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HIS LAST SURRENDER.

JEFF DAVIS IS CLOTHED IN DEATH AT 12:45 THIS MORNING.

Friends Watch at His Bedside—Scenes During the Last Hours—He Peacefully Passes Away to That Land Beyond.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—At 12:45 o'clock this morning, Jefferson Davis, ex-president of the Confederate States, died at the residence of of his life-long friend, J. U. Payne.

From the beginning of his fatal illness Mr. Davis had insisted that his case was hopeless, though the dread of pain or the fear of death never appeared to take the slightest hold upon his spirits. In vain did the doctors strive to impress upon him that his health was improving. He steadily insisted that there was no improvement, but with Christian resignation he was content to accept whatever Providence had in store for him, and patiently awaited the end.

At 6 o'clock last evening, without any assignable cause, Mr. Davis was seized with a congestive chill, which seemed for a time to absolutely crush the vitality out of his already enfeebled body. So weak was Mr. Davis that the violence of the assault soon subsided for lack of vitality upon which to prey. From that moment to the moment of his death the history of the case was that of gradual sinking.

At 7 o'clock Mrs. Davis administered some medicine, but the president declined to receive the whole dose. She urged upon him the necessity of taking the remainder, but putting it aside with a gentle gesture, he whispered "pray excuse me."

These were the last words he was heard to utter. Gradually he grew weaker and weaker, but never for an instant did he seem to lose consciousness. Lying peacefully upon his bed and without a trace of pain in his look, he remained for hours silently clasping and tenderly caressing his wife's hand. From the dread assault of the congestive chill those gathered about the bedside who had been watching and noting with painful interest every change of symptom for the past month he knew full well that the dread messenger was at the door.

About half-past 10 o'clock Associate Justice Fenner went to the French opera house to call to Mr. Davis's bedside Mr. and Mrs. Farrar and Mrs. Stamps. As soon as the message reached them they hurried to the bedside of the dying ex-president.

By half-past 11 o'clock there were assembled in the death chamber Mrs. Davis, Drs. Chaille and Bickham, Associate Justice and Mrs. Fenner, Miss Nannie Smith, grandniece of the dying man, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Farrar.

Finding that Mr. Davis was breathing somewhat heavily as he lay upon his back, the doctor assisted him to turn on his right side. With his cheek resting upon his right hand, he lay for some fifteen minutes, breathing softly but faintly. More and more feeble became his respirations, till they passed into silence, and then the watchers knew that the silver chord had been loosed and the father of the Confederacy was no more.

Despite the fact that the end had come slowly and peacefully, and after she had been face to face with the dread reality, the blow fell with crushing force upon the afflicted widow. As long as there had been work for either head or hands she had borne up bravely, and not until the uses for her tender ministrations were lost did she seem to realize the terrible force of the blow that had fallen upon her. Knowing of a predisposition to heart affection, the doctors were at once gravely alarmed for her. They promptly administered a composing draught, and at a late hour this morning she was resting quietly though not naturally.

It is believed the foundation of Mr. Davis's last illness was malaria, complicated with acute bronchitis. Careful nursing and skilled medical attention had mastered the latter, but it is supposed the congestive chill, was the immediate cause of death.

After death the face of the deceased, though looking slightly emaciated, showed no trace of suffering, more nearly resembling that of a peaceful sleeper than of the dead.

Spanish emigration has assumed alarming proportions because of the many disasters which have recent years befallen the Spanish agricultural districts.

NEW ELECTRIC SYSTEM.

A Car Which Does Away With Overhead Wires.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Harry W. Smith, a Newark inventor, has constructed an electric railroad on one of the wharves of that city to demonstrate a new principle in electric propulsion. It not only does away with overhead wires but with continuous currents as well. It is a conduit system, but the conduit is without a slot and is practically water tight and air tight. To keep it dry a blower or exhaust fan will keep air constantly circulating through it. The conduit is placed midway between the rails and in the full-sized model it is made of wood with a series of heavy brass plates on top. In the bottom of the conduit is a copper strip insulated from the conduit. The brass strips forming the cover of the conduit are four or five feet in length, and are rubbed by copper brushes which conduct the current to the motor in the car. There is no flow of current outside of the conduit except directly under the car. Elsewhere the current is flowing peacefully along the copper rod in the bottom of the conduit.

Connection between the copper rod and brass plates is provided by permanent magnets preceding the brushes under the car. These magnets pick up successive pallets or levers in the conduit, and the pallets form contact between the rod and the plates. As soon as the car passes one of the strips the levers drop of their own weight and break circuit in the conduit. One of the rails is used to form the other half of the metallic circuit, as in overhead systems. Mr. Smith's model car carries six persons rapidly, with a current measuring seventy volts. A practical road is to be put down in one of the suburbs of Newark.

WALLA WALLA.

Narrow Escape From a Big Fire—An Armed Mania Overpowered.

WALLA WALLA, Dec. 5.—A man was found dead drunk on the O. & W. T. track above Pendleton, a short time before the arrival of the train. He was lying directly across the rails, and would have been cut to pieces had he not been discovered in time. He was removed to the town.

The fire department turned out this afternoon in answer to an alarm rung in from the commissary department of Hunt's railroad. The fire started from a defective flue, and was extinguished before the engines got there. It was a narrow escape, and if once fairly started, would have been a big fire, as besides the big warehouses, the mammoth Northern Pacific grain elevator close by, would also have been destroyed.

Thomas Schelsey, who was run over by the train at Wilbur, was taken to Pendleton as soon as possible, and died yesterday morning. The young man's mother, in Birmingham, Kansas, was notified by telegraph.

Yesterday the east-bound express from Portland brought a passenger who had a belt around his waist holding two big horse pistols and a bowie knife a foot long; who held passengers and trainmen on the rack until Pendleton was reached, when he was overpowered and arrested by Sheriff Houser and assistants on a charge of insanity. When the officers boarded the train the maniac had Brakeman Aneusley stood up on the platform, a cocked pistol pointed at him, the trigger of which he pulled as the men seized him. One of the men grabbed the pistol, the hammer coming down on his hand. He was handcuffed and taken to jail awaiting examination. Nothing is known of the man. He is said to have come from Yakima, out boarded the train at Portland with a ticket to New York. He is a tall, handsome man, dark moustache, pale complexion and gives the name of James McGreen Smith.

Fought For a Girl.

POMONA, Cal., Dec. 5.—Two Pomona boys about 16, Priestly and Lucas, quarreled over a girl, the dispute resulting in one challenging the other. They met last night and fought with foils with the button moved back three-quarters of an inch from the point and the point snapped. Priestly was pretty badly prodded about the face and chest.

Virginia's Legislature.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 5.—The legislature met to-day. The senate has thirty-one Democrats and nine Republicans, and the house eighty-five Democrats and fifteen Republicans. Governor Lee sent in his last annual message. It is devoted almost exclusively to the state debt problem.