

By Mr. Buchanan, House file No. 309, a bill for an act to reimburse Wapello county, Iowa, for money paid to the hospital for the insane at Mt. Pleasant.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on Claims, then Appropriations.

By Mr. Warren, House file No. 310, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Bussey, Marion county, Iowa, and the acts of the city council thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bengston, Joint resolution No. 6, authorizing and recommending the pardon or parole of Cornelius Moelchen.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on Pardons.

Mr. Hawk, from the committee appointed to draft resolutions of respect, commemorating the life and work of the late Hon. Salem Jeffries, submitted the following report and resolutions:

MR. SPEAKER — Your committee, appointed to draft resolutions of respect in memory of the Hon. Salem Jeffries of Jasper county, submit the following report:

WHEREAS, The Hon. Salem Jeffries, an honored member of the Tenth General Assembly, departed this life on the 2d day of February, 1900, at his home in Jasper county, Iowa;

*Resolved*, That in his death the state deploras the loss of a valued citizen, the community an upright, honorable and exemplary member, and his family a kind husband and father whose conscientious and useful life is worthy all commendation.

*Resolved*, That this body extend to the sorrowing wife and family our most sincere sympathy and respect, and the Chief Clerk is hereby instructed to mail an engrossed copy of these resolutions to the widow of the deceased.

W. W. HAWK,  
SABERT T. MARSHALL,  
G. M. PUTNAM.

Mr. Hawk moved the adoption of the resolutions.

The motion prevailed by a rising vote, and the resolutions were adopted.