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## REMAINS OF EX-PRESIDENT DAVIS TRANSFERRED

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# From New Orleans to Virginia' Historic Capitol.

LOVING TRIBUTE PAID THE OLD HERO BY THE SOUTHLAND.

## Impressive Ceremonies at Places Along the Route of the Funeral Train.

With the dignified simplicity that was inseparable from his life, with none of the fuss of military or civic and the Washington Artillery forwarddisplay, the remains of the ex-president of the southern confederacy were nons within a circle, the contrasting removed Saturday afternoon from the colors being purple and yellow. vault in Metaire cemetery at New Orleans, where they have had a temporarary resting place for three years and a half, to the hall where they were to lie in state until their transfer to the casket. It had been presented to the funeral train which was to bear them to the beautiful and quiet precincts of Hollywood cemetery, Richmond, where so many of the stirring ladies of Natchez. It is a silk flag of incidents of Mr. Davis's eventful life | the union; the red and white stripes had their being.

have felt that the city was lacking in regiment through all the fierce battles passed at that place. It had been exthe respect due to the memory of him

dead. Stored in its rows of cases an improvised platform covered with along the walls were many of the black and carefully lifted through one thrilling records of the strife of a of the windows to a large catafalque quarter of a century ago, and hanging from its walls were the pictures of dead heroes looking down upon the casket of the leader of them all. The tattered rags that were once beautiful flags of gallant commands formed a historic prospective from the platform from the rear.

resting place for the remains of the as the body was borne up the steps of

The veteran guards scattered about the small but historic hall, removed their gray slouch hats as the casket was borne in and revently placed upon the cata-falque of antique oak that matched the receptacle of the remains. When the coffin had been tenderly laid down several beatiful floral pieces were ranged about it. The floral tributes came from the veteran organizations and the Ladies' Confederate Association. The army of Northern Virginia sent a beautiful design and exquisite chair of red and white immortelles. The Ladies' Confederate Association and the

Army of Tennessee each sent a mound

surmounted by a star and crescent,

HIS OLD FLAG.

the Mississppi regiment that Colonel

Davis commanded in the Mexican war

and was the handiwork and gift of the

draped in heavy folds of black. The car was built especially for this purpose and the superstructure is almost entirely of glass so that the casket will be visible as the train rushes across the southland to the historic Virginia capital. The floral offerings were placed at the head of the casket and they too, will be visible through the trip. A guard of honor was selected from the escort and was immediate-

ly put upon duty and the public was permitted to pay its respects and to take a last fond farewell of the remains. The procession reached the train at 6 o'clock p. m. and it was nearly eight before the party got under way. The train was made up of a locomotive and tender, baggage car, an ordinary coach, the funeral car, four sleepers and a private car.

A large escort of honor, comprising civil and military officers accompanied the remains to the depot. As the funeral train pulled out of

New Orleans crowds appeared at every ed an exquisite tribute of crossed canstreet corner on both sides of the track At every station crowds assembled, gray headed old soldiers and ladies A flag that came all the way from inent features. Texas for the purpose, was placed upon

AT DAVIS'S OLD HOME. At Beauvoir, Mr. Davis's old home, the track and station platform had been carpeted with most beautiful and fragrant snow-white rhododendrons.

The little children of Beauvoir thus now faded in a common yellow, and it paid their tribute to the memory of The strangers in New Orleans may was borne at the head of the gallant one whose declining years had been

