

Obituary

MEMBER DEATHS REPORTED IN 1997

Byron Wright, FSA 1926, FCAS 1958. Born Owen Sound, Ontario, May 10, 1902. Joined Manufacturers Life 1917, moved to North American Life, Toronto 1923. Shortly thereafter moved to U.S.A., first with Boston Mutual, then in consulting, then until retirement was Actuary, Dept. of Banking, Trenton, N.J. Byron was a faithful but quiet Society member for those many years until his death on November 7, 1996.

Clarence S. Coates, ASA 1927, FCAS 1922. Born in England, October 13, 1901. Graduated from University of California 1922. Was encouraged by his older brother, an actuary, to enter our profession. Clarence, after briefly with Western States Life, joined Lumbermans Mutual Casualty in Chicago until his retirement in the late 1960s. He died in Arlington Heights, IL, November 4, 1997.

Daniel J. Lyons, FSA 1930. Born January 6, 1905, died July 3, 1997. An obituary of this famous actuary is printed in the *North American Actuarial Journal* Vol. 2, No. 1, p. 138.

Gerald M. Grassby, ASA 1933. Born in Winnipeg, June 20, 1908. Graduated from University of Manitoba 1929. His entire business lifetime was at Sun Life of Canada where he rose to the post of Assistant Superintendent, Group & Pensions. Died in Montreal, May 9, 1997.

Leonard H. McVity, FSA 1933. Born Toronto, September 20, 1906. Graduated from University of Toronto 1928. Was with Manufacturers Life 1925-1936, then briefly Secretary & Actuary of Canadian Life Insurance Association. Moving to United States in 1938, he was with Business Men's Assurance Company until joining Equitable Life Assurance Society in New York, 1943. After 39 years at Equitable where his final post was Vice President & Secretary of its Life Mortgage & Realty Investors, he left for the consulting field in Coopers, Lybrand & Tillinghast. In 1979 he accepted the post of Supervising Actuary of the New York Insurance Department, continuing until shortly before his death on January 17, 1997. Len's Society paper "Reflections on Fund Accounts" is printed in *TSA* Vol. I, 1950.

Gilbert W. Fizhugh, FSA 1934. Born July 8, 1909, died December 29, 1997. This Past President's obituary adorns the *North American Actuarial Journal* Vol. 2, No. 3, p. 150.

Lowell M. Dorn, FSA 1936. Born in Des Moines, Iowa, December 2, 1906. He graduated from Drake University 1928 and earned his M.A. at University of Toronto 1930. His entire business career was at New York Life Insurance Company, culminating in the post of Senior Vice-President & Chief Actuary. Lowell was an active Society member. His paper "New York Life Morbidity Experience" is printed in *TSA* XV. He died in Boca Raton, Florida on December 17, 1997.

Kenneth R. MacGregor, FSA 1936. Born in Ottawa on July 21, 1906. Died in Waterloo, Ontario on February 28, 1997. The obituary of this influential member of the Society of Actuaries appears in the *North American Actuarial Journal*, Vol. 1, No. 3, p. 71.

Charles A. Siegfried, FSA 1936. Born in Orwigsburg, PA, on August 27, 1908. Graduated from Franklin & Marshall College in 1930 and immediately joined the actuarial department at Metropolitan Life where he became president in 1966. He became a leader in the Society of Actuaries, serving in many capacities and exerting significant influence in professional matters. He died in Bloomfield, CT, on November 14, 1997.

Richard F. Dietz, ASA 1938. Born September 10, 1901. Was employed 1933–1967 at Metropolitan Life, then 1967–1986 as principal actuary at New York Insurance Department. Died in Lakeland, Florida on August 21, 1997.

Robert L. Bergstresser, FSA 1941. Born September 28, 1912. Graduated from Drexel University in 1933. After 13 years actuarial service at Metropolitan Life, he was appointed actuary of United States Life Insurance Company in New York City. While in that position he spent some months in organizational work at the company's Philippines office. The result was a growing interest in helping to form a missionary school; he resigned from U.S. Life to become an officer of the Grace Christian High School in Manila. Staying there for the next 20 years he kept up his interest in his profession, even serving as president of the Actuarial Society of the Philippines and establishing an intercompany mortality study. Upon retirement he returned to the U.S.A. where he became an actuarial consultant at Colonial Life until 1982. He died on September 4, 1997.

