Veterans night school class at Manly. He was honored recently for twenty years participation in farm bureau work in Worth County.

Mr. Randall lived on the farm where he was born until a few years ago when he and Mrs. Randall retired and moved to Manly.

He was a member of the United Evangelical church, and the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges. Mr. Randall served three terms as State Representative in the Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth sessions of the General Assembly.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-seventh General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Claus J. Randall, 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 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. R. CHRISTIANSEN, CHARLES R. BURTCH, FLOYD P. EDGINGTON,

> > Committee.

## H. GUY ROBERTS

Mr. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Harry Guy Roberts, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

H. Guy Roberts was born on a farm near Mount Ayr, Ringgold County, Iowa, on April 13, 1878, and passed away May 20, 1955. He was the son of Horace and Eliza Roberts.

Mr. Roberts was born in a log cabin, and lived on a farm most of his life. He attended public school until he was 12 years of age. He attended Humeston Normal College for two months when he was called home by the death of his mother. Later, he attended Highland Park Normal College in Des Moines.

On September 18, 1903, he was married to Minnie Ellen McDonald at Grand Island, Nebraska. To this union were born three children: Velma, Hazel and Arlo.

Mr. Roberts was elected to the state legislature in the fall of 1915. He served in the House of Representatives in the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh sessions of the General Assembly. He was elected to the Senate and served in the Forty-first, Forty-second and Forty-second Extra sessions of the General Asembly. At the close of this service, he retired from politics and took employment with the Bankers Life Insurance Company as appraiser of farm loans. He retired at the age of sixty-five.

He is survived by his widow, Minnie; his daughters, Velma and Hazel, and son, Arlo. Also surviving are six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fiftyseventh General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable H. Guy Roberts, the people of Ringgold County and entire State of Iowa have sustained a great loss and the House expresses its appreciation of his character and public service and tenders, by this resolution, its sincere and heartfelt sympathy to his beloved family in their great sorrow and loss.

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.

> EARL T. HOOVER, ROBERT E. MAGGERT, R. D. BREAKENRIDGE,

> > Committee.

## THOMAS RUTHERFORD, JR.

Mr. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Thomas Rutherford, Jr., begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Thomas Rutherford, Jr., was born on February 14, 1869, in Poweshiek County, Iowa. He passed away at the Audubon Memorial Hospital on December 20, 1956.

He came to Audubon County at the age of twelve years with his parents, Mary and Robert Rutherford, where he spent the rest of his life.

On March 11, 1896, he was united in marriage to Belle Hunt of Dallas County. They were the parents of four children, Clark, Vera, Inez and Alice.

Thomas Rutherford, Jr., was basically a farmer, having lived on a farm north of Audubon for twenty years. He retired in 1922 and moved to Audubon.

He was a member of the First Methodist church and for many years was active in Masonic activities. He served on the Masonic Association Board, and was a leader in the Commandry, and a Past Patron of the Order of Eastern Star.

Mr. Rutherford was active in the Republican party. He worked for many years as a member of the county draft board.

Thomas Rutherford, Jr., was a member of the House of Representative from Audubon County, serving in the Thirty-sixth and Thirtyseventh General Assemblies.

Survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Vera Boust, Mrs. Inez Graves and Mrs. Alice Shupe. Also surviving are one sister, Miss Nancy Rutherford, nine grandchildren, and twenty great-grandchildren.

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

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon