



**SWANSON, CARL A. 1879-1949**

Born in Sweden and came to the United States in 1896. Took night courses at the Nebraska Business College in Omaha. In 1899 he took part-time job keeping books for the Jerpe Commission Company and soon thereafter became a partner by investing \$125 in the firm. In 1928, Jerpe sold his interest to Swanson. Under his direction the business grew from an initial capital of \$400 to a company doing a \$60,000,000 business annually, processing chickens, turkeys, eggs, further processed poultry products, butter and oleo. In 1942 Mr. Swanson created the Carl and Caroline Swanson Foundation, a charitable organization to which he bequeathed most of his assets. He built the Creche Home for Orphans in 1949. He served as a trustee of Creighton University. He served as a director in several business firms. Poultry Hall of Fame, 1965.



**NILES, MRS. KATHRYN B. 1898-1970**

B.S. Stout Institute, 1921. M.S. University of Minnesota, 1932 Univ. of Minnesota Instructor in Home Economics, 1931-1935. Director of Foods and Nutrition for Institute of American Poultry Industries, 1936-1940. Director of Home Economics, Poultry and Egg National Board, 1940-1961. For 28 years she created, rested and released to major U.S. media over 10,000 recipes featuring new ways to use eggs, chicken and turkey. Chairman, Consumers Program, 1939 World's Poultry Congress. A founder of Home Economists in Business, American Women in Radio and Television, and Chicago Nutrition Association. Honorary life member of National Turkey Federation and Institute of American Poultry Industries. Recipient of Meritorious Certificate of Poultry Products Institute of Canada. Poultry Hall of Fame, 1965.



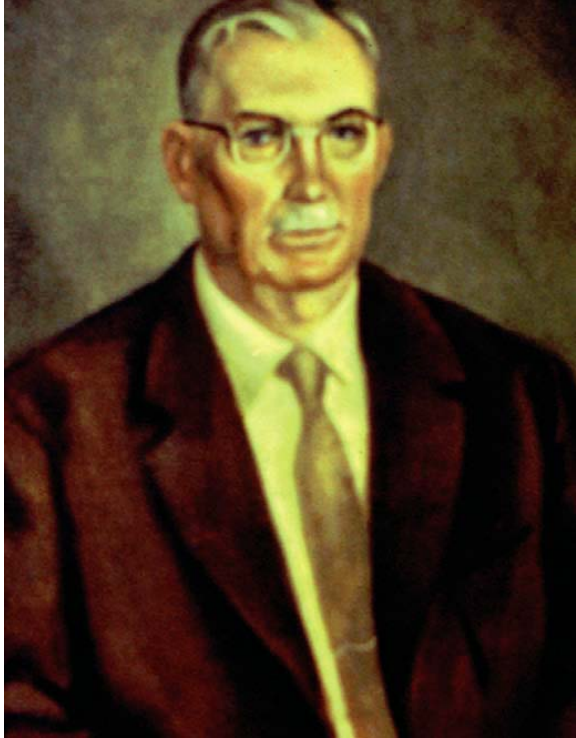
**GHOSTLEY, DR. GEORGE F. 1889-1965**

M. D. University of Minnesota. Dr. Ghostley bred and developed an outstanding strain of purebred White Leghorns. He also developed a strain cross Leghorn. He was the founder, owner and president of the Ghostley Poultry Farm, Anoka, Minnesota 1918-1957. Served as a member of the Minnesota Livestock Sanitary Board for eight years. He also served as president of the U. S. Record of Performance Association. Received the Outstanding Alumnus Award from the University of Minnesota. Poultry Hall of Fame, 1965.



**TERMOHLEN, WILLIAM DEWEY 1898-1970**

B. S. Iowa State College, 1925 and M. S., 1928. Iowa Agricultural Extension Economist, 1926-1933, USDA 1933-1960 with AAA Marketing Administration and Director of Poultry Branch, U. S. Agricultural Attaché to Japan, 1955-1960. Secretary General of the Seventh World's Poultry Congress and President of the World's Poultry Science Association, 1949- 1951. Received the USDA Distinguished Service Award in 1960, which read "For lasting contributions to Marketing improvements in the American poultry industry, and singular success in promoting mutual confidence between American and Japanese Agricultural trade interest as a Department representative abroad." Poultry Hall of Fame, 1965.



**THOMPSON, PROFESSOR R. B. 1889- 1968**

B.S. Oregon State College. Head, Poultry Department-New Mexico, 1916-1920. Head, Poultry Department-Arizona State College, 1920-1923, and Head, Poultry Department Oklahoma State College, 1923-1955. Aided in development of the N. P. I. Plan and encourage the improvement of poultry through improved breeding, feeding and management. He was a dynamic leader who encouraged many young people to prepare for a career in poultry science and industry. U. S. delegate to Sixth World's Poultry Congress. Chairman, Youth Program, Seventh World's Poultry Congress, 1939. President, Poultry Science Association, 1936-1937, Fellow, 1944, and Poultry Hall of Fame, 1965.