

Speaker *pro tem* Kendall in the chair.

Mr. Warren moved that the rule be suspended, and that the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

The yeas were:

Messrs. Anderson, Bailey, Barker, Barkley, Bealer, Black, Blakemore, Boysen, Buchanan, Calderwood, Campbell, Carden, Cassel, Cheney, Christianson, Clarke, Coburn, Colclo, Cowles, Crouse, Cruikshank, Cummins, Dodds, Donahue, Edwards, Eiker, English, Fields, Freeman, Frudden, Furry, Gilchrist, Graff, Greeley, Greene, Hamann, Hasselquist, Hawk, Head, Hertert, Hillsinger, Hufschmidt, Hughes, Hurn, Jaeger, Jenks, Jones, Keagy, Kendall, Kerr, Kling, Langan of Clinton, Langan of Crawford, Larrabee, Leech, Lyman, McClure, McClurkin, McNie, Mattes, Meservey, Moore, Mordhorst, Nagle, Nichols, Patton, Pipher, Powers, Pritchard, Robinson, Roome, Secor, Sokol, Springer, Stratton, Stuckslager, Sweeley, Sweet, Teachout, Temple, Walden, Warren, Whiting, Wilson of Buena Vista, Wilson of Washington, Wise, Wright, Mr. Speaker—88.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Messrs. Carter, Davenport, Dunham, Flenniken, Kolthoff, Koontz, Marshall, Payne, Townsend, Utterback, Walters, Willett—12.

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT
TO THE MEMORY OF HON. CHARLES E. BROWN.

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions of respect to the memory of the Hon. Charles E. Brown, respectfully submit the following:

WHEREAS, Hon. Charles E. Brown, an honored member of the Seventeenth General Assembly of Iowa from Howard county, died in Ottumwa July 23, 1901, and

WHEREAS, The life and character of the deceased were such as to command our love and esteem, and his public services to the state and country

were of such distinction as to demand the respect and gratitude of his fellow citizens; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in his death the state has lost an able, conscientious citizen, a man who suffered the inconvenience of pioneer life in the cause of religion and state; that we extend to his children our sincere sympathy in their affliction.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the Journal of the House, and the Chief Clerk of the House be instructed to present an engrossed copy thereof to his sons.

A. W. BUCHANAN,
W. K. BARKER,
RAYMOND C. LANGAN,
Committee.

Mr. Buchanan moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted unanimously by rising vote.

The following speeches by Buchanan of Wapello, Barker of Howard and Langan of Clinton, on the death of Rev. Brown, were ordered printed in the Journal on motion of Warren of Marion.

Mr. Buchanan said:

MR. SPEAKER—It is not the intention to take the time of this House in a long eulogy of the deceased. His life of usefulness to the state should not be passed without some little comment.

Charles E. Brown left his home in New York in 1842. He came to the territory of Iowa as a pioneer missionary. He was a man of excellent judgment, strong character, and of a progressive nature, and could have obtained a high place in the commercial world, but preferred rather to devote his life to the betterment of his fellow men. He gained no great wealth, but was able to give his sons an education that has given to the state men eminent in the railroad and commercial world.

It was not my privilege to know the deceased personally; coming to our city at the advanced age of over fourscore years he made but few acquaintances, but those who knew him well, held him in high esteem.

Being possessed of his full mental faculties he saw the approaching end and was full of the faith, and died as he had lived, believing if a man die he shall live again.

Mr. Speaker, I move the rules be suspended and this resolution be adopted by a rising vote.