

This trait, coupled with his natural talent as a legislator, made him a recognized leader in the Senate, where he served the state with distinction.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, that in the death of the Honorable Victor L. Johnson, the state and his community have lost an able citizen who will be remembered by all who knew him as one whose life was untarnished and whose labors were faithfully devoted to his state and country.

Be It Further Resolved, that we hereby convey to his sorrowing widow and children our sincere sympathy in the personal bereavement suffered by them in the loss of a beloved husband and father, and

Be It Further Resolved, that this report together with the resolutions forming a part thereof, be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and an engrossed copy thereof be forwarded to his family.

ADOLPH S. LARSON,  
CHAS. F. SERLINE,  
G. WAHLUND.

Mr. Larson moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

Which resolution was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President: I have the honor to announce that the House has read and approved the Journal of April 21st, 1925, and stands ready to adjourn sine die awaiting any communication from the Senate.

OSCAR ARNESON,  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

April 22, 1925.

IN MEMORIAM  
HONORABLE MARTIN J. CONROY.

To the Honorable State Senate of the State of Minnesota:

Your committee appointed for the purpose of preparing a memorial commemorative of our colleague, the late Honorable Martin J. Conroy of Ramsey County, Senator from the Forty-first District, respectfully submits the following:

MARTIN J. CONROY was born in Ireland in the year 1881, and came to St. Paul with his parents in the spring of 1882. He received his education at St. John's Parochial School, and shortly afterwards entered the plumbing business. In 1903, he was appointed Chief Plumbing Inspector of the City of St. Paul, and served in that capacity for twelve years. In 1910, he was elected Vice President of the United Association of Plumbers, Steam Fitters and Sprinkling Fitters of the United States and Canada, which position he held until the time of his death. He was also business agent of the Plumbers' Union in St. Paul. Besides other offices in labor organizations, he served two terms as national president of the Sanitary Engineers. At the time of his death he was serving his second term as a member of the State Senate. He was unmarried. Senator Conroy because of his geniality and kindness held the esteem and friendship of all of the members of the Senate during his service therein, and in his death his community and the Senate lost a good citizen and a loyal friend.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, that it hereby officially declares its sense of loss in the death of Martin J. Conroy, expresses its deep appreciation of his many good qualities, and that it extends to his family its sympathy.

Be It Further Resolved, that the Secretary be and he is hereby authorized to have an engrossed copy of this resolution prepared and sent to the family of the deceased.

A. O. DEVOLD,  
P. J. MEMMER,  
GEORGE NORDLIN,  
MICHAEL BOYLAN,  
JAMES D. DENEGRE,  
Committee.

Mr. Denegre moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

Which resolution was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Mr. Rosenmeier, from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Expense, to which was referred resolutions concerning legislative expenses, hereby reports as a substitute for said resolutions, the following:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby authorized to draw warrants in favor of the following named persons for the several sums and purposes following:

To Ted R. Strand for work as page to the Senate for nine days	\$ 27.00
To Adolph Olson for work as Committee Clerk for the following days: Jan. 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, 1925	25.00
To Fannie D. Arnold for work done for Finance Committee between March 24, 1925, and April 4, 1925, both dates inclusive	35.00
To George Peterson, witness fees before Investigation of Rural Credit Bureau	6.60
To A. A. Haagenson, expenses meeting Joint Committee, at Madison, Wisconsin	34.75
To Maurice Keane, work as Committee Clerk January 18 and 19, 1925	10.00
To George W. Peachey, for postage and drayage, 1925 Session	150.00
To George W. Peachey, for services in connection with the permanent Journal, expenses of clerk hire in connection therewith, and for all services to be rendered at the close of the Session	750.00
To Katherine Lederman, Charwoman	125.00
To Edith Young, charwoman	125.00
To Anna Carlson, charwoman	125.00
To Anna Larson, charwoman	125.00
To Anna Jackson, Matron	125.00
To John O'Dowd, elevator operator	50.00
To Frank Keran, elevator operator	50.00
To Frank Hassenstab, elevator operator	50.00
To Edward Quinlan, elevator operator	50.00