PLAN OF REORGANIZATION. A GEOBGIA FLAG. I he battle torn banner of the Thirtysecond Georgia was placed on the casket while it lay in state at Montgomery. The flag of the Sixty-fourth Alabama was also thrown over the coffin, and the old flag that Davis took to Mexico with him at the head of the gallant

war times made the ceremonies take on additional solemnity. Just before the train pulled out

from Montgomery for Atlants hundreds of fair women and school girls day Drexel, Morgan & Co. handed came down to pay their respects to down the prescription which they Miss Winnie Davis. She stood upon have drawn up as the proper dose to the rear platform of Captain Tyler's place the Richmond Terminal again on private car and received. Many of a sound footing. Their plan differs hem she had known before and rec- from the Olcott plan in that the junior ognized immediately, shaking their securities, or the later bond issue and hands and kissing them most cordial- the security stock issue, stand the ly. She was profoundly impressed by brunt of the pruning, and the underher sister, stood beside her and aided ity.

in receiving the crowds. At last when beside the river many hurried good- underwrite the plan. If the security byes were shouted to the daughter of holders who have deposited their holdthe confederacy. The cannon that ings unconditionally desire to withhad been rolled down by the riverside draw they can do so on or before May until the cor: orate limits were passed. | began to boom its adieu and the sol- 31st, but all securities withdrawn will diers, who had been drawn up in long not participate in the reorganization. lines on both sides of the train, came and children with flowers being prom- to present arms while the cortege passed out of the gates of Montgom- lows: erv and began its journey to Atlanta.

ATLANTA'S TRIBUTE.

The funeral train reached Atlanta at 4:30 o'clock, Monday afternoon. As early as 2 o'clock the crowds began to gather at the Union depot and along the route of the procession. Five thousand persons were standing on the streets in and around the depot. The shed was surrounded by a great mass of surging people. These were divided between two impulses. They wanted to see the casket and they were anxious to catch a glimpse of Miss Winnie. When the train came to a stand-still Governor Northen and his staff and Governor Jones, of Alabama, and his staff stepped from the coaches. General John B. Gordon and Major Sidney Root passed along looking for the coach bearing Miss Winnie. In a mo-At Mobile the Semmes camp of Con- ment she and her sister, Mrs. Hayes, federate veterans was drawn up on the appeared. As they stepped down, the general kissed Mrs. Hayes, and the daughter of the confederacy, her eyes half swimming with tears, kissed the

Drexel, Morgan & Co. Present the Details of the Scheme Mississippians. These old relics of To Place the Richmond Torminal on

Solid Financial Footing.

A New York special says: On Tues-

Drexel, Morgan & Co. announce DETAILS OF THE SCHEME.

The details of the scheme are as fol-

The Richmond Terminal company, Richmond and Danville system and East Tennessee system are to be reorganized; about six thousand miles of railway in all. The Georgia Central is not included, although the interest in that system must be protected. The reorganization proposes to bring the entire 6.000 miles under one new railway company, preserving, however, local independence in all matters relating to operating and traffic and to reduce charges to \$6,789,000. The capital of the new company outstanding on the completion of the reorganization is expected to be about \$20,000 bonds per mile of railroad owned or controlled; \$10,000, preferred stock; and \$25,000, common stock. The proposed new fixed charges (including rental paid by Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific) are estimated at under \$1,150 per mile. The new securities are to be \$140,000,000 first consolidated mortgage 5 per cent bonds; \$75,000,0005 per cent non-cumulative prefered stock ; and \$160,000,000 common stock. It is estimated that out of this total \$35,883,000 in bonds will be reserved by the new company under property restriction to be used only for new construction, betterments purchases of rolling stock and the extension of and additions to the system. Not over \$2,500,000 to be used in any one calendar year except that in addition to this annual appropriation. a total of \$3,000,000 bonds may be specifically appropriated, with the unanimous consent of the stock trustees for the building of branches or extensions if under within three years after the creation of the new mortgage. All property acquired with these bonds or their proceeds to be brought under the lien of the mortgage. Additional bonds may be issued to acquire the Cincinnati Southern railway, now rented, or additional interests in the Georgia Central. There also will be a reserve of about \$15,000,000. Drexel, Morgan & Co. will take their compensation, except \$100,000 to cover their office expenses, entirely from the new common stock at \$15 per share, about \$750,000 net. It Tackles a Circus Tent With Disas-Such bonds as are earning their interest are not disturbed at all. Enough new bonds (in addition to the \$35,383,-000) will be reserved to pay them all at maturity. The assessment on Terminal common stock is \$12.50 per share. East Tennessee stocks are also assessed. THE BASIS OF ADJUSTMENT. The following is the basis of adjustment with the Richmond and West Point Terminal security holders in securities of the new company : Six per cent Terminal bonds to receive 35 per cent in new 5 per cent bonds bearing interest from July 1, 1893; 65 per cent in new preferred stock.

