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4 Bandy, Barton, Baughn, Beckman, Beech, Black, Boman, Boothe,  
5 Boyd, Bracy, Bridges, Brown, Burdine, Buskey, Butler, Buttram,  
6 Carns, Chesteen, Clouse, Collins, Colston, Davis, DeMarco,  
7 Drake, England, Farley, Faust, Fincher, Ford, Forte, Gaston,  
8 Givan, Greer, Greeson, Grimsley, Hall, Hammon, Harper, Henry,  
9 Hill, Holmes, Howard, Hubbard (J), Hubbard (M), Hurst, Ison,  
10 Jackson, Johnson (K), Johnson (R), Johnson (W), Jones, Knight,  
11 Laird, Lee, Lindsey, Long, Love, Mask, McAdory, McCampbell,  
12 McClammy, McClendon, McClurkin, McCutcheon, McMillan, Melton,  
13 Merrill, Millican, Mitchell, Moore (B), Moore (M), Morrow,  
14 Newton (C), Newton (D), Nordgren, Patterson, Payne, Poole,  
15 Rich, Roberts, Robinson (J), Robinson (O), Rogers, Sanderford,  
16 Scott, Sessions, Shiver, Standridge, Todd, Treadaway, Tuggle,  
17 Vance, Wallace, Warren, Weaver, Williams (D), Williams (P),  
18 Wood and Wren

19 RFD:

20 First Read: 09-APR-13

8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF FORMER BRITISH PRIME MINISTER  
9 MARGARET THATCHER.

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11 WHEREAS, it is with an overwhelming sense of loss  
12 that we mourn the death of former British Prime Minister  
13 Margaret Thatcher on April 8, 2013, at the age of 87 years;  
14 and

15 WHEREAS, Baroness Thatcher was the first female  
16 Prime Minister of Britain, serving between 1979-1990, and is  
17 credited with not only transforming her country's economy but  
18 actually changing the world; and

19 WHEREAS, she was a loyal ally of America in the  
20 global war against Soviet aggression and Communism; and

21 WHEREAS, the strength of her personality was  
22 legendary, and her opinions, which were delivered succinctly  
23 and forcibly, inevitably clarified complex matters and served  
24 as touchstones in disputes; and

25 WHEREAS, among her notable accomplishments, she  
26 provided the crucial leadership for Britain's military victory  
27 in the Falklands War in 1982; and

1                   WHEREAS, internationally known as The Iron Lady, she  
2 was always immaculately coiffed and attired, even bejeweled,  
3 yet her femininity in no way diminished the power of her  
4 presence; she was a woman who made a difference, perhaps more  
5 than any other world leader in the 20th Century; now  
6 therefore,

7                   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
8 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the death of former Prime  
9 Minister Margaret Thatcher is recorded with deep sadness, and  
10 this resolution is offered in highest tribute to her life  
11 along with heartfelt sympathy to the British people, whose  
12 grief is shared by the people of the State of Alabama.