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It is with great sadness that we announce the death of Professor Kurt Vogel, to whose memory this issue is dedicated. Professor Vogel was born on September 30, 1888, in Altdorf, and died on October 27, 1985, in Munich. A member of several academies, he was one of the best known, most distinguished historians of mathematics of our time. An *Eloge* by Menso Folkerts will appear in a later issue.

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