IN MEMORIAM

ROSALIE S. GODFREY

Rosalie S. Godfrey, Associate Professor Emeritus of Home Economics at The University of Texas died in Brackenridge Hospital in Austin on February 28, 1966, after a long illness. She is survived by a cousin, Mrs. Roy Melendy of Sterling, Colorado.

Miss Godfrey was born on February 22, 1895, in Hot Springs, South Dakota. She was reared in Holton, Kansas, and earned her Bachelor of Science degree in home economics from Kansas State College. Following graduation she taught for two years in Hutchinson High School and then taught for several years at the University of Missouri as an assistant professor of institutional administration. From 1920 to 1922 she worked as a research assistant for the United States Department of Agriculture. Her third year in Washington was spent as Director of Food Services for the Grace Dodge Hotel. While in Washington she took advantage of her proximity to George Washington University and enrolled in night courses in journalism. Never for the rest of her life was she to lose her interest and enthusiasm for journalistic writing.

Following a year of graduate study at the University of Washington during which she earned a Master of Arts degree with a major in institutional administration and a minor in business administration, Miss Godfrey returned to the University of Missouri to fill a research position. She came to The University of Texas in the fall semester of 1927 where she remained until her death.

For many years she was the business director of all residence halls on The University campus and served on the building and furnishing committees for Andrews and Carothers dormitories; Roberts, Prather, and Brackenridge Halls; the Women's Gymnasium; and the Home Economics Building. She was appointed to the faculty of the Department of Home Economics in 1928 and taught both undergraduate and graduate courses in institutional administration. Her research interest was, in the area of large quantity food production. From 1955 to 1958 she
directed a research study on meat cookery supported by, the Quartermaster Food and Container Institute.

Miss Godfrey was active as elected officer and committee member in a number of professional associations including the American Dietetic Association, The Texas Dietetic Association, The American Association of University Professors, the Texas State Nutrition Council, and the Texas Restaurant Association. She was a member of the University Methodist Church.

In both teaching and research and in the development of the dormitory System on this campus she made significant contributions. Rosalie Godfrey 'was a good and loyal friend and colleague; her dedicated service and personal courage will remain an inspiration to everyone who knew her.

Respectfully submitted

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