

In Memoriam

.. of ..

Hon. T. C. McCall,

Late Senator, 31st District,

Who Died at his home,

Nevada Iowa,

August 11th, 1892.



The Resolutions Adopted, and the Speeches Made,

By his Colleagues,

February 6th, 1894.

The special order for the hour being the resolutions relative to the death of Senator T. C. McCall, a member of the Senate of the Twenty-fourth General Assembly.

On motion of Senator Boardman, the following resolutions were read:

WHEREAS, Hon. T. C. McCall, late Senator from the Thirty-first Senatorial District, died at his home in Nevada, Iowa, August 11, 1892, and

WHEREAS, The character and public service of the deceased are worthy of public recognition, therefore,

Resolved, That it is with sincere regret that this body learns of the death of Senator McCall, and we desire to express our appreciation of his high moral character, his integrity and honesty of purpose, and his valuable services as an honored member of this body.

Resolved, That for ourselves and the Senate, we express to his family our most sincere sympathy in the loss of a devoted husband and kind parent.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered on the journal of the Senate, and the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to send an engrossed copy to Mrs. Thos. C. McCall, widow, and to the children of the late Senator.

H. C. BOARDMAN,
GEORGE L. FINN,
T. B. PERRY,

Committee.

In moving the adoption of the resolutions

SENATOR H. C. BOARDMAN,

of the Thirty-first District, spoke as follows:

This being the time set apart that the members of this body may pay tribute to the memory of the late Senator McCall, I desire on behalf of the Thirty-first Senatorial District, and especially of Story county, to voice the thanks of the people of that district to this body, for this memorial and tribute to the deceased Senator.

I realize that nothing I can say will add to the high esteem and respect in which he was held by all in his own home and by his large circle of friends and acquaintances in the State, but on an occasion like this, although sad in itself, I consider it a pleasure, after fourteen year's personal acquaintance with the deceased, to express my own appreciation of his high character and qualities which made him an example as a citizen, legislator, and Christian man.

Hon. Thomas Clifton McCall, late a member of this Senate from the Thirty-first district, was born in Ross county, Ohio, September 4th, 1827, and was at the time of his death, which occurred August 11th, 1892, in his 65th year. He was the worthy descendant of patriotic ancestors. His paternal grandfather, Samuel McCall, was a faithful soldier in the revolutionary war, in which his mother's father also fought with distinction under Gen. Nathaniel Green. His father, Samuel W. McCall, was a soldier in the war of 1812, receiving honorable wounds in the battle of McQuaggy, at about the time of Hull's surrender.

In 1836 his father left Ohio and settled in Clinton county, Illinois,