In Memoriam

Harvey L. Johnson, 1904-1995

Dr. Harvey L. Johnson, professor emeritus of Spanish and Portuguese, died on May 19, 1995 after a long illness. He held degrees from Howard Payne College and the University of Texas in Austin, as well as a Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania. His long and productive career as a scholar and teacher included posts at Rice University, Cedar Crest College, Northwestern University, Indiana University, where he served as chair of the department of Spanish and Portuguese for fourteen years, and lastly, the University of Houston. Throughout his life, he received numerous honors and awards. His publications in the field of theatre included articles such as "Figuras existencialistas en el teatro de Walter Beneke" (1986), "Elena Garro’s Attitudes toward Mexican Society" (1980), and "Sources of Calderon’s El segundo blasón del Austria" (1980). Dr. Johnson was also the editor of two books, Contemporary Latin America; A selection of papers (1969) and Contemporary Latin American Literature (1973).