

William S. Beardsley to the State Tax Commission in April, 1950. He was vice-chairman of the State Tax Commission at the time of his death.

Mr. Robb is survived by his wife and two children J. Merrill and Mrs. Evan Higgins, and five grandchildren all of Estherville.

George Robb died on October 27, 1951 at the age of 70.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fifth General Assembly of Iowa, That in the passing of the Honorable George H. Robb 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.

MAX M. SOETH,
DWIGHT W. MEYER,
CLIFFORD M. STRAWMAN,
Committee.

HEIKE A. RUST

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

Heike A. Rust was born in Franklin County, Iowa, on December 12, 1883. He graduated from Sheffield high school; attended Des Moines University for two years and later attended Iowa State College, at Ames. He was actively engaged in farming after leaving Ames.

He was president of the Sheffield Community Creamery; director of the Franklin County Mutual Insurance Association; was township clerk for eight years; was secretary of the County Farm Bureau for five years, and was active in Farm Bureau and other community activities.

He served as Representative from Franklin County in the Iowa House of Representatives during the Fortieth, Fortieth Extra, Forty-first and Forty-second sessions of the General Assembly. He was a Republican.

He was married to Miss Gladys Stubblefield, of Ipava, Illinois on October 8, 1921. He died at Passavant Hospital, Jacksonville, Illinois on August 22, 1951. Funeral services were held August 24, 1951, with interment in Diamond Grove Cemetery, Jacksonville, Illinois.

He is survived by his wife, one son Paul, who served in World War II; a daughter Elizabeth Ann Doolin, who is teaching school, while her

husband is in service; and another daughter Tena Mae Martin, who is with her mother, while her husband is serving in Korea. He is also survived by five brothers and one sister.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fifth General Assembly of Iowa, That, in the passing of the Honorable Heike A. Rust, the State has lost a valuable and honored citizen 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.

FLOYD P. EDGINGTON,
PAUL M. WALTERS,
W. H. TATE,

Committee.

WILLIAM W. SAYLOR

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

William W. Saylor was born December 22, 1858, in Somerset County, Pennsylvania—one of nine children born to Samuel and Sarah Saylor. He died Wednesday, January 9, 1952, at Waverly, Iowa, and was buried January 11 at Harlington Cemetery in that city. Death was caused by shock due to a fractured hip, which was broken when Mr. Saylor accidentally fell in his bedroom.

He came to Iowa with his parents in 1859 and settled in Waterloo. In 1871 the family moved to a farm south of Denver, Iowa.

As a youth, Mr. Saylor attended Iowa State Teachers' College at Cedar Falls. In 1885 he married Kathryn Winner of Waverly. They resided in Mitchell, South Dakota, for four years, returning to Waverly in 1889.

Throughout his life Mr. Saylor occupied many positions of honor and trust in his community. He was a member of the Public School Board for seventeen years—part of the time as president. He also served on the town council and was elected mayor for two terms. He served as a member of the House of Representatives in the Iowa Legislature during the Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second sessions. He was a member of the Masonic Blue Lodge for more than fifty years as well as belonging to the Chapter and the Knights Templar and also to the Odd Fellows Fraternity. Most of his life he was engaged in the retail and