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HORACE GREELEY.

HONORS TO HIS MEMORY.

THE BODY TO LIE IN STATE AT THE CITY HALL TO-DAY—PREPARATIONS FOR THE FUNERAL.

The preparations for the funeral of Mr. Greeley show how deeply his death has affected all classes. The Common Council of this city passed resolutions eulogizing the deceased, and resolved to attend the funeral.

The Governor's Room in the City Hall was selected as the most fitting place for the body to lie in state, to-day. From 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. the public will be afforded an opportunity to view the body. The following were selected as the guard of honor during this interval:

Gen. John A. Dix, the Hon. Wm. F. Havemeyer, Thurlow Weed, George W. Varian, Wm. Butler Duncan, A. T. Stewart, Abraham R. Lawrence, Wm. J. Hoppin, Wm. Cullen Bryant, Henry Nicoll, Peter Cooper, Wm. B. Astor, Thomas E. Stewart, Horatio Seymour, John McKeon, Samuel Tilden, Sheppard Knapp, John T. Hoffman, A. Oakey Hall, Moses H. Grinnell, Charles O'Conor, Emil Sauer, Augustus Schell, Wm. M. Evarts, Chas. P. Daly, and Wm. C. Prime.

The city has done herself honor in offering the hospitality of her historic hall to the remains of her noblest citizen. He passed 42 years of his life among her people, and always felt proud of that growing greatness and prosperity which are the work of their hands.

He was never happier than when he mingled among them, visiting the distressed, diffusing education by his pen, paying homage to merit by his presence, or proclaiming homely truths from her rostrum.

It is fitting, therefore, that they should have an opportunity to gaze on that benignant face they will never more behold. The soldier of whose deeds he made an imperishable record, the colored man for whose emancipation he toiled, the citedizen of foreign birth whom he welcomed to the hospitality of our free land will there join with the people of all sections of our Union in bidding a last, silent farewell to the great patriot—the common friend of all. The millions all over our land who desire to see him honored could wish for no nobler tribute in paying which New-York has shown that her generosity and noble-mindedness are commensurate with her material greatness.

The Typographical Society will also furnish details for a guard of honor during the day. The Mayor, Common Council, heads of Departments, the Mayors and members of the Common Councils of other cities, and the officers of the County of New-York, are requested to meet in the Governor's and Common Council rooms in the City Hall, at 9 a. m. on Wednesday, where they will be received by the Committee preparatory to proceeding to Dr. Chapin's Church.

Secretary Robeson has telegraphed to Mayor Hall that President Grant will probably attend the funeral. The Liberal Republican General Committee, the Republican General Committee, the Tammany Hall General Committee, the Lincoln Club, Union League Club, the Lotos Club, the Arcadian Club, *The Herald* Club, the Liberal Club, the Typographical Society, the stockholders and attaches of THE TRIBUNE, and many associations will attend the funeral. The Mayors and Common Councils of New-York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, Newark, and other cities have announced their intention to be present.

Miss Clara Louise Kellogg and several other leading singers have offered their services as a choir in Dr. Chapin's Church on the occasion of the funeral. Many distinguished men from all parts of the country, who were intimate with the deceased, have announced their intention of joining in the last marks of respect to his memory.

IN CONGRESS.

In the House of Representatives, yesterday, Mr. Dawes said: Mr. SPEAKER: Believing that all will concur in the propriety of a public recognition of events so impressive and so without parallel in the history of this Government that have recently transpired, I deem it proper to offer the following resolution:

"*Resolved*, By the Senate and House of Representatives, in view of the recent death of Horace Greeley, for whom at the late election more than 3,000,000 votes were cast for President, that a record be made on the journals of Congress of appreciation for the eminent services and personal purity and worth of the deceased, and of the sad impression created by his death following a keen family bereavement."

Mr. Cox of New-York then said:

MR. SPEAKER: I desire to add a word to the resolution of condolence and sympathy offered by my friend from Massachusetts. I have the honor to reside in the City of New-York, once represented by Mr. Greeley in the American Congress. This House has heard with profound sorrow of the tragical death of one of its most illustrious citizens, Horace Greeley. His demise creates a void impossible to fill in American journalism, society, and life. His remarkable services were illustrated by practical charities, enlarged benevolence, earnest thought, and independent expression. In the various qualities of mind and character he is an example of and incentive to that sturdy self-reliance and unresting enterprise which distinguish American manhood. Therefore, it is eminently just, gentle, and wise, that at the sad termination of his long and useful career we should make public recognition of this event.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

THE PRESIDENT TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL.

Mayor Hall sent on Sunday the following telegram to the Secretary of the Navy:

"NEW-YORK CITY, Dec. 1, 1872.

