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**ADAM C. FULMER**

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Adam C. Fulmer, well known to entomologists and mosquito workers, died suddenly of cancer at Walter Reed Army Hospital, Washington, D.C. on September 30, at the age of 45. He was a man who had devoted his entire adult life to the service of his country and to the advancement of science. In 1962 he had retired from the U.S. Army after 20 years service. He then joined the University of Maryland School of Medicine as a Research Scientist and spent most of the next six years at the University's Pakistan Medical Research Center in Lahore as Assistant to the Director and as Chief Technician in the Department of Entomology. Sgt. Fulmer's military career included overseas service with Malaria Control Units in the South Pacific and the Philippines during World War II, research assignments with Medical General Laboratories in the Philippines and Japan, assignment as an instructor and advisor in preventive medicine with the U.S. Military Assistance Advisory Group on Taiwan, and a tour of duty with the SEATO Medical Research Laboratory in Bangkok, Thailand. He also participated in several field studies in remote areas of Asia. In the United States he served at Fort Sam Houston, Texas and twice at

the Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, Washington, D.C.

Sgt. Fulmer was an indefatigable field man and a superb laboratory worker. His experience was extremely broad, covering all aspects of vector biology, vector control, virus isolation and transmission studies as well as a wide variety of activities in the epidemiology and ecology of arthropod-borne diseases.

He was a man whose work took him to many areas of the world and he was truly most at home in Asia, whether in small villages in Iran, in the isolated mountain fastness of the Himalayas or in the huge urban complex of Tokyo. His work in Asia dealt with such exotic diseases as Japanese B encephalitis, West Nile fever, pappataci fever, kala-azar, malaria, dengue and hemorrhagic fever.

Adam Fulmer had a host of friends the world over. He liked people and got on very well wherever his job led him. His many friends and associates in science will mourn his early demise. He leaves behind his mother, Mrs. Emma Fulmer of Ocala, Florida and his twin sister, Sister Rose-Marie, Mother Superior, St. Anthony's Convent School, Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Burial was in Lancaster.

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