Alfred L. Buckman, FSA 1943. Born February 27, 1909 in Waterbury, CT. Graduated from U.C.L.A. 1929 and earned an M.A. 1930. He taught mathematics at Long Beach College until the March 1933 earthquake there forced him to join Occidental Life. In 1944 he moved to Beneficial Standard Life with responsibility for bringing that company into life insurance. By 1968 he was Senior Vice President until his retirement in 1974. Immediately after that he was expert witness in the liquidation proceedings of the infamous Equity Funding Life Insurance Company. In later years until his death on December 28, 1997 he wrote a bridge column.

W. Richard Christmas, FSA 1943. Born July 29, 1907 in Montreal. Graduated from McGill University 1929 and joined Sun Life of Canada. Served in Royal Canadian Navy 1943–1945, achieving rank of Lt. Cdr., then moved to U.S.A. taking posts over the next 26 years in Monarch Life, Mass. Mutual, New England Life, Gulf Life, and finally Mass. Mutual again. In 1972 he retired to Vermont. He died in Durham, N.C. on March 12, 1997.

Louis M. Davison, ASA 1944. Born Clifton, Nova Scotia, November 15, 1907. Graduated from Acadia University 1930 and joined Manufacturers Life. Was the company's Secretary until he retired to Toronto where he died in 1997.

C. Wallace Jordan, FSA 1946. The famous author of *Life Contingencies* was born in Pittsfield, MA, on July 5, 1915 and graduated from Williams College in 1933. From 1937 till 1946 he was in Connecticut General Life's actuarial department, then returned to Williams to teach mathematics. He soon began work on his textbook which was

published by the Society of Actuaries in 1952. Its reviewer (Harry Gershenson *TSA* IV, 839) summed up thus:

Jordan has wrought his work with care and precision ... he has produced a superb combination of theory and practice. This is more than a textbook; it is a rewarding experience to the reader.

Professor Jordan retired from Williams College in 1977 and died August 16, 1997.

Lyle H. Barnhart, ASA 1949. Born at Monticello, IL, January 24, 1910. Graduated from University of Illinois 1932 then earned his MS there. Joined American Central Life 1932; later moved to Fidelity Life Association, Fulton, IL, where he was Vice-President & Actuary. Retired about 1975 and died in Fulton, December 3, 1997.

Harold Thompson, FSA 1949. Born in Winnipeg, August 18, 1922. Graduated from University of Manitoba c. 1944. After a brief period at Great-West Life he joined Monarch Life in Winnipeg in May 1946 and rose to its presidency. He retired in the mid-1980s and died in Winnipeg on January 3, 1997.

Walter Tyler, ASA 1950, FIA 1939. Born in England, July 2, 1911. Practiced in South Africa; was president of the Actuarial Society of South Africa. Died June 24, 1997.

Robert G. Ward, FSA 1951. Born in Upland, PA, July 10, 1924. Graduated from New York University 1947. His entire business career was at Provident Mutual, Philadelphia where he rose to be Executive Vice President. He died in Satellite Beach, FL, February 8, 1996.

Franklin B. Dana, FSA 1952. Born Kingston, PA, December 23, 1905. Graduated from Princeton University 1926 and entered Metropolitan Life in New York 1927. Was in military service 1943–1945. By 1950 he was with the North Carolina Insurance Department; soon after, he joined the Wyatt Company. In the 1970s he worked as Principal Actuary of the U.S. Accounting Office in Washington D.C. He retired at about age 80 and died in Arlington, VA in December 1995.

David M. Millyard, FSA 1953. Born in Toronto, July 2, 1916. Graduated from University of Toronto 1936 and joined Imperial Life Assurance Company there. By the late 1970s he was that company's Administrative Vice President. Upon retirement he became a private consulting actuary; in the early 1980s he retired to Willowdale, Ontario where he died on June 26, 1997.

