

Office of the City Clerk }  
Ann Arbor, June 16th, 1896 }

Special Session.

Called to order by President Hiscock.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Absent, Ald. Koch, Soule, Danforth.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR.

Glen V. Mills, City Clerk.

Call a special Session of the Common Council to be held at your office at 2 o'clock p. m. June 16th, 1896, to take action relative to the death of Ex-Governor Alpheus Felch and to make arrangements to attend the funeral.

WARREN E. WALKER,  
Mayor.

June 16th, 1896.

Pres. Hiscock appointed Ald. Brown, Moore and Soule as a Committee to draft proper resolutions.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor is most desirous of paying its tribute of respect and affection to the memory of the illustrious citizen, Ex-Gov. Alpheus Felch whose death the City and the State today deplore, therefore be it resolved by the Common Council aforesaid that it be entered upon the records of this Council that we recognize in the life and services of Alpheus Felch a monument

“more lasting than brass” to the influence of a good man upon his day and generation: whether we seek the evidence of that influence in the quiet walks of his social life as a citizen and a neighbor, at the bar of the courts of his profession, upon the bench of justice, in the Curule chair of the Chief Magistrate of the State, or in the proud forum of the nation’s supremest legislature we shall never fail to find, that the work of Alpheus Felch has stood for all that makes for the highest and best for humanity, so that it can be fittingly said of him at the peaceful close of his long and illustrious career, “the upright man fears no evil.” “Integer vitae scelerisque purus.”

Be it further resolved that this Council attend the funeral obsequies as a body, and that a copy of these resolutions attested by the Mayor and City Clerk be forwarded to the family of the deceased.

Respectfully submitted,  
H. J. Brown,  
Geo. L. Moore.

Committee on Resolutions.

On motion of Ald. Coon the report of the Committee was adopted unanimously.

GLEN V. MILLS,  
City Clerk.