in Clinton and received a degree in physical education at the University of Iowa in 1981 and his law degree in 1937.

He married Betty E. Moffatt, January 29, 1938, in Davenport, Iowa.

Mr. Carlsen was high school instructor and athletic coach in North English High School from 1932 to 1934. He entered the practice of law in Clinton in 1937, and taught and coached football, wrestling and track at Clinton High School until appointed to the Federal Bureau of Investigation May 5, 1941, serving until 1946 when he re-established his Clinton law practice. He was elected mayor of Clinton in 1946, and served as Clinton County Attorney in 1949 and 1950.

Mr. Carlsen was a member of the county and state bar associations, Masonic Lodge, Eagles, Elks and Moose, and the Izaak Walton League.

Mr. Carlsen, a Democrat, served in the Iowa House of Representatives the Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh sessions of the General Assembly as representative from Clinton County.

After serving in the legislature, Mr. Carlsen continued his interest in Democratic party politics. He served as assistant county attorney and had been alternate municipal court judge, having been appointed by Governor Hughes and reappointed by Governor Ray.

Mr. Carlsen passed away April 2, 1970. Surviving him are his widow, Betty; two daughters, Mrs. Barbara Kerr of Mount Pleasant and Mrs. Jone Porter of Sanford, Florida; a brother, Oakley Carlsen of Clinton; two sisters, Mrs. Lois Palmer and Mrs. Max Terrock, both of Clinton, and four granddaughters.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable John W. Carlsen, 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.

> CHARLES H. PELTON, JOHN CAMP RAY C. CUNNINGHAM

> > Committee

## JOHN D. CURRIE

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

John D. Currie was born at Odebolt, Iowa, September 22, 1883, the son of Malcolm and Mary McGregor Currie. He graduated from the Schaller High School and attended Morningside College. He was married to Lois

Fischer in San Benito, Texas, December 7, 1921. Three children were born to them, Lucy Kay, Mary L. and John F.

He owned and operated a garage and car agency at Sac City and farmed many years during which time he served as township assessor sixteen years and county supervisor over thirty years resigning to become State Representative from Sac County in 1955.

He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church, director of State Bank of Schaller over forty years, director of Sac County Mutual Insurance Company, Mason, Consistory, Shrine, and Farm Bureau.

Mr. Currie was active in Republican politics for many years. He was a member of the House of Representatives in the Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth General Assemblies, serving from Sac County. He passed away on January 31, 1970, at Schaller, Iowa.

Mr. Currie is survived by his daughters, Lucy Kay; Mrs. Ivan Wilharm; Mary L, Mrs. Ivan Horning, and his son, John F. Currie.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable John D. Currie, 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 services 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.

> J. WESLEY GRAHAM HAROLD V. NELSON WILLIAM WINKELMAN

Committee

## JOHN L. DUFFY

Mr. Speaker: Your committee appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable John L. Duffy, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

John L. Duffy was born May 22, 1899, in Dubuque, Iowa, the son of Thomas H. and Mary E. Duffy, who served as chairman of the Dubuque County Central Committee of the Democratic Party for about thirty years. He was graduated from Columbia College (now Loras) and the Notre Dame law school.

He married Antoinnette M. Freisinger in 1922 and to this union was born a daughter and two sons.

Mr. Duffy, a Democrat, served nine terms in the Iowa General Assembly. He first entered the legislature in 1947, but dropped out four years later to take over the county attorney's post in Dubuque, which he held in the