



Speech by

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MOTION OF CONDOLENCE

Deaths of Mr R. T. McLean, MLA, and Mr L. J. Yewdale, MLA

Mr FELDMAN (Caboolture—ONP) (10.27 a.m.): I did not know personally either of these two honourable gentlemen, Ron McLean or Les Yewdale, but their deeds have certainly gone before them in this House. Obviously, they were men of stature and men of character. That is something that this place loves dearly—men of character. They did their duty: they performed in this House and they performed for their electors. They will be remembered for their achievements and their accomplishments as well as the stories.

I endorse the kind words placed on record in this House by those who knew these gentlemen well and who served alongside them. With the other members of One Nation, I wish to extend condolences and best wishes to the families of the deceased gentlemen. I am sure that all of those in One Nation and without would be happy to join with me in extending our sympathies to their families, their next of kin.

In closing, I wish to offer these words to their families and to their friends: unto him, who is able to keep you from falling, to the only wise God, our Father, be glory and majesty. I know these two men will be presented faultless in the presence of the glory of our maker and I offer this to their family and to their friends. Amen.