

## Iowa's Notable Dead

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position carrying the highest honors of his profession; in 1928 was president of the Association of Land Grant colleges and universities; served as a member of the National Research council representing the American Society of Civil Engineers, as a member of the executive committee of the American Society for Testing Materials, as president of the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education, as president of the Iowa Engineering society, and a member of the administrative board of the American Engineering council; awarded in 1903 the Chanute medal of the Western Society of Engineers, and in 1904 the Fuertes medal of Cornell university; besides during his professional career published more than 200 technical articles in various engineering publications, many of which were read at various scientific meetings; awarded in 1948 an honorary doctor's degree by Iowa State college, having himself a few years previous established the Anson Marston medal, which is awarded annually to a professional engineer who has contributed materially to the betterment of mankind; served Iowa in a thousand and more ways in forwarding the movement for its hard surfaced road system, and practical and scientific service in standardized plans for road drainage, culverts, bridges and revolutionary system of grading that gave Iowa one of the best network of highways in the nation; contributed invaluable service to his local community; a member of the Masonic bodies, college fraternities, community clubs, engineering organizations, and the Ames city council; survived by the widow and two sons, both in active duty with the U. S. army, Brig Gen. Morrill Marston, now in Austria, and Col. Anson Marston, Jr., now at Alexandria, Virginia, besides two grandsons and his brother, Walter, with the highway commission at Ames.

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FORRESTER CALL STANLEY, educator, scientist, editor and legislator, died at Oskaloosa, Iowa, November 5, 1949; born on a farm near Ackworth, Warren county, Iowa, November 26, 1881; removed to Indianola, Iowa, in 1890; graduated from Indianola high school in 1899; interested in stock farming a few years; attended Simpson college at Indianola and graduated in 1907 with a B. S. degree; read law with O. C. Brown and became a partner in the publication of the *Indianola Herald*; attended the University of Wisconsin and received his master's degree in chemistry in 1910; married to Ada C. Whitney of Beaver City, Nebraska, July 27, 1915; was head of the department of chemistry of William Penn college, Oskaloosa, since 1910 until appointed president interim of the institution April 1, 1949, and elected president by the board of trustees September 1, 1949; on leave of absence spent a year in 1913-1914 in Europe specializing in chemistry at the University of Berlin, in Germany; traveled extensively

through Europe, Egypt, Palestine, and Turkey; completed a four-months round-the-world trip by plane in June 1948, made to film in color many scientific and scenic spots and to visit two of his daughters, Mrs. Margaret Tesdell, a nurse in Shanghai, China, and Mrs. Barbara Stanley Pittenger, Newington, Conn., who, at that time was a dietitian in New Delhi, India; two other daughters, Mrs. Kathryn Stroud, Norfolk, Virginia, and Mrs. Joseph Ferguson, Des Moines, and his widow survive him; elected an Iowa state senator in 1924, serving two terms in the Forty-first, Forty-second, Forty-third and Forty-fourth General Assemblies; during the period of his service as president of William Penn college accomplished a reorganization of the school, engaged new instructors, replenished a depleted college treasury and restored many of the old accepted Penn traditions, including re-establishment of former relations with the Iowa yearly Meeting of Friends society; prominent in local activities and fathered many civic musical events; also instrumental in restoring the former community lyceum courses; an active and effective civic leader and a Republican.

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ALBERT GREGORY HULL, physician and financier, died October 23, 1949, at his home in Joplin, Missouri; born August 16, 1867, at the farm home in the outskirts of Birmingham, Van Buren county, Iowa; the elder brother of Major General John Adley Hull, judge advocate general, U. S. army, and son of Capt. John Albert Tiffin Hull, a Union veteran of the Civil war, a former secretary of state and lieutenant governor of Iowa and congressman for many years from the Des Moines district, the mother being Emma Gertrude Gregory, daughter of Adley Gregory, a pioneer resident of Birmingham, who settled in Iowa upon removal from Ohio in 1850. Captain Hull established the *Birmingham Enterprise* in 1869, and in 1873 became owner of the *Bloomfield Republican*, which he edited until 1879, and after retirement from congress practiced law in Washington, D. C., residing upon an adjacent homestead in Virginia until his death, and with his wife is buried in Arlington National cemetery.

Dr. Hull spent his early childhood in Birmingham, where at his own request made prior to his death, his remains were interred beside a baby sister, Daisy Hull, who died August 19, 1870, in Maple Hill cemetery at Birmingham, which he had visited a short time previously. He graduated with an M. D. degree from the medical school at the State University of Iowa, continuing his study of medicine thereafter in Vienna, Austria, and for many years enjoyed practice of his profession at points in Iowa and Missouri, subsequently taking post-graduate courses both in this country and abroad; developed several business enterprises and made paying investments in lead and zinc ore-bearing properties

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