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RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The 100th birthday of an esteemed Texan is indeed
- 2 cause for celebration, and Jesse Homer Lackey of College Station is
- 3 marking that special milestone on October 19, 2021; and
- WHEREAS, Homer Lackey was born in Hamilton in 1921 to Jesse
- 5 and Mary Lackey, and he grew up with the companionship of 11
- 6 siblings; answering his nation's call to duty, he served in the U.S.
- 7 Army during World War II; he joined the 202nd Anti Aircraft
- 8 Artillery Battalion, and his overseas assignments included New
- 9 Guinea and the Philippines; and
- WHEREAS, In April 1942, Mr. Lackey married Doris Sybil Tharp,
- 11 and the couple shared a rewarding union that spanned more than seven
- 12 and a half decades until her passing in 2018; today, he is the proud
- 13 patriarch of a fine family that has grown to include his 4 children,
- 14 9 grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Lackey worked as a farmer and rancher near
- 16 Muleshoe for many years, and he still enjoys raising tomatoes and
- 17 maintaining his lawn; a man of deep faith, he has participated in
- 18 numerous activities with his church; and
- WHEREAS, Homer Lackey has witnessed a panorama of change over
- 20 the course of a century, and he has met life's challenges and
- 21 opportunities with dignity and grace, earning the deep admiration
- 22 of all who are privileged to know him; now, therefore, be it
- 23 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 87th Texas
- 24 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Jesse Homer

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- 1 Lackey on his 100th birthday and extend to him sincere best wishes
- 2 for continued happiness; and, be it further
- 3 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- 4 prepared for Mr. Lackey as an expression of high regard by the Texas
- 5 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 141 was adopted by the House on October 18, 2021, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House