of which only \$6,800,000 comes from of which only \$6,800,000 comes from TELEGRAPHIC GLEANINGS. stock assessments and the sale of new common stock. The plan looks for early dividends on the new preferred stock. The earnings of 1891 would pay 4 per cent on the new preferred stock. Eight millions in actual money is to be spent at once for the new construction, equipment, etc. The other feature of the plan is that it provides ample means for all future needs. All the railways will have to be

foreclosed and foreclosure suits will be vigorously pressed. Those conversant with the reorganization and its prospects figure the new preferred stock at 60. The syndicate guarantees a sale of \$8,000,000 of the bonds at 85 per cent. and of \$33,333,000 common stock at \$15 per share, so the minimum value of those securities is fixed. the celebration Montgomery gave, and lying securities are in many cases us. Figuring the new preferred stock as spoke of it many times. Mrs. Hayes, reliable and allowed to run to matur. dow as 50 per cent. Terminal securities are worth to-day about 75 per cent. for the sixes, 39 per cent. for the the train pulled out from the wharf that they have formed a syndicate to fives, 28 per cent. for the preferred stock and 8 3-4 per cent. for the com-

> mon stock. THE REORGANIZATION COMMITTEE. The reorganization will be conducted under the supervision of Drexel, Morgan & Co., through a committee con-sisting of Messrs. C. H. Coster, George Sherman and A. J. Thomas. Drexel, Morgan & Co. have so much faith in the future of this enterprise that they put two-thirds of the new money behind most of the present investment.

## CROP BULLETIN.

#### **Favorable Report for Past Week from** the Agricultural Department.

The weekly crop bulletin issued from the Agricultural department at Washington, Tuesday, says: The weather during the past week has resulted in improved crop conditions in the northwest and central valleys, while the outlook is less favorable in the southeast sections of the country. Mississippi-All conditions very

## The News of the World Condensed Into Pithy and Pointed Paragraphs.

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Interesting and Instructive to All **Classes of Readers.** 

Dr. Nash, the representative of Dr. Jenkins in Hamburg, Germany, reports by cable one death from cholers in that city Sunday.

Another batch of Mexican revolutionists has been sentenced to terms of imprisonment by the court at San Antonio. So far fifty-three have been convicted and sentenced.

A suburban train ran into a passenger train on the Texas Pacific road at Austin, Monday night. Two persons were killed and ten injured. The incoming train disregarding orders.

Comptroller Echols stated Monday that there were indications that the Chemical National bank, of Chicago, and the Capital National bank, of Indianapolis, Ind., would resume busi-

Advices of Monday from London stated that during the fearful cyclone which has been raging in the bay of Benfal the ship Germania was lost and sixty-four people lost their lives with the ship.

Passenger train No. 36 on the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago, which left Indianapolis Monday morning, was wrecked near Broad Ripple, seven miles north of the city. Engineer George E. Plant was killed and Fire-

who was the leader of the cause for | tol and the end of the Mexican war. | to visit Davis's residence, but the stay which it poured out so much of its precious blood more than a quarter of a century ago. The crowd who watched the little cortege with its grey at- general public were permitted to pass go by.

THERE WAS NO DEMONSTRATION.

