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My dear Ron,

You told me you would be agreeable to supporting the renewal of Healy's candidature for the I.S.I. I am now enclosing the necessary form for your signature. Could you pass it on to Chester Bliss and ask him to return it to me. I thought of asking Martin and Linder to be the other sponsors.

Howard Simpson is working on the problem of the determination of the maximum point you submitted to us. This has proved unexpectedly troublesome as the curve is very flat and it was found necessary to write a routine for double length division which I gather gave some trouble. However, I hope Simpson will have the solution before long.

I hope you are having a good time in Australia. The English press has been giving prominence to some of your pronouncements.

Yours,

