

“IT was perfectly characteristic of Louis Levings that he should lose his life as he was climbing upward. He vanished only from our earthly sight as he was ascending a high and great mountain in the West. His mind was rich, courageous, large in possibilities. I do not wonder that his intrepid feet thrilled with that eager and valorous manhood which sometimes makes us all too speculative, too willing to dare. If it was a mistake it was not a mistake of a small or weak soul. A searcher after the heights, he loved dangerous places. He knew something of the fine air that comes into a man when he gets above the ordinary. He loved that vision which dawns upon him when he has taken a path into the unknown and unmapped destiny.”

—*President Gunsaulus,
Assembly in the Mission,
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