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Ivan M. Lee

Ivan M. Lee, 78, of Berkeley, Calif., a native of the Newburg area, died of a stroke Tuesday, Oct. 31.

His body has been donated to medical science. A memorial service will be held later this month.

He was the son of Ole and Ingeborg Lee and was a graduate of Newburg High School and Iowa State College.

He was married to Ruth Bush in 1940. Mr. Lee served with the U.S. Navy as a fighter director officer in the Pacific theater during World War II. He was wounded in combat and awarded the Purple Heart. Fol-

lowing the war he returned to school and then joined the faculty at the University of California at Berkeley.

He retired as professor emeritus in 1982. His field was teaching and research, specializing in econometrics and statistics. He served 35 years before retiring. In 1967 he was diagnosed as having amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, but continued his academic efforts until his retirement.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Dan and Ivan; two grandchildren; one brother, Charlie of Cedar Rapids; and one sister, Bernice Hauser of Malcom.