"*Secretary* ROBESON, *Washington*: Having the honor of your personal acquaintance, I telegraph you to say that the civic authorities will join the private societies and citizens in a public funeral on Wednesday, from the City Hall, to the late Mr. Greeley, and the idea is universal that should the President attend, and the authorities hereby respectfully invite him, his attendance would popularly be regarded the most magnanimous, graceful, and faction-assuaging event of the country.

"A. OAKEY HALL, Mayor of New-York."

Secretary Robeson sent, yesterday, the following reply:

"WASHINGTON, Dec. 2, 1872.

"*The Hon. A. OAKEY HALL, Mayor of New-York City*: Your telegram was received last night. The President had determined as early as last Saturday to attend Mr. Greeley's funeral, if the day fixed should be one on which he could properly be absent from the Capitol. He is still of the same mind, and will attend on Wednesday if his public duties, growing out of the assembling of Congress, will permit.

"GEO. M. ROBESON."

ACTION OF CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

SIR: A special meeting of the Trustees of Cornell University is called at Ithaca for Thursday, Dec. 5, at 4 o'clock p. m., to take suitable action in reference to the death of Horace Greeley, a member of the Board. EZRA CORNELL, Chairman.

Ithaca, Dec. 2, 1872.

MUNICIPAL HONORS.

MAYOR HALL'S RECOMMENDATION TO THE COMMON COUNCIL.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, Dec. 2, 1872.

To the Common Council: Horace Greeley, a citizen of New-York, who during a quarter of a century has renownedly illustrated its social, literary, charitable, journalistic, and political history, and whose name has become a household word throughout the United States, will be buried on Wednesday, the 4th inst.

The Mayor respectfully recommends that the Common Council appropriately express the grief with which all sects and parties have received the melancholy tidings, and that it suitably commemorate the departure to another world of so distinguished a member of the commonalty, and who was moreover so ardent a patriot and so sincere a philanthropist.

A. OAKEY HALL, Mayor.

ARRANGEMENTS AT THE CITY HALL.

The Joint Committee of the Common Council, appointed yesterday, met later in the day and arranged the following official programme:

CITY HALL, Tuesday, Dec. 3.

The remains of the deceased will be laid in state in the Governor's Room, from 9 a. m. until 10 p. m. The following-named gentlemen have been selected and are hereby requested to be present as a guard of honor during the time the body reposes in the City Hall:

John A. Dix, William F. Havemeyer, Thurlow Weed, George W. Varian, W. Butler Duncan, A. T. Stewart, Abraham R. Lawrence, William J. Hoppin, William Cullen Bryant, Henry Nicoll, Peter Cooper, William B. Astor, Thomas E. Stewart, Heratio Seymour, John McKeon, Samuel J. Tilden, Shepard Knapp, John T. Hoffman, A. Oakey Hall, Moses H. Grinnell, Charles O'Conor, Emil Sauer, Augustus Schell, William M. Evarts, Charles P. Daly, William C. Prime.

The guard of honor furnished by the Typographical Society will report at the City Hall at 9 a. m. on Tuesday, Dec. 3, when the detail will be made. All persons desirous of viewing the body will be admitted through the main entrance of the City Hall, passing through the Governor's Room from east to west, and retiring by either the west basement or rear entrances.

The military and civic officers of the United States located in this and adjoining cities; the officers of the Government of the State of New-York and other States now in this city; the Mayor and the members of the Common Council of this city and the heads of the several departments of the Municipal Government; the Mayor and members of the Common Councils of Brooklyn, Jersey City, Newark, and other neighboring cities; and the several officers of the County of New-York, are hereby requested to meet in the Governor's and Common Council rooms in the City Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 4, at 9 a. m., where they will be received by the Committee preparatory to proceeding to Dr. Chapin's Church, corner of Forty-fifth-st. and Fifth-ave., and participating in the funeral ceremonies.

In consequence of the short space of time allowed the special committee to make the necessary arrangements for viewing the body of the deceased while in state in the Governor's room, and arranging for the obsequies, they were precluded from extending personal invitations to the persons, officials, and corporations above mentioned. They are hereby respectfully invited to attend as above, without the formality of a personal notification.

JOHN COCHRANE, JENKINS VAN SCHAICK,
DANIEL D. CONOVER, JOHN FALCONER,
THOMAS COMAN,
Committee Board of Aldermen.
NICHOLAS R. CONNOR, JOSEPH P. STRACK,
MICHAEL HEALY, JOHN GALVIN,
FRANCIS J. GEIS,
Committee Board of Assistant Aldermen.

Under the direction of Mr. Roome, the janitor, the Governor's Room at the City Hall has been elaborately and profusely draped in mourning—festoons of white and black cloth depending from the ceiling. The exterior of the room over the main porch of the City Hall has also been draped, and a life-sized portrait of Mr. Greeley will be displayed over the entrance. The columns of the City Hall have also been festooned with mourning.

SERVICES IN THE CHURCH.

