History of Mathematics #8

1. Before 11 pm, Sunday, March 5. Go to the Forum "Teaching with History" and make at least one substantive contribution by 11 pm, Sunday, March 5, and at least one substantive response to others' postings before class on Tuesday, March 7. Write about the following:

   From the website mathdl.maa.org/mathDL go to Convergence. You may be asked to set up a free account. Look at the resources on this website, and also on some of the other websites listed on www.ms.uky.edu/~lee/historysp06/historysp06.html. Comment on some specific units you can use to incorporate effectively episodes in the history of mathematics into the teaching of mathematics. Include links to relevant websites.

2. Before Tuesday, March 7. Select one of the ideas you have encountered during the Forum discussion and be prepared to talk about it during the Centra session for about 5 minutes. It might be helpful to appshare the relevant website or other material.

3. Tuesday, March 7, 7–9 pm. Attend the Centra session to discuss the forum and present the various resources you have found during the week. Note: I will be attempting to facilitate this session from Banff, Canada, and am unsure of the robustness of the connection. But if I don't make it, carry on, and I will view the recording.

4. No homework problems this week. I hope to have the midterm exam posted by Saturday, March 4, giving you two weeks to complete it.