## VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY VALPARAISO, INDIANA

October 1, 1958

Dr. Richard W. Ramette, Secretary-Treasurer MACTLAC Carleton College Northfield, Minnesota

Dear Dr. Ramette:

Would you please bring to the attention of the counsel of MACTLAC in the next meeting, the invitation for MACTLAC to hold its annual meeting in 1959 on the campus of Valparaiso University? This invitation was offered last year, but was deferred until this year for further consideration. May I again stress the point that Valparaiso University will be celebrating its Centennial Year in 1959 and is attempting to have a large number of learned and professional societies meet on campus. The University will probably be better prepared during this year to handle an organization such as MACTLAC, than at any other time. I hope, therefore, that the counsel will react favorably to this invitation.

Should there be any question about facilities for holding such a meeting. I will be glad to answer any questions you might have, or perhaps better yet, I can give you the information at the meeting in Beloit this month.

Sincerely yours,

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T. C. Schwan, Chairman

Department of Chemistry

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6 October 1958

Dr. T. C. Schwan Department of Chemistry Valparaise University Valparaise, Indiana

Dear Dr. Schwan:

Thank you for your letter of 1 October, with the renewed request that the 1959 Macthac meeting be held at your university. This item is on the agenda for the coming meeting, and will be discussed by the executive council.

We also have a request, of long standing, from three of the colleges in the St. Paul, Minnesota area. It is not unlikely that the council will see special merit in this request because of the geographic location. It has been the policy to alternate between a "central" and a "fringe" location from year to year. Since this year the meeting is centrally located, and since Minnesota has never had a meeting, there will be strong reason for considering the St. Paul request.

However, I realize that Valperaiso also offers particular advatages for next year, and I do not presume at this time to spek for the rest of the council. Perhaps it would be helpful if you could be available at the time of the council meeting, which will be during the registration period on Friday. However, please don't feel that this is essential.

Thank you again for your interest in Mactlac. I look forward to seeing you at Beloit.

Sincerely,

Richard W. Ramette

## HAMLINE UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

October 7, 1958

Mr. Richard W. Ramette, Secretary-Treasurer Midwestern Association of Chemistry Teachers in Liberal Arts Colleges Carleton College Northfield, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Ramette:

On behalf of Hamline University I would like to extend a very cordial invitation to the Midwestern Association of Chemistry Teachers in Liberal Arts Colleges to hold its October, 1960, meeting in St. Paul at Hamline University. I understand the exact date in October would be set after considering the fall college events at Hamline, such as Parents' Day and Homecoming. It would be a pleasure for Hamline to be host to the meeting.

Cordially yours,

Paul H. Giddens

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Carleton College, Northfield, Minn.

President Paul H. Giddens Hamline University St. Paul, Minnesota

Dear President Giddens:

Thank you very much for your cordial invitation to Mactlac. Hemline is excellently located, because so far this part of the Mactlac area has been neglected, and it is our policy to try to spread the meetings in a way which is geographically representative.

It will be a pleasure to bring your invitation before the executive council at our coming meeting in Beloit.

Sincerely,

Richard W. Ramette

## College of St. Thomas St. Thomas Military Academy St. Paul 1, Minnesota

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

October 8, 1958

Dear Professor Ramette:

Professor Larson of our chemistry department has told me of the plan of the Midwestern Association of Chemistry Teachers in Liberal Arts Colleges to have a meeting in St. Paul in October of 1960. It is my understanding that Hamline University, The College of St. Catherine, and this college will be joint hosts for this meeting.

I went to assure you that the group is welcome to come to the St. Thomas campus for whatever part of the meeting we can accommodate. We shall cooperate with Hamline and St. Catherine's fully. It will be a pleasure for us to have this group as guests on our campus.

Sincerely yours,

(Very Rev.) James P. Shannon

Professor R. W. Ramette Carleton College Northfield, Minnesota Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota

11 October 1958

The Very Reverend James P. Shannon College of St. Thomas St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Dr. Shannon:

Thank you very much for your cordial letter, with its offer to share the host responsibilities for the 1960 Mactlac meeting. It will be a pleasure to bring this invitation before the executive council at our coming meeting in Baloit.

St. Paul is nicely located for a meeting at that time, and I fully expect your kind invitation to be accepted.

Sincerely,

Richard W. Remette

## CORNELL COLLEGE

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

November 2h, 1958

Dr. Richard W. Ramette, Secretary MACTLAC Carleton College Northfield, Minnesota

Dear Dr. Ramette:

Cornell College cordially invites the Midwestern Association of Chemistry Teachers in Liberal Arts Colleges to meet on the Cornell campus in 1961.

We would be happy to have the MACTLAC see our new chemistry quarters which, together with our new student social center and its dining facilities, and with the other general facilities of the college, would enable us to take care of the physical requirements of such a meeting.

We hope it may be possible for the Asso-ciation to meet at Cornell College in 1961.

Sincerely yours,

Russell D. Cole

President

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