Esse D. Langston, ASA 1954. Born in Mississippi, October 1, 1922. Graduated MBA from University of Michigan 1949. After brief employment first in the Mississippi Insurance Department and then in Columbian Mutual Life as Assistant Actuary he entered the consulting field. He remained as a principal of his firm until his death on February 4, 1997.

John W. Huntley, FSA 1957. Born on December 12, 1924. Graduated from St. Lawrence University 1947. Employed at Travelers from 1951 till his retirement in 1987. Died in Simsbury, CT, August 18, 1997.

Horace W. McCubbin, FSA 1958. Born in Fort William, Ontario on October 24, 1931. Graduated from University of Manitoba 1953. Employed at Canada Life Assurance

Company throughout his business life until retirement in 1994 from the post of Vice President & Chief Actuary. Died in Toronto, May 20, 1997.

Dean E. Williams, FSA 1961. Born in Iowa, February 24, 1925. Served in the U.S. Navy in World War II. Graduated from Drake University 1950. After employment in New York Life and Pan-American Life he joined General American Life in St. Louis, 1959. When he retired in 1990, he had been Executive Vice President for 11 years. Dean was recognized as a life master by the American Contract Bridge League. He died on December 5, 1996.

Peter R. Wilde, FSA 1962. Born in New Jersey, March 13, 1933. Graduated from Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania 1955. Worked first for Connecticut General Life, reaching the post of Director of Equity Fund Development. Moved to Aetna in 1974 as Vice-President, then as Senior Vice President. In 1990 he formed his own company, Wilde Associates, this being his post when he died suddenly on November 21, 1997. Peter was a creative genius and an agent of change in the many projects that he generated.

William B. Dandy, FSA 1964. Born in Toronto, May 25, 1926. Graduated from U.C.L.A. 1951. After brief periods in Citizens Life & Casualty and California Western States Life, he entered Constitution Life in 1954, then Pacific Fidelity Life and Seaboard Life. By the mid-1970s he was President of Directors Life in Los Angeles. In 1996 he retired from London Insurance Group, Phoenix, AZ, and died on February 11, 1997.

Paul M. Kahn, FSA 1964. Born in San Francisco on May 8, 1935. Graduated from Stanford University 1956, then earned his M.A. at University of Michigan. In the Society he was frequently on call to write book reviews, and he wrote two papers, one on Collective Risk Theory (*TSA XIV*), the other on Variable Life Insurance Operations (*TSA XXIII*). Paul was an extraordinary scholar and historian with a notable Hawaiian ancestry and broad interests. He died suddenly in San Francisco on March 10, 1997.

Terrance T. Erickson, ASA 1968. Born in North Dakota on November 16, 1941. Graduated from University of Minnesota, 1962. Employed at Beneficial Standard Life, then at Pierce National Life, then at Unigard Olympic Life. Was Associate Actuary at United Insurance Company of America in Chicago when he died on February 18, 1997.

Walter C. Woodward, ASA 1968. Born in Florida, July 28, 1943. Graduated from University of Florida 1965. Employed at Prudential, then at Blue Cross of Western Pennsylvania, then at Blue Cross/Blue Shield in St. Louis. Was Associate Actuary at Humana in Louisville when he died on January 23, 1997.

Theodore J. Shalack, FSA 1970. Born in New Jersey, May 27, 1938. Graduated from Rutgers 1960. For almost his whole career he was at Mutual Life of New York, reaching the post of chief corporate compliance officer concerned with ethical matters. Died November 21, 1996.

Theodore R. Diakun, ASA 1972. Born Winnipeg, February 14, 1946. Graduated from University of Manitoba 1968. Was employed at Travelers Life in Toronto until the early

1980s when he joined Mercantile & General Life Reassurance. He was its Marketing Director when he died in 1997.

Robert F. W. Byles, ASA 1974. Born in Scotland, May 16, 1945. Graduated from Manchester University 1967. When enrolled as an overseas member, he was a director of Willis Faber Advisory Services, London, England. He was head of his own consulting firm when he died on January 27, 1997.

Om K. Gupta, ASA 1976. Birth date unavailable. In the 1970s he was Associate Actuary of North Carolina Mutual Insurance Company of Durham, NC. At his death on December 20, 1996 he had been for several years Chief Actuary of Atlanta Life Insurance Company.

