Clarence H. Lindahl, Chairman Iowa Section, M.A.A. Iowa State University Ames, Iowa

Dear Clarence:

I am enclosing a check made to Drake University to cover expenses of the last mailing for M.A.A. as follows:

I would appreciate it if you would endorse it on the bottom left hand side and return it to me.

I will try to get another letter out to the Iowa Section constituency sometime next week and will indicate a deadline of about March I for program papers to get to you.

Lewis Workman of the Des Moines Actuarial Club, I believe now head of the actuarial department of Central Life Assurance Co. at 5th and Grand here in Des Moines, gave the report last year regarding the high school mathematics contest. Workman tells me that Mr. T. Moilen of the Equitable Life Insurance Company of Iowa is heading the contest for the current year. I will try to contact him next week after I return from a trip, but if you do not hear from someone eventually, you might wish to contact him. I will let you know if I succeed in getting the information. The Des Moines Actuarial Club hawctraditionally handled the contest and I presume are handling it this year.

With regard to the work of Mr. Haney, may I suggest that we have absolutely nothing to do with it and do not give him program time. He appeared on the program two years ago, much to my dismay. I tried to talk with him to tell him he was dealing with a classic problem that had already been pretty well taken care of. He tries every mathematician he can get ahold of and seizes upon any sign of interest as backing for his ideas. He then proceeds to quote the mathematician by name in public as supporting his work and it has been the cause of no little embarrassment to me and to others of the Iowa Section, including staff members at S.U.I.

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Incidentally, the balance in the Iowa Section treasury, including the enclosed check is \$203.58. Certainly you should not hesitate to commit any portion of it to help get us a good program.

Sincerely yours,

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Earle L. Canfield Secretary-Treasurer Iowa Section, M.A.A.

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