



## Mary McGrath

**Mary McGrath, Omaha World-Herald** A 1956 graduate of Creighton University, Mary McGrath joined the Omaha World-Herald in 1957 and retired in 2000. Her move into city news at the World-Herald in 1967 helped lead the integration of women into local media. “She was an intelligent, hard worker with a timely sense of humor,” said David Haberman, Creighton University emeritus professor. “She led women onto the news reporting staff of the World-Herald with aplomb and competence, inspiring others by her example.” Her first reporting job was for the Council Bluffs Nonpareil. Among her numerous awards, McGrath received Lifetime Achievement Awards from Creighton and UNO.