Juergen Herman Paarmann was born in Davenport, Iowa, September 2, 1870, and died in the same city July 14, 1927. He attended the public schools of Davenport, taught school a few years, and was principal of the schools at Wolcott for a time. In 1901 he was graduated from the State University of Iowa with the degree of B. S., and in 1902, received that of M. S. By this time he had attained standing as a naturalist and scientist and was appointed curator of the Davenport Academy of Sciences, now the Davenport Public Museum, assumed his duties July 1, 1902, and continued in this position until his death. In that twenty-five years the institution greatly developed. Professor Paarmann gave many lectures to organizations of young and old on nature and science, was an authority in many fields of knowledge, and gave himself unreservedly to his work.

Daniel M. Gorman was born at Wyoming, Jones County, Iowa, and died in a hospital in Lewistown, Idaho, June 9, 1927. Burial was at Boise, Idaho. His early education was acquired in public schools, graduating from the Wyoming High School. After teaching several terms he entered St. Joseph's (now Columbia) College, Dubuque, and studied several years, and completed his education at St. Francis Seminary, Milwaukee, where he received degrees in philosophy and theology. He was ordained priest in 1893, served as pastor at State Center one year, was a member of the faculty of St. Joseph's College from 1894 to 1904, and was president of the college from 1904 to 1918. At that time he was made bishop of Boise, Idaho. He was a popular educator and divine.

SHIRLEY GILLIAND was born in Mills County, Iowa, December 14, 1856, and died in Glenwood December 6, 1927. He was graduated in Liberal Arts from the State University of Iowa in 1879, and from the Law Department in 1884, and soon thereafter entered on the practice of law at Glenwood. He was a member of the Board of Regents of the State University from 1891 to 1904. In 1892 he was elected county attorney of Mills County and was re-elected in 1894 and 1896, serving six years in that position. In 1903 he was elected senator and was re-elected in 1908, serving inclusively from the Thirtieth to the Thirty-fourth general assemblies. He was again elected county attorney in 1924 and in 1926, and was serving in that position at the time of his death. He was a Republican in politics.

CHANDLER E. Bull was born in Scotland County, Missouri, in October, 1852, and died at Melba, Idaho, September 13, 1927. His early life was spent on a farm near Milton, Van Buren County, Iowa, where he was engaged in buying and selling live stock. In 1897 he was elected representative and served in the Twenty-seventh General Assembly. He was a Democrat in politics. Soon after this service he removed to Oklahoma, and later to Melba, Idaho.

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