A meeting of the Committee appointed on Sunday last by the congregation of Dr. Chapin's Church was held, last night in the Sunday-school, for the purpose of making arrangements for the accommodation of the public bodies who desire to be present at the funeral services of Mr. Greeley.

The meeting was presided over by P. T. Barnum, and D. D. T. Marshall acted as Secretary. The first business before the meeting was the reading of a communication by a committee of the ladies of the congregation with regard to the proposed decoration of the church.

The Chairman said that President Grant, Senators Sumner and Schurz, and some of the most distinguished men of the country would be present at the funeral services. The Common Council of this city, Jersey City, and Brooklyn would attend, and it was well known that the church could not accommodate more than 1,600 persons.

On motion of Mr. Hoyt, a sub-committee consisting of seven was appointed to receive applications from those who would attend, and they issued the following notice:

To the Public: All public bodies desiring to take part in the funeral services of the late Horace Greeley will please communicate with the special committee appointed by Dr. Chapin's Society, who have full authority and sole control as to the disposition and arrangements for Mr. Greeley's funeral.

The Committee will be in session to receive applications for seats at No. 229 Broadway, to-day, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m., and in the evening, at 7:30, in the basement of Dr. Chapin's church, at Fifth-ave. and Forty-fifth-st. No one will be admitted to the church without a ticket signed by the Chairman of the Committee.

The Rev. Dr. Chapin announced that he had received a communication from the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher stating that he would be present at the services and take any part to which he was assigned.

The church entrance will be draped in black and festooned with ivy vines. In the interior, the pillars and galleries will also be draped in black and festooned with flowers. A solid flower arch will encircle the pulpit, and over it the motto: "I know that my Redeemer liveth," and in front of the pulpit the sentence, "It is done." The pew of the deceased will be draped in deep mourning.

The funeral services will be under the direction of Dr. W. Berge, organist of St. Francis Xavier's Church, assisted by a full choir, among whom are Miss Kellogg, and Miss F. Werneker. The service will be as follows:

Funeral March—Chopin.
De Profundis—Chant.
Reading of Scriptures.
"I know that my Redeemer liveth," by Miss Kellogg.
Address by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher.
"Sleep thy Last Sleep"—Quartet.
Address by Dr. Chapin.
Prayer.
"Angels ever Bright and Fair," by Miss Werneker.
Benediction.
"O What is Life!"—Chant.

ORDER OF FUNERAL PROCESSION.

POLICE SUPERINTENDENT KELSO'S DIRECTIONS.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Dec. 2, 1872.

The undersigned has been requested by the friends of the late Mr. Greeley, and by the Joint Committee of the Common Council to supervise the processional arrangements of the funeral, on Wednesday morning instant. The remains will be privately removed from the City Hall, on Wednesday, to the house of Samuel Sinclair, esq., and will thence be privately removed by friends and TRIBUNE staff and employés to the Church of the Divine Paternity (Dr. Chapin's), on Fifth-ave., corner of Forty-fifth-st. The funeral services will occur in the church at 11 o'clock, and the body of it will be reserved for the immediate friends of the deceased and for those connected with THE TRIBUNE establishment, and also the invited guests. Private societies and citizens generally who expect to take part in the procession (which will move as soon as the services conclude), will please station themselves in Fifth-ave., north of Forty-fifth-st. No music will be allowed. The route of the procession will be through Fifth-ave. to Fourteenth-st., Fourteenth-st. to Broadway, Broadway to Hamilton Ferry. JAMES J. KELSO, Supt. of Police.

THE NEW-YORK COMMON COUNCIL.

ACTION OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Special meetings of both branches of the Common Council were held yesterday to take action in relation to the death of Mr. Greeley. In the Board of Aldermen Alderman Vance was appointed Chairman *pro tem.*

Gen. Cochrane said in part: Mr. President, I understand that the Board has been organized in view of the event which has shrouded the city with gloom. It needs no elaborate speech to designate the occasion properly. The death of Horace Greeley inclines rather to silence than to speech. Language is feeble to measure the extent of our loss, and certainly if referable to all that he has done, and to what, if living, he still might do, would better be left unattempted. He was our fellow-citizen. Here was his chosen home, and here were his daily walks. While here he was beloved; it was elsewhere that respect and admiration attended upon him. But beloved by us who knew him, and honored and esteemed by all who had heard of him, he has nevertheless gone from among us, leaving a name great and renowned. I have the honor to introduce the following resolutions:

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, That we deplore the death of Horace Greeley. The public, in the interval since its unexpected announcement, has evidenced a just sense of the magnitude of the loss to itself and to the civilized world. His was the wisdom that linked science to daily pursuits, the philosophy that embraced the human race within commensurate benevolence, the religion that excluded none from its gracious fold. In the quest of truth he was unwearied, in the practice of virtue humble, but stern in dispensing its inexorable laws. With sensibilities as tender as those of a child, yet his purity of heart installed him the censor of every human vice. He was the moral teacher of the age. In affairs a philosopher, in politics a statesman, and in ethics a sage, he wrought them all practically into the greatest journalist of our time.

