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librarian for the Army until 1956 when she returned to Cedar Falls.

EVELYN SMITH COPE, 2-yr., Blair, NE. September 1979. Her husband, Frank, survives.

## '29

HARLAN W. FARIS, B.A., McAllen, TX, Dec. 4, 1979. He graduated from Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary at Evanston, IL. The Rev. Faris served in many communities in Iowa for 41 years. After he retired in 1972, they moved to McAllen and he was associate pastor for four years. He is survived by his wife, Gladys, a son, Rev. Richard H., Columbus Junction, a daughter, Mrs. Delores Anderson, Stuart, IA, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Eells, Cedar Falls.

## '30

DELMAR F. AHRENS, B.A., Grinnell, Nov. 28, 1979. He was a member of Theta Alpha Phi, theatre and drama honorary.

LOREN F. DILLON, 2-yr., B.A. '33, Plymouth, MI, Feb. 11. He taught manual arts until 1943 when he began working for the Ford Division Service Training, Ford Motor Co. He received his M.A. from Wayne University in 1947. Mr. Dillon is survived by his wife, Grayce, 13922 Wilson Dr., Plymouth; a daughter, Marilyn Stoner; a son, Frederick; eight grandchildren; a brother, BYRON, B.A. '30, 1218 W. 19th St., Cedar Falls; and a sister, EMMA GENE DILLON MCCARTNEY, 2-yr. '35, Rock Island, IL.

## '34

DAVID H. IRVINE, 66, B.S., Dysart, Jan. 22. He is survived by his wife, Viola, a son, David, of Dysart, and a brother, Howard.

## '36

DAVID M. MULLENS, B.A., Knoxville, Aug. 11, 1979. He received his M.S. from the University of Missouri in 1951. Dr. Mullens was an instructor at Columbia, MO, dean of junior college, Flat River, MO, and an associate professor at Drake in Des Moines before his retirement.

## '44

PATRICIA WHEELER FRIEDEN, 2-yr., West Bend, March 8, 1979.

## '46

ANNE M. COLLINS, B.A., North English, Dec. 14, 1979.

## '48

DONALD C. FOTH, B.A., Vinton, Dec. 25, 1979. Mr. Foth had been a science teacher at Vinton Schools for the last 12 years. He received his M.A. from Colorado State College in 1952. He is survived by his wife, Mary, 405 17th, Vinton, two sons, Lynn & James, and one daughter, Jan Marie, all from Vinton.

COLBURN V. COLLINGE, B.A., M.A. '65, Cedar Falls, Feb. 3. Mr. Collinge served as an industrial arts teacher after moving to Cedar Falls from Carroll in 1962. He was also head cross country and track coach at Cedar Falls High School. He was a member of the Iowa Association of Track Coaches Hall of Fame. He served as a member of the

advisory council and state track rules committee for the Iowa High School Athletic Association and served as an honorary official at Drake Relays. While coaching, he had several state championship teams in both track and cross country both at Cedar Falls and Carroll. Survivors include his wife, Jean, 1100 S. Ellen, Cedar Falls; two sons, Bill, Topeka, KS., John, at home; and two daughters, Mrs. Karen Carroll, Hudson, and Mrs. Cathy Roberts, Hillside Cts., Cedar Falls. His mother, Mrs. Alfred Collinge, Cedar Rapids, also survives.

## '49

JAMES F. FISHER, B.A., Washington, D.C., Dec. 31, 1979.

## '50

ROBERT W. RYHERD, B.A., M.A. '69, Elkader, Jan. 27. Mr. Ryherd taught school for a few years and then was plant manager of Rath's until he retired in 1973 when he moved to Elkader to operate the Gamble store. He is survived by his wife, GERALDINE SCHNEIDER, 2-yr. '55, B.A. '66, four sons, and two daughters.

## '51

GERALDINE OLSEN BIEDERMAN, 2-yr., Council Bluffs, Feb. 7. Mrs. Biederman taught gifted children in Council Bluffs schools. She is survived by her husband, Donald, three daughters, two sons and hother, Mrs. Emma Olsen, Audubon.

