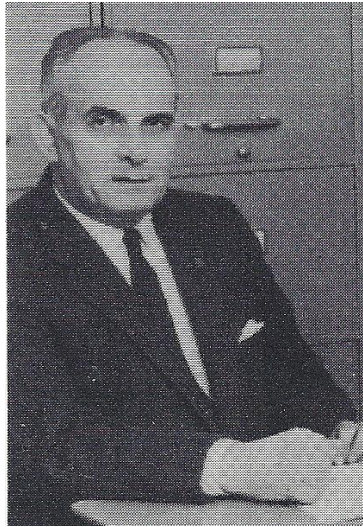


# **SAMUEL J. CATALFANO**



## **Samuel J. Catalfano, educator, dies at 71**



Samuel J. Catalfano, 71, of 916 E. State St., Ithaca, died in Tompkins Community Hospital, Wednesday, Sept. 15, 1982. He was a native of Rochester, the son of Rose Catalfano and the late John Catalfano.

Mr. Catalfano served in the Ithaca School System for 38 years as head of the Foreign Language Department, and as pupil personnel director. He was graduated from Cornell University in 1935 and was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Mr. Catalfano retired in 1973.

He was an Army veteran of World War II from 1943-46, serving in the European Theater, where he was wounded and decorated. He was a former Treasurer of the Special Children's Center Board and was a member of Planned Parenthood and community chest committees. He was a member of New York State Guidance Association, the National Education Association and the New York State Retired Teachers Association.

In addition to his mother in Rochester, Mr. Catalfano is survived by his wife, Jane Clapp Catalfano of Ithaca; two daughters, Joyce Catalfano of Morgantown W.Va. and Janet Snyder of Concord, N.H.; two sisters, Marcella Cavalier and Mary Catalfano; a brother, Joseph Catalfano, all of Rochester; two grandchildren, Jennifer and Ian Snyder, both of Concord, N.H., and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral Arrangements will be announced later by Herson Funeral Home of Ithaca. Burial will be in Groton Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Special Children's Center, 21 Wilkins Road, Ithaca, 14850.