Resolved, That we do not forget in the general gloom the poignancy of private grief, and we here tender to the surviving family our heartfelt commiseration.

Resolved, That Horace Greeley having grown in our city to be the man he was, his obsequies should be so celebrated that the people whom he loved may generally participate therein. We therefore direct that the Governor's Room in the City Hall be prepared when his body shall lie in state at public view during Tuesday the 3d instant, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 10 p. m.

Resolved, That it is hereby recommended to our citizens to close their respective places of business and refrain from any secular employment on the day set apart for solemnizing the funeral rites and ceremonies; that the members of the Common Council will attend the funeral in a body, with their staves of office, and draped in mourning, and will wear a badge of mourning for a period of 30 days; that the flags on the City Hall and the other public buildings be displayed at half-mast from sunrise till sunset, and the owners or masters of vessels in the harbor and the owners or occupants of buildings in this city be requested to display their flags at half-mast on that day; and that a joint Committee of five members of each branch of the Common Council be appointed to perfect the above, and, after consultation with the Mayor and heads of Departments of the Municipal Government, make such other and further arrangements as to them may appear better calculated more clearly and impressively to manifest sorrow for the death and reverence for the memory of the deceased.

The resolutions were seconded by Alderman Van Schaick and were unanimously adopted. The President appointed the following as members of the Joint Committee, called for by the resolutions: Aldermen Cochrane, Van Schaick, Conover, Falconer, and Coman.

CONCURRENCE OF THE ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

The Board of Assistant Aldermen was called to order by the President. The resolutions adopted by the Board of Aldermen were presented and Assistant Alderman Connor moved a concurrence with the Board of Aldermen, saying, in effect, that as a young man lately embarked on the sea of political life, he could hardly be expected to find words adequate to the occasion. He referred to the good example furnished to the young by Mr. Greeley, and urged all young men to follow his example in the determined manner in which he adhered to his principles.

Mr. Connor paid a tribute to Mr. Greeley's efforts in behalf of the colored race, saying that he labored to put into practical operation the first principle of the Declaration of Independence, that all men were born free and equal. His death was a sad affliction which men of all creeds and political faith felt. His name would go down to posterity as an honored, beloved American, whose works would live till history passed away.

Assistant Alderman Pinckney in seconding the motion for concurrence said in substance that Mr. Greeley had commended himself to the world as a humanitarian whose best efforts were directed for the benefit of the oppressed. He was the champion of the laboring classes, the friend of the slave, earnest in the reformation of abuses and in the redress of wrong; of purity unsullied and of character without reproach.

The President, Otis T. Hall, said, in part: I cannot let this opportunity pass without publicly expressing my sorrow at this dispensation of Divine Providence. I do not presume by my weak words to add to the sentiments already so ably expressed by my colleague, but I desire to express my sympathy with the relatives of the deceased in this their great affliction; and to mourn with the city and with the nation the loss of one of the greatest men of modern times. Horace Greeley is dead; and the nation mourns. For many years we have looked upon him as a great political leader who has worked incessantly for the good of the people, and has done more in the formation of political parties and in shaping American politics than any man of the age. He was a friend of the oppressed; ever mindful of the wants of the needy. An able advocate of industry, economy, temperance, morality and religion, and a loving example of the nobility of American citizenship. But his voice is hushed in death. He will no longer move among us, lightening the burden of the weary and giving faith and hope to the disconsolate by his clear and able discussion of the great principles of personal and national prosperity. Although I could not support him in the late campaign, yet I cannot but believe that his motives were all pure and patriotic, and his late political movements intended for the best interests of the whole country. While I wish to mingle my tears with those of his family and loved ones, I desire with them to look beyond the open grave, and remember Mr. Greeley's dying words: "I know that my Redeemer liveth." Let us consider the uncertainty of human life, prepare for life eternal, and remember, in the language of the poet,

"Leaves have their time to fall,
And flowers to wither at the north wind's breath,
And stars to set, but all
Thou hast all seasons for thine own, O Death."

The Board concurred in the resolutions. Assistant Aldermen Connor, Galvin, Geis, Healy, and Strack were designated as the Joint Committee in behalf of the Assistant Alderman, and the Board thereupon adjourned.

THE BROOKLYN COMMON COUNCIL.

The Brooklyn Common Council met at 8 p. m., yesterday, Jacob I. Bergen in the chair, and received from Mayor Powell the following communication:

To the Honorable the Common Council—GENTLEMEN: The death of Horace Greeley has excited a deep and widespread sympathy throughout the land, which has found expression through the columns of the press, irrespective of creed or party, and in view of his great service to his country during a long public career, I think it highly proper that your honorable body should join in paying such tribute to his memory as his great character demands. Respectfully submitted,

S. S. POWELL, Mayor.

Alderman Boggs then offered the following:

Resolved, That a Committee of five be appointed to draw suitable resolutions of condolence for the death of the veteran journalist, Horace Greeley, and that this Board do attend the funeral in a body, and that the Committee be appointed with power.

