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COMMENTS

For the first time since I have been involved in getting these *Proceedings* ready for print, I have failed to urge our excellent and patient secretary, Hubert Alexander, persistently to solicit the submission of papers even if they were late. As you remember, we decided at our last business session not to do this. One of the "late" papers for the 1971 *Proceedings* did not come in time for inclusion (in that issue) but it is in the current issue. Even so and regrettably, six of the talks delivered in Santa Fe in 1972 have no written counterparts herein simply because, for one reason or another, there was no typescript in hand when we went to press.

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