Trefor W. Parry, ASA 1979, FIA 1977. An overseas member born on October 5, 1949. A full obituary is printed on page 12 of the *Staple Inn Actuarial Society's* journal. "The Actuary." He died on May 11, 1997.

Kai-Ming Chu, ASA 1980. Born c. 1947. Except for early service with American Health & Life in Baltimore he was employed until 1994 at Executive Life in Los Angeles. He then became an independent agent in Cypress, CA. He died on May 22, 1997.

Robert W. Maver, FSA 1980. Born October 26, 1953. Graduated from Brown University 1975. Throughout his career was Vice President at Standard Insurance Company in Portland, OR. Died in December 1997.

J. Edward Tornga, ASA 1980. Born April 2, 1942. Graduated from Michigan State University 1970. Throughout his career was with the New York State Employees Retirement Systems. Died in Charlton, NY, on November 19, 1997.

Michael R. Hird, ASA 1981. FIA. Born March 22, 1946. Graduated from University of London, 1969. Employed at Armstrong & Associates, Calgary, Alberta, then at his own firm in West Vancouver, B.C. Died May 6, 1997.

Glen A. Hazlett, FSA 1982. Born May 3, 1945. Graduated from University of Massachusetts 1945. Employed at Aetna Life, then at Connecticut General Life, then entered the consulting field at Towers Perrin Forster & Crosby, then with George Beram in Newton, MA. Died March 25, 1997.

Thavanesan Karthigasu, ASA 1984, FFA. Born September 10, 1950. Graduated from Heriot Watt University in Edinburgh. After service at British American Life in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, he became Senior Vice President & Actuary of John Hancock Life in that city. He died suddenly on January 17, 1997.

Diana Armstrong, ASA 1985. Born in Salt Lake City August 3, 1948. Graduated from Brigham Young University. After two years as a school teacher, she was employed at Manhattan Life. In 1984 she moved to Fargo, ND and continued her actuarial career in The Mutual Group in that city. In pursuit of her second love, genealogy, she traced her family back to the 11th century. Her untimely death occurred on July 28, 1997.

Donald E. McInnes, FSA 1989. Born January 21, 1957. Was employed in North American Life Assurance Company, Winnipeg, with the title Actuarial Consultant. Later he

joined the Winnipeg office of the Waterloo, Ontario consultants, Wright Mog & Associates. He died suddenly on May 3, 1997.

Warren K. Gratton, ASA 1991, FIA 1978. Born, probably in Australia, February 19, 1948. Was Assistant General Manager & Actuary of Cologne Life Reinsurance Company of Australia. He died in Africa on March 25, 1977.

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J. Kenneth Davis, ASA 1932. Was born in Brooklyn, Iowa, December 27, 1904. Graduated from University of Iowa 1927. Was briefly introduced to actuarial work by Dr. Erston Marshall, consulting actuary in Des Moines, then became associated in turn with several midwest companies until settling with Liberty Life in Greenville, SC for 30 years (1939-1969) where he reached the post of Vice President & Chief Actuary. He died in Greenville on January 21, 1998.

H. Charles Kwasha, ASA 1932. Born in Rhode Island, December 2, 1906. Graduated from Brown University 1929 and joined the actuarial staff at Travelers Insurance Company. For many years until his retirement in the 1980s, he was in the consulting field with Kwasha & Lipton in New York City. He died in Florida c. 1998.

Sam H. Huffman, ASA 1934. Born in Texas, April 14, 1906. Graduated from University of Florida 1927. Was then teaching mathematics at University of Iowa until joining Metropolitan Life in 1931. From there he moved to Northwestern National Life in Minneapolis and then to consulting in the Wyatt Company where he rose to Chairman of the Board. He retired to Florida in the mid-1970s and died in Punta Gorda on August 10, 1998.

Donald M. Ellis, FSA 1935. Born in Grandby, Quebec, April 11, 1906. Graduated from Queens University 1928. Unlike so many of us, he served just one company, Canada Life, throughout his career, retiring in 1971 from the post of Vice President & Chief Actuary. His devotion to high standards, his ability to find practical solutions to actuarial and management problems and his deserved popularity with his company's field force gave him strong influence in his company. He was President of the Canadian Association of Actuaries in 1960-1961 and was a Society Board Member 1966-1968. He died in Toronto January 14, 1998.

