
THOMAS H. MILLER

Mr. Speaker: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable Thomas H. Miller begs to submit the following Memorial:

Thomas H. Miller was born on April 11, 1925 in Park Rapids, Minnesota. He married Jean Neil in 1947. He had lived in Cherokee most of his life. He was a former owner, editor and publisher of the Cherokee Daily Times. He received the Missouri University School of Journalism Award and was named Master Editor-Publisher by the Iowa Press Association. He was a Navy veteran of World War II, and a member of the Cherokee Industrial Corporation, Rotary, Sanford Museum Association Board, Cherokee Adult Education Program Board, Chamber of Commerce and Cherokee County Fund Board. He also served in the State of Iowa Right to Read Council, State of Iowa Adult Education Council and the Western Iowa Tech Adult Education Council. He was chair of the Iowa Compensation Commission from 1974-1983 and the five county JTPA program from 1983-1984. Mr. Miller received the Silver Beaver, the highest honor accorded by the Boy Scouts for more than 25 years of volunteer work.

Mr. Miller, a republican, served five terms in the House of Representatives from 1985-1994.

Mr. Miller passed away on May 25, 2001 at the age of 76. Survivors include his wife Jean; four daughters, Kathleen Johannsen of Winfred, South Dakota, Deborah Hankens of Cherokee, Michele Jones of Waterloo and Mary Bos of Stillwater, Minnesota; and seven sons, Mark of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, Vince of Bonney Lake, Washington, James and John, both of Madison, Wisconsin, Steve of Lake Zurich, Illinois, Scott of Kingwood, Texas and Paul of Westminster, Maryland; and fourteen grandchildren.

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives Of The Seventy-Ninth General Assembly Of Iowa, That in the passing of the Honorable Thomas H. Miller, 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.

DANIEL HUSEMAN
RALPH KLEMME
STEVE WARNSTADT

Committee

ROBERT W. NADEN

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

Mr. Naden was born May 6, 1921 in Osage, Iowa. He lived in Webster City most of his life. He began his career at Naden and Sons Electric Scoreboard Company and retired as president of Naden Industries. He was a Navy veteran of World War II. Mr. Naden was a former Webster City mayor and city councilman and was a past president and District Lieutenant Governor of Noon Kiwanis and a member of Acacia Masonic Lodge. He served as administrative board chairman, lay leader and a Sunday school teacher at his church.

Mr. Naden, a republican, served five terms in the House of Representatives from 1955-1964, during which he served as Majority Floor Leader and Speaker of the House.

Mr. Naden passed away March 9, 2002. He is survived by his wife, Dorothy; a son, Russell of Webster City; three daughters, Janet Wineland of Ponca, Nebraska, Candace Myers of Englewood, Colorado and Leah Hinderks of Webster City; a sister, Doris Coppola of Des Moines; ten grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives Of The Seventy-Ninth General Assembly Of Iowa, That in the passing of the Honorable Robert W. Naden, 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.

GEORGE EICHHORN
MICHAEL CORMACK
DOLORES MERTZ

Committee

MYRON B. "MIKE" OXLEY

Mr. Speaker: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable Myron B. "Mike" Oxley begs to submit the following Memorial:

Mr. Oxley was born on September 14, 1922 in Marion, Iowa. He was the son of Ralph and Mary Oxley. He owned and operated a grain and livestock farm with his brother. He loved the land that has been in his family for over 160 years, purchased by a land patent in 1838. Mr. Oxley was a 50-year member of Masonic Lodge No. 6 A.F. & A.M. of Marion, was a member of the Linn County Co-op and was the longest serving member of the Linn County Democratic Central Committee, serving from 1960 to 2000. He served on the Ways and Means Committee and fought for property tax relief.

Mr. Oxley, a democrat, served six terms in the House of Representatives from 1965-1966 and 1977-1986.

Mr. Oxley passed away March 14, 2002. He is survived by his wife Jean; two daughters, Janice Di Dominick of Chicago, Illinois and JoAnne Draper of Omaha,