Previous to the adoption of the resolution, Alderman Ropes eulogized the life and character of Mr. Greeley, and said that the lesson learned by his death is that the world is better for his having lived, and that men will but answer the purpose God had when He gave them birth if they strive to emulate his blameless life and his love for his fellow-men.

Alderman Taylor said, in part, that it seemed very appropriate that a public body should pause in its ordinary routine of business, and take public notice of the fact that one of the greatest of American journalists and statesmen ended his life. The Board should record its high appreciation of his distinguished qualities of mind and heart, for certainly there was no American citizen that had not learned to look behind the few eccentricities of Horace Greeley and to find his genius and great morality. There was no cause of public charity which had not received his active sympathy and the aid of his great talents. There is something in the heart of this great nation which responds to the sad bereavement which has fallen upon his family. Men standing about the grave of the illustrious journalist should learn to cherish the principles which he brought out in his life and sealed with his death.

Alderman Dawson also made a few appropriate remarks, and said that God would bless Horace Greeley for his good deeds, and his countrymen would remember him as a devoted friend and benefactor.

The Chairman, Alderman Bergen, expressed his hearty appreciation of the greatness of Mr. Greeley, and only refrained from making further remarks because of a severe indisposition.

Alderman Richardson said, in part: Once more are opened the gates of our beautiful "city of the dead" for the entrance of another weary pilgrim who, after life's toilsome struggle and wearisome journey, seeks for rest in its quiet retreats. This time those gates are opened to receive, as one of the inhabitants of that city, a man as distinguished as any of those who have arrived before him; as during his life, none excelled him, either in influence, usefulness, or fame. The name of Horace Greeley was not merely "familiar to us as a household word," but it was, it is, and will be a "household word" from one end of this continent to the other. Wherever civilization has marshaled its forces, education has erected its standard, religion has posted her sentinels, or science has advanced her outmost picket, there has reached the name and fame of him whose death we lament and whose memory we honor to-day. No better illustration of the vital force of republican institutions, and of the opportunities and encouragement which they furnish for individual development, can be found than in the events which preceded and attended the success of Horace Greeley. Of him might be said in truth those words so often misapplied, "He was a self-made man." Born and reared in poverty, ungainly in figure, with no advantages of person, voice, or manner to aid him, from the age of ten years he was entirely self-supporting, while for many of the early years of his life he was utterly neglectful of himself and his own pressing wants for the purpose of relieving the necessities of his parents.

As a defender of human rights and as a philanthropist Horace Greeley had few equals and no superiors. He recognized in every man a brother, the creation of the same almighty, beneficent Father, entitled to the same rights and the enjoyment of the same privileges as himself. It was this that made him an aggressive anti-Slavery man. He saw that freedom was the normal condition of every human being. Against all forms of bondage, except as a punishment for personal crime, he carried on an active and effective warfare. Believing that "the pen is mightier than the sword," and of right ought to be so, he lost no opportunity of advocating and demanding peace. Believing that intemperance is personal enslavement, and that "temperance in all things" should be the rule of life, as it is the safety of every man, he practiced temperance himself, and urged it as the best course for others. Strong anti-Slavery and temperance man as Horace Greeley always was, he never favored the formation or the existence of political parties for the promotion of either.

But I love to think of that closing scene, where, attended by daughters the depth of whose affliction none can fathom, the magnitude of whose loss none can appreciate, with a few attendant friends, Horace Greeley came to the close of his "busy life." What had been his experiences through the days of his sickness and apparent gloom none of us may know, but it is permitted to us to witness the result. "I know that my Redeemer liveth—it is done"—that was all; but in those few words are epitomized all the Gospel of Christ, and all the faith of the Christian. He who has said, "I am the Resurrection and the Life; he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall never die," was the companion, the exemplar, and the consolation of the dying man, and in that sublime faith, with his hand in that of his Redeemer he passed over the Jordan into the promised land. Wherever suffering humanity stretches forth her hands imploringly for relief—wherever the liberated slave lifts his tearful eyes with thankfulness to God for his deliverance; in every penal institution in which philanthropy has ameliorated the woe of the prisoner by the abolishment of unnecessary punishment; wherever generous hearts can appreciate arduous, unselfish toil for the benefit of the race; on the Mississippi as on the Hudson, on the banks alike of the Thames and the Seine, and of the Rhine; on the mountains of Switzerland, in the valleys of Piedmont, and on the plains of Italy—throughout the whole civilized world shall be mourned the loss, be cherished the fame, and recounted the virtues, gentleness, labors and faithfulness of Horace Greeley.