Charles E. Tosch, ASA 1935. Born in Union City, NJ on July 16, 1910. Graduated from New York University 1928, then joined Prudential Insurance Company. Later he was with Lever Brothers in New York until in the 1950s joining Johnson & Higgins where he rose to be Vice President. After his retirement, he lived in Florida where he died on March 3, 1998.

William Gould, FSA 1936. Born in New York City, May 25, 1911. Attended City College of New York, two years. His entire business career from 1929 till retirement in 1980 was at Metropolitan Life. He died in Brooklyn October 23, 1996.

Thomas H. Kirkpatrick, FSA 1936. Born in London, Ontario, May 3, 1909. Graduated from University of Western Ontario 1932. His early employment was at London Life at

which he had been a summer student for three years. Then he moved to Paul Revere Life in Worcester, MA where he rose to be Vice President & Senior Actuary. He retired in 1975 and died on May 12, 1998.

Frank D. Logan, ASA 1936. Born in Scotland, September 10, 1905. Graduated from Glasgow University 1927, then moved to Canada and joined Sun Life of Canada 1928. In the mid-1950s he accepted the post of Assistant Actuary at the American Life Convention, Chicago. There he served the industry until his retirement c. 1975. He died in California July 11, 1998.

Lawrence C. Bonnycastle, FSA 1939. Born in Manitoba, November 19, 1907. Graduated from University of Manitoba 1929 then went to England for three years as a Rhodes Scholar at Oxford. From 1932 to 1939 he was employed at Northern Life in London, Ontario, then left life insurance for ten years to be Assistant General Manager at John Labatt Ltd. Then for three years he was General Manager of National Life in Toronto. From 1952 till his retirement in 1986 he was successively Executive Vice President, President & Chairman of Canadian Corporate Management Company in Toronto. He died on October 9, 1998. An exceptional scholar and gentleman who, sadly for us, was mostly missing from the actuarial scene.

Fred H. Holsten, FSA 1942. Born in New York City, May 13, 1910. Earned M.E.E. (Master of Electrical Engineering) at Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn in 1934 but in 1935 became an actuarial clerk at Metropolitan Life. From 1943 to 1945 he was in the U.S. Navy Operations Research Group based in Washington and Pearl Harbor. In 1951 he moved to New York Life where he progressed to Second Vice President & Group Actuary, retiring in 1976. He died on May 1, 1998.

Kenneth H. Ross, FSA 1945. Born in Kingston, Jamaica on September 4, 1911. Graduated from McGill University, Montreal 1933. Most of his career was in the consulting field at Higgins & Company, Philadelphia; in the 1960s and 1970s he was its President and then Chairman. He retired to Florida and died in Bryn Mawr, PA, February 24, 1998.

Vincent Grainger, ASA 1947. Born in Texas, July 5, 1919. Graduated from Amherst College 1940 and entered Prudential in Los Angeles for a lifetime career. His posts there in his later years were Director of Group Insurance and then Assistant Secretary. He retired in 1982 and died on April 20, 1997.

Thomas N. E. Greville, FSA 1947. Born in New York City, December 27, 1910. Earned his B.A. 1930 from University of the South, his M.A. 1932 and Ph.D. 1933 from University of Michigan. From 1933 to 1937 he was actuarial assistant for Acacia Mutual, then was back at University of Michigan as instructor 1937 to 1940 and again as visiting professor 1962–1963. From 1940 to 1946 he was actuarial mathematician at the U.S. Bureau of the Census, followed by six years at U.S. Public Health Service. From 1952 to 1954 he was in Brazil on a U.S. operation mission. From 1954 to 1957 he was assistant chief actuary of the Social Security Administration, then from 1957 to 1961 chief mathematician for the U.S. Army Quartermaster Corps. Next from 1961 to 1963 he was Vice President of S.A. Miller Company in Washington. From 1963 to 1981 he was professor at the University of Wisconsin School of Business, and also from time to time actuarial advisor to the National Center for Health Statistics as well as president of the Psychological

Research Foundation and some other activities. After these, he retired to some extent. He died in Charlottesville on February 18, 1998. He was active in our profession, making substantial contributions to our literature.

