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BIOGRAPHY

Daughter of James and Catherine (Driscoll) Wyckoff. Attended Ellendale Normal School, graduated from North Dakota Agricultural College in 1937. Taught in Fargo elementary schools from 1918-1952. After retiring in 1952, she was employed as a housemother to North Dakota Agricultural College fraternities

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