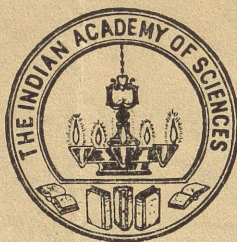


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Dated 16th July 1938.

Dear Sir,

The Indian Academy of Sciences proposes to celebrate in a fitting manner the 50th birthday of its President Sir Venkata Raman, which happily coincides with the tenth year of the discovery of the Raman Effect, by bringing out a jubilee volume of the "Proceedings" containing original papers on the Raman Effect and Light Scattering. The special number will be published by the 30th of November 1938, and articles will be received up to the end of October 1938. We heartily invite you, your collaborators, or students to contribute papers to the special number on problems bearing on the subjects mentioned above. We are sure that you will extend to us your kind co-operation in making this volume a fitting tribute to the work of the most eminent Indian Physicist.

Proofs of papers will be corrected in this office to avoid delay in publication.

Each author will receive free of charge a copy of the special number together with 100 reprints of his paper.

Yours faithfully,

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My dear Prof. Krishnan,

This is an enquiry about the collapsible model of the icosahedron, which you showed at the evening lecture at the Banqueting Hall at the Madras Annual meeting. I wanted to ask you immediately after the lecture, but somehow forgot to do so; and I have just remembered it - a typical case of delayed action! I remember your having ascribed it to Steinhaus, but I am not able to get the reference. Could you let me have the reference, or preferably send me the model itself which shall be returned later?

Can I expect an early reply?! Thanking you,

Yours sincerely
B. S. Madhava Rao.

P.S:- Let me take this opportunity of congratulating you on your election to the Sectional Presidency. Perhaps you don't consider it much, but I wish that it be followed by an F.R.S.