To: Certain MAA Section Secretaries

According to my records, I am missing the following information concerning your section:

1. Report of your last meeting
2. Date and Place of your next meeting
3. Update of your section officers


Please send this information to me as soon as possible so that we can keep our information current in an effort to serve you better.

For your convenience appropriate forms and a self-addressed envelope are enclosed.

Thank you very much.


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## DATE AND PLACE OF NEXT MEETING

The following information will be used in the Calendar of Future Meetings, which appears in FOCUS, the MAA newsletter. Please send one copy of this form to the Washington Office as soon as possible.

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The next meeting of the $\qquad$ Section will be held at:

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The date of the next meeting is:
If a definite date cannot be given, please indicate whether the meeting may be scheduled for Fall, Spring, or a particular month.

Signed: $\qquad$

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listed below are the names of the officers of your section, as they appear in our records. Immediately after your forthcoming section meeting please return one copy of this list to our office at the address on the letterhead, with the NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ANY NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS AND ANY NEEDED ADDRESS CORRECTIONS.

The information you provide on this form will be used to prepare the gection Officers list published annually in FOCIS and THE PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY. New officers listed on this form will be sent the booklet GUIDELINES FOR SECTION OFFICERS which is designed to help introduce them to the responsibilities of a section officer and inform them of various programs and policies of the Association of direct interest to sections. THEREFORE, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THIS FORM BE RETURNED IMAEDIATELY AFTER EACH ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

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# Sample Section Meeting Reports (Please follow this format.) 

## Section Reporta

An asterisk (*) by the title of a paper indicates that copies of the paper are available from the author. Papers presented under special aponsorship as part of joint weetings are so noted in parentheses.

## Florida Section

The sixteenth annual spring meeting of the Florida Section was held on March 4-5, 1983 at Florida State University, Tallahassee. There were 128 registrants.

## Invited Addresses:

"Pure and Applied Topology in 2, 3, and 4-Space," by $T$. Benny Rushing, University of Utah and Institute for Advanced Study.

* "The Mathematical Sciences K-12; What Is Still Pundamental and that Is Not," by Marcia P. Sward, Associate Director, MAA.
"Signs Sum Square Sumable Sequences," by James R. Retherford, Louisiana State University.
"Mathematicians in Operations Research in the U.S. Army Air Force in World War II," by Charleb $W$. McArthur, Florida State University.
"Hotivatirn in Mathematics; Believe It or Not, It Is a Record," by Ignacio D. Bello, Hillsborough Community College.
"A Math-Science Program for Gifted Girls," by Paul E. McDougle, University of Miami.
"Antoine's Hecklace: Or How to Keep a Necklace from Falling Apart," by Beverly L, Brechner, University of Florida.


## Short Presentations:

* "A Dialogical Theory of Mathematics Education," by James W. Garrison, Florida State University. "Linear Algebra and Space Travel to Music on the Apple Microcomputer," by Gareth Hilliams, Stetson University.
"Factoring Binomials and Trinomials in Commity Colleges with Questions for the 'Gordon Rule'," by Carlton A. Lane, Hillsborough Comunity College.
"Harmonizing with a Calculator," by Alan Yayne, Pasco-Hernando Commity College.
"Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors of $2 \times 2$ Matrices," by James $R$. Heaver, University of West Florida.
"A Computer Simulation of the Unlimited Register Kachine," by Marion G. Harmon, Florida State University.
"A Survey of Pending Florida and Federal Programs for Mathematics Education," by E.P. Miles, Florida State University.
"Open Mappings and Dimension," by Alice Kason, University of Florida.
"Applying Bessel Functions Underground," by John D. Hall, Southwest Florida Water Management District.
"Partial Fractions," by Shiv K, Aggarwal, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University.
"Report on Remedial/Developmental Mathematics Conference," by Donald M. Hill, Florida AdM University.


## Panel Discussion:

"CuPM Curriculum Recomendations," by Gareth Killiams (Moderator), Stetson University; Bettye Anne Case, Abraham Kandel, and Frederick Leysieffer, Florida State University; Kermit M. Sigmon, University of Florida.
"Emmy Noether, Her Life and Hork," organized by Association for Homen in Mathematics: "Noether's Life," by Betsey Whitman, Florids A \& M University; "Noether' B Work in Abstract Algebra," by Robert Gilmer, Florida State University.
"MAA Placement Test Program," by Roy C, Jones, Jr. (Moderator), University of Central florida; Gloria Child, Rollins College; Art Grumer, Univeraity of Florids; Donsld K, Hill, Florida AsM University; Linda W. Smith, Tallahassee Comunity College.

## Student Papers:

"Hathematical Concepts Represented Through Color Graphics," by Douglas R. Martin, Florids State University.
"A Msthematical Model of the Spread of Epidemic Diseases," by Robert S. Knego, University of South Florida,
"A Low Cost Design for a Color Sensing Device for the Blind," by Raymond Curci, Florida State University.
"Remedial/Developmental Mathematics Conference," organized by Donald M. Hill, Florida A \& M University.

At the business meeting an avard was presented to Kerman Meyer of the University of Miami, Barry University, and Florida International University for outstanding contributions to mathematics and the mathematical comenity of the Florida Section.

## 及outheastern Section

The sixty-second annual apring meeting of the Southesstern Section met at The Citadel, Charleston, South Carolina on April 15-16, 1983. A total of 255 persons attended the meeting.

