

resulted in my becoming a member of this body. He was a man well past the years usually allotted to man, living in peace and contentment in his quiet home in Greenfield. I thought it was due him to call on him as an ex-member of this body.

The brief hour that I spent in visiting with him I appreciated very much, as well as the words of counsel and advice that I received.

As the sketch just read in your hearing said, he was one of the old time school teachers and I might say he was a gentleman of the old school. He came to Adair county in 1869, when there was little more than a prairie schooner track over the prairie county. There, with his wife he settled on a farm, which has since become one of the finest stock farms in that county.

I think I might digress here and tell an instance in his political life that will reveal to you something of his character. He became a candidate for senator following the promotion of Senator Hager to congress. In those days candidates were selected by the delegate convention. At that time Adair and Madison county each had nine delegates. I am not sure whether prior to that time or not there had been any agreement of the two counties, but if there was it was disturbed somewhat by the promotion of Senator Hager.

The convention was held at the little village of Webster, in a beautiful natural grove. There on the exact line of the two counties they pitched their tents and balloted day after day until the total number of ballots ran up into thousands, nine votes for Kilburn and nine for his opponent, and the convention adjourned without reaching an agreement. In September they reconvened in Winterset and after balloting one or two days one of the Madison delegates voted for Kilburn. Let me say that before Senator Kilburn had completed his services here he was unanimously respected and liked by all.

He lived to a ripe old age, passing away a few months ago at Greenfield, where his wife and two children still live. He enjoyed the love and respect of all who knew him.

I might digress here to say that Mr. Kilburn, Mr. Hager and the delegate which changed the result of the balloting, all three passed away within a few months.

I take pleasure in paying my slight tribute to L. M. Kilburn and move the adoption of the resolution.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

FRED G. HENIGBAUM

Fred G. Henigbaum, the son of Adolph and Elizabeth Henigbaum, was born in Albany, New York, June 10, 1864, and in the year 1875, removed with his parents to Davenport, Iowa, which place continued to be his residence until the date of his demise, September 7, 1921. He was married to Miss Laura Dean on November 4, 1897, and to this marriage was born one son, Ted, who with the widow and two brothers and two sisters survive to mourn his death.

In politics, Mr. Henigbaum was a republican, though not what some would call a hide-bound partisan. He was firm in his beliefs of the cor-

rectness of the doctrines of the republican party and followed thoughtfully his party's platform wherein the same did not violate the principles of the republican party as he understood them. He was not a politician in any sense of the word, but was a genuine and thorough, patriotic American citizen and had an unlimited faith in the future progress of the great state of Iowa. He was elected to the Iowa Senate by a splendid majority and served in the senate of the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh General Assemblies, where he was loved by all who knew him and he served his district and state with distinction; with credit to himself and honor to the state.

For many years he was a sufferer and during all of his years of suffering he was uncomplaining and always sought to contribute to the comfort and happiness of others. He was unostentatious, charitable in his relationship with men, guided by his sense of justice and directed by a love of humanity. It may be truly said of him:

"Large was his bounty and his soul sincere,
Heaven did a recompense as largely send
He gave to misery, 'twas all he had—a tear,
He gained from Heaven, 'twas all he asked, a friend."

He gave to his community, his city, state and nation largely of his time, his talents and his love. He sought no greater reward than the reward of faithful friends which he gained in large measures.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, By the Iowa Senate that the state of Iowa, in the demise of the Honorable Fred G. Henigbaum, has lost one of its most distinguished, faithful and patriotic citizens; that the city of Davenport and the community in which he lived have been deprived of the benefit of the counsel and the influence of so noble a character, as our late lamented brother senator; that his family and near relatives have been deprived of the society, companionship and love of a faithful husband, a kind, generous, indulgent father and in this hour of their bereavement and sorrow we point them to the Father of all mankind as the only comfort in this their day of sorrow.

D. W. KIMBERLY,
W. G. HASKELL,
JNO. R. PRICE.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

Senator Price spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—It is to be regretted that the senator from Scott is unable to be present on account of his illness; also the senator from Linn, who is absent on account of illness. Had they been present, particularly the senator from Scott, who knew Fred Henigbaum so intimately, there isn't any doubt but what a beautiful eulogy would be now pronounced, and it is to be regretted that my only knowledge and acquaintance of Mr. Henigbaum was during the Thirty-seventh General Assembly, which was his last session as a member of the senate of Iowa.

However brief that acquaintance might have been it was sufficiently long for me to know a very excellent man. I am reminded of the expression that his influence was as the gentle rain that falls from high heaven and laves and soothes the parched land. How true it might be said of him in that trite, common way, that he was seen and rarely