William Lowry

(-8 Feb 1867)

Lowry. On the 8th instant, from drowning, at Erie, Pennsylvania, William Lowry, aged 15 years and 11 months, and Charles Calvert Lowry, aged 17 years and 6 months, sons of Mary J. and Henry M. Lowry, U.S.N. Funeral will take place from the residence of their grandfather, Charles Calvert, 342 19th street tomorrow, 14th instant, at 2 o'clock p.m. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

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Sad Occurrence

On Saturday last information was received here of the drowning of two sons of Mr. H.M. Lowry, U.S.N., and grandsons of Mr. Charles Calvert, in Lake Erie, near Buffalo, New York. The deceased were aged 15 and 17 years, and were skating on the lake when the ice gave way with one, and as he was struggling the other went to his assistance, and both were drowned. Just previous to receiving the telegram announcing the fact, a letter had been received stating that one of them had just received his appointment of acting midshipman in the navy. The remains are expected to arrive today, and the funeral will take place tomorrow.