## '53

MARIANNA SANTEE STREVER, B.A., Champaign, IL, Feb. 5. Mrs. Strever taught school in Iowa before moving to Champaign.

## '56

JOHN F. AVERSA, B.A., Oelwein, Feb. 21. Mr. Aversa was a teacher at Sacred Heart Catholic School and the Oelwein Community schools. He is survived by two brothers and three sisters.

## '77

TERRI ANN ROETHLER, B.A., Alta Vista, May, 1979.

## '78

DAWN R. HEETLAND, B.A., Ackley, February 1980.

## Deaths of Former Faculty, Staff and Friends

### Herbert V. Hake

Professor Emeritus Herb Hake of the Department of Speech, and former director of radio and television at the University of Northern Iowa, died March 10, 1980, in Eugene Oregon where he and his wife were visiting one of their daughters.

Mr. Hake was born Aug. 10, 1903, in Hoyleton, IL. After receiving his bachelor's degree from Central Wesleyan College in Missouri and his M.A. in scenic design from the University of Iowa in 1933, Mr. Hake taught in Port Arthur, TX, and later returned to Iowa where he joined the faculty of the University of Northern Iowa (Iowa State Teachers College) in 1938.

Mr. Hake was well known in the Cedar Falls-Waterloo area and throughout the state for his work as a cartoonist, columnist, historian and as the broadcaster who pioneered "over the air" broadcasting at the University. In 1960, he was responsible for the establishment of KTCF, one of the first FM stations in the area and the only educational station. Mr. Hake directed and hosted a number of radio and television programs including the highly respected "Landmarks in Iowa History" series. After increasing the power of KTCF to more than 5000 watts and upon his retirement in 1973, the station call letters were changed to KHKE in his honor.

Mr. Hake's publications include articles and books on stagecraft and the "Cartoon History of Iowa." He received many professional honors during his lifetime. In 1955, he received a first-place honor from the American Association of Educational Radio and Television programs; in 1978, he was inducted into the Broadcasting Hall of Fame by the Iowa Broadcasters Association; and during the May 1979 commencement exercises, the University of Northern Iowa presented him with the honorary degree Doctor of Humane Letters.

Survivors include his wife, Monabelle, 2203 Clay St., Cedar Falls, two daughters and five grandchildren.

### Danita S. Boyd

Mrs. Boyd, a clerk in the UNI Alumni Office until her retirement in 1968, died Feb. 15, 1980, in Albuquerque, NM. Survivors include her son, DANIEL S. BOYD, B.A. '57, RFD 1, Box 409A, Belen, NM.

### Theodore F. Van Houdt

Mr. Van Houdt, a former UNI Plant Services steamfitter, died Feb. 7, 1980, in Richland WA. He retired from UNI in 1956.

### Frank W. Hill

Emeritus faculty member of the UNI School of Music, Professor Hill died Feb. 19, 1980, in Cedar Falls. He first taught at UNI in 1929 and did so until he retired in 1971. He received his B.M. degree in 1930 from the University of Rochester and his M.M. degree in 1932 from the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, NY. He is survived by his wife Frances and three daughters.

### Jean Douglas

Mrs. Douglas was a clerk in the Counseling, Placement and Career Services office. She died Jan. 24, 1980, following a lengthy illness.

### Emma A. Jensen

Mrs. Jensen, a former UNI director of housekeeping for residence halls, died Feb. 2, 1980. She retired in 1969 and continued to live in Cedar Falls.

### Marilyn Wemark

A member of the Registrar's Office staff since 1960, Miss Wemark was killed in a storm-related car accident, Jan. 6, 1980. Before coming to work at UNI she was a clerk at the Blackhawk County Court House.

### Agnes Walsh

Miss Walsh, secretary, educational psychology and foundation, died Jan. 8, 1980, as a result of injuries in a storm-related car accident. She joined the UNI staff in 1964 as a secretary in the educational clinic where she worked until her death.