

of the G. A. R., where he delighted the company with some of his war memories as few veterans could do. For sixty-seven years he has been a member of the Methodist church and held about every office open to a layman. For years he has been a trustee and leader in this church—being in his place at the services only a few days ago. For many years and at the time of his death he was the president of the East Linwood Cemetery association.

Mr. Barkley married Miss Henrietta Trickey, November 6, 1866, who died in 1889. On July 28th, 1891, he was united in marriage to Miss Flora Spencer. For more than thirty years their hospitable home has been one of the social and cultural centers of Boone.

He was a man who, during his lifetime, in a quiet and unassuming way, gave many a helping hand for which he is held in tender remembrance by those to whom the assistance was extended and these memories will unite to render him a great and unusual monument.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the House of Representatives take this occasion to present this tribute to the memory of a faithful public servant, and to express appreciation of his character and public service and at the same time to extend to his bereaved family its sincere sympathy in their sorrow, and,

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and the chief clerk be instructed to forward an engrossed copy of same to the family of the deceased.

W. S. CRISWELL,
A. O. HAUGE,
C. E. ANDERSON,

Committee.

Adopted April 12, 1923.

HON. ISAAC G. SCOTT

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public service of Isaac G. Scott, beg leave to submit the following report:

The Honorable Isaac G. Scott, who was heretofore a member of the House of Representatives from Fremont county, Iowa, during the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, departed this life September 21st, 1921, and

Whereas, His record as a man, a legislator, a public official and a citizen, has been of the highest character, and

Whereas, it is fitting that we should recognize in some fitting manner the passing of this distinguished citizen.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the State of Iowa, that in the death of Isaac G. Scott the State of Iowa has suffered a distinct loss.

Mr. Isaac G. Scott was born August 9, 1850, in Boone County, Indiana, of American parentage and Scotch Irish descent. When he was two years old his parents moved to Illinois and settled on a farm in North Henderson township, Mercer county. He received his education in the rural schools and has always lived on a farm and been engaged in farm-

ing. Moved to Iowa in 1876 and located on a farm in Fremont county. Was married to Miss Anna High of Fremont county in December, 1879. Had four children, two boys and two girls, who with the wife and mother still survive him. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and the Masonic order, was township assessor for fifteen years and school treasurer for twelve years. Elected representative in 1912. A democrat in politics.

Mr. Scott was generous, big hearted and optimistic always, a hater of sham and a lover of integrity and right, a lovable neighbor, a kind husband and father, whose life has been such as to commend his example as an inspiration to those who follow after.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and that the chief clerk be directed to send an engrossed copy thereof to the widow of the deceased.

W. C. SCOTT,
C. R. BUFFINGTON,
T. E. POWERS,

Adopted April 12, 1923.

Committee.

HON. ABNER HALL EDWARDS

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life and service of the Hon. Abner Hall Edwards, late of Audubon county, Iowa, beg leave to submit the following memorial:

Hon. Abner Hall Edwards, who represented Audubon county in the Twenty-sixth General Assembly, was born in Tamoyle, Illinois, September 14th, 1846. After a brief illness his death came March 1, 1923, at the age of seventy-six years, six months and thirteen days, after having spent forty years in the progress and development of our beloved commonwealth.

On May 17th, 1864, he enlisted in Company G, 13th Illinois Infantry, and received an honorable discharge in October of the same year. He came to Iowa thirty-nine years preceding his death, and settled in Douglas township, Audubon county, and engaged in farming. He was a staunch Republican, and was a leader in his home precinct, as well as being very active in state and national politics. His party honored him and for twenty years he held the office of justice of the peace. He was a Mason for fifty-two years preceding his death and had been past master of the blue lodge, past high priest of the chapter and past commander of the commandery. He was a man of integrity and was public spirited, quiet and unassuming in character, and loyal and generous in his display of friendship.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the House of Representatives of the State of Iowa, take this occasion to express its appreciation of the splendid character as well as the public services and benefactions of the deceased.

F. C. SAMPSON,
J. M. RAMSEY,
EARL W. VINCENT,

Adopted April 12, 1923.

Committee.