There was no booming of cannons, ing. no glistening bayonets in the parade, no brass buttons, save those of the handful of veterans that formed the escort from the grave to the hall-no dirgeful music-no display of any kind. But the absence of an imposing procession and moving multitude was the mute respect of a patriotic people, simple request of the old soldiers who of the dead president of a departed had the arrangements in charge.

FROM THE OLD TO THE NEW CASKET.

the transfer of the remains from the old to 'a the new casket was made Saturorning before the city was yet stir. Only a small and select fully ng were present to witness the gather ceremony. Comrades Smith, solemi Higgins and L. A. Adams Thoma esent to represent the army of were D a Virginia, to whose charge the Northeri were entrusted and who remains .rded them ever since have 0118 the afternor on upon which they were consigniged to the grave.

Mr. E. H. B. arrar, who is related by marriage to MIr. Davis, was on hand to represent the ga family. Beyond these there were no on thers, save the sexton and the undertal ver and his assistants. Mr. Davis was en sterred in a cedar casket, richly covere d with black silk plush. The body was laid in a metallie case inside th'e cedar covering. Sexton Sholz took f ... jom the vault the black marble plate; ithe old casket was removed and the mets atlic casket lifted out into the handson ne new casket. The new receptacle is what is known as a state casket and is used on special occasions. It is made of an antique oak richly polished and chastely and beautifully carved, and is massive in size. The handles are made of heavy brass and on the cover is simple brass plate. Identical with the plat e, on the old casket bearing the unoster statious inscription: .

. . . . . . . . JEFFERSON DAVIS, At Rest, December 6, 1889.

The old casket was replaced in vault where it will reinata as iong the tomb of the Army of Northearn on the platform, mingling with the Virginia stands, marked with the black Richmond committee, who wore the tablet that contains on its face, in gift | confederate uniform in honor of the recessed letters, a fac simile of occasion. In a few minutes there was the autograph of Mr. Davis an 1 a parting of the ranks of the throng the dates of his birth and death, in the hall, and Miss Winnie Davis, The new casket stood in the cham | leaning on the arm of Mr. Ambrose

that proved the fall of Mexico's capi- pected that the escort would have time various camps of the city and state, were placed around the casket and the laid upon the bier.

during the night and Sunday morn-

The ceremonies Sunday were just a trifle more important than they were of enthusiasm and were as simple as twenty guns. There was a great crowd gallant old soldier twice. the funeral of an humble citizen. All Saturday night a faithful guard of the casket. The train pulled out for nonor restlessly paced the polished Montgomery at 12:20 a. m. Monday standing by felt their hearts go out to restrained from outward show by the | floors of Memorial hall beside the bier

> nation. Now and then during the quiet of the night a belated pedestrian timidly made his way into the hall and gazed respectfully at the rich old oaken casket, and then quietly slipped out. These visits were few and far between and they only served to vary the monotony about the historical building. When day broke, however, the scene changed and a slender stream of humanity began to wind in and out of the hall, made up of every character of life, rich and poor, white and black, statesman and citizens, the blue and

As the day wore on and the churches filled with worshipers there was a lull, and as the afternoon grew apace the human current increased again, running in and out until the guards at the stone steps forbade any more to follow. During the day more floral offerings were received to be placed beside the bier, some of them from distant states.

It was half-past 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon when the stream of visitors was checked. Only the gray-haired and gray-clad veterans who formed the guard and escort, public officials, distinguished visitors, the Davis family and those who had the right to be present remained in the hall when the ceremonies were about to begin. The narrow limits of the little building was

not capable for much of a crowd, and many were denied the privilege of participating in the services around the bier. Governor Foster entered the hall leaning on the arm of General Stephen D. Lee, and behind came Lieutenant Governor Parlange and leading lights in the as ranks of the veterans. They gathered

A guard of honor, representing the was too short for this purpose. Several large tributes were at Beauvoir

At Scranton, Miss., Major General tendants moving slowly through the around the casket and pay their re- Whiting and staff had their car atstreets of the city were made up only spects to the dead. The body was tached to the train, and the special of those who stopped in the walks or | naturally decomposed, but was in fair | bearing Governor Jones and staff joingathered on the sidewalks to watch it preservation and the face recognizable. ed the Davis train. The run over The guards were relieved at intervals from New Orleans was a quick one.

