

an unsullied, noble Christian gentleman. All our memories of him are gentle and reverential; gentle and full of hope is the sorrow, acute as it is, of those whom no time can console, no fortune can compensate for his loss.

Messrs. Draper, Durrie and Conover were appointed a committee on resolutions, who, through their chairman, reported the following:

"Resolved, That in the death of Hon. Geo. R. McLane, we have to lament the loss of an intelligent and sympathizing coadjutor, and the State one of her most worthy and public-spirited citizens, who, by his talents, usefulness and gentlemanly deportment, endeared himself to all with whom he associated.

"Resolved, That in respect to the memory of Dr. McLane, this meeting adjourn for one week, and that a copy of these proceedings be transmitted to his family, with the expression of our sincere condolence."

After appropriate remarks by Messrs. Draper, Durrie and Carpenter, as to the worth and talents of Dr. McLane, and the great loss the Society has sustained in his death, the resolutions were adopted.

It was voted that Dr. Hunt be requested to furnish a copy of his address to be filed in the archives of the Society.

Robert M. Sully

In Executive Committee, Dec. 18th, 1855, E. A. Calkins, Esq., in the chair, Lyman C. Draper arose, and announced the death of Robert M. Sully, as follows:

Mr. President:—Once and again have we met, within a few brief months, to pay a merited tribute of respect to departed worth. In May last, Hon. Hiram A. Wright, a fellow member of the Executive Committee of this Society, was summoned away; and, in August, Hon. George R. McLane, one of our Vice Presi-