JAMES H. JAMISON

The committee appointed to prepare a memorial commemorating the life and public service of the Honorable James H. Jamison, State Senator from the Eleventh District, beg leave to submit the following:

James H. Jamison was born of American parentage on a farm near Osceola, Clark county, Iowa, on March 11, 1860. He received his education in the academy at Garden Grove, Iowa, and the Normal School at Valparaiso, Indiana. He was admitted to the bar in 1891 and practiced his profession in Osceola, the county seat of Clark County, until about the year 1910, at which time he moved to Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, and became actively engaged in the insurance business. He was elected Senator in 1891, and served during the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth General Assemblies. He was reelected Senator in 1903, and served during the Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second General Assemblies.

Mr. Jamison was a gentleman of high integrity and attainment and served with distinction as a legislator. In later years, he was an outstanding insurance executive of Iowa. He died in the year 1933, and left a large circle of friends throughout the state, who had learned to love and admire him for his many good traits and his sterling character. Of Senator Jamison it can be truthfully said that his district and state were made much better because of his having lived.

In the passing of the Honorable James H. Jamison the state has lost a valuable and honorable citizen, a man of strong character and sterling worth, and the Senate of Iowa will by this memorial tender its sympathy to his relatives and friends.

The committee directs that a copy of this memorial be spread upon the Journal of the Senate as an expression of the life and worth of the deceased, and that an engrossed copy be transmitted to his immediate family.

WM. S. BEARDSLEY JOHN N. CALHOUN CLAUDE STANLEY

Committee

JOHN H. JUDD

The committee appointed to prepare a suitable memorial commemorating the life and public service of the late Honorable John H. Judd of Chariton, Iowa, beg leave to submit the following report:

John H. Judd was born near the city of Burlington, Iowa, in the year of 1860, and at the time of his death was seventy-two years of age.

At the age of fourteen years, having been left an orphan, he came to Lucas county, Iowa, and made his home with an uncle, assisting him with the farm work for several years, going to school during the winter months and acquiring a fair common school education.

On arriving at man's estate, he was married to a Miss Etter and to this union there were born five children, David, James and Mrs. Harry Carlson, all of Chariton; Mrs. Chas. Baughman of Russell, Iowa, and Mrs. Martin Willoughby of Casper, Wyoming. Mrs. Judd died many years ago, and about two years ago he was united in marriage to Mrs. Rash, who survives him.

During his life his occupation was that of a farmer, working at times as a carpenter. Retiring from active work several years ago, he moved to Chariton to spend his declining years. He took an active part in all public affairs, and was always ready to assist in protecting the people in their natural rights. He was by nature a strong democrat and identified himself with the democratic party, taking an active part in every political campaign. Because of his rugged honesty, he gained the good will and confidence of the people of his senatorial district, and was elected to the State Senate in November, 1932. He was a good citizen, honest and upright, and will be missed in the community in which he lived.

This memorial shows the Senate's appreciation of the life and public service of the Honorable John H. Judd, and the committee directs that a copy of the memorial be spread upon the records of the Senate, and an enrolled copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

CARL ASCHENBRENNER
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JOHN K. VALENTINE
Committee

JOHN N. LANGFITT

The committee appointed to prepare a suitable memorial commemorating the life and service of the Honorable John N. Langfitt, late of Adair county, Iowa, submitted the following brief memorial:

John N. Langfitt was born at Big Rock, Scott county, Iowa, May 9, 1866. He attended the rural schools, Wilton Academy, and Davenport Business College. In 1887, he came to Adair county to the farm occupied as his home at the time of his death.

On May 26, 1892, he was married to Clara A. Martin, daughter of the late W. B. Martin of Des Moines. Mrs. Langfitt preceded him in death, July 14, 1924. He has four surviving children: Harry M., Bernice L., Mildred and John N., Jr. Following his marriage he lived in western Washington for a few years, returning to Greenfield in 1898.

He was united with the Presbyterian Church soon after coming to Adair county, and was a member of Crusade Masonic Lodge, Greenfield, and of the Des Moines Consistory.

His interest in the political and civic activities of his community began as a member of the board of trustees of the Presbyterian Church, serving in this capacity for forty-five years, and as chairman of the board for twenty-five years.

He was chosen to represent Adair county in the State Legislature in 1917 and 1919. Following his two terms as Representative, he was elected to the office of State Senator from the Adair-Madison district, where he served from 1925 to 1932.