

He was appointed postmaster under the Wilson administration, which position he held for two years. His health failed following a stroke of paralysis and he was forced to resign.

His every day home life was such that his children rise up and call him blessed. On September 19, 1916, he passed to his reward on the other shore.

He was honored and loved and respected by his neighbors and had the confidence and admiration of all who knew him.

Whereas, in his death the county and state have lost a worthy and honorable citizen,

*Be It Resolved*, That we hereby extend to the relatives and friends our tribute of respect; and be it further

*Resolved*, That these resolutions of respect be printed in the journal of the House and the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased.

J. W. COAKLEY,  
WM. BECKER,  
GEO. W. CROZIER,

*Committee.*

Adopted March 19, 1917.

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HON. LEMUEL DWELLE.

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating the life and work of the Hon. Lemuel Dwelle, late of Worth county, Iowa, beg leave to report the following memorial:

Lemuel Dwelle was born in Washington county, New York, August 16, 1824 and passed away at his home in Northwood Iowa, February 8, 1917. He was married to Miss Hattie Edwards of East Troy, Wis., the 30th of December 1875, who is now left to sorrow for the one loved and "not lost but gone before."

The only child born to this union died in infancy.

Mr. Dwelle settled in Worth county in 1856, purchasing several hundred acres of land and platting the town of Northwood, now the county seat of Worth county.

He was elected to membership in the House of Representatives in the 11th general assembly and to the Senate in the 16th and 17th general assemblies.

The deceased became a member of the Masonic order in Osage, Iowa, in 1865 and was at the time of his death the third oldest Mason in the state of Iowa.

Although he had lived 22 years past the allotted time of man, he continued to manage his large financial interests to the very last.

Mr. Dwelle was a charter member of the Northwood Baptist church and was what the name Christian implies in its highest and noblest sense.

He was honored and loved and respected by his neighbors far and near. His life has spoken: the impress for good will live.

To honor his memory, it is therefore

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the journal of the House, and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an engrossed copy to the widow of the deceased.

J. M. SLOSSON,  
STANLEY SMITH,  
J. H. ANDERSON,

*Committee.*

Adopted March 23, 1917.

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WALLACE M. GREELEY.

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions in memory of the life and services of Hon. Wallace M. Greeley, has the honor to submit the following report:

Wallace M. Greeley was born in Orleans county, New York, March 15, 1840, and died at Ames, Iowa, February 15, 1917, age seventy-six years and eleven months.

He was reared on a farm, taught school, went to the civil war as a private and returned as a captain, came out to Iowa and located on a farm near the new village of Ames, went back and married the girl he had left behind him; farmed a few years, moved into Ames and started a bank, organized that institution later known as the Union National Bank; prospered through more than forty years of banking experience and became one of the wealthiest men in Story county; served three times as Mayor of Ames, and as representative from Story county in the 29th, 30th and 31st sessions of the general assemblies of Iowa.

Captain Greeley's estimable wife preceded him in death on December 31, 1914. Since her death he had erected and dedicated to her memory a splendid hospital for the city where they had lived and wrought; and then while yet in the seeming enjoyment of full health he lay down one night quietly to sleep, and never waked.

He was a good man and a great one. Industry, thrift, honorable dealing, notable business ability and an abundant gift of common sense were his. He had wealth and made good use of his money. He was possessed of large influence and he exerted it for the good of his community and of his state, and his gentleness of spirit and kindly manner to those with whom he came in contact made him a host of friends.

*Resolved*, That the foregoing be spread on the journal of the House, a copy hereof be duly engrossed and transmitted to the family of the deceased.

J. C. JESSEN,  
IRA W. JONES,  
W. D. MILLER,

*Committee.*

Adopted March 23, 1917.