AT MOBILE.

SUNDAY'S CEREMONIES.

platform with the camp flag floating in the breeze, while a battery of Ala-Saturdaybut were marked by an absence bama state artillery fired a salute of there to welcome the train and view

morning. AT GREENVULLE, ALA. Greenville, Ala., was the first station reached after daybreak, and de-

spite the early hour, 6 a. m., quite a concourse assembled and gazed with the usual intense interest everywhere manifested at the funeral car. By this time the massive oak casket was almost undiscernible under the mass of flowers heaped upon it and

surrounding it, and of every variety of design, from the most elaborate and costly to the simple bouquet. AT MONTGOMERY.

river the train rolled into the gates of Montgomery, the "cradle of the confederacy." The depot is immediately upon the brink of the beautiful river, and the train came to a stop just be-

side the cool, clear, murmuring waters. It was saluted by the roar of artillery. It did not take long to awake the sleepy watchers in the funeral car with such a demonstration as Montgomery gave. Governor Jones was at the train when it arrived. At 8 o'clock a very unwelcome rainstorm burst over the city, which lasted an hour, very much

delaying the parade. But the people were in the streets, just the same. It did seem that every living soul in Montgomery and for miles around was there to render honor by their presence to Davis.

When finally the rain held up and the sun peeped out from behind the clouds to beam God's benediction upon such patriotic devotion, the casket was taken from the funeral car and placed upon the caisson arranged for its reception, and the procession started. Ahead of the procession went the mounted police, then the governor and his staff, next the brass band, next the caisson and then the military, the Ca-

The meeting was so filled with tender affection that the few who were the two children of the dead president as never before.

The Confederate Veterans' Association had charge of the removal of the casket. General Clement A. Evans directed the removal of the casket from the car to the caisson, drawn by six iron-gray horses. Several minutes passed in making the transfer and getting the procession formed.

The line of procession was from the depot along Loyd to Decatur, Decatur to Broad, Broad to Hunter, Hunter, to Whitehall, Whitehall to

Mitchell, Mitchell to Washington, and Washington to the capitol where Just as the gray hour of dawn made the body was placed amid a rich prosilver of the waters of the Alabama fusion of flowers at the base of the Ben. Hill monument.

> The procession was more than an hour passing a given point, and was one of the largest everseen in Atlanta. All along the line of march from the depot to the capitol the streets were fringed with the eager crowds. Men, women and children, all of them eager to see the procession and to catch a glimpse of the casket.

There were, perhaps, as many as two hundred carriages in line. They were occupied by Senators Gordon and Colquitt, Governor Northen and his staff, Governor Jones, of Alabama ; the mayor and city council, ministers and prominent officials, the members of the Davis family and citizens gener-

When the procession reached the capitol the casket was placed upon the catafalque which had been erected for its reception, and which was covered with a lavish profusion of flowers. Hardly had the guard of honor stepped back when the people pressed forward to pass by the bier and on through the capitol. The military came first, all of the companies with the guns at a trail arms. Following the uniformed militia came the grizzled old confeddets from Auburn college following erate veterans, some with an arm missfirst behind the caisson. Hundreds of ing, others minus a leg, and many soldiers tramped on in the parade. limping, but all of them were unable The procession was watched by thou- to conceal the emotion which was only too plainly visible on their features. from the windows and sidewalks of the One old veteran with one arm missing city. The parade was the handsomest leaned over and pressing his lips ing that company's holdings of Ric. against the polished cover of the casery unless it were when Davis went ket kissed the covering that held his mond and Danville and East Tennesthere to be made president of the south- beloved chief concealed from view. see stock, \$8,750,000; assessments on East Tennessee stock held by the pub-Most of the veterans were content with When the procession reached the being allowed to touch the casket. lic., \$2,700,000; sale of \$33,333,000 More than forty thousand people yiewed the casket while the remains total \$23,250,000. were lying in state at the capitol. At one time, while the crowd was passing slowly through the capitol, the pressure and placed it in the hall of the supreme at the Washington street doors became were swept aside. Finally a squad of policemen armed with Winchesters arrived upon the scene and succeeded in maintaining order.

