

Mr. Masek, by request, introduced—

H. F. No. 819, A bill for an act to reimburse Charles E. Everett and May E. Everett for the loss of personal effects by reason of the destruction of same by fire at the Minnesota Home School for girls.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Masek, by request, introduced—

H. F. No. 820, A bill for an act to reimburse Chloe E. McNeice for the loss of personal effects by reason of the destruction of same by fire at the Minnesota Home School for Girls.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Chilgren introduced—

H. F. No. 821, A bill for an act to authorize the County Board of certain counties to audit, compromise, settle and pay certain claims for labor, material, supplies, board, equipment and necessary expenses incident to the construction of certain state rural highways.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Mr. Chilgren introduced—

H. F. No. 822, A bill for an act relating to the clerk hire in the office of county auditors in certain counties.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

Messrs. Haugland and Rosetter introduced—

H. F. No. 823, A bill for an act to establish a Public Park known as Carlton Lake Park, authorizing the purchase and condemnation of land for park purposes and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Parks.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS—CONTINUED.

Messrs. Greer, Gehan and Lightner introduced the following resolution:

Whereas, The Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, has called a former member of the Minnesota House of Representatives, Honorable Emanuel Johnson, who served as a member of the House during the sessions of 1923 and 1925, representing the Thirty-seventh District, in the City of St. Paul, Ramsey County, Minnesota; and

Whereas, In his death the State has lost a faithful public servant, and those who knew him, a lovable, kindly, loyal friend; a beautiful soul, a patient sympathetic comrade, unselfish and devoted to a life of service.

Emanuel Johnson was born in Rysbie, Sweden, May 22, 1856, and came directly to the City of St. Paul from there in the year 1872, and made his home in this city continuously until his death. He served as Street Commissioner of the City of St. Paul during the administration of Mayors F. B. Doran and Robert A. Smith, and afterwards served as Deputy Sheriff of Ramsey County under Charles Chappel.

He served as constable at large for the City of St. Paul for several terms, and was in 1922 elected to the Minnesota House of Representatives and re-elected to the same position in 1924, and was serving in that capacity at the time of his death.

Mr. Johnson was stricken with pneumonia and passed away quite suddenly on September 8, 1925.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the House of Representatives hereby officially declares its sense of loss in his untimely death; expresses its deep appreciation of his many sturdy and virtuous qualities; and extends to his bereaved family its sympathy; and that this resolution, as adopted, be sent to his family in token of our action, and as a mark of our esteem and affection for our departed friend and brother; and

Be It Further Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be, and hereby is, authorized to have an engrossed copy of this resolution sent to the family of the deceased.

Which was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Therrien moved that H. F. No. 68 be re-printed as amended in the Committee on Municipal Affairs on Friday, February 25.

Which motion prevailed.

And it was so ordered.

Mr. Nordine moved that H. F. No. 122 be recalled from the Committee on Reforestation and returned to its author.

Which motion prevailed.

And H. F. No. 122 was returned to its author.

ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Long, from the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment, reported that the Committee had examined, read, compared and found correctly enrolled H. F. Nos. 348 and 344.

Which was adopted.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

Mr. Johnson, G. W., moved that the rules be so far suspended as to take

S. F. No. 660, A bill for an act authorizing counties of this State now or hereafter having a population of over 150,000 and less than 240,000 inhabitants and an area of over 5,000 square miles to reimburse county agricultural societies or officers thereof for the cost and expense of the erecting of buildings in certain cases.

From the table, give it its second and third readings and place it upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 660 was read the second time.

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Was read the third time and placed upon its final passage.