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Dear Freida:

Congratulations! Now the interesting part.

You probably know most of these things, but let me put them into writing before I pack everything up.

The Nominating Committee has three members on three year terms. Each year one new person is appointed and that person with three years of service is replaced. You need to appoint someone! The person in their second year is automatically the Chair of the Committee. Janet Nicols of Southern Colorado is the Chair and Ed Hawkins is the member who will be in his third year.

There will be a Section Officers Meeting at Berekely on Sunday, August 3, and you are the person scheduled to attend. If you cannot attend, you need to get someone else immediately and let me and National MAA know. If you recall, the Executive Committee voted to pay \$200 towards sending the Chair-Elect to this meeting. Should I contact Charles or will you? You will receive the usual MAA subsidy for your attendance.

The MAA furnishes a National Officer for each Annual Meeting to give (usually) the Banquet Address and an invited address. You should contact one of the officers or contact Al Willcox at National MAA or Ken Ross (the MAA Secretary/Treasurer) at the University of Oregon; either of them can help you get someone. Just a thought -- I have heard that Al Willcox himself is an excellent speaker and we have never had him. It might help the Section to have the MAA Executive Director visit the Section.

I will be at SDSM&T until May 22 (605 394-2471) and will be at Western Illinois University (309 298-1452) starting in June. I will be hurt if you need anything and don't call me.

Sincerely,


David Ballew