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Editorial

I'm glad we can finally send you this first issue of REMark, the official Heath User's Group magazine. You should find many useful articles in it and in future issues that will enhance your Heath product.

At present, we are concentrating on articles related to computer products. However, it is possible that sections may be added to include information on other Heath products. We could do it. What do you think?

I have talked with many fellow Heath enthusiasts within the past few months, in person at shows, and on the telephone. There is also a lot of correspondence coming in. With all of this contact, there is one common message: The Heath User's Group will have a lot of support from its users. I am encouraged, to say the least.

So where do we go from here? The biggest job to tackle now is to get programs for the library. Programs for all Heath systems: H8, H11, and ET-3400.

Program writing is not easy, it takes experience, and it takes time to build up this experience. We have a pretty good cross section of members now, ranging from no experience at all to very experienced programmers. The experienced ones can tell you that perseverance, reading, and practice are the keys to learning programming. The rewards? Indescribable! I have seen the most euphoric expressions come over people when all they did was set a light bulb to light! But they got it to light by computer!

I'm not trying to discourage you. I'm simply saying that the only way to learn programming is to program. Do simple things at first. Then you can start putting the simple blocks together to make a more complete final program. You'll find out how to do that as time goes on.

Meanwhile, we're planning a series of articles that should help you. They will be product orientated so even the most experienced programmers should gain something from them.

Again, I'm pleased that I can contact you through this magazine. We intend to keep you informed. Since this is a user organization, I suspect that you would like to keep each other informed. You can do this by sending your correspondence directly to me. I would like to know specifically what others are doing with their systems. Wouldn't you like to know too?

Robert W. Finken

HUG Manager
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