State under a new Constitution, and of the read-
justment of its jurisprudence under a revision
of its laws, as Chief Justice of this extended State,
with its vast amount and variety of business and
interests, he has encountered and discharged these
duties in a manner highly advantageous to the com-
unity, and honorable to himself. That his course has
been eminently distinguished by patient investiga-
tion, unwearied industry, and research, by probity and
integrity on which suspicion never breathed, by
sound and invincible good sense and judgment,
and by high moral and intellectual dignity, and
that we confidently, after his contemporaries testing,
to the reports of his recorded opinions, as evidence
of the vast amount of his official labors, and the
inditing monuments of his judicial fame,
Resolved, That the kindness and urbanity of his manner
and the benevolence of his disposition, in social life,
have commended him as a man, to our warmest
estimation, and that he carries with him into retirement
our united best wishes, that the residue of his life
may be crowned with a degree of happiness, in
some measure commensurate with the benefits which
his wisdom and labors have conferred on the community.
On motion it was resolved, that the
proceedings of this meeting be signed by the Chairman
and communicated to the late Chief Justice, and
that the same be published.

J. Brandley
Chairman

Daniel Lorde, Jr.
Secretary