

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.

S. M. THOMPSON,
J. P. GALLAGHER,
H. S. LOVE,

Committee.

Unanimously adopted, April 19, 1937.

HONORABLE J. W. ROBERTS

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee appointed to prepare suitable resolutions, commemorating the life and service of the Honorable J. W. Roberts, late of Adair county, Iowa, beg leave to submit the following memorial:

J. W. Roberts was born in Adair county, Iowa, July 9, 1861, and passed away at the family residence in Grand River Township, Greenfield, Iowa, on July 10, 1936.

Mr. Roberts during his life was prominent in his county serving as township officer, county recorder during the years of 1903 to 1909 and in the Forty-first and Forty-second General Assemblies of the State Legislature.

At the age of 25, he was united in marriage to Eva Jane Tullis. To them were born three children, two sons and a daughter, James and Lloyd Roberts, who resides near Greenfield and Mrs. Olie Grace Hoyt, who resides in Guthrie, Oklahoma. The grandchildren are Donald, Mildred, Robert and Roberta Hoyt and Betty Darlene Roberts.

Mr. Roberts was a resident of Grand River township for 58 years, served his community and state and served them well, and Iowa has lost a most valuable citizen.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Forty-seventh General Assembly, That in the passing of the Honorable J. W. Roberts the state has lost an honored citizen, a man of high ideals in brotherly living and useful citizenship.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions 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.

H. S. LOVE,
G. T. KUESTER,
S. M. THOMPSON,

Committee.

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HONORABLE CHRISTIAN SALTZMANN

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorative of the life, character and public services of the Honorable Christian Saltzmann, of Chickasaw county, Iowa, beg leave to submit the following report:

Christian Saltzmann was born in Alsace, France, April 25, 1855. He came to America in 1870 and located in Dubage county, Illinois, engaging in farming. He moved to Iowa in 1880 locating on a farm near Lawler, Chickasaw county. He remained in Chickasaw county, Iowa, until the time of his death, which occurred on October 31, 1935.

He was united in marriage on June 27, 1878, to Miss Magdelina Baker, who preceded him in death. There are five children, Sadie, Alma, Leo, Leander, and Ronald who mourn the death of their beloved father.

In politics Mr. Saltzmann was a democrat and served as representative from Chickasaw county in the Thirty-fifth General Assembly. He served on the board of supervisors of Chickasaw county for six years and was chairman of that board for five years.

He took an active part in common welfare acting from time to time on school boards and cooperative organizations, and has always stood high in the confidence and esteem of his associates. He was a member of the German Lutheran church of New Hampton.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That in the passing of the Honorable Christian Saltzmann, the state has lost a valuable and honored citizen, and the House would tender by this resolution, its sincere sympathy to the surviving members of his family in their sorrow, and

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M. E. BENZ,
ROY SOURS,
C. E. LOOKINGBILL,

Committee.

Unanimously adopted, April 19, 1937.

HONORABLE E. J. SANKEY

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee appointed to prepare a resolution commemorative of the life, character, and public service of the late Honorable E. J. Sankey of Decatur county, Iowa, former member of the Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-third General Assemblies of Iowa, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Honorable E. J. Sankey, Civil War veteran, former county and state official, and a resident of Decatur County, died at Leon, Iowa, on September 29, 1936, at the advanced age of ninety-two years. He was born on August 2, 1843, at Potters Mills, Center county, Pennsylvania.

In 1849 Mr. Sankey, with his parents, came west to Burlington Iowa. Soon after their arrival in Burlington this family suffered the loss of their father and one son, who died of cholera which was then epidemic. Following these deaths Mr. Sankey and his mother joined some Pennsylvanians of their acquaintance, and settled in Louisa county, Iowa. From 1850 to 1851 our subject attended a subscription school, and later the public schools. In 1856 he moved with his mother to Decatur county, locating four miles north and one half mile east of Leon, where he resided