IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Because of the increasing flow of very good papers from research workers throughout the world, *Journal of Statistical Physics* will be expanding in 1981. While the journal will continue to be published monthly, the number of pages published in 1981 will be increased by approximately 50%. The subscription rate for Volumes 24, 25, and 26, 1981 (4 issues each) will be \$130.00 per volume (outside the U.S., \$145.00 per volume).