

The Bismarck Tribune.

"ROCK OF AGES."

"Rock of ages, cleft for me—
Thoughtfully the fallen sang,
Full the words unconsciously
From her girlish, gleeful tongue;

THE YANKTON TRAGEDY.

The Resolutions Adopted at a Citizens Meeting—A Brief History of Gen. E. S. McCook and His Remarkable Family.

Mention has been made in our dispatches of a large indignation meeting which was held at Yankton on the day after the assassination of Gen. McCook.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to take from our midst in the meridian of his life and usefulness, Gen. Edwin S. McCook, secretary of Dakota Territory, as an expression of our regard for his memory and heartfelt sympathy with his bereaved family.

Resolved, That we, citizens of Yankton, deeply deplore the tragic and untimely death of our late noble and gallant friend and citizen, Gen. Edwin S. McCook, late secretary of this territory.

Resolved, That we do hereby tender to his widow and relatives our deepest sympathies with the hope that by mingling our tears with theirs, we may serve in some measure to soften the force of this sudden and heart-rending blow which has robbed her of a loving husband and them of a brother, son, and father of whom they are justly proud.

Resolved, That a delegation of our citizens accompany his remains upon the route to his last resting place in Ohio, where among the other members of his family he may sleep in peace, and that we will treasure up his memory as one who ever acted from principle, and while we read in the history of our country of his gallant achievements in arms, we will remember that we had the good fortune to know and be the friend of one who in his life-time was the bravest of the brave, and who in death was without fear, and without reproach.

Resolved, That in his death we mourn the loss of a sterling patriot whose valuable services the country gratefully acknowledges, a faithful, efficient, honorable public officer, and a public-spirited citizen. While we cherish his memory let us strive to emulate the nobleness of his character.

around and shaking his finger in McCook's face in a threatening manner, said, "By G—d, I can whip you!" McCook laughed and said "I guess not," and turned as to go away.

PERSONAL. D. C. Snow, formerly proprietor of the Washington National Intelligence, has just married Miss Nancy L. Stuke.

ABOU BEN BUTLER. About the Graphic. Abou Ben Butler may his little decrease!

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