

IOWA'S NOTABLE DEAD

SORENUS P. FOGDALL, educator, clergyman and author, died at his home in Des Moines, June 13, 1947; born near Kolding, Denmark, September 2, 1879, the son of Peter Iversen and Karen Madison (Schmidt) Fogdall; came to Cedar Falls, Iowa, at age of sixteen; studied at Dano-Norwegian Baptist Theol. Sem., a graduate of Morgan Park Baptist Sem., identified with University of Chicago, diploma from University of Chicago and ordained in Baptist ministry in 1906; Ph. B., Des Moines college, 1910; M. A., University of Chicago, 1915; Ph. D., University of Iowa, 1921; married Louise Swanson, August 31, 1910; instructor Sac City, Iowa, institute, 1910-12; professor history, Des Moines college, 1912-18; professor history and government, Des Moines university (union of Des Moines and Highland Park colleges), 1918-1929; became professor history and government, Penn college, Oskaloosa, Iowa, 1929, Ottawa, Kansas, university, 1931; pastor First Baptist church, Clarks Grove, Minnesota, 1937-1944, retired from active pastorate; part time professor, Northern Baptist Theol. Sem., Chicago; president Danish Baptist General Conference of America and chairman board of trustees, 1937-1939, and member board of trustees since 1939; member of Iowa State Committee on High School Curriculum, 1929; instructor Automobile Corps at Des Moines during World War I; member American Historical association, Iowa State Teachers' association, Mississippi Valley Historical association and the Clarks Grove Baptist church; in 1921 did archeological research in the Cimbrian Mounds in Jutland; became 32° Mason; author of Danish-American Diplomacy, Teaching Civics and Training for Citizenship, an Outline of American Government, History of Des Moines university, also historical articles and numerous articles based on archeological research; American correspondent Kolding Folkeblad since 1928, associated editor The Baptist Record, Pella, Iowa, and lecturer on America's Relation to Europe, World Peace, etc.; surviving are his wife, Louise, two sons, Vergil, dean of men at Northern Montana college, Havre, and Gordon, high school instructor at Austin, Minn., and five grandchildren.

DOUGLAS VELIE JACKSON, attorney, banker and jurist, died July 11, 1947, at Muscatine, Iowa, in the home next to the family residence in which he was born, November 17, 1860, the son of Peter and Christiana S. Jackson, the father a native of Keith, Scotland, and a direct descendant of the famed Duke of Argyle. The father was one of the founders of and for many years president and cashier of the Merchants Exchange National bank, Muscatine, which later became the First National bank, and following in

his father's footsteps, Judge Jackson served as president of the First Trust & Savings bank and vice president of the First National bank of Muscatine.

After obtaining preliminary education in the public schools of Muscatine he was graduated from Northwestern university in 1879 and from the college of law of the University of Iowa in 1881, and immediately entered the practice of law in Muscatine. In 1886 he became the law partner of Geo. M. Titus which continued until his election to the district bench in 1902, having previously served as county attorney from 1892 to 1894, and served on the bench for thirty years, retiring at the close of 1942.

As a member of the National Guard he rose from the ranks to colonel, holding all the intermediate posts with the exception of captain, and served in the Spanish-American war with the 50th Iowa infantry. He was a Mason and a member of the Methodist church; served on the board of the Benjamin Hershey Memorial hospital, and the oldest living member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity at the time of his death. Married Alberta C. Jarvis in Muscatine, September 14, 1885, who preceded him in death a few months after they had celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. Surviving are two sons, Robert S. Jackson, Muscatine, and Louis D. Jackson, Iowa City, and a brother, Charles P. Jackson, Muscatine.

ALBERT SHAW, editor, author and educator, died June 25, 1947, in New York City; born on July 23, 1857, at Shandon, Butler county, Ohio, son of Dr. Griffin and Susan Fisher Shaw, received his A. B. degree at Iowa (now Grinnell) college, in 1879 and A. M. in 1882; Ph. D. at Johns Hopkins in 1884; studied in Europe 1888-89; received his LL. D. at the University of Wisconsin in 1904, University of Missouri in 1908, Marietta college in 1910, University of Cincinnati in 1913, Western Reserve University in 1917, Grinnell college in 1918, University of Porto Rico in 1921; Litt. D. New York University in 1924, Rollins college in 1927, Hampden-Sydney college in 1928, Miami University in 1929; married Elizabeth L. Bacon, 1893, who died in 1931, they having two children, Albert and Roger; married a second time to Virginia McCall in May 1933; was editor of the *Minneapolis Tribune* from 1883 to 1888 and again in 1889 and 1890; appointed professor of political institutions and international law at Cornell University in 1890, but declined; afterwards editor of *Review of Reviews* and *World's Work*; lectured in many universities and colleges; awarded John Marshall prize by Johns Hopkins in 1895 for books on municipal government; a most loyal and influential alumnus of Grinnell college and for many years a member of its board of trustees, appearing frequently on the campus at commencement time; a member of the boards of other institutions and organizations;

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