William S. Thomas, FSA 1947. Born in Wilkes-Barre, PA, November 14, 1913. Graduated from Dickinson College 1935. From 1937 to 1978 he was employed at Metropolitan Life, the last eight years as its Executive Vice President. He then entered consulting in New York City with Milliman & Robertson. He retired in 1983 and died in early 1998.

Aubrey White, FAS 1947. Born in Toronto, July 11, 1911. Graduated from University of Toronto 1937. Was employed at Crown Life till moving to Paul Revere Life in 1945. In 1950 he entered consulting with Ostheimer & Company which later merged into Peat, Marwick & Mitchell. In 1975 he went to Fidelity Mutual. Retired in 1987 and died c. 1998.

Gene C. Moore, PSA 1948. Born in Cincinnati, April 26, 1915. Graduated from University of Cincinnati 1936 and earned his M.A. from Columbia 1938. First employed at Equitable of New York, moving to Life of Virginia in 1949 and to Bowles, Andrews & Towne in Richmond, 1953. In 1962 he moved to Bowles, Andrews & Towne as a partner, moving again in 1962 to Western-Southern Life and finally to Tillinghast & Company in 1972. He retired in 1977 and died in Atlanta on August 19, 1998.

Robert C. Perry, FSA 1948. Born in Bloomington, IL, October 12, 1910. Graduated from University of Illinois, 1932, then entered State Farm Life for a lifetime career during which he reached the post of Executive Vice President. He retired in the mid-1970s and died in Arizona, December 7, 1997.

Alvin E. Nelsen, FSA 1949. Born in South Dakota, June 19, 1915. Graduated from St. Olaf College in 1937 then earned his M.S. at University of Iowa 1939. His lifetime career was at Equitable of New York where he reached the post of Vice President & Actuary. He retired in the early 1980s and died in West Virginia on July 11, 1998.

Roy R. Anderson, FSA 1950. Born in New Jersey, March 28, 1920. Graduated from Rutgers 1941 and was briefly at Metropolitan Life, then briefly with New York Life, then for several years with Prudential. In the mid-1960s he moved to Allstate Life in Skokie, IL, where he rose to its presidency. He retired in 1987 and died in Madison, CT, on December 4, 1997.

George T. Foster, ASA 1950. Born July 31, 1905 in Reading, England, he qualified as a Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries in 1931. His career was almost entirely at Mercantile & General Reinsurance Company in London where he became deputy General Manager and from which he retired in the early 1970s. He died in Somerset on March 13, 1998.

Thomas R. Suttie, ASA 1950. Born in Dublin, Ireland, March 8, 1915. Graduated from Morrison's Academy, Scotland 1932. His lifetime career was at Equitable Life of Canada, Waterloo, Ontario, first as Actuary, then in 1970 as Executive Vice President, then as President and finally as Chairman of the Board. He retired in the mid-1980s and died in Waterloo on July 23, 1998.

Walter Tyler, ASA 1950, FIA 1939. Born in Surrey, England on July 7, 1911. Moved to South Africa about 1939 where he joined the Southern Life Association in Cape Town as Assistant Actuary. He rose to become its Assistant General Manager and retired in the mid-1970s. He died in Cape Town on June 24, 1997.

Norman Kirkland, ASA 1951. Born in London, England, September 10, 1917. Graduated from Dulwich College 1935. Came to Canada to join Prudential Assurance, Montreal where he was Assistant Actuary. In the mid-1960s he was briefly with Alexander & Alexander in Toronto, then became President of Benefacts Ltd. After 1975 he headed his own firm as consulting actuary until retiring in 1977. He died in Islington, Ontario, May 25, 1998.

Kenneth A. C. Wheeler, ASA 1951, FIA 1941. Born in England, June 6, 1912. Graduated from Cambridge 1936. Was Actuary & Manager of Sentinel Assurance Company, London. Retired in 1975 and died on August 15, 1998.

