

Mr. Edelen was a former manager of Atlantic and Pacific Tea Stores in Iowa and Nebraska and operator of food stores in Garner and Luverne, Iowa from 1939 - 1958. He also owned and operated a farm in Cerro Gordo county. Mr. Edelen served as chairman of the Iowa Liquor Commission from 1963 to 1969.

Mr. Edelen served as a member of the Presbyterian Church, Rotary Club, Masonic Lodge, Fire Department, City Council as well as other civic groups.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE SEVENTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF IOWA: That in the passing of the honorable Walter E. Edelen, the State has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and that the Senate, by this resolution, expresses its appreciation of his service to his community, state and nation and tenders its sympathy and kindest regards to members of his family.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

BERL E. PRIEBE, Chair
RAY TAYLOR
MERLIN BARTZ

Committee

HUGH GAIL GUERNSEY

Hugh G. Guernsey was born August 10, 1892, in Appanoose County, Iowa and resided there for over 80 years. He passed away August 18, 1992 at the age of 100 years.

Mr. Guernsey attended the rural schools of Appanoose County and the high school at Centerville, Iowa. He graduated from the college of liberal arts at State University of Iowa in 1916 and from the college of law in 1920.

Mr. Guernsey was married in 1926 to Marguerite Naumann of Davenport, Iowa. They were the parents of two daughters, Kathryn Darrah of Plano, Iowa and Marguerite Traxler of Van Meter, Iowa and had four grandchildren, Virginia Graham, Mary E. Furring, and David Traxler, all of Des Moines, and Debra K. Traxler of Van Meter. Five great-grandchildren also survive Mr. Guernsey.

Mr. Guernsey served as a Second Lieutenant with the A.E.F. in France during World War I. He was elected to the office of Appanoose County Treasurer from 1932 until 1936 and continued to practice law in Centerville for over 50 years.

Senator Guernsey was elected to the Iowa State Senate in 1936 and served for two years in the 47th and 48th General Assemblies.

Mr. Guernsey was a member of the Bar Association, the Masonic Lodge, the American Legion, and the Presbyterian Church.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE SEVENTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF IOWA: That in the passing of the Honorable Hugh Gail Guernsey, the State has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and that the Senate by this Resolution, expresses its appreciation of his service to the State and tenders its sympathy and kindest regards to the members of his family.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

PATTY JUDGE, CHAIR
DON GETTINGS
H. KAY HEDGE

Committee

E. KEVIN KELLY

E. Kevin Kelly was born January 22, 1943, at Sioux City, Iowa, and was a lifelong resident of that community. He died August 5, 1992, at the age of 49.

Mr. Kelly attended Sioux City Central High School where he graduated in 1961. He attended Gonzaga University where he received his B.S., and South Dakota University Law School where he received his J.D. in 1968. He is survived by two daughters, Timory Lynn Kelly of Hot Springs, North Carolina, Tracy Ann Kelly of Sioux City; his mother, Dorothy Kelly of Sioux City; four brothers and three sisters.

Mr. Kelly served in the Iowa House of Representatives from 1971 to 1972 and in the Iowa Senate from 1973 to 1978, serving in the 64th, 65th, 66th and 67th and 67thX General Assemblies. Recently he was an attorney in private practice and a lobbyist.

Mr. Kelly was a member of the American, Iowa and Woodbury County Bar Associations; was active in Ducks Unlimited, Iowa Chapter of Nature Conservancy, the board of directors of Ballet Des Moines and the Master Swim Program, with which he was a former gold medalist in national and international competitions.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE SEVENTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF IOWA: That in the passing of the honorable E. Kevin Kelly, the State has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and that the Senate, by this resolution, expresses its appreciation of his service to his community, state and nation and tenders its sympathy and kindest regards to members of his family.