Five per cent Terminal bonds to receive 70 per cent new preferred stock; 30 per cent new common stock. Terminal preferred stock, 35 per

cent new preferred stock; 65 per cent new common stock.

Terminal common stock, on payment of an assessment of \$12.50 per share, to receive 12 1-2 per cent new prefer-

gencies surplus to be available for the

A GUABANTES STNDICATE.

favorable except cool nights in the first of the week. Crops gassy, being cleaned rapidly. Deep water and back water ruining crops along the Mississippi river.

Louisiana-Cotton scraping; rice planting and cleaning; crops of grasses and weeds being pushed; corn nearly laid by; oats harvesting progressing; yield good; cotton, cane, corn and rice doing well.

Texas-Corn looks splendid; cotton prospects improved and farmers are planting over the northwest portion of the state, where work had been delayed by drought.

Arkansas-Weather favorable and all crops very much improved; southern portions, however, report crops foul and poor stand; cotton, wheat, oats, clover and grass promise an abundant crop.

Tennessee - Conditions favorable; crops improving; wheat heading irregularly; Colorado beetle injuring Irish potatoes; early corn being worked; some still to be planted; no "season" for planting tobacco; cotton small but healthy.

Kentucky-Conditions favored all crops; tobacco setting in full progress; corn improved, but still below the standard; much of the early corn being replanted; wheat, oats and grasses never better.

WIND ON A FROLIC.

trous Results.

Dispatches received from several towns in Missouri and one point in Kansas report the occurrence Thursday afternoon of a severe windstorm. The storm was accompanied by hail and a downpour of water amounting almost to a cloudburst. No loss of life or serious injury reported to human life, but the telegraph wires are down in the country surrounding the towns that the storm struck.

At Sedalia, Mo., the wind attained a trrific velocity. It surged under the tent of Gurgling Brothers' circus and snapped the poles supporting it like pipestems. The crash buried 2,000 people beneath it. They screamed and struggled and several women fainted, but all were finally safely removed from beneath the canvas. Several received severe bruises.

At Brookfield, Mo., the storm struck the roundhouse of the Hannibal and St. Jo railroad and it was partially demolished. Some of the engines were badly damaged. A number of work-

Williams was injured it is man thought fatally.

Richardson & Dennie, dealers in hides, at Boston, Mass., failed Thursday. The firm was rated at \$200,000. It is not believed the liabilities will exceed \$300,000. The assignees are the bookkeeper and Lawyer Coolidge. It is said by those who are active in the leather trade that the cause of the failure may be traced to the sole leather combine.

A Chicago dispatch says : Fire broke out Thursday morning in the stable sheds in Garfield park, The noted resort is being used by a band of Arabs in giving performances somewhat similar to those of the Wild West shows. The men all escaped, but three camels, seven blonded Arabian horses and five hundred feet of shed were consumed.

A New York dispatch says: It is stated officially that outside of the Memphis and Charleston and Mobile and Birmingham, the security holders' reception of the Richmond Terminal plan is more satisfactory at the present time than the reorganizers had expected it to be and the indications are ample now that the Terminal plan will be successful, as it stands without modification except, possibly in these particulars.

A New York special of Thursday says: The balance of H. T. DeBardeleben's holdings of Tennessee coal and iron stock has been taken by John H. Inman and associates. The stock sold by DeBardeleben to this syndicate amounted to 13,000 shares, and the price paid was about 16. Previous to this blocks of 22,500 and 12,000 shares were bought by the syndicate at 25 1-2 and 19, respectively. DeBardeleben will remain with the company as a salaried officer.

