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BIOGRAPHY

Christian B. Bjornson was born September 3, 1908. He was married on May 25, 1941 to Alice P. Husfloen. He was a veterinarian and was a past president and secretary of the North Dakota Veterinarian Medical Association.

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