

Mr. Mowry graduated from Marshalltown High School in 1924, where he was President of his senior class. He attended Ohio State University and the University of Iowa from which he received degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Juris Doctor, graduating from the College of Law in 1930. From 1930 to 1934, he served as a special agent in the FBI and was assigned to the "rackets" in New York City. He was named as a special agent in New York County when Mr. Thomas E. Dewey was made Special Prosecutor. He also served in the Army Air Forces from 1941 until 1944 in Philadelphia. In 1945, he was appointed by Mr. Dewey as Deputy Liquor Commissioner for the State of New York. He was elected as National President of the Society of Former Agents of the FBI in 1945.

Senator Mowry began his political career in 1938 as Marshall County Attorney, a position that he served four years. He was elected Mayor of Marshalltown in 1950 and served until 1955. In 1957 he was elected to the House of Representatives and served in the 57th through the 61st General Assemblies until 1967, when he was elected to the Iowa Senate and served until 1970 in the 62nd and 63rd General Assemblies. He served a total of twelve years in the Legislature representing Marshall County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF IOWA: That in the passing of the Honorable John L. Mowry, the State has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and that the Senate by this Resolution, expresses its appreciation of his service to the State and tenders its sympathy and kindest regards to the members of his family.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

RANDAL J. GIANNETTO, Chair
STEWART E. IVERSON, JR.
JOHN W. JENSEN

Committee

DARYL H. NIMS

Daryl H. Nims was born on July 18, 1923, in Des Moines and passed away on January 7, 1996, at the age of 72. His parents were Harold and Aline (Schaal) Nims. He married Margaret Rasmussen on December 28, 1945. They had one son, Nyle, of Wading River, N.Y., and five daughters: Nancy Hagen of Ames, Nadine Billstein of Denver, Colorado, Norine Dawson of Urbana, Illinois, Normagene Wilson of Ogden, and Nichelle Thompson of Iowa City.

Mr. Nims was a World War II pilot with the U.S. Army Air Corps and a graduate of Drake University with a B.S. degree in marketing. He operated Nims Sportsman's Store in Ames for 35 years. He was a member of the Elks, American Legion, Izaak Walton League, National Sporting Goods Association, Ames

Chamber of Commerce, and Story County Development Committee. He also served on the Board of Directors for the Des Moines Area Community College.

Senator Nims was elected to the Iowa Senate in 1964 from Story County and served in the 61st General Assembly from 1965 to 1966. Mr. Nims served as a doorman for the Senate in 1989, 1990, and 1991.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF IOWA: That in the passing of the Honorable Daryl H. Nims, the State has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and that the Senate by this Resolution, expresses its appreciation of his service to the State and tenders its sympathy and kindest regards to the members of his family.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

JOHNIE HAMMOND, Chair
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RANDAL J. GIANNETTO

Committee

WILLIAM N. PLYMAT, SR.

William N. Plymat, Sr. was born on July 3, 1911, in Mankato, Minnesota, and passed away on October 20, 1995, at the age of 82. His parents were Judge Walter A. and Ida Robel Plymat. He married Ruth Clubb in 1940. They were parents to two children, William, Jr. and Amy, both of Des Moines. He was a loving husband and father.

Mr. Plymat graduated from Mankato High School, received his Bachelors degree from Stanford University, and got his law degree from the University of Minnesota. He moved to Des Moines where he practiced law from 1937 to 1941, taught business law at Drake University, and was the Iowa District OPA during World War II. In 1947, he was one of three founders of Preferred Risk Insurance Company, a firm that would only issue automobile insurance to non-drinkers. Preferred Risk is now a \$300 million-a-year company. During his career, he held top executive positions at Preferred Risk, including serving as President for nine years and Chairman of the Board of Directors for 11 years, before retiring in 1977.

Mr. Plymat served as a board member of Midwest Mutual Insurance Company and American Businessmen's Research Foundation. He was President of the Iowa and American Councils on Alcohol Problems, Executive Director of the American Council on Alcoholism, Chairman of the International Council of Parliamentarians, and a member of the Iowa Commission on Substance Abuse. In addition he was a member of the National Safety Council's Committee on Alcohol and Drugs, and the Governor's Task Force on Drunken Driving, as well as the Kiwanis Club,