DERRICK HENRY LEHMER February 23, 1905-May 22, 1991

Professor Derrick Henry Lehmer, one of the founding editors of Mathematical Tables and Other Aids to Computation, the forerunner of Mathematics of Computation, passed away on May 22, 1991, at Berkeley, California. Professor Lehmer served on the Editorial Board of MTAC from the very beginning in 1943 to 1954, the last five years as chairman. He has been an active and regular contributor to all facets of the journal, his most recent paper having appeared in 1988. An appreciation of Professor Lehmer's scientific accomplishments will appear in a future issue of Mathematics of Computation.

The field of computational mathematics and number theory has lost one of its true pioneers. All who have known Professor Lehmer, either personally or through his work, share in this deep sense of loss.

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