

Jaycees, the Woodbury County Farm Bureau, the Woodbury Extension Council and the Pork Producers. He was secretary of the Iowa Pork Producers. He was a member of the State Extension Advisory Council and was president of Sloan Consolidated, Westwood Community and Woodbury County Schools. He served as chairman of AEA 12. He was a member of the Congregational Church of Sloan where he was a former deacon and moderator.

He served as a member of the Republican Party during the Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Sixty-ninth Extra and the Sixty-ninth Second Extra General Assemblies from 1978-1982.

Mr. Warren Johnson passed away on May 16, 1996, at his residence in Sloan, Iowa. He is survived by his wife Mariellen of Sioux City, three sons, Warren "Gus" of Bend, Oregon; David Richard of Biloxi, Mississippi; Thomas C. of Canton, Ohio; two daughters, Helen Ruth Kelly of Scammon, Kansas; and Georgianne Opitz of Harrisburg, South Dakota. He is preceded in death by a sister, Janet Mohle.

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Seventy-seventh General Assembly of Iowa, That in the passing of the Honorable Warren Johnson, the State has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the House by this Resolution would express its appreciation of his service.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House, and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

DONALD GRIES
CHRISTOPHER RANTS
STEVE WARNSTADT

Committee

LUVERN W. KEHE

Mr. Speaker: Your committee appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable Luvern W. "L. W." Kehe, begs leave to submit the following Memorial:

Luvern W. Kehe was born on December 2, 1909 in Waterloo, Iowa. He graduated from Waverly High School in 1926, and then attended the University of Iowa in Iowa City where he graduated with a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering. He worked as an engineer and land surveyor in Iowa and later as a civilian engineer with the Corps of Engineers with the U.S. Army. He was united in marriage to Dorothy Stoneburner on November 3, 1937, and they had two sons.

L. W. Kehe served on active duty with the U.S. Army during World War II attaining the rank of Colonel. He participated in the armed forces build-up in Washington, D.C., and was then assigned to the Alaskan Highway and Canol Projects in Canada, involved in road construction and the oil pipeline. He finished his military career at the Manhattan Project in Oak Ridge, Tennessee where the atomic bomb was developed. He and his family then returned to Waverly, Iowa

where he established his own construction and engineering firm, Kehe Construction Company and Cedar Valley Engineering Company which are still in existence today. His wife, Dorothy, died on March 23, 1978. He continued to live in Waverly, and was later united in marriage to Anna M. Bauman.

Mr. Kehe was a member of the Republican party, and represented Bremer County in the Iowa State Legislature in 1968 and was re-elected in 1970 serving in the Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth General Assemblies. He served as Chairman of the Environmental Preservation Committee, as well as serving on the Cities and Town Committee, the Judiciary Committee and the Transportation Committee. He was a long time member of the Elks Club in Waterloo, the Rotary Club in Waverly, served as Chairman of the Republican Party for Bremer County, a life member of AMVETS in Waverly and past member of the V.F.W., and American Legion. He also served as president of the Associated General Contractors of Iowa in 1957 and was an Honorary Life member of the Iowa Professional Engineers Society.

He died on July 28, 1995 at the age of 85. He is survived by his wife, Anna, of Waverly, Iowa; two sons, L. William "Butch" and his wife, and David and his wife, of Waverly. He has four step children; a brother, Henry J.; three grandchildren and two step grandchildren.

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BOB BRUNKHORST
BILL DIX.
KEITH WEIGEL

Committee

RUHL MAULSBY

Mr. Speaker: Your committee appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Ruhl Maulsby submits the following Memorial.

The son of Irvin and Eva Maulsby, Mr. Maulsby was born October 18, 1923 in Rockwell City, Iowa, married Mary Ellen Bawden in 1944 and was the father of 2 daughters and 2 sons.

Ruhl Maulsby attended Garfield Township grade schools and was a 1940 graduate of Rockwell City High School. Following graduation, Mr. Maulsby was engaged in farming and was the owner-operator of a livestock farm since 1948. He was a member of the Rockwell City United Methodist Church, Iowa Property Taxpayers Association, Cattlemen's Association, Soybeans Association, Iowa Corn