Henry J. L. Fortuin, FSA 1953. Born in Michigan, March 21, 1913. Graduated from Calvin College, Michigan in 1934. His actuarial career until his retirement in 1978 was in consulting, first with Marsh & McLennan, then with William M. Mercer. He died on February 16, 1998.

Paul T. Harkness, FSA 1953. Born in Massachusetts, June 28, 1910. Attended Wesleyan University. Lifelong career till retirement in 1972 was with Connecticut Mutual, his final post being Second Vice President & Actuary. Died in Maine, July 4, 1998.

Harold E. Crandall, FSA 1954. Born in Pennsylvania, August 12, 1923. Graduated from University of Michigan 1949. Was with Occidental Life, Los Angeles until entering consulting with his own firm Crandall & Ostine 1967. He died September 3, 1997.

Harry D. Garber, FSA 1955. Born in Michigan, June 28, 1928. Graduated from Yale 1950. Lifetime career was with Equitable Society where he rose from Assistant Actuary in the mid-1950s to Executive Vice President twenty years later, then to Vice-Chairman in the late 1980s. He died in Florida on April 28, 1998. Harry was active in our profession; he was a member of our Board 1987–1988.

Charles H. Connolly, FSA 1956. Born October 27, 1918. Attended Southern Methodist University 1935–1937. Was with Southwestern Life, Dallas, 1940 to 1971, reaching the post of Senior Vice President & Actuary, then was a partner in the consulting firm Strong & Thompson until becoming self-employed 1975 to 1987. Died in Dallas, February 12, 1998. His paper "The Effect of Varying Interest Rates" is in *TSA IX*.

Bernard Fenster, ASA 1959. Born in New York City, August 10, 1930. Graduated from New York University 1952. Was first with New York Life, then for most of his career with Bankers Life & Casualty in Chicago. His final association was with Constitution Life, Park Ridge, IL, where he became Senior Vice President & Actuary. He died on August 3, 1998.

Ethel C. Rubin, ASA 1959. Born in Antwerp, Belgium, on February 24, 1932. Graduated from Hunter College 1953. Was with Kwasha, Lipton & Clark, consulting actuaries,

then in governmental posts in Washington, D.C. until disability retirement in 1981. She died on February 10, 1997.

Augustine A. Capitano, FSA 1960. Born in London, Ontario on May 18, 1919. Graduated from University of Western Ontario 1940. His actuarial career was with Northern Life Assurance Company until his retirement in 1984. He died on February 2, 1998.

Richard W. Pulley, FSA 1960. Born in Pennsylvania, December 18, 1926. Graduated from Moravian College 1951. His career until his retirement in 1987 was entirely with Mutual Benefit Life, New Jersey, where his final post was Vice-President & Actuary. He died in Florida on June 12, 1998.

Ronald Ham, FSA 1962. Born in York, England, on January 4, 1930. Educated at St. Peter's School in York. After a few years at Sun Life of Canada, he moved to Denver to join Security Life & Accident where he became Associate Actuary. He retired in 1995 and died in 1998.

Charles I. Maidanick, ASA 1962. Born in Ohio, October 31, 1933. Graduated from Harvard 1955. Was in consulting work in New York and then Chicago until joining the Internal Revenue Service, serving there from the early 1970s until shortly before his death on March 13, 1998.

Henry J. Anderson, ASA 1965. Born in New York City on November 16, 1937. Graduated from City College of New York 1960. His whole career until retirement in 1997 was in consulting with George B. Buck in New York City. He died in Woodbury, NY in 1998.

Francis H. Escott, FSA 1965. Born in Connecticut, July 19, 1919. Graduated from Wesleyan University 1941 and was immediately employed in Metropolitan Life until retiring in the late 1970s. He died in North Carolina on November 4, 1996.

Alexandre Langlois, FSA 1965. Born in Quebec on October 9, 1932. Graduated from Seminaire de Quebec in 1952. He made his lifetime career at Industrial Life in Quebec City until retiring in 1997. He died in Sillery, Quebec on June 27, 1998.

Clair A. Lewis, FSA 1965. Born in Iowa on July 30, 1926. Graduated from State University of Iowa 1953. Joined Northwestern Mutual Life in 1954 for a lifetime career. He retired from the post of Senior Actuary in 1994 and died in Milwaukee on August 15, 1998.