A Kansas City dispatch says: The Kansas millers are buying wheat for July and September delivery in Kansas. They are looking forward to the possibility of having to ship wheat into Kansas to keep their mills going. This fact emphasizes the seriousness of the crop damage in Kansas. It is possible that the crop of the state may produce enough wheat to supply the home demands. That is by no means certain. The estimates of the crop now range from 15,000,000 to 25,000-000 bushels.

The National bank at Fargo, N. D., and the First National of Lakota, N. D., were closed Monday on orders issued by Mr. Eckels, comptroller of the currency. Both of these banks were organized by E. Ashley Mears, who was also the organizer of other national banks and of many state banks and other institutions. His plan, says the comptroller, appears to have been to make loans to the various institutions subscribing to the stock of the two national banks in some cases exceeded the amounts in which some cases exceeded the amount of the stock subscribed to by them. At Chicago, Monday, Judge Stein issued a temporary injunction restraining the exposition directory from closing the world's fair on Sundays. The decision was made in accordance with the prayer of a bill filed some weeks ago by Charles W. Clingman, of Chicago, in behalf of himself, as a stockholder in the exposition company, and as a citizen. The proceedings were in the state court and were entirely distinct from the more recent case in the federal courts to which the United States government is a party. Judge Stein held that congress had made no law compelling Sunday closing.

ber of the tomb nearly all day Shortly after 3 o'clock, a guard of sixteen, in uniforms of confederate, gray, mounted, slowly rode down the shaded avenue, leading to the tomb of the Army of Northern Virginia. With heads reverently uncovered, the casket) was borne up from the vault to the waiting hearse, in which it was carefully placed. It was simply an ordinary hearse, severely plain in keeping with the general order of the ceremony and drawn by a twain of handson. black horses.

When the door shad been closed, the guards remounted, and, flanking the hearse, the procession slowly started toward the city. The guard was composed of sixteen men, all veterans of the war. A delegation from the Davis Monument Association, of Richmond, reached the cemetery just before the cortege took up its measured march to the city, and stood with uncovered heads as the veterans guarding the hearse passed out of the burial ground. The journey to the city from the cemetery was remarkable for the lack of incidents. There was no demonstration and it was a slow and uneventful march to the hall. At Claiborne street the veterans of the Army of Northern Virginia had gathered to meet the cortege. At the hall a small curious crowd had gathered and where there were more veterans to receive the remains. The hall had not been draped. Even with-

McGinnis, and followed by her sister, Mrs. Hayes, and the husband of the latter, passed up to the platform. Then the ceremonies began. Governor Foster stepped forward beneath an arch of shrubbery, and in a strong, clear voice delivered a touching and beautiful tribute for the dead hero of the confederacy in behalf of Louisiana.

When the governor had finished his address, which was listened to with profound attention, Vice President Gilmore, of the army of northern Vir- court. The path of the pallbearers too strong for the guards and they ginia, read the order of Mrs: Davis for | was right over the same spot in the the removal of the body and the letter great portico where Mr. Davis stood of Mayor Ellyson requestiog the army of northern Virginia to deliver the of office as president of the southern body to General Glynn. These letters confederacy. It was a moment were here made public for the first of excitement, for there were many time.

Then Rev. A. Gordon Blakewell, there that day. who had served all through the four years of bitter war, and who wore a confederate chaplain's hat, came forward and led the audience in a fervid prayer. When the prayer was concluded sturdy veterans raised the casket from its resting place and bore it the most touching and, surely, the out of the hall and down the stairs to most interesting of the entire scenes the funeral car in waiting amid the strains of dirgeful music.

