

Malcolm Alexander Nicolson

February 27, 1919 - September 22, 2006

Malcolm A. Nicolson died peacefully in his home on Friday September 22, 2006, following a physical decline stemming from a stroke suffered in August 2000. He was 87.

"Nick" served as the Yolo County Assessor from 1978-1987. He joined the staff in 1959 on the rural crew after a career as a sheep rancher in the Yolo and Napa areas. Nick retired in 1987 with 27 years of service to Yolo County.

Nick was a decorated veteran of World War II. From 1942-1946, Nick served in the 82nd Army Airborne Division as a member of the 504th Parachute Infantry. He was stationed in the Mediterranean and made numerous jumps in Sorano and Sicily.

After the war, he attended UCD in the field of animal husbandry and began a career as a sheep rancher.

Nick is survived by his wife of 61 years, Margaret. In 1956 Nick and Margaret bought one of Woodland's fine Victorian homes. His family, friends, and passion for repairing and renovating the home filled his life.