

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fifth General Assembly of Iowa, That in the passing of The Honorable William Schmedika 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.*

PAUL M. WALTER,  
FLOYD P. EDGINGTON,  
JOHN A. WALKER,  
*Committee.*

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ERIC W. SCOTT

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

Eric W. Scott was born in Prussia February 14, 1880. He was the son of Simon and Anna Kruser Scott. He came with his parents to America in the year 1881. They settled on a farm two miles northwest of Wall Lake, Iowa, and a year later moved to a farm north of Lake View.

He was united in marriage to Mary Lenora Quinlan on April 15, 1903, who preceded him in death in February of 1947. To this union were born two sons, Everett E. of Lake View and Lloyd W. of Pocahontas, Iowa.

Mr. Scott was a member of the Methodist Church, the Masonic Lodge, the Shrine and the Commandery. He was State Representative from Sac County from 1936 to 1942, serving in the Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth and Fiftieth sessions of the General Assembly.

Through the years he farmed extensively; was owner and operator of the Scott Grain Company; was president of the Farmers State Bank and manager of the Union Telephone Company.

On February 3, 1948, he was married to Martha Batie Hawthorne. He died October 31, 1952, at Loring hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Martha; two sons, Everett of Lake View, Iowa, and Lloyd, of Pocahontas; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Robert Carlson of Duncan, Oklahoma; a stepson, Batie Hawthorne, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and several grandchildren.

Mr. Scott was generous and kind. Through the years he helped many in an advisory capacity and with financial aid.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fifth General Assembly of Iowa, That, in the passing of the Honorable Eric W. Scott, 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.*

DWIGHT W. MEYER,  
HENRY H. STEVENS,  
MELVIN WILSON,

*Committee.*

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#### EVERETT L. STEWART

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

Everett L. Stewart was born in Washington County, Iowa, February 9, 1885, on the same farm where he died June 23, 1951. His home had always been on this farm where his father and uncle cleared the land after the Civil War.

He received his early education in the rural school and was graduated from Washington Academy, attended Monmouth College, Monmouth, Illinois, for one year and graduated from the Iowa State College at Ames in the class of 1909. For several years after his graduation he was with the Extension Service of the college during the winter months judging corn at their institutes and traveling with the "corn train."

He was united in marriage March 15, 1913, at Des Moines, Iowa, to Jessie M. White and to this union were born four daughters, who are now Mrs. T. E. Tuttle, Mrs. Lewis Williams, Mrs. David Scott, and Mrs. W. F. Monnier. These daughters and his wife survive him.

Mr. Stewart was a member of the Washington United Presbyterian Church, where he had been very active in the work of the congregation. He taught the Men's Bible Class and for 24 years was an elder in this church and was serving as a member of the board of trustees at the time of his death. He was chairman of the special building committee that directed extensive remodeling of the church's interior.

From 1934 to 1942 Mr. Stewart served as Washington County's Representative in the General Assembly. In politics he was a Republican.