#### THE FUNEBAL CAR.

The funeral car was the same as used on the day of the funeral of Mr. Davis in New Orleans. An immense out mourning habit it was a fit throng gathered about the funeral car

sands of men, women and children ever witnessed in the city of Montgomern confederacy.

statehouse, which is the historic birthplace of the confederacy, there was a leng halt for the thronging multitude

until the military guard of the day escorted the casket into the capitol February 18, 1861, and took the oath

aged citizes there who saw him stand

Fully five thousand people visited the hall where Davis lay within the two hours allowed by the authorities in charge of the train. Meantime, the hill-tops fairly shook like a mighty volcano with the roar of cannon. But

about the bier of Davis was the presence of so many colored people. It

seemed that every old cotton plantation in the valley of the Alabama river had emptied its negro laborers into Montgomery, and they pushed their of citizens.

## THE DEPARTURE.

It was getting dark when the casket general purpose of the new company, \$2,350,000. Total \$23,250,000. was carried out of the capitol and replaced on the caisson. The return to the union depot was direct, the guard of honor acting as escort. A bugle formed to guarantee subscriptions by sounded taps as the train rolled out security holders for \$33,333,000 cominto the darkness, bound for Virmon stock of the company at \$15 per share, and for \$8,000,000 of the new ginia's capital.

Quite a number of the escort succompany's 5 per cent bonds at 35 per cent and accrued interest, and to take ceeded in getting left. Among them Generals Gordon, Ferguson, and the place and to succeed to the rights Stephen D. Lee. In all thirty, of the of any holder of the Richmond Terparty failed to board the funeral train. They remained over in Atlanta until minal common stock and the East Tennessee stocks, who shall not de-Tuesday morning. They thought that posit their stock and pay the assessthe train was to leave at 8 oclock Cenment thereof. way to the front as eagerly as any class tral time, whereas the hour was eastern The feature of the plan is the large amount of cash it raises, \$23,350,000,

red stock: 100 per cent new common men were in the building, but all esstock. The plan provides cash from caped injury. assessments, the Terminal stock cover-

## BROADWAY CABLE CARS.

## Six Have Been Started and the Horses Will be Given a Rest.

A New York dispatch says: Cable new common stock, \$5,000,000; sale of cars have at last come into the proces-\$8,000,000 new bonds, \$6,000,000; sion on Broadway, and though they are running slowly and cautiously, The cash expenditures are estimated they have come to stay. Pair by pair at: For floating debts and equipment notes as estimated January 1, 1893, \$12,900,000; new construction and equipment on Richmond and Danville and East Tennessee system, estimated during two years, say \$8,000,-000, leaving to provide for the expense of reorganization and for any contin-

the horses will disappear as soon as the cables run smoothly, and before many months it will be possible to enjoy something like rapid transit, with freedom from blockades. The first regular cable cars of the Metropolitan Traction Company were started Monday afternoon and the event was honored by the presence in the cars of many prominent people. The start was made from Central park about 3

o'clock, and six cars made the trip to Bowling Green and return without a Planters in the Mississippi Valley A syndicate of \$16,000,000 has been hitch.

Snow in Michigan.

Snow fell at Ispeming, Mich., and on a territory extending 200 miles east and west of Ispeming all day Wednesday. The snow was several inches deep in the streets of Bed fic snow-storm was in progress all day, unprecedented.

#### CREVASSES WIDENING.

Suffer Fearful Losses.

A Greenville, Miss., special says: The crevasse at Wiley's place, near Lake Providence, on the Louisiana

side, widened to 1,000 feet Wednesday and is still spreading. Captain Hider, of the government fleet, has sent Jacket, Mich. At Marquette a terri- men and material, and it is now thought that the ends of the levee will and a fall of four inches is reported. be made secure before the width The winter's snow is not entirely gone reaches 2,000 feet. The water from and the lumbermen are complaining the break is spreading over the entire that the deep snow and high water are surrounding country with fearful rapidity and the loss to planters will be nost beyond computation.