

Alice Howe

Mrs. Jerome (Alice) Howe, 70, 1729 16th Ave., Monroe, died at 11:22 pm. Thursday, April 18, 1985, at St. Clare Hospital following an extended illness.

Born in Brodhead, Aug. 21, 1914, the former Alice Dinsdale was the daughter of Arthur and Vera (Gifford) Dinsdale.

She was a graduate of a Hibbing, Minn., high school and Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., with a degree in journalism.

She married Jerome Howe in Detroit Lakes, Minn., April 9, 1942.

She worked at the Monroe Evening TIMES and later returned to school, attending the Green County Normal School and University of Wisconsin-Platteville where she received her master's degree in education. Mrs. Howe taught in Lincoln, East and Northside schools in Monroe for 21 years. She was well-known for the time she spent in outdoor education projects with area youth.

Also an active traveler, camping and hiking participant and jogger, she was a member of the Sierra Club, Leyenda Reading Club, St. Clare Hospital Auxiliary, Monroe Arts and Activities Center, Questors, and the National Education Association. She also was a sponsor of a foster child in the African nation of Mali.

Survivors include her husband, Jerome; two daughters, Mrs. Urs (Mary) Gafner, Monticello; Mrs. Phillip (Katie) Gutzmer, Monroe; two sons, James, Laramie, Wyo., and Thomas, Riverton, Wyo., and six grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father in 1945 and her mother in 1970.

Following cremation, memorial services will be held at 2 pm. Sunday at the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, with the Rev. Charles Workman officiating. Private interment services will be held later.

