

Moines, to occupy this responsible position, which position he acceptably filled to within a few months of his death.

He was a man to be loved. Of that fibre of manhood which lays its course on the line of right and having laid its course goes forward with a steadfast purpose though the heavens fall. This was the spirit of Norman Densmore.

In 1857 he was married to Miss Delia Webster of Palestine, Illinois. To this union were born three children, Ray D., son, of Pensacola, Florida; Mrs. Elsie Jones of St. Paul, Minnesota; Ora D., son, of Des Moines, Iowa.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved*, That the House of Representatives take this occasion to present this tribute to the memory of a faithful public servant, and to express appreciation of his character and public service, and at the same time extend to widow and relatives most sincere sympathy.

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the journal of the House and that the chief clerk be directed to forward to the family of the deceased an engrossed copy.

J. H. MCGHEE,

J. S. GARBER,

I. E. BEEMAN,

*Committee.*

Adopted March 23, 1921.

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#### HON. GAMALIEL JAQUA

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life and work of the Hon. Gamaliel Jaqua, late of Tama county, Iowa, beg leave to report the following memorial:

Gamaliel Jaqua was born in Prebel county, Ohio, December 30, 1828, and died at the home of his son in Warrensburg, Missouri, December, 23, 1919. Burial was in Traer, Iowa. He grew to manhood in the county of his birth and served as county superintendent there several years. He came to Tama county, Iowa, in 1856 and bought some land at a dollar and a quarter an acre. He farmed and taught school. He served several years as justice of the peace and for ten years was a member of the board of supervisors.

In 1875, he was elected representative and re-elected in 1877, serving in the Sixteenth and Seventeenth General Assemblies. In 1882, when James Wilson who was editor of the Traer Clipper, was nominated for congress, Mr. Jaqua bought his interest in that paper. Later he associated himself with E. E. Taylor in consolidating the Star and Clipper. However, he sold his interest to Mr. Taylor a year thereafter, but edited an agricultural department in the paper for years. He also

wrote much for his two sons' papers at Humboldt, Iowa, and Warrensburg, Missouri.

Mr. Jaqua was a man of progressive ideas, always interested in the welfare of his state and county. Among legislative matters, during the later years of his life, he was much interested in, and advocated the use of Torren's Land Title System.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved*, That the House of Representatives take this occasion to present this tribute to the memory of a faithful public servant, and to express appreciation of his character and public service, and at the same time extend to relatives most sincere sympathy.

*Be It Further Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the journal of the House, and that the chief clerk be directed to send copies thereof to the relatives.

F. W. INGERSOLL,  
J. C. STERLING,  
L. H. MAYNE,

*Committee.*

Adopted March 23, 1921.

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HON. CHARLES F. LINNAN

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public service of the Hon. Charles F. Linnan of Pocahontas county, member of the House of Representatives in the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, beg leave to submit the following memorial:

Charles F. Linnan was born at Churchville, Warren county, Iowa, May 17, 1867, and died at his home in Fonda, Iowa, May 31, 1919.

His education was obtained in the schools of Warren county and at Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa, also a business course at the Capital City Commercial College at Des Moines, Iowa.

After fitting himself for life's activities he engaged in the mercantile business at Fonda, Iowa, also engaged in real estate and in large drainage contracts in various counties of Northwestern Iowa, and was at the time of his death owner of a large amount of town property in Fonda, Iowa, also of thirteen hundred sixty acres of valuable Iowa land.

In a charitable way Mr. Linman was surpassed by very few, if any. The poor were never lacking in food or clothing if known to him. Many unfortunates of the liquor habit were helped by him to a cure in some institute for their betterment.

Whereas, in view of the loss the state has suffered by the decease of the Honorable Charles F. Linnan of Fonda, Iowa, and the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him,

*Therefore, Be It Resolved*, That in the death of the Hon. Charles