

ERNEST LINCOLN HOGUE.

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee which was appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and service of the late Ernest L. Hogue beg leave to submit the following report and move its adoption:

Ernest Lincoln Hogue was born in Monroe County, Iowa, August 31, 1861. When two years old his parents moved to Warren County and located near Norwalk. He was educated in the common schools and as a young man moved to Monona County in 1885, and this county was his residence until the time of his death. In occupation he was a farmer and livestock raiser on an extremely extensive basis, until the affairs of the State of Iowa called him to its service. He served in the State Senate in the Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first General Assemblies. He was chairman of the Iowa-Nebraska Boundary Commission from 1921 until July 1, 1924. He was appointed Budget Director of the State of Iowa upon the 30th day of July, 1924, and occupied this important position at the time of his death which occurred on the 17th day of December, 1928.

Senator Hogue typified that virile pioneer stock that has made Iowa what it is today. He, and men and women like him, transformed the prairies of northwest Iowa from a wilderness into a prosperous and civilized commonwealth, and it is to men of his type and character that we of this generation owe the heritage that is ours today in this State. He was a man of candor, honesty and rugged character, and in his quiet way did much to mold the history of his community and of his State. His was a life of service and the State of Iowa is better for his having lived.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That in the passing of the Honorable Ernest Lincoln Hogue the state has lost a valuable and honored citizen, a man of strong character and sterling worth, and the Senate of Iowa will tender by this resolution its sympathy to the widow and children who survive.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the journal of the Senate as an expression of the life and worth of the deceased, and an engrossed copy hereof be transmitted to the widow.

J. R. FRAILEY,
O. P. BENNETT,
J. G. MERRITT,

Committee.

Senator Bennett spoke as follows:

"It is my privilege and pleasure to have known Senator Hogue intimately in his own home and his own community. He was much beloved in his own home town and that part of Iowa where he had lived for so many years, and it seems to me that there is no better tribute to a man than that he is so well liked and beloved as Senator Hogue was in his community. I have seen him with his sons and with his grandsons and have noticed the love and affection that he had toward his family and fellowmen.

I have observed him on many different occasions when people were in trouble and needed some assistance or aid on different matters, and he was always charitable and considerate and I feel that Iowa has lost a great man in the passing of Senator Hogue. His work as Budget Director he took very seriously.

He gave of his strength willingly and gladly and I feel that his work taxed him more than is perhaps known to the public generally.

He has given and contributed to this state a great deal and I feel that we have lost in him a very distinguished citizen.

MR. PRESIDENT, I move the adoption of the report."

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

ANDREW J. SHINN.

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee named to draft suitable resolutions commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Andrew J. Shinn, beg leave to submit the following:

Andrew J. Shinn was born in Pottawattamie County, November 7, 1866. In February, 1880, he moved with his parents to a farm in Harrison County where he resided until his death. He received his education in the rural schools and was a farmer by occupation. In 1901 he was elected sheriff of Harrison County and in 1922 was elected to the Senate representing Harrison, Crawford and Monona counties. He died on the eighth day of April, 1928.

Senator Shinn has left a worthy record in this body. He was a man of unquestioned honesty and integrity and whatever he believed he espoused courageously and openly. He typified and was one of the pioneer blood that moulded the commonwealth of Iowa. He loved this State, believed in it and fought for its welfare as he saw such welfare. Men such as he have rendered and will render invaluable service to the State and are needed and wanted in the deliberative and legislative bodies that minister to its service. He has left to those who knew and loved him, a record of unselfish and honest service to his fellow citizens.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That in the death of Senator Andrew J. Shinn the state and community where he lived have suffered the loss of an influential and honored citizen; a man of strong character and unselfish devotion to duty in public and private life; and the Senate of Iowa would tender by this Resolution its sympathy to the widow and children who survive.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of these Resolutions be spread upon the journal of the Senate as the expression of the life and worth of the deceased, and an engrossed copy thereof be transmitted to the widow.

O. P. BENNETT,
O. E. GUNDERSON,
WM. E. MCLELAND,

Committee.

Former Senator Pitt spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT: A few moments ago, Senator Bennett asked me if I would say a word for Senator Shinn. It has been my position since leav-