

He was also a member of Bedford Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and in 1937 served as Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of the Order of Easter Star. At the time of his death he was a member of the Order of Chapter Charity Board and was serving as Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

On March 22, 1945, Senator Kirketeg was taken suddenly ill in his hotel room in Des Moines and passed away later that day at Mercy Hospital. He is survived by his widow, and two sisters, Mrs. Orville Evenson of Marshalltown, Iowa, and Mrs. A. O. Stensrud of Seattle, Washington.

Senator Kirketeg always took an active interest in politics and was recognized as one of Iowa's leading Republicans, having been appointed by Governor Blue to serve as a member of the Iowa State Tax Commission, a position he would have filled but for his passing. He left a worthy record as a member of the State Senate of Iowa.

Therefore Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Fifty-first General Assembly of Iowa, That in the passing of Senator Kirketeg, Iowa has lost a distinguished citizen whose life symbolized integrity and honesty in affairs of the state.

Be It Further Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the records of the Journal of the Senate of the Fifty-first General Assembly of Iowa, and that enrolled copies thereof be transmitted to the members of his family.

O. H. HENNINGSEN,
O. N. HULTMAN,
H. M. KNUDSON,

Committee.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

CHARLES E. MALONE

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Charles E. Malone of Atlantic, Iowa, begs leave to submit the following:

Charles Edward Malone was born October 24, 1881, near Wiota, the son of B. F. and Rebecca Malone, and was reared on a farm in the Wiota vicinity. He was married in Atlantic, April 18, 1906, to Miss Edna Harris of that city and resided continuously near there until 1934 when the family moved to the residence at 701 East Ninth Street, Atlantic, from which place he died suddenly as the result of a heart attack on March 22, 1945.

Mr. Malone founded the Malone Seed Company, and for forty years prepared Cass county's exhibit which won numerous blue ribbons at the Iowa State Fair; he served as assistant superintendent of the Iowa Department of Agriculture at the World's Fair in St. Louis, Missouri, in 1903, and was chosen by Dante Pierce, editor of the Iowa Homestead, to represent farmers in the middle west in Chicago in 1931 at the installation of new equipment of the C. R. I. & P. R. R.

Mr. Malone represented the eighteenth senatorial district, composed

of Cass and Shelby counties, in the Forty-sixth General Assembly. He brought to the Senate the policies that had made him successful in private life; he commanded the respect of the other members of the body, and of his constituents, insisting that the high ideals and honesty of purpose that had made his private life a success should govern his actions in the services of the state. In 1936 he was appointed postmaster at Atlantic. He personally delivered letters from men overseas to relatives as soon as they were received at the office, whether at night or on holidays, and throughout his lifetime he was active in community and charitable enterprises. He was a member of the Atlantic B.P.O.E. Lodge, and the National Association of Postmasters. He is survived by his widow and two sons, Claude and Cecil, who operate the seed company which was founded by their father.

Therefore Be It Further Resolved by the Senate of the Fifty-first General Assembly of Iowa, That in the passing of Senator Malone, the state mourns the loss of a valuable and honored citizen; a man who devoted many years of his life to public service, and the Senate of Iowa by this resolution extends to the family its deepest sympathy.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of this memorial resolution be printed in the Journal of the Senate and that the Secretary be directed to send enrolled copies to the members of the family of the deceased.

ED. S. WHITE,
H. S. LOVE,
RALPH E. BENSON,
A. D. CLEM,
AI MILLER,

Committee.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

MORRIS MOORE

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Morris Moore, begs leave to submit the following:

Morris Moore was born in Washington county, Iowa, September 11, 1874, his father being a practicing physician, who moved with his family to Harlan, Iowa, in 1878. Senator Moore attended the public schools of Harlan and took his professional work in medicine at the John A. Creighton Medical College in Omaha, Nebraska, graduating in 1901. In 1902 he located at Walnut, Iowa, for the purpose of practicing his profession in that locality, and remained a resident of that town until his death.

In 1905 Doctor Moore was united in marriage with Cora F. Backus, who survives him. Two daughters also survive. They are Mrs. T. R. Osborne, Jr., of Des Moines, and Mrs. William Goodyear of Walnut, Iowa.

The life story of Senator Moore is the story of a typical Iowa doctor in a small community. He practiced his profession of medicine and surgery in the locality of his residence for over forty years, reflecting credit