

Mr. Johnson represented Marion County in the Forty-first, Forty-second, Forty-second Extra, Forty-third and Forty-fourth sessions of the Iowa General Assembly, and served as Speaker of the House in the Forty-third session. Mr. Johnson was a Republican.

Mr. Johnson is survived by four sons, Lowell and Carroll of Knoxville, Craig of La Grange, Illinois, and Milton of Pequannock, New Jersey. In addition, there are 12 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SIXTY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF IOWA: That in the passing of the Honorable Joseph Horace 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, and tender its sympathy to the members of his family.

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.

GERRIT VAN ROEKEL,
JAMES MIDDLESWART,
GEORGE PIERSON,

Committee.

GRANT LAUER

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Grant Lauer, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Grant Lauer was born June 18, 1893, near Eldorado, and attended rural schools in that area. Later he was graduated from Upper Iowa University and attended Wartburg College.

On Nov. 24, 1914 he was married to Elisabeth Ann Winter, and to this union were born a son and two daughters.

Mr. Lauer farmed in Fayette County. He was a director of Production Credit Association, member of the board of the Good Samaritan Home and Hospital, secretary of the German Mutual Insurance Association, and director of Farmers Mutual Reinsurance Association. He was president of the Fayette County Fair Board for thirty-four years.

Mr. Lauer, a Republican, represented Fayette County in the Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth sessions of the General Assembly. He died February 26, 1966.

Mr. Lauer is survived by his widow, Elisabeth; two daughters, Mrs. Everett Vagts, Eldorado; and Mrs. Dale Ballinger, Denver, Colorado; a son, Arnold, of Hawkeye; two brothers, W. A. Lauer of West Union, and Henry of Denver, Colorado.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SIXTY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF IOWA: That in the passing of the Honorable Grant Lauer, 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, and tender its sympathy to the members of his family.

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.

DALE TIEDEN,
WALTER LANGLAND,
A. L. MENSING,

Committee.

FRANK J. LUND

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Frank J. Lund, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Frank J. Lund, son of Nels and Caroline Lund, was born February 8, 1876, and reared on a farm near Stratford. He attended Des Moines University and later taught school.

On February 14, 1901, he was married to Grace Elizabeth Bishop, and to this union were born two sons and a daughter.

In 1901 he was admitted to the bar. He remained active as an attorney and member of the Hamilton County Bar Association until his retirement about two years ago.

In 1900 he joined the Iowa National Guard and was advanced to the rank of Major, serving with service units on the Mexican border prior to the outbreak of World War I. When the war broke out, he went overseas as a Major of a machine gun battalion and saw duty in France, Germany and Luxembourg.

Mr. Lund was a charter member of the American Legion, and for many years was an active member of the Webster City Legion Post. He served as a member of the Webster City School Board and city council. He was active in organization of the REA in Iowa and REA cooperative associations. During World War II, he helped promote the Hamilton County War Chest.

Mr. Lund served as Hamilton County Representative in the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth sessions of the Iowa General Assembly. He died September 8, 1966.

Surviving Mr. Lund are his wife, Grace; two sons, Herbert and Stewart, both of Webster City; one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Merritt, Boulder, Colo.; four grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.