

third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Ivan R. Mills the state has lost a valued and honored citizen, and the House would tender, by this resolution, its sincere sympathy to his beloved family in their great sorrow.

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.

FAY L. HARRIS,
RAY E. SHEPARD,
RUSSELL A. PATRICK,
Committee.

Memorial to the Honorable H. B. Moorhead of Scott County

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

WHEREAS, It has come to the attention of the Fifty-third General Assembly that a former member of the House of Representatives, the Honorable H. B. Moorhead, passed away in his home city, Davenport, on Wednesday, December 15, 1948; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Moorhead served his state as a member of the House of Representatives in an efficient and creditable manner; and,

WHEREAS, He was highly regarded as a leader of the Republican party in his city, his county and the state of Iowa in the promotion of good government; and,

WHEREAS, He possessed in abundant measure the factors of kindness, neighborliness and true consideration for his fellow men.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved: That the members of the House of Representatives of Iowa in regular session assembled on this 9th day of March, 1949, do hereby acknowledge and appreciate the services that he has rendered as a public officer in the state of Iowa and are mindful of his splendid contribution to society.

Be It Further Resolved: That this resolution be spread upon the record of the House Journal of this date and that the members of the House of Representatives extend their deep sympathy and condolence to his bereaved family and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to his family.

FRED SCHWENGEI,
HARRY WARD,
A. H. AVERY,
Committee.

Memorial to the Honorable Omen Nervig of Humboldt County

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

Omen Nervig was born in Moscow, Wisconsin, Iowa county, November

22, 1863, and lived there until he was fourteen years of age when he moved to Faulk county, South Dakota, and resided there until 1893. He then moved to Humboldt county, Iowa, on a farm in Lake township.

Mr. Nervig was married in 1906 to Sophia Smith of Eagle Grove, Iowa, and they were the parents of four children, Irma Eulahe, Ethel Nyline, Mildred Ilcece, and Orville James.

Mr. Nervig served as state Representative from Humboldt county in the Thirty-ninth General Assembly. He was a conscientious and capable member of the body and was beloved by all his associates.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of this honored citizen the House wishes to tender, by this resolution, its sincere sympathy to the surviving members of his family in their sorrow.

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

O. H. DEGROOTE,

GEORGE H. ROBB,

NORMAN NORLAND,

Committee.

Memorial to the Honorable Peter Rasmussen of Pottawattamie County

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

Funeral services for Peter Rasmussen were held on February 17, 1949, at the Henry Meyer Funeral Home.

Peter Rasmussen was born on July 3, 1884, in Denmark. He came to the United States at the age of three years. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rasmussen.

Peter Rasmussen first lived at North Platte, Nebraska, and came to Council Bluffs in 1909. His home at the time of his death was 803 North Thirty-eighth street.

He earned his law degree at Omaha University, Omaha, Nebraska, graduating in 1920.

He was married to Erma Haulrick in Council Bluffs on August 16, 1910. Mrs. Rasmussen was a resident of Omaha.

He was elected city solicitor in 1926 and served a two year term. He was again elected to the same office in 1932 and served a second two year term.

In 1936 he was elected to the Iowa House of Representatives and served one term as state Representative.

He began his law practice in 1920 and was actively engaged in the practice of law in Council Bluffs at the time of his death.

His church affiliation was Lutheran.

He belonged to the several bar associations; was a member of the Elks, Moose, Masons, Odd Fellows and the Danebo Society.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-