The Committee appointed to make arrangements for the funeral included Aldermen Boggs, Ropes, Clancy, Richardson, and Walter.

THE LIBERAL REPUBLICAN GENERAL COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Liberal Republican General Committee was held last evening at the Headquarters, No. 814 Broadway. The Hon. Thomas E. Stewart presided, George F. Coachman and Weeks W. Culver acting as Secretaries. There was a very full attendance. The Chairman stated briefly the object of the meeting and the loss the Committee and the nation at large had sustained in the death of Mr. Greeley. Gen. John A. Foster offered the following resolutions:

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, It has pleased Divine Providence to remove to his everlasting rest our beloved friend and honored leader, Horace Greeley; therefore

Resolved, That, while our hearts are weighed down with affliction at our heavy loss, we are grateful to the supreme Ruler of events that our friend was spared for so long a career of usefulness, and that the advancement of the great interests of humanity, civilization, and brotherhood among all men, for which he so long and so faithfully and disinteresedly labored, will not be hindered or delayed even by his death.

Resolved, That the history of his life, too well known to need recital here, is the bright, unstained record of an existence devoted to the good of others. Owing nothing to accidental advantages, having from his childhood to rely upon his own unaided exertions for his living, his education and opportunities for public usefulness, he rose by the force of native genius, guided by pure purposes and strengthened by the habits of industry acquired in early youth and never relaxed until the finger of death touched him, from poverty to what would have been a condition of affluence but for his untiring generosity—from obscurity to fame. Recognized as the first in his chosen profession, a profession which he has done more than any other writer to elevate to the proud and honorable position it now holds—honored in literature in which he made for himself a name, and became a force by his unrivaled power to express in fitting language great and valuable thoughts—but recognized, honored, and worthy of honor, now that his work is done, most of all, in and because of this, that he was always the friend, the advocate, and the champion of the poor, the weak, and the oppressed. In the great events which have taken place in our country within his life-time, and especially in those which resulted in the removal of the crime and shame of Slavery, and the elevation to the rights of manhood and citizenship of a long-oppressed race, the services and influence of Horace Greeley were preeminent. His disinterestedness, purity, and statesmanship were demonstrated when, at the close of the long, bloody, and exhausting contest which distracted the nation, he who of all men had borne most obloquy, incurred most hatred from the defeated party, was the first to claim for that party the full and free restoration to all civil and political rights, and to advocate the reestablishment of the Union in the spirit of fraternal affection. Always in advance of his political associates, he was the creature of no party. Advocating truths for no other inducement than that they were truths, he, even while he was yet with us, saw nearly all the principles for the avowal of which he was at first reviled, adopted by the people and enacted into laws, and soon the very doctrines which he last advocated will, by adoption, become the creed of a united nation, and in the fruition of the hopes he so earnestly entertained and for the realization of which he so ardently labored that the errors, the quarrels, and the bitterness of the past should be forgotten, and the people of his native land, in a spirit of fraternal kindness, proceed to work out the great career which is open to them, we will find consolation for his untimely departure.

Resolved, That as political supporters and associates of our lamented friend, we deem it due alike to our cause, to his memory, and to ourselves, to declare our continued faith in and adhesion to the principles represented and maintained by him in the late canvass; but we make this declaration in no spirit of partisanship, and in the hope and belief that the time is near at hand when those who have been opposed heretofore only upon issues which have been settled, will be able to meet and act together with exclusive reference to the public good.

Resolved, That we are profoundly impressed by the universal manifestations of the sorrow felt by all our fellow-citizens at our common loss, and gladly recognize in the general expressions of grief the proof that no differences of opinion have obscured the luster of our dead friend's qualities of heart or mind. The tears that flow upon his bier come from honest hearts, and over his grave men of all races and of all parties will offer the best tribute to his memory when they unite in obliterating past differences and striving together to carry on those great labors for the public good, for which he lived and for which he died.

Resolved, That we tender to the children of the deceased our deepest sympathy for the irreparable loss for which there can be no consolation or adequate reparation.

Col. Willis made a long speech in eulogy of Mr. Greeley, and alluded in fitting terms to his public services. Chas. T. Polhamus, Mr. Frankenheimer, Gen. John Cochrane, and the Hon. Christopher Pullman followed in short and feeling addresses. Mr. Pullman said he hoped that when the vote was taken on the resolutions it would be done silently, the members rising.

This was done, the resolution being adopted unanimously. The Committee will meet at the headquarters, at 10 a. m. to-morrow, and attend the funeral in a body. The room and the front of the building will be suitably draped, and mourning badges will be worn at the funeral.

