

*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.

J. D. CURRIE,  
MELVIN WILSON,  
JOHN A. BAUMHOVER,  
*Committee.*

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## OSCAR PETERSON

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

Oscar Peterson, son of Swen and Sofia Peterson, was born August 7, 1874, in Toulon, Illinois. He passed away on February 27, 1957, at Storm Lake, Iowa, at the age of eighty-three years.

Mr. Peterson moved to Alta with his parents in 1876. Here he grew to manhood. In 1897 he was united in marriage with Ida M. Johnson. To this union ten children were born.

Except for two years during which he was in the implement business in Schaller, he spent his life in farming.

He was very prominent in civic, community and church affairs. He served as a member of the county Board of Education and was president of the National Farm Loan Association in Storm Lake. He was also a charter member of the County Farm Bureau. He served in the Fiftieth, Fiftieth Extra, and Fifty-first sessions of the General Assembly. For many years he was an active member of the Methodist church, and was very much interested in its affairs until the time of his death.

Surviving Mr. Peterson are his widow, Ida; seven sons, Clarence, George and Howard of Alta; Harold of Claremont, Minnesota; Roy of Storm Lake; Arling of Aurelia and Galen of Spencer; three daughters, Viola, Bessie and Ethel. Also surviving are one sister and one brother.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-seventh General Assembly of Iowa:* That in the passing of the Honorable Oscar Peterson, the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful, useful public servant.

*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.

FRED M. JARVIS,  
J. D. CURRIE,  
FLOYD P. EDGINGTON,  
*Committee.*

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## FLOYD J. PINE

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

Floyd J. Pine was born on a farm near Columbus Junction, Iowa, July 1, 1893, and passed away at Phoenix, Arizona, on August 27, 1956.

He was the son of A. F. and Mary E. Skipton Pine.

He was educated in the public schools of Louisa County, and afterward engaged in farming there. He served on the Mexican border with the Iowa National Guard and overseas troops, as a lieutenant in the First Division, United States Army in World War I.

He was married December 19, 1924, to Ruth D. Stone, to whom were born two sons, Gordon and David.

Mr. Pine was a member of the House of Representatives in the Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, and Forty-ninth Extra sessions, and in the Senate in the Fiftieth, Fiftieth Extra and Fifty-first sessions of the General Assembly.

He was a director of the Columbus Junction State Bank, and a partner in the Pine Brothers Automobile Company. He was a member of the American Legion, D.A.V., Odd Fellows, and Masonic orders. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Pine moved to Phoenix, Arizona, two years ago on account of his health.

He is survived by his widow, two sons, a grandchild, his mother, Mrs. Alex Pine of Columbus City, seven brothers and four sisters.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-seventh General Assembly of Iowa:* That in the passing of the Honorable Floyd J. Pine, the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful, useful public servant, and the House, by this resolution would express its appreciation of his service, and tender its sympathy to his wife and the members of his family.

*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.

W. O. WEAVER,

CASEY LOSS,

ALBERT L. MENSING,

*Committee.*

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#### CLAUS J. RANDALL

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

Claus J. Randall was born in Worth County near the town of Manly, Iowa, on October 5, 1882, where he lived the greater part of his adult life. He passed away on January 23, 1957, at a Mason City hospital.

He was graduated from Manly high school in 1898. After attending Nora Springs seminary for two years and Cornell college for two years, he taught in Worth County rural schools for five years.

In May 1905, Mr. Randall was married to Mary Hart who survives him. Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Leo Oswald, Mason City; three sons, Lowell of Kerkhaven, Minnesota; Whitney of Northwood and Mac of Manly, and seven grandchildren.

Mr. Randall was prominent in Worth County agricultural, political and business activities for many years. He was a member of the county selective service board and recently was elected chairman of the Worth County Agricultural Extension Council. He had instructed a Farm