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TO THE HONORABLE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LOUISIANA
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF CADDO

J. J. Beart
DEPUTY CLERK

We the committee on Memorial of E. Wayles Browne submit the following:

E. Wayles Browne was born on August 27, 1879 in Lake Providence, Louisiana, the son of Benjamin Franklin Browne and Laura Ella Eppes.

After a short while spent in newspaper work, he began the practice of law, having graduated from Louisiana State University in 1899 and Tulane University in law in 1904 and was admitted to the bar that year.

He moved to Shreveport in 1906 and lived there until his death on June 1, 1948.

During the time of his practice there he enjoyed business relations with Clifton F. Davis, Rydon Webb, Fred G. Thatcher, B. F. Roberts, and his late partners, Percy Browne, his brother, and G. M. Bodenheimer. He served in the House of Representatives and the Senate of Louisiana and fathered bills for free school books, for control of the carbon industry, and separate juvenile courts.

He married Miss Grace Long in 1908. He left two children, a son and daughter. He was recognized as a leading member of the bar and as a public spirited citizen, served on the Caddo Parish Democratic Executive Committee, and the State Central Committee, and devoted a large part of his time to public services, after voluntarily quitting legislative office.

WHEREAS, our late friend and associate having left our midst, BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the Shreveport Bar Association recognize his character as a man, his ability as a lawyer, and his faithful unselfish public service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be presented to the widow and children of our late brother.

B. F. Roberts

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