THE TAMMANY SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Tammany Society or the Columbian Order was held, last evening, at the Wigwam in Fourteenth-st. Among those present were John Fox, Wm. C. Conner, Miles B. Andrews, E. L. Donnelly, J. W. Chanler, Judges Leonard and Barber, and many others. Augustus Schell presided at the meeting. The following declaration of the sentiments of the Society, offered by Algernon S. Sullivan, and seconded by the Hon. John Kelly, was adopted:

The Society of Tammany, or the Columbian Order, was organized to keep alive the patriot flame in the breasts of all American citizens, and the Society has always been prompt to honor the name and fame of those who were eminent in their character and services in the State. A just tribute to the living and unfading laurels to the honored dead has ever been rendered in these halls, and now, when the death of Horace Greeley has been announced, we approach his tomb and reverently lay thereon our chaplet.

In the best and broadest sense of the word he was a philanthropist; his very patriotism was an expression of a desire to promote the happiness of his fellow-men. He loved justice, and therefore, of course, loved liberty and equality for every man. He was never a slave of party, but a man whose conscience gave him individuality and independence. The controlling characteristics of his life were rectitude and active effort for progress and benevolence.

For all this, and for his courageous, tender-hearted appeals to his countrymen to uproot the spirit of discord and to bring back the feeling of brotherhood in our beloved country, we, to-night, inscribe his name in bright letters on the scroll of America's most illustrious and patriotic dead.

THE REPUBLICAN GENERAL COMMITTEE.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Republican General County Committee, held, last evening, at Broadway and Twenty-third-st., it was resolved that the General Committee be recommended to meet at the headquarters, to-morrow forenoon, and in a body attend the funeral of Mr. Greeley.

It was further recommended that the Chairman be authorized to make the necessary arrangements and provide suitable mourning badges. The Committee on Resolutions was directed to prepare appropriate resolutions, to be presented at the next meeting of the Committee.

THE UNION LEAGUE CLUB.

A special meeting of the Union League Club was held at the club-house in Madison-ave. last evening. S. H. Wales presided. Addresses eulogistic of the virtues of their late associate were delivered by Judge Fancher, the Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, the Rev. O. B. Frothingham, the Hon. Stewart L. Woodford, the Hon. William Orton, Samuel J. Glassey, and James H. Titus. A Committee of five, consisting of the Hon. William Orton, Jackson S. Schultz, Sinclair Tousey, Henry Clews, and J. M. Bundy, was appointed to prepare suitable resolutions. The Committee presented the following which were unanimously adopted:

The members of the Union League Club doubly feel the great affliction which has visited them in the removal of one of their oldest and most distinguished associates, Horace Greeley. An early and prominent member of this Club, and one of the most earnest advocates of the great principles in the support of which we have all labored, his death recalls to us the great work which he so largely aided to accomplish in the enfranchisement and elevation of an enslaved race and in the enlightenment of public opinion. Among the great conflicts of the past generation, and in the support of all reformatory measures, we recognize now, as we always have recognized, the traits of mind and character which have made our departed associate a power in the land; his energy, industry, and unspotted moral character; his sympathy with the poor and oppressed, his fearless advocacy of all good causes, and devotion to whatever tended to enhance the prosperity and to conduce to the general elevation and intellectual progress of his country. In the presence of the overwhelming affliction which has come upon us, we forget all recent political events and discussions, and remember only the great services of our departed associate to the country and to mankind, and especially do we tender our warmest sympathies to the doubly bereaved children of a great and representative American.

Resolved, That the President be requested to appoint a committee of twenty members of the Club to attend the funeral of the deceased.

Appended are the names of the Committee appointed by the Chairman: Jackson S. Schultz, Isaac Sherman, Lansing C. Moore, E. L. Fancher, John H. Van Alen, George W. Blunt, Sinclair Tousey, R. M. Strebeigh, O. D. Munn, J. M. Bundy, Peter Cooper, Charles Watrous, Elliott C. Cowden, Chauncey M. Depew, Thomas C. Acton, W. H. Fogg, John A. C. Gray, Levi A. Dowley, Dorman B. Eaton, D. F. Appleton, S. H. Wales.

THE LINCOLN CLUB.

A special meeting of the Lincoln Club was held last evening at the Club-rooms, No. 20 East Twenty-first-st. Alderman D. D. Conover presided, and Asher Barnett acted as Secretary. Gen. Palmer moved that a committee be appointed to prepare resolutions expressive of the feelings of the members of the Club in relation to the death of Mr. Greeley.

The Chairman appointed as such Committee, Gen. Palmer, ex-Judge Fithian, C. T. Polhamus, the Hon. Thomas E. Stewart, and Gen. John Cochrane. The following resolutions were offered:

Resolved, That in the decease of our late fellow-citizen, Horace Greeley, the members of the Lincoln Club are called upon to lament and deplore the loss of an esteemed associate and friend in whose honor and integrity they ever placed the most implicit confidence and whose personal relations as member of the Club were of that most happy character which made his genial presence at their rooms ever hailed with the highest emotions of appreciation and pleasure by its members.

