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HENRY ARNOLD PAGE—For years widely known as founder of the Page Dairy Company, of Toledo, Henry Arnold Page was one of this city's well-beloved residents and public-spirited citizens. His accomplishments were numerous and valuable, and he was respected, honored and trusted for his many excellent qualities of character and personality, which were revealed in his associations in commercial and community life. His thorough integrity and fairmindedness brought him the love of co-workers and friends.

Mr. Page was born November 3, 1879, in Chippenham, England, son of William and Catherine (Buckle) Page. The family moved to America in 1888. At that time Henry A. Page was nine years old.

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Henry A. Page, the founder, took a lively interest in community affairs in Toledo. During World War II he was chairman of the Food Council of Lucas County, Ohio. Page Stadium, at De Vilbiss High School, was named after him in recognition of his many contributions to the High School Bands and to different athletic interests. Mr. Page was also vice chairman of the campaign to raise \$200,000 for completion of in-terior decoration plans at Rosary Cathedral. Although a non-Catholic, he said at the time of his donation that all citizens should welcome an opportunity to share in such a movement of unquestioned civic value. Active also in fraternal affairs as a member of the Royal Order of Jesters, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and the Free and Accepted Masons, Mr. Page was affiliated in the Masonic order with Toledo Chap-ter of Royal Arch Masons, Toledo Commandery of Knights Templar and Zenobia Temple of the Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. He was a potentate of the Temple. For twenty years Mr. Page provided milk to aid the nutrition program in the Toledo public schools. He was a member of the Exchange Club, the Toledo District Nurses' Association, the Toledo Club, The Toledo Country Club, and the Inverness Club. He was the only man to serve two terms as president of the Toledo Exchange Club. Many organizations benefited from his generosity in the distribution of milk and dairy products to the needy. Golf and philately were his major hobbies.

Henry A. Page married, in Evanston, Illinois, December 14, 1909, Marie Hyde, of Pemberville, Ohio. They were the parents of two sons: Henry Arnold Page, Jr., born January 7, 1916 (q.v.) and Arnold Hyde Page, born January 27, 1924 (q.v.).

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HENRY ARNOLD PAGE, JR.—In his activity as president and general manager of the Page Dairy Company, Henry Arnold Page, Jr., performs a work of importance and value to the people of Toledo.

Mr. Page was born January 7, 1916, in Toledo, Ohio, son of the late Henry Arnold (q.v.) and Marie (Hyde) Page. His father founded the present company in 1913, and remained as its head until his death in 1950. His two sons, Henry Arnold Page, Jr., and Arnold Hyde Page (q.v.) then took over the reins of management.

Henry Arnold Page, Jr., attended the Cranbrook Preparatory School, at Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, after which he took up industrial engineering at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, where he was graduated in 1937 as a Bachelor of Science in Administrative Engineering. He became associated with the Page Dairy Company in June of that year, serving in different capacities and gaining broad practical experience. He was made vice president of the company in 1948, and at the passing of his father assumed the chief executive post in the organization. He continues today as president and general manager.

Along with his work in this connection, Mr. Page is active in general business affairs in Toledo and is a member of a number of organizations. He belongs to the Toledo Club, the Inverness Club, the Exchange Club, the Toledo Chamber of Commerce and the Collingswood Presbyterian Church. In spare time he enjoys outdoor life, notably golf, and is fond of stamp collecting.

Henry Arnold Page, Jr., married, August 14, 1948, in Toledo, Ohio, Kate Bancroft, of this city, daughter of the late George Bancroft, who was for years purchasing agent for the Willys-Overland Company until his death, May 19, 1948. Mrs. Page is a graduate of Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, and a member of the Toledo Junior League. She is a graduate medical technician.

ARNOLD HYDE PAGE—As vice president of the Page Dairy Company, Arnold Hyde Page partakes of the management of one of the leading business enterprises of the City of Toledo and one of the largest independent producers of dairy products in the mid-Wešt.

Mr. Page was born January 27, 1924, in Toledo, Ohio, son of the late Henry A. and Marie (Hyde) Page. His father (q.v.) founded this dairy company in 1913, and headed it continuously until his death in 1950, when Henry A. Page, Jr. (q.v.) became president of the organization and Arnold H. Page was made vice president.

Receiving his early education in Toledo, Arnold H. Page attended the Cranbrook Preparatory School, in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, and afterward entered Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, where he was graduated in 1945 as a Mechanical Engineer. Subsequently he became associated with his father and his brother in the dairy business. In 1950, after his father's death, he was made vice president and production manager, and in this connection he has charge of operations in the main plant in Toledo, as well as at the other Page plants in Mansfield, Findlay, Bluffton, Whitehouse and Bellefontaine, Ohio, and in Weston, Michigan, and Angola, Indiana. In addition to these plants, the company maintains a large garage in Toledo, where its delivery system is centered. The company motto, "Built by 'Quality," is descriptive of the spirit in which the entire business is conducted.

Along with his work with the Page Dairy Company, Arnold H. Page interests himself extensively in civic affairs. He is a member of the Toledo Club, the Inverness Club, the Toledo Chamber of Commerce, the Exchange Club and Hope Lutheran Church. In spare time he enjoys outdoor life, particularly playing golf, and he has made a considerable study of photography.

Arnold Hyde Page married, June II, 1948, in Newburgh, New York, Ann Strom, of that city. Mrs. Page attended Wells College, Aurora, New York, class of 1948 and is a member of the Toledo Junior League. Their son, Arnold Hyde Page, Jr., was born August 31, 1949, in Toledo.