

Colony at Pella. He continued in the practice of medicine in the city of Pella up to within a short time prior to his death and attained high rank in his profession.

He enlisted in the Third Iowa Infantry in the War of the Rebellion and became surgeon of the regiment, which position he held till the regiment was mustered out.

He represented his county in this House in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth General Assemblies, in which he discharged his duties as a legislator with honor and fidelity, to the interest of the state and to the interests of his constituents.

He took a lively interest in the upbuilding of his town, and particularly in educational matters; was for a long time a member of the school board and for many years a member of the Board of Trustees of the Central University of Iowa located at Pella.

His life and character were such as won the respect and esteem of all who knew him—beloved by all for his usefulness in public and private life, his generous and kindly heart, his sterling integrity and uprightness of character; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this House take this occasion to express its high regard of his character and public service and extend to his family its sincere sympathy in their sorrow; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and an engrossed copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

GEO. W. CROZIER,
S. H. BAUMAN,
JOHN L. BROWN,
Committee.

Adopted April 17, 1913.

HON. SAMUEL H. MOORE.

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare and present suitable resolutions respecting the life, character, and public service of the Honorable Samuel H. Moore, who represented Wayne county in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth General Assemblies, beg leave to report the following:

The Honorable Samuel H. Moore, who represented the county of Wayne in this House in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth General Assemblies, died at his home in Humeston, Iowa, August 20, 1912, aged sixty-six years. Mr. Moore was a native of the county of Greene, Pennsylvania, where he was born March 9, 1845. He remained at his home until in response to the country's call for men he entered the Eighty-fifth Penn-

sylvania Infantry whence he was transferred to the Eighty-eight. With that regiment he participated in many of the hard battles of the war as the struggle drew to a close. Returning home, he remained there until 1870, when he came to Iowa, settling in the county of Wayne. There he engaged in farming, gathering into his possession a large tract of land, well stocked with improved breeds of cattle.

He held repeatedly the local offices of township and school district as well as being for six years supervisor of the county. In 1892 he entered the General Assembly and at that legislature he introduced a bill and had it passed requiring owners of osage orange and other fences along the highway to keep them trimmed. The act as he framed it with few modifications, is substantially the law to-day on the subject. In both sessions he was on the committees on railroads, agriculture, and mines and mining and in 1894 was chairman of committee on claims. He was very watchful as to expenditures, repeatedly voting against appropriations and entering on the Journal his reasons for so acting. The embarrassed condition of the country's business seemed principally to enter into Mr. Moore's thought as to needed legislation. His was the course of a sincere man.

Mr. Moore was married in 1868 to Miss Martha Scott, daughter of Elias Scott, like himself a native of Pennsylvania. He is survived by his wife and son, D. Moore, of Humeston, and another son, W. T. Moore of Shamrock, Tenn., and one daughter, Mrs. J. W. Fisher of Centerville, Iowa.

Resolved, That in his death his family, to whom we extend our heartfelt sympathy, is deprived of a kind and affectionate husband and father, and the county and state of a worthy and loyal citizen, therefore be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and the Chief Clerk instructed to mail an engrossed copy to the wife and children of the deceased.

J. E. DOZE,
M. F. THOMPSON,
CLARK W. HUNTLEY,
Committee.

Adopted April 17, 1913.