[Brigham, Horace Raymond]

The Brigham Obsequies.

The funeral services over the remains of Horace Raymond Brigham were held yesterday afternoon at his late home, No. 14 Chapel street. The house was crowded with sympathizing friends. The members of the Kenwood club, wearing gloves and mourning crepe, attended in a body. The employe[e]s of the cutting room at Dunn & McCarthy's to the number of 200 viewed the remains after the services and acted as an escort as far as James and Genesee streets on the way to the cemetery. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, nearly all of massive size, which mutely told of the esteem in which the young man was held. The services were conducted by Rev. A. [Arnold] S. Yantis, pastor of the First Universalist church, who also preached a brief discourse. Miss Lucy Taylor sang two hymns, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Good Night." The remains were placed in the receiving vault at Fort Hill, the members of the Kenwood club acting as escort to the cemetery and each depositing a white carnation upon the casket in the open box. Six young men who had been intimate with the deceased acted as bearers. They were William R. Finn, Lynn Byer, Ralph Miller, George Moosburger, Arthur J. Whipple and Charles Johnson. Mr. Yantis conducted a brief committal service at the cemetery.

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In Memoriam

The members of the Kenwood Athletic Club have learned with deep regret of the death of their friend and fellow member, Horace Raymond Brigham, who departed this life Tuesday, February 7th, 1905, at the age of 21 years, 2 months and 29 days.

Horace Raymond Brigham was a young man whose companionship with us revealed his tender regard for the feelings of others, a kind and generous nature, a friendship that when once formed was as steadfast and enduring as time itself. Though just past his majority it had been our lot to know him well for a considerable period and his untimely taking comes as a personal loss to each one of us. He was the pride of a kind and loving mother whom we commend for consolation to the Great Architect of the Universe who destroys the spirit that he creates. To his mother and younger brother [Curtis] our deepest sympathy is extended in this their hour of deep affliction. As a mark of our respect for the deceased be it

Resolved, That the club attend the funeral in a body; that our charter be draped in mourning for a period of 30 days; that a copy of this minute be sent to the mother of the deceased, entered upon our records and also published in the daily papers.

M. F. KEENAN, OTTO KAHL, CHARLES MOSHER, Committee.

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