

such parent or parents had outlived the intestate and died in possession of such share, and so on through their ascending ancestors.

Sec. 8. If heirs are not thus found, the portion thus uninherited shall go to the natural parents of the intestate, and in case of their death then to the heirs under the ordinary rules of descent.

The substitute was read first and second time by title, and ordered passed on file.

Senator Townsend, from the special committee appointed to prepare resolutions on the life and character of Daniel Anderson, late of Monroe county, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your special committee, appointed to prepare resolutions concerning the life and character of Daniel Anderson, respectfully report as follows:

WHEREAS, Daniel Anderson, a member of the State Senate of Iowa in the Fifth, Sixth and Seventh General Assemblies, departed this life on the 4th of February, 1901, at his home in Albia; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Daniel Anderson the bar of Iowa lost one of its ablest lawyers; the Pioneer Lawmakers' association one of its most brilliant members; the state one of its best citizens, and the nation one of its bravest defenders in its hour of need.

Resolved, That the Senate joins with the citizens of the community in which he lived for over fifty years, in sorrow at his loss and tenders to his widow and children its sincere sympathy in their bereavement.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions suitably engrossed be transmitted to the family of the deceased by the Secretary of the Senate.

FRED TOWNSEND,
CLAUDE R. PORTER,
S. H. HARPER,

Committee.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

Senator Townsend spoke as follows in support of the resolution.

MR. PRESIDENT—During the year 1901, two of Monroe county's most respected citizens, both sometime members of the state senate—departed this life. Of one of these men—Daniel Anderson, it is my privilege at this time to speak, and in so doing, I am fully conscious of the inadequacy of mere words to voice the sentiment of the heart and speak the language of sorrow.

The life of Mr. Anderson was such that a simple narration of its principal events will portray his character and show the esteem in which he was held, far better than any eulogy that I can deliver.