Resolved, That to the memory of Horace Greeley, whose purity of life, nobility of character, and integrity of purpose, were blended the warmest and most generous impulses of humanity, we owe and accord our highest tribute of esteem and respect.

Resolved, That the action of the Lincoln Club in extending to Mr. Greeley the use of its rooms as his home during the recent political canvass, and his acceptance of the hospitalities of the Club as its honored guest, will ever be remembered and cherished by its members as the brightest event chronicled upon the pages of its history.

Resolved, That, with the bereaved members of his family and the millions of mourning friends throughout the nation, we unite in expression of sincere regret and tenderest sympathy in their and our common loss.

Resolved, That, as an humble acknowledgement of our loss and a fitting tribute of respect to the memory of our departed brother and friend, the rooms of the Club be draped in mourning, and that the members attend in a body his obsequies.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the minutes, and be properly engrossed and framed, and placed in the rooms of the Lincoln Club in memoriam.

Gen. Palmer and ex-Judge Fithian made feeling allusions to the memory of the deceased, recounting the main features of his life, and the many public acts with which he had been identified. The resolutions were adopted unanimously. The members of the Club will attend the funeral in a body, wearing suitable mourning badges. The members of the Liberal Republican General Committee were invited to participate with the Lincoln Club in this duty. Suitable floral decorations will be presented to the family of the deceased.

Wm. H. De Camp moved that a Committee of five be appointed to drape the building, and the following were appointed: Wm. H. De Camp, Dr. Martin Frelich, Superintendent Thorne, and Hugh Nesbitt. The President was added to each committee. It was resolved that the members of the Club meet at the club-house, at 9½ o'clock this evening, to make arrangements for attending the funeral.

A TRIBUTE FROM SOROSIS.

The ladies of Sorosis held their monthly social meeting at Delmonico's yesterday afternoon. The gathering was large and the exercises were varied and spirited. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Club:

Whereas, To-day the nation mourns the loss of a great and good man, who devoted his giant intellect to Reform and whose heart was always open to the cry of the oppressed;

Resolved, That we add to the sense of general loss a deep personal sorrow at the Providence which has deprived Miss Ida Greeley and her sister of a loving father as well as a tender mother.

Resolved, That though words are insufficient to measure either their loss or the deep sympathy that we feel for them in their affliction, in such great grief the Divine hand which smites can alone administer consolation. Hoping that they may have comfort vouchsafed them such as the world cannot give, we assure them that our hearts flow out in sympathetic tenderness for those so young, yet so sorely stricken.

IN THE TRIBUNE OFFICE.

A TRIBUTE FROM THE EMPLOYES.

A meeting of the past and present employés of THE NEW-YORK TRIBUNE, including members of the Composing Room, Press Room, and Mailing Department, was held in the Composing Room, yesterday, at 3 o'clock p. m., to take action on the death of Horace Greeley. Washington A. Dodge was chosen to preside, and A. Vanderwerker was appointed Secretary. W. W. Pasko offered the following preamble and resolutions, which were adopted unanimously:

Whereas, Death has taken from us in the midst of his usefulness, Horace Greeley, the Founder and Editor of THE TRIBUNE, and for many years our friend;

Resolved, That we deplore his loss as one affecting the whole world which has been made better by his manly advocacy of social reforms, his hatred of human Slavery, and his opposition to evils known before his day, but since abolished by his influence; and we mourn him as an attached friend, a just employer, and a true and faithful counselor.

Resolved, That we tender to the members of his family and to the conductors of this paper our sympathy under the blow they have just received.

Resolved, That this body attend the funeral, as a mark of respect.

Mr. Pasko then addressed the meeting as follows:

We scarcely thought, as we attended the funeral of William F. Beers, that the next death out of those who are intimately associated in the conduct of this journal would be that of its great founder, Horace Greeley. We have so long been accustomed to looking up to him as a leader and teacher, that his loss will be more deeply felt by us than that of any other man connected with the press during our lifetime. There are a thousand things that we might say of him, all redounding to his credit, but to us his chief merit was that his humanity was never sunk in the politician or the editor. His heart was noble, his hand free, his counsels available to all who knew him, and he ever took a warm interest in every plan to relieve suffering or diminish the sorrows of life. We can, of course, enter into no estimate of Mr. Greeley's character at this hour. We have lost a friend, and are in no mood to weigh his merits and demerits. Still I think we should be remiss in duty if we did not at least allude to his opposition to human slavery and his efforts to improve the condition of workingmen. At a time when the conscience of the leaders of parties was dead, and only John Quincy Adams, of men whose voices were influential in the councils of the nation, offered a remonstrance against the evils that threatened the existence of the Government, Horace Greeley was known as a man opposed to Slavery, and was disliked accordingly. That shame is now his glory, and I think that he would esteem as his greatest claim on the judgment of posterity the fact that he never gave any countenance to the "sum of human villanies." He opposed it as he did the oppression of the classes who labor