#### MINUTES

# Executive Committee Meeting (Conference Phone Call)

#### December 2, 1983

Participating: Carl Kerns, Ruth Struik, Jack Hodges, George Hughes, Marie Ritten, David Ballew.

#### I. Spring Program

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- A. (1) First call for papers will be in January 1984.
  - (2) Ballew will handle mailing.
  - (3) Deadline for submission will be April 1, 1984.
- B. (1) Additional mailings will occur in February and March by Ballew.
  - (2) March mailing will contain pre-registration forms, banquet and housing information.
- C. Program will be compiled by Major Hughes and copies will be sent to Department Chairmen and MAA Representatives with a plea to notify other department members.
- D. (1) Kerns will contact Wilcox at MAA for MAA Representative.
  - (2) Lynn Steen was highly recommended.
- E. Attempts will be made to attract invited speakers. All officers are requested to send names of possible speakers to George Hughes.
- F. (1) Banquet will be at the local Sheriton Hotel.
  - (2) Cost will be \$12 but promised to be "deluxe".
- G. (1) Marie Ritten will attempt to get speakers and/or panel for two year college program.
  - (2) Ballew will construct a panel on Placement Exams.
  - (3) Recommended that there be a panel on Discrete Math.
  - (4) Possible speakers: Ronald Prather of Denver University, Karen Whitehead, SDSM&T, plus others.
- H. No meeting theme this year.
- I. (1) Student papers will continue.
  - (2) Will have a judge for best three papers to get MAA memberships as an award.
- J. (1) Recommended that program run from Friday noon to Saturday noon.
  - (2) Recommended that (if possible) all student papers be sequential and in a single room.

- (3) Due to academy regulations, we cannot invite vendors to the meeting this year.
- K. (1) Registration fee will be \$5 for pre-registration and \$6 for registration at-the-door.
  - (2) Students have historically registered free.
  - (3) Registration fees will be used for local expenses.
- L. Struik has recommended a method of displaying parallel sessions in the program; she will send to Hughes.
- M. There will be a tour of the academy for one hour on Friday afternoon. Hughes will arrange.
- N. There will be no workshops this year.

#### II. Newsletter

- A. Recommended continuation of circulation of other sections' newsletters to officers.
- B. Recommended continuation of highlighting three or four institutions in newsletters.
- C. Recommended continuation of present format.

### III. Nominating Committee

- A. All officers are to be elected this year. Send nominees to Committee.
- B. Struik will need to appoint someone to the Nominating Committee next summer.

# VI. Future Meetings

A. Ballew will use newsletter to determine who wants to host future meetings.

## V. Lectureship Program

A. Noted that our section covers three states and has three lectureship programs. These should be grouped for reporting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

David Ballew

Secretary/Treasurer

RMS/MAA

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING - RMS/MAA April 30, 1983

Present: George Donovan (presiding), Jack Hodges, Marie Ritten, George Hughes, Frank DeMeyer, Carl Kerns, David Ballew

- 1. Discussed Agenda for Business Meeting
- 2. Discussed start time for meetings. We will discuss this with the membership.
- 3. Recommended that the student paper-judging remain low key; students will not be notified that there is a contest, and the prizes (student MAA memberships) will be awarded by the judges.