## LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

In the course of discussing the purpose of this <u>Journal</u> with various members of the AAVSO, it was suggested that we might institute a "Letters To The Editor" section. This idea seems very promising, so we have decided to give it a try, beginning with the next issue.

The general aim of such a section would be to help the <u>Journal</u> reflect more fully the membership and the interests of the <u>AAVSO</u>. I think it might achieve this through the exchange of observing hints, problems, pet techniques, descriptions of pitfalls, and the like. If some of you have wanted to say something in print, but didn't want to write up a regular <u>Journal</u> article, try it in the form of a Letter.

Space is cramped, and we will probably have to edit for brevity, and we may have to reject some letters, but our hope is to provide an informal channel for you to share ideas, questions, and experiences. If you send in questions, we will try to get answers in the form of responding letters from other members.

Let us hear from you.

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