

tertaining me at their good home. There I found an air of quiet refinement, with books and papers and generous hospitality that I shall always recall with pleasure.

Mr. Herriott was a great reader and versed in history and literature and knew how to entertain his guests as few people are able to do.

He was a kind husband; a generous and watchful father, and his place in the family and the neighborhood can never be filled by anyone else.

GILMAN L. JOHNSON.

Senator Broxam, from a special committee, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the life, character and service of the Honorable Gilman L. Johnson, beg leave to submit the following report:

Gilman L. Johnson was born in St. Lawrence County, N. Y., June 21st, 1848. His father was William P. and his mother A. A. Bell-Johnson. His father's family were old early English settlers, first in Tennessee and then in 1839, in New York. His mother's family was also of English origin, living in Canada and Vermont for two generations. His early education was acquired in the common schools of St. Lawrence County, N. Y. At the age of 16 years he enlisted in the 16th New York Volunteer Infantry, where he entered the 142nd New York Volunteer Infantry and was assigned to Company C. He also served as first lieutenant on the staff of General N. M. Curtiss. In February, 1864, at John's Island, S. C., he received a gun-shot wound which necessitated the amputation of his right arm. He was in active service during the siege of Petersburg and the capture of the latter point, January 15, 1865, he was detailed as depot quartermaster at that point until after the close of the war.

After coming out of the army Mr. Johnson attended the Gouverneur Seminary of St. Lawrence County, N. Y., from which he graduated in June, 1871. He was admitted first to the New York bar in June, 1871, at the time of his graduation, then in September, 1871, to the Iowa bar, and for a few months was associated with Chas. Rich at Maquoketa. He then formed a partnership with F. C. Richmond which continued practice alone for about ten years and was afterwards associated for five years with F. D. Kelsey of this city. From the time of the close of this partnership he continued his practice alone until about two years ago, when he retired from active practice. Mr. Johnson was a member of the House in the nineteenth General Assembly from the twenty-third district; also a member of the Senate in the twentieth and twenty-first assemblies from the same district.

Mr. Johnson was a lawyer of exceptional ability, a citizen of sterling worth, a splendid neighbor and a loyal friend, and a man who will be missed in professional circles as well as by the commonwealth in which he lived.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That in the death of Gilman L. Johnson the state and county in which he resided lost a worthy and upright citizen, a valient soldier and and an honored statesman, and we hereby extend to the bereaved family and friends our sincere sympathy.

And Be It Further Resolved, A copy of these resolutions be printed in the journal of the Senate and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased.

A. L. BROXAM,
A. M. PARKER,
H. C. WHITE.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

In moving the adoption of the resolution, Senator Broxam spoke in part as follows:

I believe that I am the only member of this senate that was personally acquainted with Mr. Johnson, and I feel at this time there is nothing that I might say that will add to the luster and glory of Mr. Johnston' life.

As a lawyer he was a leader in his profession, always standing for what he thought was right regardless of public opinion or what other people might think. Politically, he was a democrat of the old school, always loyal and true, and now that he has gone to that great beyond, that Home not built by hand, eternal in the heavens, the greatest tribute I can pay to him at this time is that to know him was to honor and love him.

EDWARD P. M'MANUS.

Senator Frailey, from a special committee, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of Edward P. McManus, beg leave to submit the following report:

Edward P. McManus, member of the Iowa Senate from Lee county in the Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies, was born at Keokuk, Lee county, Iowa, on the 20th day of June, 1857, and died at Keokuk on the 8th day of January, 1918. His death came suddenly and without warning while engaged in his duties as postmaster at Keokuk postoffice. The last days of his life were the busiest. In addition to his official duties as postmaster and his private affairs, he devoted much time and labor to various war activities, being chairman of the Lee County Council of Defense and county food administrator. The exactions of these manifold duties contributed in no small degree to his untimely death.

The life of Edward P. McManus was crowded with many and varied activities. He was successively traveling salesman, farmer, country school teacher, state senator, managing head of successful stone quarries and