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MR. LARNED died at his son's home in Lake Forest, Illinois, on the eighteenth day of September, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-four, in the sixty-fifth year of his age. His death was sudden; but the disease of the heart which caused it had been known for a long time both to himself and his family. One of the most impressive lessons of his life could not be fully spoken of by those who have written the pages that follow, because his immediate family alone had the opportunity to appreciate it,—I mean the perfect serenity of his life for more than two years, while he knew that death might come at any moment. Though forced to remain quiet in body during these last two years, his mind was as active as

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ever, and his mental work was continued almost to the very last day of his life. He was more cheerful during the two years preceding his death than was usual even with him. Death had no terrors for him, because his Christian faith gave him the victory over it. He was ready at all times, as he often said, either to go or stay as the Heavenly Father willed it. The more public events of his life are fully told by those who delivered the following Memorial Addresses.

W. C. L.





THESE Memorial Addresses were delivered in the hall of the Historical Society in Chicago, on Dearborn Avenue, near the corner of Ontario Street, on the evening of Tuesday, the sixteenth day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty-four. The Hon. E. B. WASHBURNE was at that time President of the Society. He presided, and spoke as follows :—

THE current business of the evening having been disposed of, we will now have the pleasure of listening to memorial addresses in respect of our late distinguished associate and honored friend, the Hon. EDWIN C. LARNED.

Mr. Larned was one of the oldest and most useful members of our Society, and always interested in all that appertained to our progress and well-being.

I can assume that the members of the Society and all others present will listen with interest and emotion to what may be said of Mr. Larned here to-night.

Long a resident of Chicago, by his honor and probity, by his intelligence and sagacity, by the