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Karen V. H. Parshall* (khp3k@virginia.edu), Department of Mathematics, University of Virginia, P. O. Box 400137, Charlottesville, VA 22901-4137. *The Stratification of the American Mathematical Community: The MAA and the AMS, 1915-1925.*

The MAA officially came into existence over the course of a two-day-long meeting held on 30-31 December, 1915 in Columbus, Ohio. This talk will examine the impetus behind the formation of the MAA, its founding decade of activities, and the dynamics between the MAA and the AMS over the course of that first decade as each sought more clearly to define its place in the American mathematical landscape. (Received September 05, 2014)