the officers and the membership in the next year and some decision reached. My thoughts are as follows.

1. I feel that dues paying members of the MAA and speakers invited by us should not have to pay fees to another organization to attend an MAA meeting.
2. I also feel that it would not be fair to the IAS to ask them to provide financial assistance for our meetings if we do not contribute toward their expenses.
3. Therefore, I recommend the following:
 - a) We hold our meetings on the same campus and on the same dates as the IAS.
 - b) We charge a registration fee of \$2.00 (except for students) for attendance at our meetings. Upon payment of this fee, participants would receive an MAA identification badge.
 - c) Those who also wished to attend the IAS meetings would pay the appropriate IAS registration fees and be exempt from our fee.
 - d) We would turn over the money we collected to the IAS to reimburse them for their financial assistance.
 - e) Abstracts for talks would be first sent to us for preparation of our program and then forwarded to the IAS for inclusion in their program.

I have discussed this with Jim Cornette and will also forward these ideas to Frank Kosier. Let me know what you think.

II. RECORD STORAGE.

Another topic which the executive committee ought to consider prior to presentation to the general membership is the storage and preservation of our records. The Iowa State University Library is well equipped and willing to sort, preserve, and store our old papers. They already do this for the Iowa Academy of Science and other organizations. Of course we may well want to consider other libraries also. Both Jim Cornette and I have boxes of old dusty papers which deserve better care than we can give them.

III. PUBLIC INFO. REP.

SEE ATTACHED SHEET. I SUGGEST THAT

- a) WE (EXEC. COMM.) CHOOSE A PERSON AND AN ALTERNATE
- b) THAT THE PERSON BE FROM I.U. OR I.S.U.
- c) WE ANNOUNCE RESULTS TO THE IOWA SECTION.

IV. NOMINATING COMMITTEE ???