

## David Heaton

(10 Mar 1823 – 25 Jun 1870)

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### **Biographical Directory of the United States Congress 1774-1989**

A Representative from North Carolina; born in Hamilton, Butler County, Ohio, March 10, 1823; completed preparatory studies; studied law; was admitted to the bar; elected to the State senate in 1855; moved to St. Anthony Falls, Minn., in 1857; member of the State Senate of Minnesota 1858-1863; appointed special agent of the Treasury Department and the United States depository in New Bern, N.C., in 1863; appointed Third Auditor of the Treasury in 1864, but declined; served as a member of the constitutional convention of North Carolina in 1867; upon the readmission of North Carolina to representation was elected as a Republican to the 40th Congress; reelected to the 41st Congress and served from July 15, 1868, until his death; had been nominated as a Republican candidate for reelection to the 42nd Congress; died in Washington, D.C., on June 25, 1870; interment in the National Cemetery, New Bern, N.C.