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*Whereas, As a native son of Columbus, Indiana, Will Garrison enlisted in the U. S. Army in 1917;*

*Whereas, Will Garrison was awarded an American Combat Medal for his bravery in France during World War I;*

*Whereas, French President Jacques Chirac recently instituted a program on the 80th anniversary of the World War I Armistice honoring those American soldiers who helped to liberate his country and preserve freedom;*

*Whereas, The French presented Will Garrison the highest ward of their country, the National Order of the Legion of Honor;*

*Whereas, At 100 years of age, Will Garrison is one of only 162 American World War I combat veterans still living; and*

*Whereas, The citizens of France and the United States of*



*America will never forget the sacrifice and bravery of Will Garrison and the thousands of American soldiers who fought in World War I: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:*

- 1           SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors the great
- 2           sacrifices Will Garrison made for his country.
- 3           SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 4           Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Will Garrison.

