

## ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE

## FIRST SESSION

## LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 28

Introduced by Flood, 19; Ashford, 20.

WHEREAS, former state Senator Richard F. Proud, of Battlement Mesa, Colorado, died on January 24, 2009, in Rifle, Colorado, at the age of 87; and

WHEREAS, Richard F. Proud served as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Navy during World War II and was commander of the landing craft LCT912 in the Pacific theater; and

WHEREAS, Richard F. Proud was a retired attorney and served in the Nebraska Legislature from 1965 to 1975, representing Legislative District 12 in Omaha. He also served as Speaker of the Legislature in 1973 and 1974; and

WHEREAS, Richard F. Proud became widely known in 1974 when he was invited to speak with President Richard Nixon about the difficulties faced by the farming industry; and

WHEREAS, Richard F. Proud is survived by his wife, Jean, his children, Carol, John, and George, and his eight grandchildren.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature expresses and extends its sympathy and condolences to the family of Richard F. Proud.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of Richard F. Proud.