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George Foster Peabody, philanthropist, died March 4, 1938.
Hubert Philippart, professor of Art and Archaeology at the University of Brussels, died in 1937 at the age of 42.
Dan F. Platt, archaeologist, art collector, author, and former mayor of Englewood, died May 6, 1938, at the age of 65. He was a member of the board of the publication Art and Archaeology, and was a member of the executive committee of the Archaeological Institute of America.
Professor Arthur W. Ryder, head of the department of Sanskrit at the University of California, died on March 21, 1938.
James Leslie Starkey, Egyptologist who worked under Sir Flinders Petrie, was killed by Arabs on January 10, 1938, while excavating a site in the Near East.
Professor R. Verneau, honorary professor in Museum d'Histoire Naturelle, professor of prehistoric anthropology in the Institut de Paleontologie Humaine, died January 7, 1938, at the age of 86.
Dr. Arnold Walther, assistant professor of Hittite at Chicago University, the Oriental Institute, died on May 20, 1938.
George A. West, amateur archaeologist, and authority on American Indian pipes, tobacco, and smoking customs, died at Milwaukee, January 20, 1938, at the age of 79.