

Joseph D. Bouska was born on a farm near Protivin on May 24, 1885, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bouska. He lived his entire life in the Protivin community. He received his education in the public schools of Protivin. He was married to Julia Huber at Rolette, North Dakota, on October 18, 1910. They had one son, Clarence. Mrs. Bouska died October 16, 1952. Mr. Bouska was later married to Mrs. Clara Wagner on June 6, 1953. Mr. Bouska was of Catholic faith and a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Mr. Bouska was a road contractor until his retirement in 1947. He served as director of the Protivin bank for a number of years and more recently became president of the bank. Illness forced him to resign the bank post.

Mr. Bouska served as state representative from Howard County during the Forty-fifth and Forty-fifth Extra sessions of the General Assembly. He was mayor of Protivin for more than 20 years. He served on the Howard County Selective Service Board for 26 years and was chairman of the Howard County Social Welfare Board. He was president of the school board over 25 years and was a member of the Howard County Democratic Central Committee.

Mr. Bouska passed away on March 2, 1969. He is survived by his wife, Clara, of Cresco; and a son, Clarence of Protivin; two stepchildren, George Wagner of Wykoff, Minnesota, and Mrs. Richard Janikowski of Winona, Minnesota. He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Louis (Frances) Ptacek of Cresco, Mrs. Frank (Carrie) Klimesh of Lawler and Mrs. John (Albina) Svoboda of Protivin. He was preceded in death by his parents, four brothers and four sisters.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Joseph D. Bouska, the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the House by this resolution would express its appreciation of his service, and tender its sympathy to the members of his family.

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

FRED B. HANSON
WALTER V. LANGLAND
MICHAEL K. KENNEDY

Committee

CLEVE L. CARNAHAN

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable Cleve L. Carnahan, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Cleve L. Carnahan was born August 16, 1895, at Viola, Iowa, in Linn County. He was the son of William and Nancy Anderson Carnahan. He attended and graduated from Ottumwa High School in 1915.

He married Lucille Krumpholtz in 1924, and to this union were born six

children: William, Arlene, Robert, Lois Ann, Harold, and James. Harold was killed in Korea in 1953.

Mr. Carnahan was a switchman and served in that capacity for forty-four years with C. M. and St. P. Railroad after which time he retired on September 30, 1960. He was a member of the Plymouth Congregational Church and of Masonic bodies, and took an active part in various organizations, including Knights Templar, Kaaba Shrine of Davenport, Knights of Pythias, American Legion, Veterans of World War I, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, West End Boosters of Ottumwa, and Izaak Walton League. He served three terms on the school board.

Mr. Carnahan, a Democrat, served in the House of Representatives in the Fifty-ninth, Sixtieth, Sixtieth Extra, Sixty-first, and Sixty-second General Assemblies as a Representative of Wapello County. He passed away April 30, 1968.

Surviving Mr. Carnahan are his widow, Lucille, of Ottumwa; two daughters, Mrs. Arlene Peterson and Mrs. Lois Elliott, both of Ottumwa; three sons, William E. Carnahan of Savanna, Illinois, Robert C. Carnahan of Ottumwa, and James F. Carnahan of Ottumwa; a brother, Ronald V. Carnahan of Ottumwa, and seventeen grandchildren.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Cleve L. Carnahan, the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the House by this resolution would express its appreciation of his service, and tender its sympathy to the members of his family.

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

JAMES H. SCHWARTZ
CHARLES N. PONCY
TOM DOUGHERTY

Committee

RUSSELL D. CLARK

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable Russell D. Clark, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Russell D. Clark was born November 28, 1915, at Dow City, Iowa. He was the son of James and Etta Clark. He graduated from the Dow City High School in 1933.

He married Beth Hall, February 23, 1946. To this union were born four children, three sons and one daughter.

Mr. Clark owned his own grain, feed and fertilizer business. He was a member of the Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite and Abu Bekr Shrine. He was a member and president of the Iowa Grain and Feed Association, also member and past president of Denison Chamber of Com-