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Honorary Life Member Award

LEE M. DAY

Professor of Agricultural Economics

Cornell University

Lee Day was born and raised on a farm in Iowa. He served in the U.S. Navy for three years before completing his undergraduate studies at Iowa State University. After earning a M.S. in Statistics at Iowa State, Lee continued his graduate study at the University of Minnesota and earned a Ph.D. in 1953. After serving five years on the faculty at Wisconsin, Lee spent 12 years in Washington, D.C. with the Economic Research Service. His work at the USDA included two years of distinguished service on the Secretary's Evaluation and Planning Staff.

Lee turned his attention to the Northeast in 1967, spending eight years at Pennsylvania State University including five as department head. Day joined the Cornell faculty and was appointed direc-

tor of the Northeast Center for Rural Development in 1974. He held that position for nine years.

Lee Day's career is distinguished by dedication and hard work in support of our agricultural economics profession. He is a member of the American Agricultural Economics Association; Lee has served on numerous Association committees and is a former member of the Association's Board of Directors. Lee has also rendered tireless support to our Northeast regional association of agricultural economists. He is a past president of the Northeastern Agricultural Economics Council. In 1982, his contributions to the region and to the Northeast Agricultural and Resource Economics Association were formally recognized when Lee was named a Distinguished Member.

Honorary Life Member Award

DEANE LEE

Professor of Agricultural and Resource Economics

University of Massachusetts

Deane Lee retired in 1988 after giving the University of Massachusetts three decades of exceptional service, especially in the undergraduate and two-year teaching programs. During most of this time he taught a half dozen courses per year—a rather extraordinary load for the University of Massachusetts and other Land Grant University departments around the country. His courses were solid, important, and taught with distinction. He was the backbone of the two-year Agribusiness program at Massachusetts, and served many years as Undergraduate Program Director and Chief Advisor. Among his many notable service contributions has been his active and long-standing involvement with the Lotta Crabtree Foundation. So important has been his teaching of undergraduates, that the department and the Dean of the College of Food and Natural Resources worked to make it possible to hire Deane out of retirement part-time to teach a

couple of important courses each of the last two years. It has been money well spent.

Deane has been a steady, supportive member of NAREA and its predecessor organizations over the last 31 years. A modest man, Deane has not served in executive capacities in NAREA. But he has served in many other ways. For example he has been a fine referee for manuscripts submitted to the NJARE, providing reviews that are thorough and helpful—to both the editor and the authors. Many members of NAREA have benefitted from Deane's teaching and from his knowledge of farm management and the agricultural history of New England.

A native of Massachusetts, Deane got his B.S. and M.S. from the University of Massachusetts, with six years of farming in between. One of his four children, David Lee, of the Agricultural Economics Department at Cornell University, is also a member of the NAREA.

Distinguished Member Award

MARY E. TEMPLETON

Professor of Agricultural Economics

University of West Virginia

Mary Templeton has been an exemplary member of the NAREA and the agricultural economics profession. She was elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Association in 1977 and has performed the many arduous tasks of that job for eleven years. Her capable management of the NAREA business has helped the association to merit the broad professional respect it has today. In addition she has published in the association journal and helped to organize Northeast Women in Development.

Mary Templeton is a Professor of Agricultural Economics at West Virginia University, where she has served since 1955, rising from a research assistant position in that year to Professor in 1978. She has taught courses in statistics, economic principles, and agricultural marketing. She also conducted a very popular agricultural travel course for several years. Her research, like her teaching, has been concentrated in agricultural marketing in recent years, but she has participated in a wide range of research activities, including land markets, land values, and property taxation. She is one of the principal undergraduate advisors. As a co-advisor to the Agribusiness Club she has helped make it one of the most active in the nation, including participation in the AAEA Student Section.

Mary Templeton has contributed to agricultural economics nationally through teaching related activities, and, especially through her efforts to enhance and obtain recognition for the role of women in the profession. She was an active participant in the formation of the Committee of Women Agricultural Economists and has served on various subcommittees of that organization as well as on the Status of Women Committee of the American Economics Association.

Mary Templeton's service functions within the University and community have been legion. She has served on many department and college committees, has been a member of the University Senate, Chairman of the University Honorary Degree Committee, Appeals Hearing Panels, and the Faculty Welfare Committee. She also performed numerous community functions, including work with American Red Cross (Chairman), Family Service Board, Morgantown Housing Authority, Board of Directors of the Senior Monongalians, Inc., Soeroptomist Club, American Association of University Women, West Virginia Women's Foundation, and Society of Women in Agriculture. Currently she serves as a member of the Morgantown Planning Commission.

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