## Invited Lectures:

"Recent Progreas on Combinatorial Problems in Ramsey Theory and Discrete Geometry," by William T. Trotter, Jr., University of South Carolina.
"Beyond the Binomial," by John Neff, Georgia Institute of Technology.
"Parsdoxes About Rationals and Irrationals," by Ivan Niven, University of Oregon.

## Special Se6sions:

"Domination Number in Graphs," by Michael Johnson, University of Louisville.
"Strongly Regular Graphs," by Robert Roth, Emory University.
"Cycles in Hypergraphs," by Richard Duke, Georgis Institute of Technology.
"Hamiltonian Properties in Graphs," by Ronald Gould, Emory University.
"On Hamiltonian Cycles in Cayley Color Graphs," by Joseph B. Klerlein, Vestern Carolina University.
"Algorithms for Shortest Paths," by Douglas R. Shier, Clemson University.
"Neighborhood Relations in Finite Graphs," by David Sumner, University of South Carolina.
"Some Algebras Associated with Graphs," by Trevor Evans, Emory University,

## Short Presentations:

"On Invertible Linear Combinations of Matrices," by Peter M. Gibson, University of Alabama in Hunt 8 ille.
"Shuffling Cards, Imprimitivity, and Correcting Errors," by Stephen L. Davis, Davidson College.
"On the Computer Algoritho of Ceneralized Eu:lidean Algoritha in the Ring of Integral Matrices," by Jau-shyong Shiue, Gardner Webs College.
"Infinitesimal Deformations of Coordinate Axes," by Charles G. Pleming, The Citadel.
"Affine G-Mappings," by Irl C. Bivens, Davidson College.
"An Algorithm for Monitoring Global Error in Numerical Solution of a System of Linear Differential Equations," by James C. Pleasant, East Tennessee State University.
"An Ad Hoc Method for Identifying Absolute Extrema in Lagrange Multiplier Problems," by John Baxley, Wake Forest University.
"Transformations of Circles in $E_{2}$ as Point Transformations in $E_{3}$," by Ray Wylie, Furman University.
"On Convergence and Regularity of Regular Ritt Series," by G.R. Viswanath, South Carolina State College.
"A Factorization Theorem for an $H^{2}(\mu)$ Space," by Nancy Lee Shell, Furman University.
'Teaching Remedial Math in College: Is It Possible? A Survey of Developmental Mathematics in college," by Ping-Tung Chang, Augusta College.
"The Arithmetic-Geometric Mean Inequality: Optimization Without Calculus," by Larry Riddle, Emory University.
"The Sloan Program in the New Liberal Arts at Davidson," by R. Bruce Jackson, Jr., Davidson College,
"Optimizing Boxes and Disks," by Thomas A. Hern, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill/ Bowling Green State University.
"A Monte Carlo Method for Integration in Polar Coordinates," by Jerry E. Bolic, Lenoir-Rhyne College.
"Some Elementary Calculus Examples from Statistict," by Richard G. Vinson, University of South Alabama.
"A Matter of Life and Death: A Markovian Process," by Subhash C. Saxena, Coastal Carolina College.
"Carroll's Obtuse Triangle Problem," by Douglas H. Frank, Valdosta, Georgia.
"The Use of the Stem and Leaf Plot in Constructing a Frequency Table," by Lloyd B. Smith, Jr., Lenoir-Rhyne College.
"Modern Cryptography: The Mathematics of Secrecy," by Michael Willett, University of North Carolina at Greensboro.
"Teaching Mathematical Induction Via Computing," by Paul R. Patten, North Georgia College.
"Using the Microcomputer to Discover Patterns in the Graph of Polar Equations," by Linda H. Boyd and Charles R. Stone, Dekalb Comunity College.
"A Study of Students Who Tork Basic Math, Fall 1980." by Saadria N. Kerr, Wirston-Salem State University.
"Representation of a Set Whose Derived Set is Countable," by Arthur G. Sparks, Georgia Southern College.
"Alternative Rings with Comating Nilpotent Elements," by Tae-il Suh, East Tennessee State University.
"A Lagrange Multiplier Problex with Kultiple Critical Points," by Ted Gentry, Wake Forest University.
"Some Relations Between Groups and Graphs," by Terri England, Emory University.
"A Computer Study of Amniocentesis Data," by Cynthia Priest, Emory University.
"Implementation of a Spelling Checker and Corrector on a Microcomputer," by Kevin Pepe, Emory University.
"Almost Periodic Functions and Semigroups," by Arnold Goldstein, Savannah, Georgia.
"Weighted Associated Stirling Numbers," by Fred T. Howard, Wake Forest University.
"Some Variations on the Problen of Generating Pythagorean Triples," by Kenneth E. Whipple, Georgia State University.
"Point Unstable Graphs," by Ted R. Monroe, Converse College
"Color Algebras," by Steven D. Comer, The Citadel.
"Which Triangular Numbers are Square?" by David R. Stone, Georgia Southern College.
"Schedules for Testing Individuals in Tournaments for Pairs," by Gerald Huff, University of Georgia.
"Weak Openness and Almost Openness," by David A. Rose, Francis Marion College.
"A Division Game or How Far Can You Trust Mathematical Induction," by William H, Ruckle, Clemson University.
"Polygons in Ordered Planes," by R.B, Killgrove, University of South Carolina at Aiken,
"Casting Shadows on Eggs," by Robert E, Jamison, Clemson University.