K. Arne Eide, FSA 1967. Born in Minnesota on July 10, 1912. Graduated from Luther College, Decorah, IA in 1933 and studied actuarial science at University of Iowa until 1939. Entered Metropolitan Life that year, continuing there until retiring from the post of Assistant Actuary in 1977. He died in Minnesota on November 8, 1997.

Geoffrey Westall, ASA 1969, FIA 1968. Born in Bedford, England on May 7, 1940. Graduated from University of Reading 1962. Employed at Hambro Life, Swindon where he reached the post of Executive Director. In the mid-1980s he joined Tillinghast, Towers Perrin in London. He died in July 1998.

Henry T. Furlong, FSA 1971. Born in Brooklyn, July 17, 1928. Graduated from Syracuse University 1948 then earned a 1952 BS at Union College. After early employment at New York Life, he joined United States Life where he rose to the post of Vice President & Actuary. He retired in 1992 and died on October 1, 1996.

Jeremiah Kelly, FSA 1971. Born in New York City May 17, 1936. Graduated from Manhattan College 1962. Was employed at Prudential throughout his career and was Vice President & Actuary when he died on July 6, 1998.

Michael P. Tine, FSA 1972. Born in Hartford, CT, May 31, 1945. Graduated from Wesleyan University 1967. Was at Travelers reaching the post of Senior Vice President. Joined Cologne Life Reinsurance in 1990 where he was Senior Vice President when he died on February 21, 1998.

Harold L. Barney, FSA 1974. Born in New York City, November 19, 1942. Graduated from Drew University 1965. Was with Prudential in Los Angeles, then with Johnson & Higgins in Philadelphia. In 1992 he formed his own company, Actuarial Forecasting & Research, specializing in services to continuing care retirement communities. He died in August 1998.

Melvin B. Dunn, FSA 1974. Born on February 17, 1936. After a brief connection with Columbian Mutual in Binghamton he moved to Security Mutual Life in that city. He was its Executive Vice President when he died on September 6, 1998.

David S. Cox, FSA 1976. Born in Tennessee, February 4, 1942. Graduated from Memphis State University 1964. His actuarial career was at Provident Life & Accident where he was Vice President when he retired in 1997. He died in Virginia on February 26, 1998.

Charles R. Haskins, FSA 1977. Born in Wisconsin on July 12, 1950. Graduated from University of Nebraska 1971. After brief experience at United Benefit Life in Omaha, he joined Amica Life in that city where he was Vice President & Actuary until he moved to Family Guardian Life in St. Louis. When he died in Delaware on January 2, 1998, he was with Citicorp Insurance Group as Director of Product Management.

John R. Wilson, FSA 1980. Born in London, Ontario on August 10, 1936. Attended University of Toronto before joining Canada Life in 1959. Subsequently he was with Travelers Life of Canada and then with Manufacturers Life where he was at his death on September 6, 1998.

Michael R. Wise, ASA 1981. Born in Toronto on May 17, 1943. Graduated from University of Toronto 1964. Worked at Constellation Life in Toronto, then at Prudential in Scarborough. He moved to London Life where ill health forced him to take disability retirement in 1997. He died c. July 1998 in Willowdale, Ontario.

David A. Maltzan, FSA 1982. Born in New York in 1957. Graduated from Williams College in 1979. Was with Maritime Life in Halifax before moving to John Hancock in Boston where he was Senior Vice President when he died in November 1998.

Jane L. Looney, FSA 1987. Born November 17, 1954. Much of her career was in the consulting field, most recently with William M. Mercer in Atlanta where she was a Principal when she died on August 13, 1998.

Rajinder S. Bagga, FSA 1988. Born in Pakistan, October 20, 1935. Graduated from Punjab University, India in 1959, and then earned a Certificate at Indian Statistical Institute, Calcutta, 1965. Started his actuarial career at Manhattan Life 1970, then moved to Equitable Society where he was Associate Actuary when he died on March 7, 1998.

Evelyn Stravolemos, ASA 1991. Born September 22, 1957. Was Director of Actuarial Services with Health Reinsurance Management Partnership in Brentwood, Tennessee when she died in Nashville on March 21, 1998.

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